

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

OREGONIAN TELEPHONES... HEILIG THEATER... PANTAGES THEATER... EMPRESS THEATER... LYRIC THEATER... PEOPLES STAR ARCADE ON JOY TIVOLI AND CRYSTAL... Advertisements intended for the City News in Brief columns in Sunday's issue must be handed in The Oregonian business office by 6 o'clock Saturday evening.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS... Orders for copies of the New Year's Oregonian, which will be issued on January 1, 1913, to be sent to friends, should be sent to The Oregonian at once.

CHURCH ORGAN DEDICATED... The fine new pipeorgan purchased by St. Francis parish, with the assistance of the Andrew Carnegie Corporation, was dedicated last night in the church.

SELLWOOD MASONS INSTALL OFFICERS... At the annual meeting of Sellwood Lodge, No. 131, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, last night the following officers were installed.

FIRE DAMAGE IS \$3000... Damage placed by the police at \$3000 was done yesterday morning in a row of buildings near First and Columbia streets.

WOMEN TO SELL TAGS FOR Y. M. C. A... The members of the Y. M. C. A. will sell tags today to make up part of its subscription for the maintenance of the Sellwood branch.

CHRISTMAS EXERCISES TONIGHT... The Christmas exercises and tree at the Receiving Home of the Boys and Girls Aid Society will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

EARL C. BROUGHTON TO ADDRESS CAR MEX... Earl C. Broughton will address the employees of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company tomorrow at 3 P. M.

MONTE SCOTT W. C. T. U. TO DINE... For the honor of the Y. M. C. A. members of the Mount Scott W. C. T. U. will give a banquet on January 1 at 6:30 o'clock.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS CHANGED... The funeral of the late Mrs. J. B. Elwert, who died on Christmas day, will be held in the Mount Scott Baptist Church.

LOCAL COMPOSERS MASS SONG... The new mass composed by A. Scherzinger, choir leader, was sung for the first time at the Sacred Heart Church, East Twelfth and Center streets, Wednesday.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME BETWEEN WENDALL PHILLIPS HIGH SCHOOL OF CHICAGO AND WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL OF PORTLAND... The game will be played today at 2 P. M.

GRAND MASQUERADE, NEW YEAR'S NIGHT, AT OAKS HALL... Grand masquerade, New Year's night, at Oaks Hall.

NEW METHOD OF WATER COLLECTIONS

The committee appointed by the East Side Business Men's Club to investigate the new method of collecting water tax which is to be put in force on the first day of the year, will submit its findings at the club luncheon next Monday at the Hotel Clifton.

SEWER FUNDS OPENED

Bids opened by the City Executive Board yesterday for the construction of the East Stark-street trunk sewer.

EAT PORK: IT'S CHEAPER NOW

Frank L. Smith announces a cut in hams and half hams to 15c; other choice breakfast bacon is 20c; other folks' price is 25c up.

HODSON MAY SUCCEED COFFEY

John B. Coffey, County Clerk-elect, announced yesterday that he will resign as a member of the City Executive Board at the Board's special meeting next Tuesday.

PORTLAND CASE SET FOR HEARING

Word was received from Washington, D. C. from City Attorney Grant yesterday that the United States Supreme Court will consider the case of the Southern Pacific against the City of Portland.

DIVORCES GRANTED BY DEFAULT

The following default divorce decrees were allowed in Circuit Court yesterday morning on the usual grounds of desertion, cruelty, infidelity, drunkenness, etc.

DOCTORS' EXAMINATION SET

The New Oregon Hotel main dining-room will be occupied for the first time on January 7, 5 and 9, by the State Board of Medical Examiners.

GROCERY SALESMAN HELD

On the unsupported word of a little girl 8 years of age, George E. Blum, salesman in a grocery at Thirty-third and Belmont streets, was held to answer to the grand jury.

MASQUERADE WILL VISIT KELLY BUTTE

The Masqueras will start from First and Alder streets, at 1:30 P. M. Sunday, for the Mount Scott carline.

GAME WARDEN FROM

County Clerk Fields Ordered to Pay or Stand Arrest.

LICENSE MONEY INVOLVED

Multnomah Official Says \$1036.20 Is Question of Accountability for Funds Lost in Dowfall of American Bank & Trust.

CELEBRATION FUND 'SHY'

MORE MONEY NEEDED FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE CONCERT.

PLAN IS TO HAVE BAND PLAY

Programme at 10 and Choral Programme at 11:30 P. M.

RECORD Juggling Alleged

The amount directly at issue in the Clerk's collection of license fees for the year 1911, while Mr. Fields contends that the question is purely one of his accounting for funds received for the downfall of the American Bank & Trust Company, the Game Warden charges that there had been direct juggling of the records to cover the failure to remit.

FIELD LAUGHS AT MOVE

Another alleged misappropriation of \$258 is held in abeyance by the Game Warden, alleged to be due for years back of 1911 and as far back as 1905.

CITY PRISON CONGESTED

Council to Be Urged to Provide Way for Relieving Condition.

FLORAL OFFERINGS MANY

Funeral of Mrs. Nellie W. Gill Held at Centenary Church.

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE MENU

Mulligatawny soup, salmon croquettes, green peas, sausages, roast lamb, browned potatoes, sugar corn, Russian salad, chocolate pudding, whipped cream, 18c 5th st.

Holdup Man to Be Given Chance

Announcement was made by Circuit Judge McGinn yesterday that he will impose a light sentence on and parole Albert Kroll, the youth who, while holding up F. W. Inherwood for purposes of robbery, was induced by the latter to accompany him to his home on promise of something to eat, a job and a chance to make good.

Title & Trust Co. 4th and Oak

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