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AMUSEMENTS.

HELIX THEATRE—(Eleventh and Morrison)—The new musical comedy, "Modern Eve." Tonight at 8:15 o'clock.

BUNGALOW THEATRE—(Twelfth and Morrison)—Hanson J. Terry in the drama "The Ransom." Tonight at 8:15.

ORPHEUM THEATRE—(Seventh and Taylor)—The new musical comedy, "The Ransom." Tonight at 8:15.

PANTAGES THEATRE—(Seventh and Alder)—The new musical comedy, "The Ransom." Tonight at 8:15.

EMPEROR THEATRE—(Park and Washington)—The new musical comedy, "The Ransom." Tonight at 8:15.

LYRIC THEATRE—(Fourth and Stark)—The new musical comedy, "The Ransom." Tonight at 8:15.

PEOPLE'S STAR ARCADE, OR JOY TIVOLI AND CRYSTAL—First-run pictures, 11 A. M. to 12 P. M.

GYMNASIUM CLASSES FOR SELLWOOD Y. M. C. A. OPEN.—Classes in the physical department of the Sellwood Y. M. C. A. branch will be organized this week under the charge of John Hensmer, the director. Tonight the boys will come together for organization. Wednesday and Friday will be for the boys' classes between 7 and 8:30 o'clock. For the senior classes Monday and Friday are reserved. Tuesday will be for women, girls and young women. In three classes for the three divisions, the day being reserved for them. Friday night will be open house for social purposes, and Saturday for athletic night for basketball and other games. Mr. Hensmer will have charge of the athletic classes. J. V. Gutherie will look after the evening events and all social features. It is planned to make the branch the center of social life and education in Sellwood.

NEW MAN COMES TO PILGRIM CHURCH.—Rev. Edward Constant, of Massachusetts, has taken charge of Pilgrim Congregational Church on Shaver street and Missouri avenue, for the present, and occupied the pulpit there yesterday.

He takes the place of Rev. C. L. Wirth, who resigned the past month. Rev. Mr. Constant, who was in the city, was prevailed on to accept the work at least for the present month. Selection of a permanent pastor has been left to the committee of the Portland Congregational Society rather than make a selection and call on its own responsibility. Pilgrim Congregational Church has a handsome edifice and a large membership, but has been a little unfortunate in its pastors in that they do not stay long.

W. C. T. U. TO HOLD MEETINGS.—The County W. C. T. U. plans to hold a series of public meetings at its headquarters, Behrke-Walker building, beginning Tuesday next, when an all-day institute will be held. This meeting will open at 10 o'clock and last during the day, with an educational programme. Wednesday night in the same place a public meeting will be held when public questions will be discussed. The Democratic, Republican, Progressive, Prohibitionist and Socialist parties will have representatives present to tell the members why women should support their respective parties. It will be the first of a series of similar meetings to be held to consider public questions, the object being to educate women on their political questions.

JOHN'S WORK SUMMER.—The first of several lectures on John's work will be delivered by Dr. C. H. Chapman tonight at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of the Portland Young Men's Christian Association. This is in connection with a series of addresses on modern literature Dr. Chapman began before the holidays. There will be several lectures on John. The subject tonight will be "Hebrew Gables." The lecture is public, and conducted under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. educational department.

"WALKING SALOONS" ARRESTED.—A vigorous campaign against what are known in police circles as "walking saloons" resulted yesterday in the arrest of four Sunday liquor law violators. They are: John Kileen, Thomas C. Hurley, Fred Conover and A. L. Smithson. A "walking saloon" is a man who purchases a number of bottles of liquor on Sunday and sells it at advanced prices on Sunday. The four men are charged with the double offense of selling liquor on Sunday and of selling liquor without a license.

CLUB TO CONSIDER GAMING PROBLEM.—At the luncheon of the East Side Business Men's Club today at the Hotel Clifford, East Sixth and East Morrison streets, the garbage problem will be considered. Dr. C. H. Rafferty, formerly a member of the Water Board, who has given the question extended study, will present a plan for the collection of garbage in Portland. Also others will speak on the subject. A. L. Kroenke will preside at this luncheon.

CLACKAMAS POMONA GRANGE MEETS AT OSWEGO.—Clackamas County Pomona Grange will hold its regular quarterly meeting with the Oswego Grange Wednesday. It will be important and many important topics will be discussed. State Master S. C. Spence will discuss the parcel post and road legislation. Superintendent Toose, of Oregon City, will discuss school matters. Also the widows' pension bill will be considered.

MAYOR'S CONDITION IMPROVES.—The condition of Mayor Rushlight, who was taken ill with an attack of stomach trouble Friday evening, was considerably improved last night, so that it is possible that he may be back at his desk at the City Hall today.

INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE.—The meeting of the City Council tomorrow night promises to be exciting. According to the city charter, when a Councilman has been absent from deliberation without a dispensation from his colleagues, for more than two regular meetings, it shall be the duty of the Council to proceed to elect some one to fill the vacancy. Councilman A. C. Staten has been absent from the body during two regular meetings. At the next regular meeting an election will be held to fill the vacancy made by operation of the charter.

Mr. Staten has not been working in harmony with the body and it is probable that he will not be re-elected. He is taken to get rid of him.

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MAMMAS HAVE ACCIDENTS.

Two accidents marred a horseback ride over the Skidway boulevard yesterday by a party of 15 Mammas. George X. Riddell received a badly injured knee when his horse fell on him in the road. Miss C. W. Garland fell from her horse while passing through a bushy lane, but was not seriously hurt. The Mammas rode 20 miles during the day. Lunch was had at the home of P. H. Garriety. Those who went on the trip were: Miss C. W. Hand, W. C. Hibbard, J. T. Dillon, N. Pennicuk, George X. Riddell, Miss E. F. Patterson, Miss C. N. Garland, Miss Edith Ellis, Miss Pearl E. Hill, Miss Edith Monroe, Miss Myrtle Bellingham, Dr. C. V. Luther, Miss L. L. Thompson, A. M. Churchill and D. P. Lamb. The trip was arranged and conducted by Mr. Lamb. Mr. Riddell soon after the accident was brought to the city and taken to his home in a taxicab.

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