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AMUSEMENTS. ORPHEUM THEATRE (Broadway and Taylor).....Vaudeville. This afternoon 8:15 and tonight at 8:15. PANORAMA THEATRE (Broadway and Alder).....Vaudeville. This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15 and 9:15. EMPRESS THEATRE (Broadway and Yamhill).....Vaudeville. This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15.

OREGONIAN AT RESORTS. For quickest delivery of The Oregonian at summer resorts subscribe through the following agents. City rates. Subscriptions by mail are payable in advance.

GOLDSMITH STREET WIDENING FAVORABLE. It is reported that so far there is no material opposition to making Goldsmith street in Lower Albina 80 feet wide from Hancock to Russell street.

NEW SCOTT HOTEL ATTACHED. For failure to pay \$200, a portion of the rent due for the month of June, an attachment has been taken on the new Scott Hotel, under lease to W. H. Abel and Phebe I. Abel, by Charles A. Malarky, Dan J. Malarky and James A. Barkley, owners of the property.

REWARDS OFFERED FOR FIRE BUG. The Lentz baseball team has offered a reward of \$100 for the conviction of the party who caused the fire in the park last Saturday night. From all the circumstances the fire is thought to have been an incendiary fire in the grandstand.

CHICKEN DINNER 35c. At the Holtz Store Tonight. Menu—Soup, Consomme Clear; Baked Filet of Halibut. Choice of—Chicken Potpie, Family Style; Roast Spring Chicken, with Dressing; New Potatoes on Creme or Mashed Potatoes; Cauliflower au Gratin; Spring vegetable Salad; Choice of Pastry, Coffee or Tea—Bread and Butter. Music from 5:30 to 7:30. Fifth-street entrance direct to restaurant.

87TH YEAR PASSED. John McCracken Receives Congratulations of Friends. BUSINESS PIONEER ACTIVE Old-Timer Still Interested in All Commercial and Political Doings of City in Which He Lived More Than Half Century.

John McCracken, one of the oldest living members of the group of Portland pioneers in business, yesterday received congratulations from a large number of his friends. It was the 87th anniversary of Mr. McCracken, and 60 of these years have been devoted to business in this city.

Business Ability Shown. Mr. McCracken entered the commission business in 1856, later merging it into grocery and supply business, which he developed into a wholesale supply business which bore his name and of which he was for years active head.

Honors Offered by Club. Recently, in recognition of his activities in the Portland Commercial Club, the board of directors conferred upon him honorary membership. For many years Mr. McCracken has been one of the familiar figures about the club quarters, and while the late George H. Williams was living, a billiard game between the two used to be a daily event of their club associations.

SCHOOL AFFAIRS PIZZAZZ. DISTRICT SPLIT AND ONE HAS NO BUILDING. Bonds Sold and Fund Tied Up by Injunction at Imbler in Union County.

EXPERT SWIMMER DROWNS. Astoria Man Sinks to His Death Only 10 Feet From Shore. William Mackey, of Astoria, reputed an expert swimmer, was drowned a mile above Sellwood on the west side of the Willamette, at 4:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and one hour later the body was recovered by Hugh Brady, municipal grapple. Mackey is thought to have been 32 years old.

WORK ON BRIDGE IS MOVING. Good Progress Shown in Repairs on Burnside Span. Repairs on the Burnside bridge are progressing rapidly in accordance with the promise of Superintendent Murnane. On the approach something more than half the work has been completed. The steel span over East Second street has been put in place and the second span of the same kind is being placed above

East First street. As fast as the piles are driven the roadway is finished up and plankled. The street railway tracks will be relaid, and space is left for the rails.

FIREMEN PLAN OUTING. EXCURSION AT ESTACADA IS FOR BENEFIT OF BAND. Members of Department and Their Friends Will Be Carried on 38 Special Trains.

One of the biggest Summer outing excursions of the present season will be the annual picnic of the Portland fire department at Estacada tomorrow.

WINCHELL TO VIEW LINES. New Tariff Director of Union Pacific Due in City Soon. B. L. Winchell, newly appointed traffic director of the Union Pacific system, will arrive in Portland within the next 10 days to make an inspection of the lines of the O-W-R & N. Company, which the Oregon home line and Union Pacific proper are included in his jurisdiction.

JILTED ONE ASKS \$50,000. Lloyd Frank Sued by Mrs. Gerlinger, ex-Wife of Auto Man. Gertrude Gerlinger, formerly wife of Edward E. Gerlinger, an automobile man, is suing Lloyd Frank, son of the late Sigmund Frank, for \$50,000 for breach of promise.

GEVURTZ JURY IS SECURED. Mrs. Grace Lancaster Expected to Be Able to Appear on Monday. A jury to try Philip Gevurtz and Mrs. Grace Lancaster, under indictment for the same offense, was selected in Judge Kavanaugh's court yesterday and consists of A. W. Markle, M. T. Markle, John Schrantz, Thomas Edgar, Fred S. McCall, E. J. Schrantz, W. E. Walton, C. A. Gatzka, S. L. Hamner, John H. Neidermayer, George Neidermayer and Adams. The actual trial will be proceeded with Monday.

CASTILLEJA. Home and Day School for Girls. Accredited to colleges East and West. Grammar and Primary Departments. Four new buildings, modern gymnasium, physical training, recreation, physical training, sleeping porch, scientific, Fall term opens September 8. Illustrated book of information. Principal, MARY L. LOCKEY, A. B. Palo Alto, California.

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SWEET PEA TO EXHIBIT. CAPTAIN POPE TO HOLD SHOW AT WOODSTOCK CHURCH. Special Prize Is Offered for Child Growing Best Specimen of New Spencer Variety.

A sweet pea show will be held at Woodstock Methodist Episcopal Church, Wednesday, July 15, under the auspices of the Oregon Sweet Pea Society.

LUNCH WOMEN'S EXCHANGE. Cream of corn soup, shad, fried Spring chicken, corn fritters, Boston baked beans, brown bread, Russian salad, peach shortcake. 188 5th st.

PADDLE THIS WAY. We're in the swim with everything you may want in the way of Men's Fine Clothing. We are now having a grand clean-up in our Clothing Dept. by offering Benjamin High-Grade Suits at reduced prices.

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On Sundays—Round-Trip Tickets 75c Cents. You must buy tickets to obtain this rate.

TICKET OFFICES. First and Alder Sts. Golf Junction. E. Water and Hawthorne Ave. Lents Junction. PORTLAND RAILWAY LIGHT & POWER COMPANY

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