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AMUSEMENTS.

HELIOS THEATER (Eleventh and Morrison)—Mascott's Fantasy, "The Blue Bird." Tonight at 8:15. BAKER THEATER (Broadway and Morrison)—Baker's players in "The Ghost Breakers." Tonight at 8:15. VAUDEVILLE THEATERS. ORPHEUM (Broadway and Taylor)—This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15. EMPRESS (Broadway and Yamhill)—This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 7:30 and 9.

MOVING PICTURE THEATERS.

PEOPLES—West Park and Alder. MAJESTIC—Park and Washington. COLUMBIA—Sixth, near Washington. GLOBE—Eleventh and Washington. NEW STAR—Park and Washington. ARCADE—Washington, near Broadway.

GRESHAM LIBRARY IS CENTER.—Gresham Library, opened March 1, 1913, is one year old, and according to the librarian, Miss C. H. Hallie, it has grown in popularity and use through the entire year. Visitors have come from all points in Powell Valley. Volumes to the number of 14,532 have been circulated and 1784 children have visited the room. "The Industrial Girls' Club has weekly meetings. The Gresham Council of Women Voters, City Planning Association, Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Parent-Teacher Association, Gresham Commercial Club and other organizations have used the auditorium. Many popular lectures have been given. The reception has been used extensively since it was installed. Exhibits of various kinds have been placed in the library, including an exhibit for the improvement of the town.

GRESHAM DRY, SAYS SHERIFF.—Sheriff Word and deputies visited Gresham Wednesday night, and found that liquor was being sold in violation of the dry law there, but found no evidence to corroborate the charge. Seven charges were made, and officers went through the building that had been formerly used as a saloon and where "soft" drinks are being sold. The property is being held, and a search is being made. It is thought that the basis of the complaint is that several men had been seen in the saloon, and they did not go out, but they had come from the outside. Gresham citizens say that no liquor has been sold in the town since it went dry.

FAIR DIRECTORS TO MEET.—Directors of Multnomah County Fair Association will meet today at the home of H. A. Lewis, president, to complete the preliminary list and make arrangements. This list is practically completed now, but the directors will go over it again and make any corrections and additions that may be needed. Several bids have been received for printing, and the contract will be let within a week. The premium list will show considerable improvement over last year, especially in the premiums for school children, which will be made a special feature this year.

EUROPEAN TRIP IS PLANNED.—J. W. Palmer, boys' secretary of the Portland Young Men's Christian Association, will leave today for Europe on several months' leave of absence. Mr. Palmer will pass through the city at the home of his family in England. He will also attend the world's conference of boys' workers which is to be held at Oxford. During his absence, C. Meehan, assistant boys' secretary, will have charge of the department. Mr. Palmer will return August 1.

NEW THOUGHT IS THEM.—"Pressure in Heaven" was the subject of the address given yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Benson by Mrs. Florence Crawford. Mrs. Elizabeth Bond sang and Mrs. R. Hollenbeck accompanied her on the piano. This is the fourth of a series of Sunday afternoon talks that are being given by Mrs. Crawford. She treats her subjects in a practical and helpful point of view. "New Thought" was the foundation of the theme.

W. WALTER SMITH BURIED.—The funeral of W. Walter Smith, who died Thursday at his home, 469 East Thirty-second street, was held yesterday from his late home. Rev. W. H. Fry, of Sunnyside Methodist Church, officiated. Mr. Smith was 34 years old. He had been sick for several months. Mr. Smith had been connected with the choir of the Sunnyside Church, and was employed in Eilers music store. A widow and two children survive him.

WILLIAM DEVENY RETURNS.—William Deveny has just returned from Adams County, Wash., where he visited his acre farm owned by his son-in-law, L. J. Goodenough. He has a power gasoline motor pulling a 14-foot gang plow, which plowed his fields in one day. The motor is the caterpillar type and is used to operate the combination thrasher in the fall and to plow in the spring.

HOHLT WILL ADDRESS HOOSIERS.—The Indiana Society will hold its regular meeting tonight at the Central Library. An elaborate program has been arranged. C. W. Hohlt, candidate for County Commissioner, will be the principal speaker. Mr. Hohlt is an Oregon-Kentucky relation. He is Hoosier reminiscences. Mr. Bourne will be chairman.

DR. CHAPMAN TO SPEAK.—"The Human Slaughter House," by Wilhelm Lanzetta, will be the subject of a lecture by Dr. C. H. Chapman tonight at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of the Portland Young Men's Christian Association. This is the third lecture in the supplementary course of four by Dr. Chapman under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. educational department.

MARZAS GATHER BLOOMS.—Boquets of wild cuttings of flowers and plants were gathered in profusion yesterday by the women who were a part of the 100 Mazamas who walked from Montavilla to the summit of Rocky Butte, later descending the north cliffs and crossing the flat next to Sandy Road to the Rose City carline.

REPORTERS' BAZAR, SCHEMELD.—The first reporters' bazaar ever held in the city of Portland will be held Thursday night, April 16, at the new Cottillion Hall. Fourteen and a half Washington streets are being planned and will not be divulged until the night of the big affair.

WHEN 30,000 MOTHERS THINK SO.—An order for over 30,000 loaves of Table Queen bread fell to the happy lot of the Royal Bakery on Saturday last, which indicates approximately 30,000 housewives of Portland and vicinity who Table Queen as being a superior loaf.—Adv.

INDIANA SOCIETY TO MEET.—Indiana Society of Oregon will meet next Monday evening, 8 P. M., in auditorium of Public Library, Tenth and Yamhill. There will be a special musical program. All Hoosiers please come and bring your friends. C. A. Bourne, secretary.—Adv.

NEAL STATION ESTABLISHED.—Neal Station has been established on the Mount Hood Railway on the property formerly owned by L. N. Neal. The electric lights, which were destroyed the first of the week, have been restored and are protected by wire screening.

TONIGHT AT 8 O'CLOCK in the library, room H, the committee appointed by the State Federation of Labor to draft a law on the question of employment, will meet. The public are invited.—Adv.

ENGLISH MILLINERY now at 333 Morrison st., Broadway Bldg.—Adv.

CANAL TOLLS TO BE DISCUSSED.—The American Continental League will hold a public meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday night in Alinsky Hall, Third and Morrison streets, for the purpose of discussing the position taken by President Wilson in the matter of Panama Canal tolls. Resolutions protesting against the repeal of the section of the act which exempts American vessels engaged in coastwise trade from paying tolls in passing through the canal will be presented and, if adopted, copies will be forwarded to the Oregon representatives in Congress, with the request that they do their best to defeat the repeal of the exemption act.

OUT-DOOR SKATERS' CLASS.—The school of the Portland Art Association sketch class begins March 28. Register now at Museum of Art, 5th and Taylor.—Adv.

Y. M. C. A. PRIZES GIVEN

Mrs. W. D. Palmer Wins First in Sellwood Membership Contest. In the Sellwood Y. M. C. A. membership contest, which closed Saturday night, Mrs. W. D. Palmer received the gold watch, which was the first prize. For the largest number of members procured by an individual, G. H. Charfers received the second prize of an

CONCERT IS CLASSIC

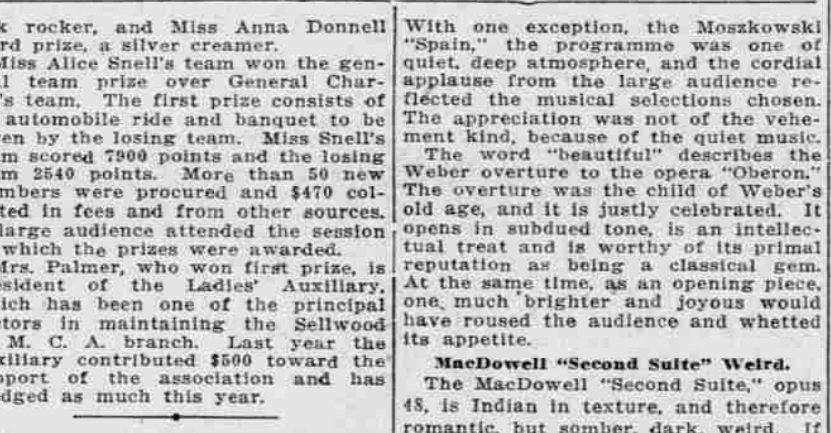
Symphony Orchestra Selects Quiet, Deep Music. APPRECIATION IS SHOWN Only Exception to Impressive and Stately Numbers is Moszkowski's "Spain" With Throb of Drums and Clash of Cymbals.

BY JOSEPH M. QUENTIN. Persons whose musical tastes run to the conservative and the classical, listened with real delight to the fine concert given yesterday afternoon at the Helios theater by the Portland Symphony Orchestra, Carl Denton, director.

TWO MORE LEGISLATIVE ASPIRANTS ANNOUNCE THEMSELVES



T. O. Hague. Two more candidates are out for the lower House of the Legislature from Multnomah County. T. O. Hague is a candidate for the Democratic nomination and S. J. Silverman is seeking the Progressive endorsement at the primary.



S. J. Silverman. Mr. Silverman is an attorney who has lived in Portland five years. He favors a law revoking the Coos Bay wagon road land grant, and opening it to settlers; good roads legislation, with special attention to roads benefiting the farmers and producing class; \$1500 tax exemption; eight-hour law for men and women workers; consolidation of state courts; and a larger tax on undeveloped property held for speculative purposes.

STATE MARKET AID URGED

Pomona Grange to Offer Resolutions to Oregon Organization. Pomona Grange, of this county, will take to the State Grange the program of state aid in establishing public markets. R. W. Gill submitted a resolution on the subject at the meeting of Pomona Grange, which was set for the public markets are needed by the farmers for the proper development of the agricultural resources of the state.

CRESTON SITE INDORSED

League Members Urge Central Selection for Franklin High School. More than 50 members of the Creston Development League met at the school Thursday, March 19, and elected the following officers: Dr. S. D. Briggs, president; Paul Galle, vice-president; Charles H. Benedict, secretary; and J. F. Switzer, treasurer.

LOUIS KUEHN ENTERS RACE

Portland Man Seeks Republican Nomination for Legislature. Louis Kuehn, of 361 North Twenty-fifth street, has entered the race for Republican nomination for state representative from Multnomah County. He has adopted "No selfish interests to foster" as his slogan and will run on a platform of economy and lower taxation. He favors semi-annual or quarterly payments of taxes without penalty or interest until after due.

FIRE SALE

Chicken wheat East Side, Upper Albina ferry wharf. Salesman on ground, car lots loaded out promptly. Small lots must be called for. No deliveries made.—Adv.

GIBSON ARE AMONG THE PENDLETON PEOPLE AT THE OREGON.

R. S. Southwick is registered at the Imperial from Salem. H. H. Taylor is registered at the Benson from St. Paul. A. A. Hadaway, of McMinnville, is registered at the Benson. Sam S. Story, of San Francisco, is staying at the Multnomah. George H. Rotner, of Coos Bay, is registered at the Imperial. L. M. Meeker, of Hubbard, is registered at the Multnomah. N. Z. Blaisdell, of Pasadena, is registered at the Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, of Baker, are at the Washington. Ex-Governor Z. F. Moody, of Salem, is registered at the Imperial. T. C. Carey, of Philadelphia, registered yesterday at the Benson. S. W. Benson registered yesterday at the Multnomah from Newberg. Fred W. Wilson, of The Dalles, registered yesterday at the Cornelius. Mr. and Mrs. L. Bolden, of Eldora, Iowa, registered at the Benson. E. T. Halton, the Tillamook merchant, registered yesterday at the Benson. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Connor, of Aberdeen, registered yesterday at the Northside at the Multnomah. J. Wilstach, advance agent for the Henrietta Crossman Company is at the Multnomah. E. J. Stewart, athletic director at the Oregon Agricultural College, is at the Oregon. A. B. Spinney, a merchant, is registered at the Cornelius from South Bend, Ind. Mr. E. K. Thompson and Mrs. R. A. Newman are registered at the Imperial from The Dalles. T. A. Stamm, Eugene Terenyl and William J. Classen are among the Seattle people registered at the Benson. Frank Metachan, proprietor of the Josephine Hotel at Grants Pass, and Miss Marie Metachan, are visiting at the Imperial. Hattie Nerdrum, a wealthy lumberman of Marshfield, and Dr. Werner Lagus, of the same place, are registered at the Imperial. C. L. Weeks, J. W. Weeks, G. M. Paulson and Victor H. Walker, all of Boise, and J. E. Weeks and Elmer Sook, of Parma, form a party of stockmen registered at the Oregon.

OREGONIANS ARE OVAL

OREGON'S HOME COMPANY LEADS EASTERN BILLIONAIRES. Splendid Gains Shown by Oregon Life in Statements Filed With Insurance Commissioner.

It is generally admitted that the financial supremacy of New York is chiefly based on the fact that the home offices of a large number of life and fire insurance companies are located there, and every state in the Union has in the past paid a constantly growing tribute in premium payments to New York and assisted in the upbuilding of the bank clearances of the City of New York.

Since the life insurance upheaval in 1905 among the so-called billionnaire companies a wonderful change has taken place in the life insurance business of the country. Nearly every state now has one or more home companies, and these companies, in their business getting with the billionnaire companies. In Oregon 50 companies are operating, and it must be gratifying information to every Oregonian to know that Oregon Life Insurance Company leads every one of the 50 companies.

MRS. LIZZIE MERWIN DIES

Daughter of Baker Pioneer Follows Husband to Grave. Mrs. Lizzie Merwin, widow of the late William Merwin, a retired farmer at Baker, Or., died yesterday at the home of her sister, Nellie Johnson, 719 Front street. The body was taken to Finley's Undertaking Parlor and tomorrow will be sent to Baker.

INJURED OFFICER PROBLEM

Mayor at Loss to Place Disabled Man in Position. What shall be done with H. E. Taft, who is neither on or off the Portland police force? Such is a question that Mayor Albee is seeking to be answered. Mr. Taft, who was a mounted patrolman up to nearly one year ago, was badly injured in an accident and has since been unable to perform his duties as a policeman. For a long time his life was despaired of, but he is able to be out now, although he is not able to work.

PERSONAL MENTION.

M. R. Yates, of Pendleton, is at the Imperial. A. L. Demaris, of Milton, is at the Imperial. J. W. Knox, of Albany, is at the Cornelius. B. W. Snyder, of Astoria, is at the Cornelius. Mrs. J. N. Mosier, of Mosier, is at the Oregon. W. L. Carey, of New York, is at the Multnomah. Fred H. Kiddle, of Island City, is at the Imperial. J. E. Anderson, of The Dalles, is at the Imperial. J. W. Chandler, of La Grande, is at the Imperial. D. V. Mott, of Spokane, is registered at the Benson. I. T. Nicklin, of Eugene, is staying at the Imperial. L. C. Thompson, of Carlton, is at the Multnomah. J. E. Chaffee, a St. Louis merchant, is at the Cornelius. B. L. Burroughs, H. Collins and A. J.

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CONTEST TO CLOSE SOON

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OSCAR HART DIES AT 77

Funeral Services for Veteran Will Be Held Tomorrow. Oscar Hart, 77 years old, died yesterday at his home, 555 Fourth street, of pneumonia. He will be buried tomorrow at Erickson's chapel. Interment will be in Mount Scott Cemetery. Mr. Hart was born June 4, 1837, in Oswego County, New York. He enlisted during the first year of the Civil War and served four years in the Federal Army. Two years ago he broke his hip in a fall and never fully recovered. He is survived by his widow, and one daughter, Mrs. E. A. McPherson, 119 East Sixty-first street.

FRANZ SCHUBERT

The World's Greatest Song-Writer. Franz Schubert, composer of beautiful masterpieces, was born at Lichtenthal, near Vienna, Austria, January 31, 1797. The son of a country schoolmaster, little Franz was an apt pupil. At the age of seven he attended the Imperial School of Music and sang in the choir of the Imperial Chapel. Three years later his voice faltered, but his proficiency with the violin secured him employment. When only seventeen years old he returned home to help his father, during which time he composed a famous mass, and more than a hundred heart melodies, including the renowned "Serenade." Disappointed ambition and falling health inspired that divine sadness which has made his "Adieu" a classic, and characterizes so many of his compositions. At the age of thirty-one he passed away, after composing the "Swan Song" amid the closing hours of his pathetic career.

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