

BAKER STREET IS SCENE OF FIRE

Several Homes and Livery Stable Damaged With Loss Estimated at \$16,000.

FLAMES SPREAD RAPIDLY

Blaze Starts in Residence of R. Waegman and Extends to Both Sides of Street—All Losses Covered by Insurance.

Fire which started from an unknown source in the home of R. Waegman, at 266 Baker street, about 2 o'clock P. M. yesterday burned a feed and sale stable, two houses, gutted three other houses and attacked three more residences, with damages estimated at \$16,000, well covered by insurance.

The fire, which was under control in an hour, but was not entirely out until 4 o'clock, started just as Chris Weillberg, a driver for Andrews & Son, drove up to the stable to deliver a load of hay. It started by a spark in the Waegman residence on the ground floor of the two-story frame dwelling. Mr. Waegman lives not at home when the fire broke out.

Baker is a short street, running from Third to Fourth streets, one block south and parallel to Sherman street. It is on the west side of Marquam gulch, and the houses on its south side overhang the gulch. Houses on both sides of the street half the length of the block were a mass of flames in 10 minutes.

The losses and insurance, as given by the owners of the property, are: H. Israel, feed and grain store, a barn at Third and Baker streets, two two-story dwelling-houses at 264-266 Baker street, two barns, two wagons and jewelry. Mr. Israel lives at 264 Baker street. He says the whole loss is \$12,000, with about \$7000 insurance.

A. Lippman lost a house at 423 Third street valued at \$3500, insured for \$3000. It was gutted, but can be repaired. His tenants, S. Rogway and A. Lovoff, who occupied both floors of the two-story frame dwelling, carried insurance of \$700 on their furniture and lost about \$350.

Sam Levine, who bought the house at 270 Baker street from Mr. Israel, lost about \$600 on the house and \$200 on his furniture. His house was badly burned and is not habitable. He was insured fully.

Sam Singer, who has a store at 103 Front street, lost about \$1000 in damage to his house at 267 Baker street. He carried \$1500 insurance.

Jim Balzo's house at 269 Baker street was damaged about \$700 worth and is insured for \$2000. Ernest De Gullit's house at 271 Baker street was scorched. He has \$1500 insurance.

Sparks from across the gulch lit on Jake Weintraub's house at 455 1/2 Third street and caused slight damage. They are insured.

Mr. Israel's safe and a box in which he kept his jewelry, which he valued at \$600, went down into the gulch with the burning building. Firemen dug out the safe unhurt, but the box of jewelry was broken and the jewelry worth \$300 was still in the box when they dug it out of the ruins.

The stable is used by peddlers and small dealers, and 33 horses were housed in it. The stable was there when the fire broke out.

Flying sparks carried to the roof of the dwelling of W. Walton, at 452 Third street, which is stopped. Damage was confined to \$100, insured.

MAYOR'S EYE ON MOVIES

Some Theaters Dodging Censorship Agreement Think Albee.

Declaring that some of the moving picture theaters in the city who have not been approved by the censor board, Mayor Albee yesterday threatened to initiate drastic legislation to check the practice unless it is stopped. At a conference with some of the motion picture people and a delegation of women representing the censor board he outlined his plan, which calls for the elimination of undesirable films by ordinance if the result cannot be brought about peacefully and quietly.

"Until recently," said Mayor Albee, "I have had the co-operation of all the picture house proprietors, and we have checked the undesirable films. Through some unhappy circumstances the attitude has changed and some pictures have been shown that did not meet with the censorship approval. I have asked for the re-establishment of co-operation between the theater managers. If this is not forthcoming I will proceed in another way."

23 NEW CITIZENS MADE

Two of Applicants Are Turned Down by Judge Davis.

Only two of 25 citizenship applicants were refused papers yesterday at the examination conducted before Circuit Judge Davis, by United States Examiner Hazard. The other 23 were admitted and the oath of allegiance administered by Deputy County Clerk Moore. The hearing yesterday concludes the May examinations, during which 102 citizens were admitted.

Yesterday's new citizens are: James Taylor, Hans Jewel, Wilhelm Peterman, Robert A. Parham, Isaac E. Nordgard, William H. Poplam, Christ Peterson, Carl J. Hansen, Lars Pedersen, Joel Brask, Ernest Riley, Francisco Jachetta, Horace Eigney, per August Nelson; Alfred F. Margette, Ragnvald Simonson, Harry J. Puffer, Wilhelm Goettlen, Ole Tallisen, Joseph Wendtberger, Nels M. Bue, John E. Marklund and H. Buys.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dexter Shandy, of Seattle, is at the Oregon. J. P. Carson, of Seattle, is at the Nertonia. C. J. Gilber, of Hood River, is at the Cornelia. W. G. Weightman, of Spokane, is at the Carlton. C. W. White, of Seattle, is at the Washington. C. A. Remington, of Seattle, is at the Washington. John Monaghan, of Grants Pass, is at the Carlton. Dr. Charles A. Haque, of Eugene, is at the Imperial. E. G. McGlaughlin, of Hoquiam, Wash., is at the Seward. Charles R. Simpson, of San Francisco, is at the Seward. Charles Y. Lamb, of The Dalles, is at the Cornelia. Ralph B. Ruffner, U.S.A., and wife

of Vancouver, Wash., are at the Carlton. R. S. Shaw, an Astoria lumberman, is at the Imperial. E. M. Frott, of Washington, D. C., is at the Benson. Mrs. S. F. Shepard, of Ashland, Or., is at the Carlton. Mr. and Mrs. H. Hays, of Tacoma, are at the Cornelia. Charles J. G. Haas, of San Francisco, is at the Washington. Sam Evans, a Klamath Falls attorney, is at the Multnomah. Joseph Hunt, a Walla Walla banker, is at the Multnomah. M. W. Kiddle, an Island City miller, is at the Imperial. Mrs. E. L. Youmans, of Stephenson, Wash., is at the Nertonia. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spaw, of San Diego, are at the Benson. A. N. Moore, an insurance man of Salem, is at the Nertonia. R. McDonald and wife, of Altoona, Wash., are at the Imperial. Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Wheelock, of Boston, are at the Benson. A. T. Neilson, a Seattle furniture manufacturer, is at the Oregon. C. E. Smith and A. W. Vogel, of Preston, Or., are at the Benson. Mrs. H. L. Kuck and Miss Anderson, of The Dalles, are at the Seward. Swan Benson, a Newburg railroad contractor, is at the Multnomah. Mrs. James Redy is registered at the Nertonia Hotel from Duluth, Minn. J. Q. Adams, president of the Omaha

NORTH PACIFIC COLLEGE GETS TEACHER FROM CORVALLIS.



Clarence M. McKellips, who for 16 years has been dean of the department of pharmacy at the Oregon Agricultural College, has resigned from that institution to accept the position as head of the department of pharmacy in the North Pacific College. It is the purpose of the Portland college to place its department of dentistry. With the session beginning October 1, a three-year course in pharmacy will be inaugurated, leading to a new degree.

Professor McKellips was born in Indiana in 1868 and received his college training at Purdue University, where he became a teacher.

Hotel Supply Company, is at the Oregon. Mrs. D. C. Vaughan and Mrs. E. J. Dunn, of Marshfield, are at the Cornelia. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Albright, of South Bend, Wash., are at the Washington.

Irvine Butterworth and wife and nurse, of Detroit, Mich., are at the Seward. John E. Cosgrove, an insurance adjuster from San Francisco, is at the Multnomah.

J. I. Colwell, Pacific Coast manager of the General Electric Company, is at the Benson. CHICAGO, May 22.—(Special).—Mrs. John Shull, of Portland, is registered at the Congress.

FEE QUESTION IS DROPPED

Negotiations Between Auditorium Architect and City Stop.

With the question of the fee to be paid, J. H. Freedlander for preparing plans for the proposed public auditorium still unsettled, the City Commission and Mr. Freedlander yesterday discontinued negotiations until a decision of the Supreme Court can be obtained determining the question of the right of the city to erect the building on the Market block on the West Side.

As negotiations stand at present, Mr. Freedlander is insisting upon the city paying him \$10,000 for the original building plans, which have been side-tracked because of a reduction in the size of the site. The city is asking for a reduction in the fee.

Grants Pass Library Officers Named

GRANTS PASS, Or., May 22.—(Special).—The Library Board held its annual meeting Monday and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Mary Hair; vice-president, Mrs. Jennie Moss; secretary and treasurer, Miss Minnie Tufts. The question of establishing a county library met with favorable comment.

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Men's \$35 Spring Suits \$23.45



Department, Main Floor—Special purchase of men's high-grade suits, consisting of this season's newest models and fabrics. These came to us at an extremely low price, considering the quality of the materials and the tailoring, hence this special bargain. Shown in good selection of colors and patterns, and there are nearly all sizes in the lot. Why not profit by this sale and choose from these suits worth up to \$35.00—Priced for Saturday at \$23.45

Men's \$1.25 Shirts Choice 95c

Main Floor—Men's plain or plaited-bosom shirts, with soft or stiff cuffs. Unusually attractive line of neat stripe patterns in almost every color. Cut plenty full. Regular \$1.25 shirts. 95c. Priced special for Saturday's selling at \$1.15

Men's \$1.50 Soft Shirts at \$1.15

\$2.50 "Faultless" Pajamas \$1.98

Men's "Porosmesh" Underwear at 39c

Men's \$3.00 Straw Hats for \$2.25

Men's Wash Ties—in a great variety of patterns and colors. Neat fancy stripe effects. Grade selling ordinarily at 25c. An excellent opportunity to buy your Summer Ties. Special 3 for 50c, or, each 17c

Boys' \$2.50 Wash Suits for 98c

Boys' \$7.50 Norfolk Suits \$4.45

Boys' 50c Blouses for 39c

Boys' \$1.00 Blouses at 79c

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Basement Bargain Center

\$3.50 to \$5 Silk Waists \$1.98

Saturday Sale of Drugs and Toilet Articles

10c Witch Hazel, Butter Milk or Oatmeal Soap at the cake, 6c
35c Witch Hazel, 16-oz. size, 21c
10c Moxh Balls on sale at only 5c
25c Whisk Brooms, special, 16c
\$1 Sal Hepatica, special at 85c
25c Emerson's Bro. Seltzer, 20c
35c Apena Water on sale at 25c
50c Phenolax Wafers at only 35c
50c Stewart's Dyspepsia Tablets on sale Saturday, the box, 35c
25c Mercia's Sugar of Milk at 14c
25c White Pine and Tar at 15c
25c Laxoria Mouth Wash at 20c
\$1 Glycothymoline on sale at 79c
35c Fletcher's Castoria only 25c
15c Pear's Soap (unscented), 10c
4711 White Rose Soap now 11c
25c Violet Ammonia, 16 oz., 15c

Borden's Malted Milk

Regular 50c Sempre Giovine 26c

There is nothing quite so dainty in its fragrance, so hygienic in its effect or so permanent in its marvelous results as Sempre Giovine for the complexion.

Women's \$18.50 Coats at \$9.98

Women's \$22.50 Coats at \$13.98

Great Sale Girls' Sample Dresses At Factory Cost!

Original Factory Tag on Each Dress—Ages 10, 12 and 14

Girls' Wash Dresses, \$1.39—Shown in several very attractive new styles, in light and dark colors. Ginghams, chambrays and percales \$1.39 checks and stripes. Ages 6 to 14 years

All Summer Coats Reduced—This includes our entire line of the newest and smartest styles for Spring and Summer wear. Ages 6 to 14. ALL REDUCED. Girls' Bloomer Dresses, ages 2 to 6, special, 79c

Any Trimmed Hat for \$10

This Includes Our Entire Stock Millinery Dept., 2d Floor

Clean-Up Sale of every Trimmed Hat preparatory to our Annual "White" Opening. This sale presents an unusual opportunity for women who seek distinctive, smart millinery to choose from our entire stock at a ridiculously low price. Naturally the best hats will be first to go, so try and come early in the day. Absolutely none reserved. Any Trimmed Hat in Millinery Department, \$10.00

Good Things to Eat From Our Model Grocery

Imported Swiss Cheese—special, a pound 32c
Large Queen Olives—Saturday, a pint 20c
California Budded Walnuts, the pound, 15c
20c Boneless Codfish—special, two for 25c
Regular 35c Stuffed Olives—special, bottle 25c
California Grapefruit—special Saturday, ea. 5c

\$4.50-\$5 Pumps \$3.85

Double Stamps With Purchases

Main Floor—Pumps with flat tailored bows, Colonial with covered buckles in novelty effects. Great many styles in patent, dull kid, grades \$3.85 Regular \$4.50 and \$5.00 gudes \$3.85 Women's \$4.50 and \$5.00 High \$3.85 Shoes, in all styles. Per pair \$3.29 Men's Vici Kid and Calf Shoes, in all the latest styles. Shoes that sell regularly at \$4.00. Priced, pair \$3.29

\$4 Silver Mesh Bags \$2

Silk Moire Bags \$1

Main Floor—Special sale of German Silver Mesh Bags. Good heavy struck-up frames. Kid or silk lined. Several styles and sizes in this lot. Bags selling ordinarily at \$3.00 to \$4. Special \$2.00 each at only \$2.00

5-Inch Hair Ribbon 25c Yard

Bows Tied Free!

New "Tango" Elastic Belts for 35c

Striped "Tango" Belts 65c

Glove Sale

Center Circle, 1st Floor.

\$1.75 Kid Gloves, \$1.00—Women's kid and lambskin gloves, one and two-clasp styles. Also our regular \$1.50 Lady Violet Gloves. Satur- \$1.00

Long Silk Gloves, 70c—Full 16-button length, with double-tipped fingers; all silk. White, black, colors. Special, 70c

Long Silk Gloves, 80c—Extra length, with contrasting colored stitching. Guar- 80c

Long Silk Gloves, \$1.00—Extra quality silk Milanese, with fancy backs. \$1.00

Long Lisle Gloves, 39c—Excellent quality, in white, black and colors. Priced 39c

Silk Hosiery Specials

\$2.00 Silk Hose, \$1.55—Kayser's "Wonderfoot" black silk hose for women. Regular \$2.00 grade. \$1.55

\$1.75 Silk Hose, \$1.35—Your choice of our regular \$1.75 all-silk "El Real" Hose for women. Black and white only, per pair \$1.35

Silk Boot Hose, 65c—Our famous "Blue Ribbon" hose in black or white. Fully guaranteed, the pair 65c

These specials on sale Saturday only in Underwear Section, near the Morrison street entrance.