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AMUSEMENTS

HELIG (Broadway at Taylor)—Potash and Perimeter tonight at 8:15 o'clock. BAKER (Broadway and sixth, between Alder and Morrison)—"Damaged Goods" tonight. HIPPODROME AMUSEMENT COMPANY. (Fourth and Stark)—Moving pictures and vaudeville. Continuous till 11 o'clock. Vaudeville. ORPHEUM (Broadway at Stark)—This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15 o'clock. FANTASIES (Broadway at Alder)—Performances 1:30 to 3 P. M. continuous. MAJICUS LOEWIS EMPRESS (Broadway and Yamhill)—Continuous performances from 1:30 to 3 P. M. Moving Picture Theaters. NATIONAL—Park, West Park, near Wash. PEOPLE—West Park, near Alder. MAJESTIC—Park and Washington. NEW STAR—Park and Washington. SUNSET THEATER—Broadway and Washington. COLUMBIA THEATER—Sixth and Stark. ELEVENTH-STREET THEATER (Eleventh and Morrison)—"The Fugitive". "The Punished Romance". Continuous, 1 P. M. to 11 P. M.

RECALL AGENTS IN SESSION

Demoville, general coast manager of the Recall Company, addressed a general meeting of the Oregon distributors, representing about 50 cities of this state, at the Gresham Hotel, last night. Recall agents at the Imperial Hotel yesterday. Clyde Huntley, retiring president of the organization, presided over the meeting, which closed throughout the day and was closed with a banquet at night. The speaker at the afternoon session was Oswald West. Officers chosen for the coming year were: President, G. C. Blakeley, of The Dalles; vice-president, C. J. Kem, of Cottage Grove, and secretary, C. E. McMillan, of Pendleton. GRESHAM SCHOOL BONDS ARE TAKEN.—At a meeting of the Union High School directors, in Gresham, Friday, the bid of Morris Bros., of Portland, for the bonds of the union district, amounting to \$20,000, was accepted. These bonds are dated April 1 and interest is made payable annually for seven years. The first bond will fall due April 1, 1916, and will be for \$1500; for the six years they will run as follows: \$2000, \$2500, \$3000, \$3500, \$4000 and \$2000. The premium is 6 per cent or \$1200 advance. The premium will pay the first year's interest. Interest on the bonds is the rate of 6 per cent.

"THE PIONEER ERA" IS SUBJECT

"The Pioneer Era" is the subject discussed at the meeting of the Tuesday study class at the Gresham Library tonight. Miss Aurilia Hoagland will read a paper on "The Oregon Trail"; Mrs. A. Hevel, "Immigration of 1842"; Miss Jessie Burns, "Early Roads and Means of Conducing the Same"; Barlow Road; Rev. D. M. Cathy, "Experiences in Early Oregon." The members will respond to rollcall by giving the names of pioneers who have been applied to geographical locations, giving an anecdote of each place. Mrs. C. M. Zimmerman is the hostess. GRESHAM TELL WORMS TO COURT.—Bill Zezeares is suing a Portland contractor in Circuit Court. Bill Zezeares alleged that he lent Bill Apostolopolos \$350 on a promissory note and that it has not been paid. In answering the complaint yesterday, Bill Apostolopolos said he paid \$200 on the note, and further alleges that Bill Zezeares made some changes in the note, without his reference to the amount of interest, after he had it in his possession. He offers to give Bill Zezeares \$150 and call it even. GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE LOAN CASE.—The grand jury will investigate the case against Donald McPherson, foreman of the Holman Undertaking, charged with lending money to his employees at usurious rates. McPherson was arrested Saturday night by Special Agents W. E. Green and the District Attorney's office, and Deputy Constable James McCullough. It was alleged that he lent his own employees money, charging them 5 per cent a month interest. MINE OWNERSHIP DOUBTED.—Claiming ownership of Alaska mines valued at \$35,000 and recently purchasing an automobile on a check declared by Portland banks to be a forgery, Frank Thompson was bound over to the grand jury by Municipal Judge Stevenson yesterday. The check was for \$2250, and several for smaller amounts were named in the complaint. The state places no faith in Thompson's alleged mine ownership, according to Deputy District Attorney Deich. FUNERAL OF P. E. BRIGHAM HELD.—Funeral services for P. E. Brigham, who died in San Francisco March 30, were held at the Holman Undertaking parlors yesterday. The services were simple, a brief selection of scripture being read and a prayer offered by Dr. John H. Boyd. The remains will be placed in a niche at the Portland Crematorium. Mr. Brigham was one of the pioneer merchants of the city. H. A. FAIGE FOUND DEAD.—H. A. Faige, aged 60, was found dead in his bed at 253 Russell street yesterday. Mr. Faige was a veterinary surgeon and was employed at the stables where he had his room. Apoplexy is supposed to have been the cause of death. Deputy Coroner Smith is endeavoring to find two surviving daughters in Seattle. MR. YEON SPEAKS IN SUNSHINE SCHOOL.—Roadmaster Yeon will address the citizens of Sunnyside in the assembly hall of the Sunnyside school tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the proposed bond issue. He will show stereopticon views of the Columbia Highway. Women especially are invited to attend this meeting. MARKET STALL LESSER FINED.—J. C. Douglas, lessee of stall 23 in the Sanitary market, was fined \$10 by Municipal Judge Stevenson yesterday for falsely advertising in a Portland newspaper that he would sell pork roasts for 10 cents a pound, when he refused to sell to a customer at that price. F. P. Smith was the complainant. CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT FRIDAY.—The Hope Presbyterian Church and the William McKinley Women's Relief Corps will join in giving an entertainment at the church, East Seventy-eighth and Everett streets, Friday night at 8 o'clock. The public is invited. MOTORISTS PAY FINES.—W. S. Overlin, O. Jones and E. Kallman, arrested by Motorcycle Patrolman Bales Sunday for speeding, were fined \$10 each by Municipal Judge Stevenson yesterday morning. Elmer Zimmerman was fined \$5 for reckless driving, and C. E. Gholson, \$5 for obstructing a highway. WIDOWS' PENSIONS DELAYED.—Payment in the widows' pension bureau has been postponed until Monday, April 19. The usual payday, the 17th, falls on Saturday this month, necessitating the postponement. OPPORTUNITY FOR DENTIST with established first-class physician; splendid light, well-known building, central location; moderate rental. AM 708, Oregonian.—Adv. DR. O. OMER JENVA will be at home, 178 E. 60th, April 8, with competent assistant. Eye, urine, spinal diagnosis. Examination, \$5.—Adv. TO LET.—For business purposes, store, 1275 square feet, central location, moderate rental. AK 710, Oregonian.—Adv. DOCTOR'S OFFICES to let in downtown building, central location; moderate rental. AL 708, Oregonian.—Adv. FOUR ROOMS, half store, 149 1/2 4th st. Main 1692.—Adv.

FOUR MILITIA MEMBERS GET COMMISSIONS

Four members of the Oregon Naval militia, who took a recent examination succeeded in passing and getting commissions according to the announcement yesterday of Lieutenant-Commander Blair of John A. Beckwith received the commission of lieutenant of the senior grade; S. D. Young was commissioned as an ensign to have charge of the second division; Charles D. Young was assigned to have charge of the first division and Edward A. West, ensign to have charge of the ensign's division. HUSBAND SEKS MISSING WIFE.—With the arrival of her husband, Alex Sandstrom, yesterday, a search was made for Mrs. Sandstrom, who was last heard from on March 11, when she was living in a rooming-house at 281 Yamhill street. Further letters to her at that address were returned to her husband. She was 5 feet, 5 inches tall, weighed 120 pounds, of fair complexion and had light hair. NEW THOUGHT CONFERENCE PLANNED.—A conference of three sessions will be held in Portland May 14 and 17 by the Oregon state committee of New Thought, working in connection with the California New Thought conference committee for the national convention of New Thought, which will be held in San Francisco in August. Dr. Greir, of Spokane, will deliver the opening lectures and Dr. Mays, of Vancouver, Wash., will deliver one lecture. Music and special features by members of the three truth centers will complete the two days' programme. MRS. C. M. TAYLOR TO BE BURIED TODAY.—Mrs. Charles M. Taylor died at her home, 74 West Killingsworth avenue, March 31, aged 72 years. She was survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Flora Serrurier. The funeral will be held at 2 P. M. today, at the chapel of Chambers Undertaking Company, corner of Killingsworth and Kerby streets. Rev. W. T. Kerr will conduct the services, assisted by Pastor A. Porteus, Circle Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, of which Mrs. Taylor was a member. THREE SUSPECT IS RETURNED.—City Detective Abbott returned yesterday afternoon from Tillamook with W. Wansley, who is being held on the charge of grand larceny for the theft of an expensive moving picture camera. Wansley was clerk last December at the American house, a rooming-house managed by I. Itow, a Japanese, and when he left without notice, a camera worth several hundred dollars was missing. Wansley will be tried for the theft this week, probably having a hearing in Municipal Court today. THREE LOST RACCOONS.—A race of nearly two miles between a boy driving a stolen automobile and Patrolman Frank Ervin, in a taxicab, ended in the arrest early Sunday of Harold Watson, aged 18, for theft of the auto. Patrolman Ervin saw the stolen car, owned by M. H. Duppenmiller, of Woodstock, flash by at midnight at Union avenue and Holladay and engaged a taxicab for the victorious pursuit. Watson will have to face the grand jury. SMITH FUNERAL HELD.—The funeral of the late Dr. Victor H. Smith was held yesterday from Trinity Church, Dr. A. A. Morrison officiating. The pallbearers were: E. E. Kellough, W. L. Page, H. M. Montgomery, P. R. Deady, F. G. Chadbourn, John Gill, N. L. Curry and F. H. V. Andrews. Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. H. H. Hartley, of Lewiston, Idaho, came for the funeral. The quartet which sang included W. H. Boyer, Harry W. Hogue, Rev. Mr. McCullough, pastor Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church; S. P. M. Mrs. E. Jehu, of the Pacific Coast Rescue Society. MAX THROWS IN AIR BY BELTING.—Whirled into the air and severely thrown when he was caught in revolving belt at the Clarke-Wilson lumber mill at Union, while operating the machinery yesterday, Francisco Belleschi, aged 25, received severe bruises to his head and shoulders. He was removed to Good Samaritan Hospital, where it is reported that the shock may prove fatal. Belleschi lives at Linton. READ LECTURES SCHEDULED.—In Reed College extension course 32, natural science, Dr. H. B. Torrey will give the 59th lecture, entitled "Plants and Animals," today at 3 P. M. in the biological lecture room of the college. Dr. W. C. Morgan gives the third lecture of course 21, "Riddles of the Universe," tonight at 8 o'clock in Library Hall of the Central Library. His subject will be "Of What is the Universe Made? The More Remote" (Illustrated). PATROLMAN SHAFPER MARRIED.—Patrolman E. C. Shafper, who has charge of the police automobiles on the day relief, was married Sunday evening to Mrs. Edith Holterman. The wedding took place at their future home, 25 Shavane street, and a reception followed. Mrs. Holterman was the widow of Patrolman Holterman, who died more than a year ago. Patrolman Dug Ledy, driver for Chief Clark, was married two months ago. FAIR TO BE HELD AT GEORGE.—At the last meeting of the George (Clackamas County) Commercial Club was decided to hold a neighborhood fair in the Fall. H. C. Stephens, Robert Miller, Henry Johnson, Mrs. J. Scheel and Mrs. Peter Rath were appointed a committee to make arrangements. It is planned to make the fair the best held so far. ST. DAVID'S PARISH TO GIVE PLAY.—"The Little Pilgrim and the Book Beloved," a mystery play with a moral, will be given with children in the east end Sunday at 4 o'clock in St. David's parish house. The play was written for St. Agnes Church, New York. The Junior Auxiliary of St. David's will give the programme. TAXATION TO BE TOPIC.—The revenue and taxation department of the Oregon Civic League will meet today at 12 o'clock in the college room of the Hazelwood. The current discussion topics for study during the Spring will be considered. FEDERAL COURT AT PENDLETON.—Federal Judge Bean, Everett Johnson, assistant United States District Attorney, and Deputy United States Marshal Becker, have gone to Pendleton, where they will hold a four-day session of Federal Court. They are expected to return here next Friday. PRESBYTERIAN SOCIETY TO MEET.—The regular monthly and annual meeting of the Ladies' Relief Society will be held today at 2 P. M. in room F of First Presbyterian Church, Twelfth and Alder streets. Adult attendance is desired. MRS. H. J. WILKINS TO SPEAK.—Mrs. H. J. Wilkins will speak to the women of the Unitarian Alliance tomorrow at 3 o'clock, in the chapel at Yamhill and Broadway streets, on "The Prophets of Israel and Their Literary Achievements During Exile." "CO-OPERATION" IS TOPIC.—"Is Co-Operation Possible?" This will be the subject of an address to be given this afternoon by H. C. Elbow, who will speak in room H, Library, at the meeting of the Women's Political Science Club. REST.—First-class store room, central location in downtown business district; good opportunity for responsible merchant. AG 675, Oregonian.—Adv. BUY WOOD NOW. We have reduced our prices. North Pacific Lumber Co. Phone Main 4240, A 6588.—Adv. PORTLAND LAWYMER HOSPITAL. Sell, 205 E. 6th.—Adv. DR. DATTON, glasses, Sweetland bldg.

2--BIG FEATURES--2
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CITY ENGINEER OBJECTS
GROSS ABUSE OF REMONSTRANCE PRIVILEGE IS ALLEGED.
Mr. Dater Says Unsuccessful Contractors Are Guilty of Delaying Needed Improvements.
That the right of property owners to remonstrate against street improvements is being grossly abused, is the statement of City Engineer Dater in a communication which he has submitted to City Commissioner Dieck. Steps to limit the power of remonstrance are being considered by Mr. Dater because of the use of the power for ulterior purposes.
This powerful weapon, designed to protect the citizens against indiscriminate and ill-advised improvements and to prevent improper contract letting, seems to have become an instrument of private revenge. The suspicion is apparently well-founded that unsuccessful bidders, seeking to discourage their successful rivals, have actively assisted in the circulation of remonstrances with the result that many paving operations desired by a majority of property interests and of unimprovement value have been abandoned.
"There is reason to believe that half-truths and even deliberate falsehoods have been told to gain the end and, although this department has no right to question signatures, conversations with remonstrators have shown that deceit has been practiced in securing signatures. The right to annual questionable improvements should never be denied, but when private spite enters, the most vicious practices are encouraged."
"Effort to cope with the difficulty was made through insistence upon the filing of petitions representing 40 per cent of the assessable property before improvement proceedings would be initiated, but even with this arbitrary requirement, the automatic discontinuance of proceedings under the present 50 per cent rule, may not be entirely prevented. Although wasted effort in the preparation of plans represents a considerable money loss to the city, the resulting disturbance to the administration of the Department of Public Works is of greater concern, for confusion follows and interest in the work is lost."

30 MEN AT PISGAH HOME
Help Asked for Those Unable to Work by Reason of Infirmity.
The Pisgah Receiving Home is now caring for about 30 men, mostly handicapped by some infirmity, only a few being able-bodied men who could go to the ranch and work even if the food supply at "Pisgah Heights" would provide for so large a number of men. There are 25 men there now.
This place is to be a permanent home for the unemployed, giving them a chance to earn their livelihood and keeping them away from the city.
Contributions may be sent to Fred H. Green, 1500 Hawthorne avenue, treasurer Pisgah Home Colony Association, Telephone Taber 2492.
Shoe Theft to Bet on Negro Not Crime, Argues Black.
Prisoner is Convinced Judge Would Have Done Same and Suspended of Justice During Prize Fight.

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At Centenary M. E. Church
Tuesday, April 6, 8 P. M.
Adults 25c, children two for 25c

3 IN COCKFIGHT RAID FINED
Birds to Be Returned on Promise That Fighting Be Abandoned.
Three cockfight fans appeared before District Judge Bell yesterday afternoon, pleaded guilty and were fined \$25 each. The 14 blooded cocks, taken in a raid by Sheriff Hurlbut two weeks ago, will be returned to their owners on condition that they never are used for fighting again.
The mysterious "John Doe," who was bound over to the grand jury by Judge Dayton with Steve Fletcher and Harry Osman, yesterday gave his name as Tom Micklen. In the raid 26 men were arrested. Evidence showed that Fletcher, Osman and a third man had been ring leaders. One of the 24 remaining men was wanted, but the state could not tell which one it was. Judge Dayton ordered that no bail money be returned until the third man put in his appearance. Yesterday Tom Micklen admitted that he was the man wanted.
COMPENSATION SUIT FILED
George E. Miller, Failing to Collect, for Accident, Appeals to Court.
Suit against the State Industrial Accident Commission was filed in County Clerk Coffey's office yesterday morning by George E. Miller, who alleges that the left side of his face was paralyzed as the result of an accident.
Miller, while at work on a new building, on September 8, 1914, stepped on the end of a loose board and fell from the third floor. He applied to the Commission for relief, and on November 17 received a letter saying that it had been found that his face was paralyzed prior to the accident. The suit asks that the Commission's findings be set aside.

KRASNER HEARING MONDAY
Motion Interposed to Divide Mann Act Indictments.
Containing that he would be confused and embarrassed in his defense, Sam Krasner, through his attorneys, John Logan, J. J. Fitzgerald and Sam Johnson, yesterday interposed a motion to divide the indictment, separating the charges against him, when brought before Judge Wolverson in Federal Court yesterday morning to plead to charges of having violated the Mann act. Assistant United States Attorney Rankin agreed that next Monday would be an agreeable time to

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