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AMUSEMENTS.

HEILIG (Broadway at Taylor)—"Romeo and Juliet," for Baby Home benefit. Tonight at 8:15.

BAKER THEATER (Sixth and Morrison streets)—Baker Stock Company in "So Much for So Much." Tonight at 8:15.

ORPHEUM (Broadway and Yamhill street)—Big-time vaudeville, 2:30 and 8:30 P. M.

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LYRIC (Fourth and Stark streets)—Dillon and King in musical comedy. Afternoon and night performances daily.

Advertisements intended for CITY NEWS in Brief columns on Sunday's issue must be handed in in The Oregonian business office by 3 o'clock Saturday evening.

REED LECTURES TONIGHT.—The fourth lecture in the extension course on "The Far East From an American Viewpoint" will be given by K. K. Lakeuretta tonight at 8 o'clock in Library Hall, Central Library. The subject will be "The Problems of the New China." The intercollegiate debate between Reed College and the University of Washington will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the college chapel. The question is "Resolved, That the United States should substantially increase its military force." Charleg Cohn and Sam Weinstein will take the negative for Reed College.

ST. JOHNS STRANGE RENUMBERING DUE.—An effort is to be made to straighten out the house numbering system along Willamette boulevard, which has become badly tangled because of the annexation of St. Johns, where the numbering on the boulevard does not correspond with that to the east of the former city limits. The Council will be asked today by Commissioner Dieck to authorize a renumbering. One number will be given for each 25 feet of frontage along the boulevard from Patton avenue to Hamilton avenue in St. Johns.

SUNOC CASE WITH JURY.—The case of William Shook, charged with violation of the Mann act, in that he transported young women across the state line into California for alleged immoral purposes, now rests with the jury. Closing arguments were made yesterday and Judge Wolverton charged the jury late in the day so that they retired just before 5 o'clock. In the event of a decision being reached last night, the jury was directed to bring in a sealed verdict, to be opened in court this morning.

PAVING CASE UP AGAIN.—The improvement of Woodstock avenue from the Reed College grounds to East Fifty-fifth street will be considered again by the Council February 4. Heretofore the improvement has been prevented because the cost would be more than the property could stand. Woodstock avenue is an 80-foot street. Efforts are now being made to pave the center and outside this center roadway the balance to be covered with crushed rock.

DRIVER IN COLLISION SMILES.—So accustomed are the police to hearing the exchange of words and the shifting of blame following automobile collisions that Patrolman W. B. Webber made note of the following: "On Union avenue and East Burnside a Mason & Ehrman truck backed up a little and bent the fender of a big limousine in back of him. The driver sprung it back and the driver of the limousine just smiled and drove away."

REED DRAMA CLUB PLAY TOMORROW.—"The Birds' Christmas Carol" will be presented on Saturday afternoon at the Little Theater, Twenty-third and Washington streets. This will be a special matinee for children, given by request. Tickets are on sale at the Sherman, Clay & Co.'s store. The theater is conducted under the auspices of the Drama League, of which Miss Josephine Hammond, of Reed College, is president.

BIRD FANCIER TO SPEAK.—Professor A. C. Shelton, of the University of Oregon, is to lecture before members of the Mazamas at their clubrooms in the Northwestern Bank building, tomorrow night on the birds and mammals of the Three Sisters region of the Cascades. Professor Shelton, during the Christmas vacation period, made an extended snowshoe trip into the high Cascades.

NEBRASKA SOCIETY TO MEET. — The Nebraska Society will meet Monday evening in room A, Central Library, at 8 o'clock, to outline their work for 1916. In this connection, steps will be taken to assist the Chamber of Commerce in its tourist campaign and arrangements for entertainments and programmes for the coming year will be made. It is desired that all former Nebraskans attend.

FUNERAL HELD AT WOODBURN.—The funeral of Mrs. Amanda B. Melvin Johnson, a pioneer of Woodburn, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Zaecker, of this city, Tuesday at the age of 74 years, will be held at Woodburn this afternoon. The body of Mrs. Johnson has been at the undertaking establishment of J. P. Finley & Son.

FUNERAL SET FOR SATURDAY.—Funeral services of Mrs. Mary A. White, who died at her home, 1126 Rodney avenue, at the age of 78 years, yesterday, will be held tomorrow at 1 P. M. at Finley & Son's chapel. Mrs. White was the mother of Mrs. J. J. Folen, of this city; George R. Norton, of Pendleton, Or.; and E. C. Norton, of Caldwell, Idaho.

$150,000 FISH BY-PRODUCTS COMPANY FILES.—With capital stock listed at $150,000, the Alaska Fish Salting & By-Products Company filed articles of incorporation with County Clerk Coffey yesterday. F. D. Koettner, Philip J. Lunche and B. H. Nicoll are the incorporators. The principal office of the company will be in Portland.

RELIGIOUS MEETINGS TO CONTINUE.—Meetings at the First United Evangelical Church, Ladd's Addition, will continue over next Sunday. The weather has been unfavorable and has cut down the attendance somewhat. Rev. Guy P. Phelps will speak at the meetings until they will close.

MILKER SEEKS ASSOCIATE TERM.—John D. Mickle, State Dairy and Food Commissioner, is a candidate for reelection. He formally announced his entry into the race yesterday for the Republican nomination at the primary election May 19.

COLORADO SOCIETY TO MEET.—A meeting of the Colorado Society of Oregon will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in room E of the Public Library. All ex-residents of Colorado have been invited to attend. The newly elected officers will be in charge.

OLDSMOBILE COMPANY OF OREGON FILES.—Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday in the Circuit Court for the Oldsmobile Company of Oregon, with capital stock of $10,000. E. K. Cohen, S. L. Brown and J. C. Buck are incorporators.

DR. BROUGHER'S SUBJECTS ANNOUNCED.—"Going Him One Better" and "The Marriage Riddle and How to Solve It" will be Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher's subjects in the White Temple pulpit Sunday, January 23.

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INDIAN'S RE-TRIAL TO START.—The trial of Joe Brown, an Indian, charged with murder, will begin this morning in the Federal Court before Judge Wolverton. The prisoner is accused of having stabbed and killed Eugene Isaacs, another Indian, during an altercation that took place on the Klamath Indian Reservation last July. Brown was tried once for this offense, at Medford last October, but the jury that heard the case was unable to agree upon a verdict.

DRAMA CLASS TO MEET.—The class in practical dramatics at the Portland Public Library under the direction of Professor Harrington, of Pacific University, will meet in room A tonight at 7 o'clock instead of 8. The approach of the date set for the public presentation of "Pygmalion and Galatea" and "Sunset" necessitates an early and prompt attendance in order that the rehearsals may be completed before the hour set for the closing of the Library.

MRS. FLINN IMPROVING.—Mrs. Mary Flinn, widow of the late "Father" John Flinn, who has been quite ill at her home, 719 Hancock street, was reported slowly improving last night. Owing to her age, 80 years, recovery is a slow process according to the physicians in charge. Mrs. Flinn's daughter, who has pneumonia, also was reported somewhat better last night. It is expected both will recover.

HUDSON ADDITION TO BE REPLATTED.—Hudson Addition, located east of Irvington near the city limits, will be replatted to conform with the streets of the city. The Council has approved the plan of the City Engineer to replat the addition. Practically all the property owners are willing that the addition should be replatted, except a single owner who is absent.

MAZAMAS TO TRAMP FROM BEAVERTON.—For their outing on Sunday the Mazamas will leave on the Southern Pacific train from Fourth and Yamhill streets at 1:39 P. M. and go to Beaverton. From there they will tramp over the main road to Sylvan, thence on over the Canyon road to Ford-street bridge, a distance of about eight miles.

JOHN MANNING TO TALK.—John Manning, ex-District Attorney, will continue his address on "Back to the Land" at the regular weekly meeting of the Portland Realty Board to be held today at 12:15 in the new dining-room on the fifth floor of the Commercial Club building. Fred W. German will be chairman of the day.

PATROLMAN'S DISMISSAL APPROVED.—The Municipal Civil Service Board yesterday adopted Chairman Caldwell's recommendation that P. O. Young's dismissal from the police force on account of intoxication be sustained. This means that Young is out of the service permanently.

ENGLISH CLASS MEETS TONIGHT.—The class in English composition and rhetoric conducted by Mrs. Mable Holmes Parsons, of the University of Oregon faculty, will meet at 7:30 tonight in room B of the Library.

SINGLE TAX ASSOCIATION TO MEET.—The Oregon Single Tax Association after a brief vacation will again hold meetings beginning Saturday evening in room H, Central Library. W. S. U'Ren will be the speaker.

PHYSICAL CULTURISTS TO MEET.—In the interest of the formation of a Physical Culture Union a meeting will be held this evening at 897 and 898 Dekum building.

CONCERT IS POSTPONED.—The concert announced for tonight at the Sellwood Y. M. C. A. under the auspices of the auxiliary has been postponed on account of the storm.

NOTED VIOLINIST WILL GIVE RECITAL AT HEILIG THEATER ON JANUARY 20.

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Madame Powell is scheduled to appear in Portland on January 20 at the Heilig.

WORK IN ISLES EFFECTIVE

Fight on Disease Carried on Better Than Here, Says Dr. Roberg.

That American methods in the Philippines resulted in the near eradication of smallpox to a much greater degree than now exists in this country and that the extermination of rats and bubonic plague is more effective there than on the Pacific Coast were statements of Dr. David N. Roberg, chairman of the State Board of Health, at a lecture Tuesday night before the physicians of Polk, Yamhill and Marion counties. He returned Wednesday.

He spoke on the sanitation in the tropics and told of the remarkable effectiveness of the American systems.

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PRAISE GIVEN IN REPORT

Mrs. Nissen Says "Amateur Nights" Dropped by 15 Houses, Leaving Only Seven Continuing Practice Regarded as Pitfall.

Not only have Portland's theaters been separated from an atmosphere detrimental to young boys and girls during the past few months, but other cities have taken notice of the fact and Portland is gaining a reputation for this activity as far away as New York City, according to June Nissen, theater officer of the Juvenile Court, who made her annual report yesterday.

Amateur night, at one time considered one of the pitfalls for young children, has been eliminated from all but seven of 22 theaters, and rigid regulations were announced yesterday to prevent the participation of young children in these performances. The elimination of amateur nights from many of the theaters was effected according to Mrs. Nissen, by previous regulation, for children proved the best drawing cards at these events.

A state law provides that no child under 16 can take part in any performance on the stage, but permits have been granted by the Juvenile Court.

The issuance of such permits has been turned over by Judge Cleeton to Mrs. Nissen.

The regulations announced by her yesterday provide that no permits be given a child under 8 years; that no permits be granted a child oftener than once a month; that no permits be issued for balancing or contortion acts; that the father or mother must accompany the child, and in all cases the child must be off the stage by 9:30 P. M. The show must also have the proper dressing rooms, placing of curtains not being deemed sufficient; one week's notice must be given in asking for a permit, and no act will be allowed detrimental to the education of the child.

Mrs. Nissen reports that the class of offerings in Portland's theaters has been improved during the past year, and speaks highly of the co-operation of the theater men.

The results obtained by Mrs. Nissen were highly commended by Mrs. Lola G. Baldwin, head of the women's department of the bureau of public safety.

New York "Variety," in a recent issue, spoke of Portland's "little gray-haired woman who goes about whispering in the ears of the young girls and avoiding arrests."

"NOMINATING DAY" IS HELD

Progressive Business Men's Club Gets Line on Office Aspirants.

J. P. Jaeger, Portland jeweler, yesterday was nominated president of the Progressive Business Men's Club for the coming year at the Nominating day meeting at the Multnomah Hotel.

Chester J. Hogue was named candidate for first vice-president; Frank Hilton, second vice-president; Dr. A. J. Browning and Henry Hayek, secretary; P. H. Kneeland, treasurer, renominated.

For directors the following were named, the election to take place at the next meeting, January 20: John H. Dundore, retiring president; A. W. Kutsche, W. G. Harrington, Ira L. Riggs, Frank Barringer, Earl L. Clarke, Todd Hasen, Frank B. Upshaw, R. G. E. Cornish, Dr. J. G. Swenson, S. L. Eddy, Dr. W. O. Spencer and Harold C. Jones.

A committee consisting of Frank Barringer, Frank Hilton and Todd Hasen was named to arrange for the programme next Thursday, to be known as the club's Letter-writing day.

DUTY ON SHOVELS EXACTED

Shipment Billed as Spades Not Accepted as Such.

Sharp distinction between a spade and a shovel was made yesterday by the Federal authorities, when 26 bundles of shovels reached Portland from Hamilton, Ontario, invoiced as spades. There is a duty on shovels, but not on spades, since the latter is classified as an agricultural implement, while the shovel is not. A duty of 20 per cent ad valorem was paid on the lot.

Collector of Customs Burke requested a ruling on the admission of the shovels, invoiced as spades, and received the information that a shovel is not agricultural in its character, while a spade is.

WIFE DESERTER CONVICTED

Italian Is Away From Home Nearly Half of Married Life.

Of the 20 months of the married life of Joe Dave, an Italian laborer, who was convicted in Circuit Judge Kavanaugh's court yesterday of desertion, 14 months were spent away from his wife. He left her to shift for herself on three separate occasions, according to evidence introduced.

The last offense was when he left her in Portland and ran away to San Jose, Cal., on June 26, 1915. On this occasion he left his wife destitute and with two babies, one a year old and the other child eight months, and she became the ward of the Associated Charities.

Deputy District Attorneys Dempsey and Robison prosecuted the case before Judge Kavanaugh yesterday. Sentence will be pronounced Saturday. Dave was married at Pendleton in May, 1913.

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The Treatment of Influenza or La Grippe

It is quite refreshing these days to read of a clearly defined treatment for Influenza or La Grippe. In an article in the "Lancet-Clinic," Dr. James Bell, of New York City, says he is convinced that too much medication is both unnecessary and injurious.

When called to a case of la grippe, the patient is usually seen when the fever is present, as the chill which occasionally ushers in the disease, has practically passed away. Dr. Bell then orders that the bowels be opened freely with salts, "Actoids" or citrate of magnesia. For the high fever, severe headache, pain and general soreness, one anti-kamnia tablet every three hours is quickly followed by complete relief. Ask for A-K Tablets. They are also unexcelled for headache, neuralgia and all pains.

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