

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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AMUSEMENTS. ORPHEUM—(Broadway at Taylor)—Billed vaudeville at 2:15 and 8:15 and 10:15. FANTASIES (Broadway at Alder)—Unusual vaudeville. Three shows daily, 7:30, 9 and 10:30. LYRIC (Fourth and Stark)—Musical stock. Three performances daily.

STARS TO BE LECTURE TOPIC.—Under the auspices of the Portland Education Association, B. R. Baumgardt will give two illustrated lectures on Friday and Saturday nights in Lincoln High School. The first lecture will be "An Evening With the Stars," illustrated with negatives obtained in the largest observatory by the most noted astronomer.

HEBEL WORKS LECTURE TOPIC.—Jasper Jacob Stahl, professor of Germanic languages at Reed College, begins a course on the works of Frederic Hebel in the Central Library, room H, on Thursday evening of this week. The course consists of eight lectures, covering, in the first, "The Basis of Hebel's Dramatic Activity"; in the second, "His Dramatic and Poetical Style"; in the third, "Certain Canons of Dramatic Criticism"; in the fourth and fifth, "Maria Magdalena"; in the sixth, "Hebel and Marivaux"; in the seventh, "Gygis and His King"; and in the eighth, "Hebel's Relations to Contemporary Drama."

PAINTING EXHIBITED AT CHURCH.—A copy of the famous painting, "The Man of Sorrows," by Taylor, painted by Mrs. Frances, of this city, on exhibit at the Centenary Methodist Church, and has a great many admirers daily. It is on exhibit from 7 to 9 during the week and at both services Sunday. It is one of Mrs. Frances' most successful paintings and all who see it pronounce it an especially fine work of art.

SCOW NAVIGATOR ARRESTED.—Joseph Brady and his scow were floating peacefully down the Columbia River, near St. Helens Monday night when hailed by Deputy Sheriff Brown, of Columbia County. In the perambulating scow was furniture valued at about \$125, purchased, but said to have been unpaid for, from P. E. Walker, postmaster of Holbrook, Or. The arrest was made on the telegraphed information of Sheriff Hurlburt, and Brady was brought to Portland yesterday to face the charge of larceny by bailment.

FEDERAL LICENSE PRODUCED.—A Government liquor license issued for the premises at 74 North Third street, August 13, 1916, and extending into 1917, was a bit of evidence produced by the prosecution in the case of George A. Conaty and Micky Plumbe before District Judge Jones. They are accused of maintaining a nuisance by the selling of liquor at a soft drink establishment at Third and Everett streets. The case will be continued today.

HUMANE SOCIETY DEMANDS \$4156.—The Oregon Humane Society yesterday presented a claim for its \$9 per cent of the dog license tax since September 1, in accordance with its contract to operate the pound. The \$9 per cent amounts to \$4156.60. Commissioner Bland yesterday approved the claim, putting the question up to the City Council as a whole.

OPENS MEETING PLANNED.—Professor W. F. Ogburn, of Reed College, will discuss the proposed measures on the November ballot at a meeting in Albina Branch of the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock. The meeting is open to all voters in the district. The meeting is under the auspices of the Elliot Parent-Teacher Association.

TRAINING CLASS TO MEET.—The teachers' training class connected with the Sunday school workers' union will meet Thursday morning at 9:45 o'clock in Gill's story room. Mrs. John Knapp will be glad to meet at that time not only those who have already signified their intention of joining the class but any others who would be interested in work of this nature.

MAZAMAS TO HEAR LECTURE TONIGHT.—The Mazamas will begin their annual series of educational courses with an illustrated lecture on the Mazamas trip to Mount Baker in 1906 and 1909. John Lee and F. H. Kiser will be the speakers. The lecture is scheduled for 8 o'clock tonight, in the Mazama Club-rooms, Northwestern Bank building.

RECEPTION PLANNED FOR OFFICERS.—A reception will be given tomorrow night to the officers of the Women's Relief Corps and the Grand Army of the Republic, at the German House, 255 Thirteenth street. The reception is being given by the several corps of the city. Corps members have been asked to wear their badges.

BACHELOR, OWNER OF BARDOOME 12-room house in heart of the best of the Nob Hill district finds it too large for his use and desires to exchange, partially furnished or unfurnished, for smaller home, East or West Side. House splendidly arranged for entertaining. ED 872, Oregonian.—Adv.

FEDERATION DINES SATURDAY.—The regular luncheon of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs will be held next Saturday at the Hotel Portland. Reservations may be made by application to Mrs. C. N. Rankin, East 2301; Mrs. J. W. Pitt, Marshall 4215, or Miss Sarah Jacobs, Main 1427. Resolutions that came up at the recent state convention will be discussed and there will be an address on "The South Portland Playground." As the number of reservations is limited the officers have asked that all be made as promptly as possible.

BUSINESS WOMEN ORGANIZE.—The Business Women's Club, of Portland, was organized yesterday following an address by George Knox, on "Business Efficiency of Women," before the women students of the Progressive Business College. The club will be wide in its scope, all business women of Portland being eligible. Mrs. Blanche Riddings was elected president of the club, Miss A. Arn, secretary and Mrs. Evelyn Fisher treasurer.

FORECLOSURE SUIT FILED.—Suit for foreclosure of a mortgage securing a note for \$20,000 was filed against the Provident Trust Company in the Circuit Court yesterday by E. A. King.

PROMINENT REALTY MAN, WHO HAS MERCANTILE INTERESTS, IS ELECTED HEAD OF GREATER PORTLAND ASSOCIATION.

F. N. Clark, a prominent realty man who also has mercantile interests in Portland, has been president of the Greater Portland Association since last Saturday.

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Local capitalist. This follows the attachment of the furniture of the company, last week as the result of an action for \$120, brought by C. K. Henry. A deficiency judgment may be asked covering \$2200 attorneys' fees and delinquent taxes to the amount of \$196.85.

MUNICIPAL FLAG WANTED.—A municipal flag is wanted by the Chamber of Commerce. A letter was sent to the City Council yesterday by Charles F. Berg asking the Council to consider the question of providing such a flag. The suggestion, Mr. Berg says, has come from the present campaign to get a slogan for the city. It is said that many other cities have municipal flags which represent the spirit of the cities.

C. C. WHITE IS ARRESTED.—C. C. White, who is declared to have framed a clever scheme to possess himself of the purse of his roommate, Chester Brigham, was arrested late yesterday by City Detectives Coleman and Snow at the Conradine Hotel, Tenth and Burnside streets. A charge of larceny from a dwelling was placed against him. The purse belonging to Brigham is said to have contained \$15.

HARVEST HOME DANCE PLANNED.—The women of Calanthe Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will give a Harvest Home dance at 8 o'clock this evening in Baker Hall, Kilgusworth avenue and Albina street. The proceeds will go to charity.

FORCED MARRIAGE ENDS.—Rudolph Johnson Divorced by Wife of One Year. A marriage performed in the chambers of Circuit Judge McGinn last November as the compromise of a breach of promise suit provided an unsatisfactory solution of the problem, for it resulted in the severance of the legal ties of Circuit Judge Gantenbein yesterday.

THIS WEEK THE LAST. Have you been down to the Brownsville Woolen Mills' great annual sale of woolen goods? Well, if you want to lay in your winter's supply of good quality underwear, blankets, sweaters, socks, shirts, etc., without straining your purse, you had better hurry and take your pick at this week's sale. It is still on. Third at Morrison street.—Adv.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy, for the help and cheer they have given during the sickness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Edwira S. Loudon. ROBERT LOUDON AND WIFE. Adv.

FUTURE TRADE SEEN

New Zealander Says After War Business Is Sure.

LUMBER WILL BE BOUGHT

Harold Beauchamp, Banker, Thinks American Political Viewpoint Is Too Conservative and Tells of His Country.

The United States, it seems to me, is somewhat handicapped by its conservative political viewpoint," says Harold Beauchamp, president of the Bank of New Zealand, who is visiting in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Beauchamp arrived in Portland yesterday. They are staying at the Bonson. They have been in the United States and Canada since June and now are on their way to Vancouver, B. C., whence they will sail for home.

"We are hopeful of building up an extensive trade between this country and New Zealand after the war," he said last night. "We will be in the market for your lumber and your dried fruit. All that we can expect to sell you is our wool, so the balance of trade, for a time at least, will be with the United States."

Progressive Rule Extolled. Mr. Beauchamp is in thorough sympathy with the progressive form of government in force in New Zealand. The banking corporation of which he is the head has a capitalization of \$8,750,000, a reserve of \$10,000,000 and deposits aggregating \$100,000,000. Capitalism, he says, in that country, he says, and labor troubles are little known.

"We have only two political parties," he explained, "the Liberals and the Laborites. We used to have a conservative party, but it has been entirely wiped out."

"Our railroads, telephones, telegraphs and postal systems are owned by the government; the traction lines, water and lighting systems are owned by the municipalities; we have a universal eight-hour day and a minimum wage for all classes of workers."

"Our experience has proved that every government should regulate the hours of employment, the minimum wage and the conditions of its working people. I believe that the United States is hampered by failing to do this."

Land Grabbing Prohibited. Mr. Beauchamp regards the New Zealand land laws as "fairly liberal." Until recently the government has exercised ownership of all land. It was leased for a period of 999 years at a nominal rental. Tenants were allowed to lease only as much land as they could cultivate. Many farms consist of only 40 acres. The limit is 640 acres.

A short time ago, following agitation by the farmers, the government arranged to sell land to those who wanted it. The price was fixed by arbitrarily declaring the value of the land to be equivalent to 4 1/2 per cent of the actual value. Payments on the principal were extended over a period of 25 years. A limit was placed on the amount of land an individual can own.

New Zealand, with a population of 1,250,000, has sent 65,000 men to England in the European war, he reports. The people are intensely loyal. They have floated a \$50,000,000 loan to equip their soldiers.

After the war the country expects to develop an extensive trade with Europe in dairy products, frozen meats and apples.

POLICEMAN FORFEITS \$15 Several Contribute to City's Coffers Through Lottery Game. H. S. Hammond, special policeman who was arrested in a raid on a Chinese lottery game at 228 Pine street by Police Sergeant Van Overn and Patrolman Klingensmith Monday night, failed to appear in court yesterday to answer to the charge of violating a city ordinance. Judge Langsuth declared his \$15 bail forfeited.

ELKS WILL BE FESTIVE Lodge Members and Their Families to Be Entertained Tonight.

The Portland Elks will gather at the Elks' Temple tonight with their wives, mothers, sisters and sweethearts, to participate in the festivities of "Ladies' Night at the Elks."

Following is the programme for the band: March, "Manhattan Beach" (Souza); overture, "Mazantello" (The Dome of Portici); Auber; cornet solo, "Three-Star Polka" (Bagley), rendered by Bro. Robert W. Benjamin; Sinfonic melody, "Oriental" (Orlando); recollections of grand opera, "Babalonia" (Mussil).

School Opened to Political Sessions. HOQUIAM, Wash., Oct. 17.—(Special).—For the first time since it was completed, the auditorium of the Hoquiam High School is to be opened to the use of political parties. The Board of Education has decided to rent the auditorium to political parties desiring to hold meetings there when some prominent speaker is brought to the city.

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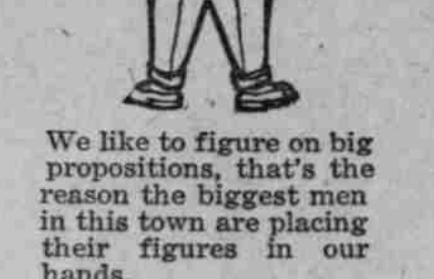
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CARD OF THANKS. We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the kindness and sympathy extended to us by our friends during the death of our beloved wife and mother; also to thank them for the beautiful floral pieces. Mrs. C. C. Roy. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Caulfield.