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AMUSEMENTS. ORPHEUM (Broadway at Taylor)—Big time vaudeville this afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15. BAKER (Broadway at Sixth, between Alder and Morrison)—Alcazar stock company in "The Fox." Tonight at 8:15 o'clock. PANTAGES (Broadway at Alder)—Un-equated vaudeville. Three shows daily, 2:30, 7 and 9:05. HIPPODROME (Broadway and Yamhill)—Vaudeville and moving pictures, 2 to 5:45 to 11. Saturday, Sunday, holidays, continuous, 1:15 to 11 P. M. STRAND (Park, West Park and Stark)—Vaudeville and motion picture continuous.

WOMEN'S SOCIETY TO MEET.—The Women's Missionary Society of the First Congregational Church, Madison, Park street, will give an Easter thank offering meeting Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the church parlors, Rev. Calvin B. Walker, of the First Baptist Church, will give the address and the choir will give the following program: Quartet, "And God Shall Wipe Away All Tears (Coombs); soprano solo, "Great Peace Have They Which Know Thy Law" (Rogers); trio, "Father, Lead Me by Thy Hand" (Waterfield); quartet, "Jesus, the Very Thought is Sweet" (Hosmer); Jane Burns Albert, soprano; Mitylene Fraker Siles, alto; Charles L. MacNeill, tenor; William A. MacIntyre, baritone; Leonora Fisher Whipp, accompanist and director. The public is cordially invited.

APRIL GRAND JURY DRAWN.—The April panel of the grand jury was drawn yesterday by Presiding Judge Gantenbein. The jurors are: David Perkins, foreman; newspaper composing-room, 651 Fifth street; Paul Waidt, real estate man, 1222 East Yamhill street; Frederick C. Anderson, bar-tender, 232 Winchell street; Frank W. Jones, hotelman, 210 Broadway; Hiel R. Greene, printer, 397 East Fourth street; George W. Gould, farmer, Corbett station, and Charles E. Gray, baker, 113 North Fourth street. Building Code No. 115. Copies of the proposed new building code proposing many changes in the law covering building construction will be printed for general distribution by the city before being enacted. A contract has been awarded for the printing of the document within a few days. The most important new provisions of the code are: strutting buildings to eight stories in height except where stories above that are set back from the sidewalk or property line.

HUSBAND NAMES AFFINITIES.—In his answer to the divorce complaint of his wife, Martha Rosalie Miller, David Price accuses his wife of infidelity and conduct reflecting disgrace on his family. She has had affinities, he says, and names Barton, Howell, Mc-Coy and Fred Haynes. He asks the custody of his daughter, Lewenna Frances Price in a cross-complaint.

BANK TO ADVANCE.—A formal notice of the advancing of \$4185.68 by the United States National Bank to pay the debts of the 1916 Rose Festival with promise of reimbursement by the county out of the first money collected under the 1917 tax levy for festival purposes, as provided by recent legislative act, was made to the County Commissioners yesterday.

WM. D. WHEELWRIGHT TO SPEAK TONIGHT.—Possibility of Peace, a noonday service, 12:30 to 1:30 sharp, Church of Our Father, Broadway and Yamhill. Otto Wedemeyer will sing "By the Waters of Babylon." No admission charge. All welcome. Tomorrow, Prof. Coleman; Thursday, President Foster; Friday, Dr. Boyd; Saturday, Mr. Elliot. Adv.

DR. ROBERTS AND MR. DIECK TO LECTURE.—Dr. David M. Roberts, State Health Officer, formerly in service of the city and Robert G. Dieck, City Commissioner of Portland, formerly City Engineer of Manila, will give an illustrated lecture this evening at 8:15 at the University Club, corner of Sixth and Jefferson streets, on "Sanitation in the Tropics." The public is invited.

MR. REAMES RETURNS.—United States District Attorney Clarence L. Reames is back in Portland again after having spent several weeks in Seattle as Government prosecutor in the case of bootlegging cases which involved Mayor H. Gill and members of the Seattle police force. The case resulted in the acquittal of the defendants, including the Mayor.

AMBULANCE FILM DUE MAY 22.—Word was received yesterday by J. A. Poulthoux that the motion picture production being shown now in the East to raise funds for the American Ambulance Service in France, will be shown in Portland May 22. Notice was from M. M. Palmer, executive secretary of the American Ambulance Service.

HOWARD EVARTS WEED TO LECTURE.—Howard Evarts Weed will tell what flowers, annuals, biennials, perennials, grow best in Portland and will demonstrate methods of propagation and pruning in a lecture illustrated by stereopticon at Y. W. C. auditorium, Broadway at Taylor, 8 P. M. tonight. No charge; public invited.

ALLEGED WIFE DESERTER TO GO BACK.—Sergeant B. F. Loungher, of the police bureau of Boise, Idaho, arrived in Portland yesterday to assume custody of Richard E. Borchardt, arrested in this city several days ago by Detectives Heller and Tackberry, on a charge of wife desertion. Borchardt will be returned to Wisconsin.

CATHOLIC NOON SERVICES HELD.—Noon services at St. Mary's Cathedral were well attended yesterday. Similar services will be held each day this week, except Saturday. A large choir of children sang. The meetings will open at 12:25 and will continue until 12:50 o'clock. The public will be welcome.

EARNST SHACKLETON TO SPEAK.—Much interest is being taken in the illustrated talk to be given by Sir Earnst Shackleton on April 12 at the Hellig Theater. Through Superintendent Alderman the high schools are cooperating with the committee and urging all interested pupils to hear the noted speaker.

H. B. LOUCKS, JR., VISITS.—H. B. Loucks, Jr., general agent for the Chicago & Northwestern Railway at Buffalo, visited Portland yesterday. He was introduced to local railroad men by E. C. Griffin, general agent for the same line here. Mr. Loucks is touring the Western part of the United States.

CHURCH TO CELEBRATE.—The Swedish people at the Outlook Colony will celebrate the liquidation of the church debt on April 22, at 3 o'clock, by publicly burning the mortgage. Addresses, speeches, songs and music will be rendered. Rev. John Ovall, the pastor, will have charge.

LAST OF SERIES OF TALKS SET FOR TOMORROW.—At the Y. W. C. A. tomorrow night, from 6:30 to 7, Rev. W. J. Beaven will give the last of his series of Bible talks. This closing talk will be the Easter message. All girls and women are invited to come.

REMEMBER THE EASTER SALE AND SOCIAL tea at First Methodist Episcopal Church, Twelfth and Taylor streets, today. Fine programs and refreshments. Everybody welcome. Adv.

VERDICTS OF INSANITY TOTAL 29.—There were 27 insanity hearings in the County Court during March, resulting in 29 commitments to asylums and seven verdicts of sanity.

JULIA A. HANSEN SEES.—Julia A. Hansen filed suit for divorce from Morten Hansen in the Circuit Court yesterday, alleging cruelty.

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