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AMUSEMENTS. PANTAGES (Broadway at Alder) Un-aqualed vaudeville. Three shows daily, 7:30, 9 and 10:30. HIPPODROME (Broadway and Yamhill)—Vaudeville and moving pictures, 2 to 5; 8:45 to 11 P. M. Saturday, Sunday, holidays, continuous, 1:15 to 11 P. M. STRAND (Park West Park and Stark)—Vaudeville and motion pictures, continuous. OAKS PARK—Open-air amusement resort on Willamette River. RIVERSIDE PARK—Open-air amusement resort on Willamette River. Informal opening. COUNCIL CREST PARK—Open-air amusement resort on Council Crest. Take Portland Heights cars.

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DR. SOMMER HURT ON VACATION.—When Dr. E. A. Sommer, a member of the Board of Education and a Portland physician, was thrown from horse near Bellingham, Wash., last Wednesday, he sustained a broken rib and collarbone. It is said he will be laid up for at least a week. With Mrs. Sommer and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin T. Griffith, also of Portland, he was making a vacation trip through the Puget Sound country. Griffith telegraphed the report of the accident to Dr. Sommer's office yesterday.

FEES OF CLERK'S OFFICE LABOR.—A total of \$154.41 was earned in fees by the office of County Clerk Beveridge during the past month, according to the monthly report which was completed yesterday. The Circuit Court fees contributed heavily, the total in 1917-40 for the month amounting to \$176.40. The naturalization bureau earned \$211.88 in the month. The hunting and fishing license bureau did a good business during the month, the report showing a total of \$149.62 in licenses.

STOLEN AUTO RECOVERED.—An automobile which was stolen from L. L. Summers, 462 Montana avenue, July 29, was recovered yesterday at Chehalis, Wash., according to Sheriff Huribut. The thief was not apprehended. It was stolen from in front of the Congregational Church in Chehalis, according to word from Chehalis the thief took the car to a garage where he borrowed a small sum of money on it and then disappeared.

RAILROAD SWITCHMAN BRINGS SUIT.—Declaring that the Northern Pacific Railroad Company secured his "service cards" and refused to return it, thereby keeping him from his work, Frank Moore at his trade as a railroad switchman, Frank Hood yesterday started suit for \$2000 in damages. The "service card," he explains, is a reference card which he had worked for something like 12 years and is a card which must be produced when applying for work with other railroads.

DR. WHITEHEAD HOME ON LEAVE.—Dr. George S. Whitehead, well-known Portland surgeon, who volunteered for war duty in the Navy when the United States entered the war, and was commissioned an assistant surgeon, with the rank of Lieutenant, junior grade, returned to Portland yesterday. He will spend a few days with his family. Dr. Whitehead is stationed at the Bremerton Navy-yard, in the naval hospital there. He has been there about two months.

"HOW TO PROTECT THE SOLDIERS THROUGH SCIENTIFIC PRAYER" is the topic of Emile C. Hartman's lecture Sunday at 8 o'clock in Ellers hall. Friends of soldiers especially urged to be present. Healing class in the comfort rooms, 126 Fifth st., Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 10 A. M. Evening lectures same days at 8 o'clock. Topics, "Happy End of the World," "The Power of Prayer," "Finding Your Christ-Self." Voluntary offerings.—Adv.

THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED to take a respite from Sunday cooking and attend the picnic luncheon to be held at Holy Redeemer Church on August 5 from 12 to 6 P. M. Tickets, 25 cents. Corned Williams ave. and Portland boulevard. Ice cream and cake served all day and a good musical program will entertain the guests. Committee.—Adv.

DR. HENRY CROSSLAND KING, president of Oberlin College, will speak at the First Presbyterian Church, 12th and Alder sts., tomorrow at both morning and evening services. His subjects will be "The Group" of Hope in the Changing World Order" and "Good Thoughts in Bad Times." 126 Fifth st., Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 10 A. M. Evening lectures same days at 8 o'clock. Topics, "Happy End of the World," "The Power of Prayer," "Finding Your Christ-Self." Voluntary offerings.—Adv.

CHAUFFEUR SUES FOR BROKEN ARM.—Howard Taylor demands \$2500 in damages from Taylor Bros. contractors, in a personal injury suit filed yesterday. He alleges that his right arm was broken while driving an auto-truck for the defendant company.

DO NOT MISS THE TRIP TO MOUNT HOOD by way of Government Camp and the Barlow road. Buses have been fixed and the road is open through to The Dalles. Good fishing at Clear Lake now.—Adv.

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. W. J. Sharr, of Ellensburg, Wash., will preach tomorrow, both morning and evening.—Adv.

BUTZERS RED CROSS.—Address by Rev. Hugh G. Ross, of Seattle, on August 4, 8 o'clock, Lincoln High School.—Adv.

DANCING TONIGHT, Cottillon Hall, delightfully cool, excellent music.—Adv.

FARMERS TO GET MORE LOANS. VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Additional farm loans from the Federal Farm Loan Bank at Spokane, aggregating \$100,000 will be made to Clarke County. E. J. O'Connell, secretary of the Clarke County Farm Loan Association,

Already charter members of the association have obtained loans of \$58,500. The board of appraisers is at work appraising the property of later loan applicants and these loans will be completed within the next month, it is expected.

SPECULATOR FILES SUIT. Accounting of \$40,000 Profits Asked in Court Action.

Interesting information on the speculation in foodstuffs is revealed in a suit filed in the Circuit Court yesterday by George W. Ingram against the United Brokers' Company, John A. Walgren and Al Henneman. The plaintiff asserts that his division of profits in the buying and selling of potatoes and onions amounts to approximately \$10,000 since the first of the year. The suit is characterized by the plaintiff as a contract for \$250, beginning January 1, 1917. He alleges that Walgren is seeking to collect a share of the profits under the contract, and that others are seeking to share the profits with Walgren. The total profits, thus far this year, he alleges amount to about \$50,000. He asks a restraining order and an accounting.

COUNTY TO BE PATRIOTIC. Just Compensation Planned for Employees Who Enlist for War.

Multnomah County will provide some fair method of compensating those county officials and employees who answer the call to the colors. The County Commissioners have an opinion by District Attorney Evans that they may legally make such provision. To determine how many employees have enlisted and in what capacity, the Board is making a survey. The number so far as known is 11. They are: A. A. Murphy and Walter Geisler, from the District Attorney's office; County Coroner Dammach, Art Wager and Charles Smith, from the County Clerk's office; C. E. Welch and J. Klingens from the County Assessor's office; Paul Geer and Joseph Dirk from the Sheriff's office, and H. J. Farmer from the roadmaster's department.

PAROLED MAN SENTENCED. John Dolan May Go Back to Penitentiary After Jail Term.

John Dolan, alias Kid Irish, was sentenced to 30 days in the County Jail by Municipal Judge Rossman yesterday for larceny. While Dolan is serving the sentence in the County Jail an attempt will be made by Deputy District Attorney Deich to have the young man returned to Folsom Penitentiary in California, from whence he was paroled some time ago while serving a sentence on a similar charge. He still has one year of the old sentence to serve. According to Special Agent Maher, of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, Dolan has been making his biggest hauls during the past few weeks from waiting rooms of the company.

MRS. LAROWE AT BEACH. Booklets to Be Sold to Vacationists for Ambulance Fund.

Mrs. Nina Churchman Larowe left yesterday for Seaside and Gearhart, where she will be for a week resting and recuperating. She has compiled letters of reminiscences, which have been put out for the benefit of the Third Oregon ambulance fund. Mrs. Larowe has been working with the various Third Oregon auxiliaries disposing of the book at the department stores and at Gull's. A few of the books have been left at these places in Portland.

NEW TAX DATE IS DESIRED. Commissioner Kellaher to Propose Submission of Measure.

City Commissioner Kellaher will propose to the City Council next Wednesday the submission to the voters at the next state election of a measure giving counties with a population of 100,000 or more the right to fix special dates for the collection of taxes. The plan is aimed to do away with Portland's annual period of financial stress. The end of Portland's fiscal year is December 1. Taxes are not due until March 1. The city, therefore, has to carry over a large amount of money to conduct its affairs from December until March. For two or three years past it has not had the money to carry over.

OFFICER, WELL KNOWN HERE, KILLED IN SUBMARINE ACCIDENT AT CAVITE.

Lieutenant Arnold Marcus, nephew of James Augustus Beckett, of Portland, was one of those who lost his life July 24 in the explosion of submarine A-7, in Cavite, Philippine Islands. Lieutenant Marcus had many friends here. He was navigator of the United States cruiser Milwaukee three years ago on a cruise of the Naval Militia.

The young Lieutenant graduated from Annapolis four years ago. He was married in 1915 to Miss Helen Cowles, of San Francisco. The ceremony took place in the American Embassy at Zamboanga, Mindanao, where Lieutenant Marcus was stationed. The young officer's mother, Mrs. Frank Popham Young, wife of Lieutenant-Colonel Young, is at Rawal, Pind, India. The interment of the body will be in Arlington Cemetery, Arlington, Va.

Visetti Factionists Publicly Denounce Consul.

A meeting of protest against the banquet tendered to Chevalier Paula Brenna, Italian Consul, was held in the Plaza block last night, while the rival entertainment was in progress. Factionists who are aligned with Dr. Carlo Visetti, former consul agent in this city, comprised the gathering, which numbered at least 100 enthusiastic participants.

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PEACE BRENNNA'S AIM

Italian Consul Hopes to Heal Breach in Colony.

BANQUET GIVEN IN HONOR Charges of Dr. Carlo Visetti Ignored on Account of Official Position.

Factional Strife Declared to Hurt Allied Cause.

While being honored in entertaining and feasting in Portland yesterday by the members of the faction of his countrymen who are supporters of his administration, Chevalier Paula Brenna, Italian Consul for Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and Alaska, was continually putting forth his best efforts toward healing the breach that has arisen over his discharge, under orders from Rome, of



Paula Brenna, Italian Consul, Who Was Guest at Banquet Last Night.

Dr. Carlo Visetti, until January 1 consul agent here.

Declaring that bitterness and personal differences should be banished for the general good of the allied cause in the war, he urged the burying of all strife and the uniting of forces for the prosecution of the struggle.

Chevalier Brenna was the guest of honor at a big banquet in the Multnomah Hotel last night, when his friends, not only in Portland, but from many points in Oregon and Idaho, feted him on account of his recent decoration by his government with the order of Saints Maritino and Lazzaro. Similar banquets have been tendered him in Seattle and Tacoma since his counting "basted" this signal honor upon him.

"I came to Portland not merely to be entertained and to attend a feast," said Chevalier Brenna, "but in an effort to promote a feeling of peace and brotherly love as well. My friends here insisted that I should be their guest at a banquet and, while I did like to do too much feasting with the war on, I felt that I could do my country a good service by coming.

"My official action in discharging Dr. Visetti has brought upon me great vituperation and personal abuse through the columns of a paper started by him 20 days after his dismissal. He has been indicted by the grand jury for libel on me and it will remain for a jury to determine whether he or I am at fault. I have no misgivings as to the outcome. As a representative of the Italian government I ignore his charges and do not defend myself, for it is beneath my station to do so. It is only that I dislike to see strife and bitterness between my countrymen here that I am appealing for peace and brotherly love. The local loyalty should be united, and it is too bad that dissension has arisen, for it makes it appear to our enemies that we are divided and hurts the allied cause.

"The Portland colony is one of the best and has done great work for the government in contributions, etc., and I am justly proud of its record. It is too bad that any differences have arisen, for nowhere else in my jurisdiction have we any troubles of this nature. My plea to the Italians of this city is to unite, harmonize and work together for the successful prosecution of the war."

PROTEST MEETING IS HELD

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tisans. The committee estimated 300 were at the meeting.

In a speech which was punctuated by much applause, Dr. Visetti outlined the progress of the factional trouble, and attacked Consul Brenna and Dr. B. Ferrara, Portland attorney, to whom the Visetti faction lay blame for the dissension in the colony.

Francisco Sannella, another speaker, was bitter in his denunciation, both of Attorney Ferrara and Consul Brenna, and declared that they represented an attempt to create a false social caste in the local colony. He asserted that on the occasion of a recent visit to the office of Attorney Ferrara, he had been violently assaulted.

The committee composed of Rev. Mr. Sannella and B. Grano drew up a telegram regarding the meeting of protest, announcing that it had the approval of 400 Italians, and forwarded it to the Italian embassy at Washington, D. C. The text of the message was as follows:

"The Italian colony of Portland, united in a public meeting this evening will leave on the steamer Beaver tomorrow morning for an all-day outing at Columbia City, four miles from Kalama.

The grounds at Columbia City are especially suited to excursionists. Bathing can be enjoyed and the committee will be provided with a bathing suit. Green is to be the official color. A cash prize is to be given the most shapely Celt. Those who may see John Sullivan, diving experts, having been delegated judges.

A baseball game and a full line of sports will be programed under the direction of M. J. Murnane. Thomas Touhey is general chairman. The excursion will leave the Couch-street dock at 9 A. M.

HIBERNIANS WILL PICNIC. Outing to Be Held Tomorrow at Columbia City.

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JULY BANNER ALIEN MONTH. American Citizens in Multnomah County Increased by 142.

July was a banner month at Portland's naturalization bureau, according to figures compiled yesterday by Deputy County Clerk Easter, in charge of the district bureau. A total of 142 aliens were admitted to citizenship during July, this being the largest number admitted in any one month in the history of Multnomah County.

In addition, there were 53 German subjects who would have been entitled to citizenship were it not for the war. Citizenship cannot be granted to them while the United States is at war with Germany.

Nearly all of those who took the final examinations were successful, said Mr. Easter, and the July class of new-made citizens was one of the best in the history of the bureau.

ST. JOHNS MAKES REQUEST. District Wants More Fire Protection and No Less Police.

The St. Johns district wants more fire protection and does not want its police protection curtailed. A delegation from the district met yesterday with Mayor Baker and made their wants known.

Mayor Baker informed them that as far as police protection is concerned no change will not be decreased. As for fire protection, he said he would investigate.

The delegation also asked the Mayor and Council to look over some of the paved streets in the district. The Mayor will ask the Council to do this within a few days.



V's for Vacation, Victory and Vim.

And V's for Variety in Summer togs for HIM. A cool suit of style to lay round in for a while—a KUPPENHEIMER Palm Beach or Air-O-Weave two-piece suit now \$8.50—Panama hats—real ones—in exclusive shapes at \$3.45—nothing better at the price.

For traveling days a gray or mixed chevot is practical and a blue serge suit is almost indispensable—you'll be agreeably surprised at the extraordinary values and large assortments in the three special offerings at \$14, \$17 and \$20.

And always—it's wearing apparel for boys or men—you'll find things to your liking—at the right prices, in this New Way Specialty Store—where we realize that your satisfaction is the reason for our permanent success.

Lion Clothing Co. Kus Kuhn, Pres. Morrison at Fourth St. S. & H. Stamps will provide cash funds for Xmas.

Hongkong, the daughter met Admiral Evashintsoff, whom she married in 1868. Admiral Evashintsoff died in 1899. A son is serving in the Russian navy.

MR. DYE IS EXONERATED. NOT TRUE BILL FOUND IN ARSON CASE BEFORE GRAND JURY.

Erroneous Report Creeps Into Print Through Failure to Separate Instruments in Clerk's Office.

Through an unfortunate mistake it was reported yesterday that Rev. George R. Dye, a former Portland minister, had been indicted by the grand jury Thursday for arson, when, the records disclose, the grand jury reported a not true bill and exonerated Rev. Mr. Dye. He had been accused of setting fire to his house at 1445 East Nineteenth street on the night of July 29 for the purpose of collecting \$2500 in insurance.

The mistake was made at the County Clerk's office, where a deputy handed out the Dye not true bill along with other true bills, the not true bill having been misplaced and put in with the indictments. Usually all not true bills are separated from the indictments, but in this case it was not done.

It was said yesterday that conclusive proof had been given to the grand jury showing that Mr. Dye could not have set fire to his house, as had been alleged.

EXHAUSTION CAUSES DEATH. Aged Fighter of Forest Fires Falls to Recover From Overwork.

Mathew McDugan, aged 60, died at Good Samaritan Hospital yesterday following an illness of three days. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital on Wednesday suffering from exhaustion fighting forest fires. His condition was found serious and he was later removed to the Good Samaritan Hospital. Deputy Coroner Smith took charge of the body and is making an effort to locate relatives in the East.

When Mr. McDugan came to the hospital it was found he had \$911 saved in the lining of his clothes.

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The ferry boat which has been operated by Linn and Benton counties to cross

BEACH. "REST AND RECREATION NECESSARY AS IN NORMAL TIMES," SAYS SECRETARY LANE. Gearhart--Seaside. Surf and Salt Water Pools, Cooling, Restful, Refreshing. A Multitude of Amusements. Three Trains Daily, Four on Saturdays. Monday Morning Special From Beach Points to Portland Favorite With Week-End Vacationists. Week-End \$3. Season \$4. City Office, 6th and Stark. Station, 10th and Hoyt.

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BEEF. Choicest No. 1 Steers. Prime Rib Roasts, lb., 26c. Rolled Roasts, lb., 20c. Pot Roasts, lb., 18c. Round Steak, lb., 24c. Plate Boil, lb., 15c.

LAMB. Oregon's Choicest Lambs. Leg Roasts, lb., 25c. Loins Roasts, lb., 25c. Shoulder Roasts, lb., 20c. Lamb Cutlets, lb., 22c. Breasts Lamb, lb., 18c.

Assorted Cold Meats and Sausages all ready to serve these hot days. No Bone. No Waste. Cold Boiled Ham, Cooked Corned Beef, Baked Veal Loaf, Jellied Veal Loaf, Jellied Lunch Tongue, Summer Sausage, Frankfurters, Weiners, Knockwursts.

JONES' "PRIDE OF OREGON" BRAND. Smoked Meats and Lards. Fancy Breakfast Bacon, sliced and trimmed, packed in one-pound sanitary cartons, lb., 40c. Hams, half or whole, lb., 26c. Choice Bacon, half or whole strip, lb., 34-36c. Tenderloin Backs, half or whole strip, lb., 32c. Picnics, lb., 21c. Cottages, lb., 26c. No. 3 Pure Lard, 72c. No. 10 Pure Lard, \$2.25. No. 5 Pure Lard, \$1.15. No. 5 Compound, 95c. No. 10 Compound, \$1.85.

MILITARY WATCHES. AT Friedlander's. We have just received the famous Waltham Khaki Strap, non-explosive, unbreakable glass Wrist Watches, also the famous 17-jeweled Hamiltons, together with various other standard movements.

White Temple. "Calvary: An Interpretation". "The Disillusionment of War". A Brilliant Sermon by One of New York's Most Popular Preachers. Doors Open at 7:30. 1500 Free Seats. YOU ARE WELCOME.

The Judgment Day. Pastor Wm. A. Baker. If we are now entering into this period of time, which the Scriptures and transpiring events clearly indicate, we should endeavor to learn of its purposes. Hear the Scriptures on this subject.

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