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AMUSEMENTS. PANTAGES (Broadway at Alder)—Unengaged vaudeville. Three shows daily, 2:30, 7 and 9:30. HIPPODROME (Broadway and Yamhill)—Vaudeville and moving pictures, 2 to 5; 6:45 to 11 P. M., Saturday, Sunday, holidays, continuous, 2 to 11 P. M. ETHAND (Park, West Park and Stark)—Vaudeville and motion pictures, 2 to 5; 6:45 to 11 P. M., Saturday, Sunday, holidays, continuous, 2 to 11 P. M. L'VEIL (Fourth and Stark)—Musical comedy daily, afternoon and night.

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JOY RIDERS TAKE HOUSER AUTO.—When Max H. Houser, local grain man and member of the Federal Grain Commission, left his car standing in front of his office at the Board of Trade building Tuesday night he returned shortly afterward to find the car missing. The police were notified and the car was found yesterday on Taylor street, where it had been left after running out of gasoline. It evidently had been used by a joy riding party who became discouraged when the car refused to run without gas.

TESTS FOR FIREMEN HELD.—Thirty-nine men seeking positions in the Fire Bureau competed yesterday in tests of skill and daring at the fire drill tower at East Third and East Pine streets. The tests were conducted by the Municipal Civil Service Board. The stunts through which the applicants were put included the climbing of aerial ladders, jumping into life nets, climbing hand over hand up the under side of an inclined ladder and carrying a dummy weighing 125 pounds up and down a ladder.

TRUCK RUNS INTO GAS PUMP.—A truck belonging to the Weinberg Bottling Company, of Vancouver, Wash., driven by H. E. Price, collided with a gasoline pump belonging to Robert Uhlman at East Twelfth and Burnside streets yesterday, breaking the pump, which caused the gasoline to become ignited from the engine of the machine. Mr. Price said that he had attempted to avoid striking another automobile and that he was compelled to run into the pump.

BLUE SKY VIOLATION CHARGED.—J. E. Gilliam, arrested Tuesday by City Detectives Leonard and Snow, was remanded by Deputy District Attorney Ryan, charging violation of the Oregon blue sky law, was yesterday bound over to the grand jury under \$1000 bail. Mr. Gilliam had sold several shares of stock in the Explorer, Reading & Mining Company, of Arizona, to women residents of Portland without first obtaining a license to dispose of the stock in Oregon.

ELECTRIC CODE CHANGE PROPOSED.—Change of the city's electric code so as to allow utility men in buildings to attend to changes in electric wiring in that building has been proposed by City Commissioner Kellaher. The proposition will be considered by the Council at its next meeting. As the present provision of the code has been interpreted by building owners or managers required to have regularly registered and licensed electricians do their maintenance work.

NAVY ENGINEER TESTS ANNOUNCED.—The Bureau of Yards and Docks, of the Navy Department, announces an examination in the near future to fill existing vacancies in the grade of assistant civil engineer, corps of civil engineers, United States Navy. The exact number of vacancies is not announced, but it is known that at least ten assistant engineers are to be appointed from those receiving the highest marks.

ATTORNEY RICHARDS EXONERATED.—Federal Judge Wolfson, after a full hearing of all the evidence yesterday, dismissed a charge brought against Norman S. Richards, a Portland lawyer, of having approached a witness with intent to influence her testimony before the Federal grand jury. The charge was brought against Mr. Richards by Ernest Goldman, an assistant United States Attorney.

"FOR HIRE" CAR BONDS CANCELLED.—Five drivers of "for hire" automobiles were put out of business by the City Council yesterday as a result of bonding companies having cancelled the bonds furnished by the drivers for the protection of the public in case of accidents. The Grand Jury, N. Greig, Berg, Albert Garrison, Mabel Seckatz, A. M. Flaher and L. R. Maple.

PROWLERS ENTER HOME.—Prowlers entered the home of Edward Windler some time between Saturday and Tuesday night and almost wrecked the furnishings of the house in a search for money. Entrance was gained through a basement window. Nothing was reported missing by the family, who had been out of town for several days.

COUNTY BALANCES LESSENED.—There was but \$79,171 left in the general fund of Multnomah County on September 1, according to a report of County Auditor Martin submitted yesterday to the County Board. On August 1 there was \$117,514 in that fund. The road fund now contains \$33,379 as against \$65,135 for August 1, and the Interstate bridge fund has \$47,642 whereas it contained \$51,021 the first of last month.

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'Crowd of Men and Women' Is Minus Men. "Disorderly Dance," Complained Of by Neighbors, Is Mother in Husband's Clothes Amusing Children.

Judge, in Referee's Role, Says Bout Is Draw. Joe Benjamin, Portland Boxer, Is Told That He Is "A Little Too Cocky" — Truck Driver Seeks Mill.

MUNICIPAL JUDGE ROSSMAN yesterday rendered a draw decision as the grand finale to the boxing bout staged by Joe Benjamin and A. H. Harding at Broadway and Washington street Tuesday afternoon.

TROOPERS LEAVE SOON. BATTERIES TO FOLLOW CAVALRY TO CAMP GREENE.

Squadron May Be Mounted and Used to Guard Pipelines Early Service.

Within the present week the Oregon Cavalry Squadron, comprising Troops A, B, C and D, Major Charles E. McCann, commander, will leave Camp Withycombe for Camp Greene, North Carolina. The exact day of their departure is not yet definitely fixed, but it probably will be soon thereafter.

Proposal to License Chimney Sweeps Goes Up in Smoke. City Commissioner Kellaher Dismissed City Council's Measure as "Fine Line of Legislation."

"FINE line of legislation," thundered City Commissioner Kellaher before the City Council yesterday, when a measure licensing chimney sweeps was read. "Looks like a deliberate move to prevent small homeowners from cleaning their own chimneys. I'm against it."

TARGET RANGES INSPECTED. Acting Chief of Staff Goes Over Army Practice Grounds.

Major Parks, acting chief of staff of the Western Department of the United States Army, with headquarters in San Francisco, made an inspection Tuesday of the headquarters of the First District of the Western Department in Portland, and of target ranges in the vicinity of Portland.

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VILLIERS IS COMING

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LECTURE, WHO WILL TALK UNDER AUSPICES OF BRITISH RED CROSS, IS FAMOUS IN OLD WORLD FOR STORIES OF MANY WARS.

Frederic Villiers, the world-famous war correspondent now on a lecture tour of the United States in the interests of the British Red Cross, is to lecture in Portland next Wednesday night, September 12, at the Heilig Theater.



Frederic Villiers, of "The Illustrated London News," War Correspondent, Who Will Lecture in Portland September 12.

He created "Dick Helder" in "The Light That Failed." The name of Frederic Villiers is known throughout the world—especially to those whose memories go back to the '80s, when desperate fighting was taking place in the Sudan.

Most of Life Spent at War. The illustrated papers of England featured his name and stories and sketches, and he was the boyhood hero of the old world.

War has taken up most of Mr. Villiers' life, and when he comes to Portland he will relate his intensely interesting experiences in the present campaign. His drawings and photographs will admirably illustrate the story.

Mr. Villiers has met most of the great soldiers of modern times. "Perhaps none of them with whom I have come in contact," he said recently, "has made a deeper impression than the famous Russian commander, General Skobelev. Skobelev had a remarkable natural genius for war, and the influence which he wielded among the Russians was not altogether due to the high rank which he held."

Men Believe Leader Immortal. "There was something about the personality of Skobelev quite indefinable; and from this came the belief among his men that, even after his death, he would appear again to lead the army to victory should Holy Russia be demoralized by her enemies."

"During the present campaign many Russian soldiers have declared that Skobelev has ridden at the head of the army mounted on his famous white charger. This is pretty much in keeping with the stories of the angels at Mons—and will probably live as long."

This is but a taste of the fascinating tales Frederic Villiers brings with him from Europe, and will relate in his lecture next week in Portland.

CLOSING ACT IS OPPOSED. Commissioner Kellaher Objects to Pawnshop Ordinance. Most proprietors of pawnshops and second-hand stores apparently favor being forced by city ordinance to close at 5 P. M. each afternoon.

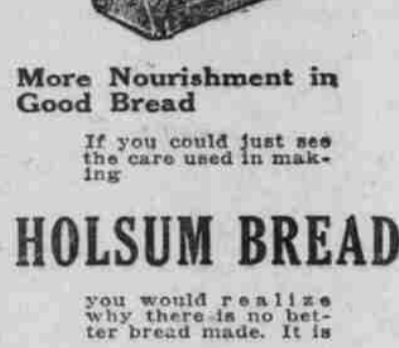


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MILLER'S Third and Alder Streets

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM Monday, Sept. 17, at 8:30 P. M. JOINT RECITAL Tom Dobson and Lester Donahue

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