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AMUSEMENTS.
ORPHEUM (Broadway at Taylor)—Vaudeville. This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15 o'clock.
BAKER (Broadway at Sixth, between Alder and Morrison)—Alcazar Stock Company in "The Marriage of Kitty." This afternoon at 2:30 and tonight at 8:30 o'clock.
PANTAGES (Broadway at Alder)—Vaudeville. Three shows daily, 2:30, 7 and 9:30.
HIPPIDROME (Broadway at Yamhill)—Vaudeville and moving pictures, 2 to 3; 6:45 to 12 P. M. Saturdays, Sundays, holidays, continuous, 2:15 to 11 P. M.
STRAUD (Washington street, between Park and West Park)—Vaudeville and moving pictures, continuous.
LYRIC (Fourth and Stark)—Musical comedy, daily, afternoon and night.
OAKS AMUSEMENT PARK (On Willamette River)—Band concerts and diversified entertainment afternoon and night.

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PORTLAND IS REPRESENTED.—Portland will be represented today at the American Medical Women's national convention in Chicago where Dr. Esther Lovejoy will be one of the principal speakers. The sessions will be in the Hotel LaSalle. Dr. Mae Cardwell, another Portland woman physician, is in Chicago and will attend. Dr. Rosalie Slaughter Morton, of New York, who visited Portland and lectured here a few years ago, will address the association tomorrow on the work of the American women's hospitals in France and Belgium. There will be 1000 women physicians attending this meeting.

DANCE TO BE GIVEN.—An event of interest for tonight will be the dance and card party to be given at the Multnomah Hotel for the benefit of the relief fund for the Masons and Eastern Star. Among the patronesses will be Mrs. Lena C. Mendenhall, worthy grand matron. Dr. George E. Henton will have charge of the floor committee, and in the card room William Horton and Andrew Rugg will be chairman. All who are interested in helping the fund are invited.

SOLDIERS APPRECIATE GIFTS.—Members of Auxiliary of Company C, 118th Engineers, now in France, have received from Lieutenant Irving Niles a letter of appreciation for the gifts sent to the men by the auxiliary. The letter was transmitted through S. D. Niles, 888 Williams avenue, father of Lieutenant Niles. Lieutenant Niles is commanding his company at the present and is stationed near the front. The letter was written May 8.

BELL TO ANNOUNCE PRAYER TIME.—Beginning today, the bell of the First Presbyterian Church will be rung daily at 12 o'clock, noon, to remind the people of the city to pray for the success of the armistice and the allied nations. This plan is in accordance with a suggestion made at the national meeting of the Presbyterian denomination held recently at Columbus, O., and attended by Dr. J. H. Miller, pastor of the First Church, this city.

MISSIONARY CLUB TO MEET.—Mrs. L. T. Peery, 42 Williams avenue, will be guest of the Women's Missionary Society and Social Service Club of the First Methodist Episcopal Church South, Tuesday, from 2 to 4:30. The programme has been arranged by the social service department. Dr. J. C. Ghormley, Sr., will be the speaker. All members are urged to attend and a cordial invitation is extended to those interested.

FATHER NOTIFIED OF SON'S DEATH.—The body of Charles W. Davis, deckhand on the steamer Lurline, who was drowned on June 1 in the Willamette River near Linnton, is being held by Coroner Smith for advice from the father. Dr. George E. Davis, of 291 Gary street, will deliver the eulogy. The body of the father was established by an identification card found in a pocket of the dead man's clothing. The body was recovered Saturday evening.

GROWERS TO BE HELPED.—Fruit growers needing extra help that can be secured through the various employment agencies, are asked to list their needs with the Patriotic Conservation League. The league, through its various auxiliaries, will endeavor to assist in securing volunteer assistance in all cases of emergencies in and about Multnomah County.

W. C. T. U. TO OBSERVE DAY.—Alma W. C. T. U. will observe Flower Mission day Saturday morning, 9:30. The day is observed at the Portland High School, 225 Michigan avenue, Tuesday, June 11, at 2:30 in the afternoon. A programme will be given and bouquets of flowers distributed.

HOOD RIVER HOST TO MANY.—Portland Eclipse Observers Are Welcomed and Entertained.

When the Portland contingent of eclipse-observers, numbering about 150, reached Hood River Saturday morning, they found themselves in the hands of a smiling and hospitable committee of Hood River women who had foreseen just how to make the city's guests of a day enjoy the day the best.

Mrs. H. H. Custer led her committee to the Portlanders and announced that after they had eaten their basket-lunches, automobiles would be ready to take them for a ride among the famous orchard districts of the place.

This delightful portion of the programme ended by bringing the guests back to the baseball park in time to watch the eclipse. The guests were then taken to the station in time to get the 5 o'clock train for Portland.

Representatives of the Portland High School Teachers' Association, the Grade Teachers, and the Maxamas were among those enjoying the hospitality of Hood River and they were accompanied by Superintendents Alderman and Rice with their families and several principals.

Hood River people were unanimously voted in the same class as their famous apples.

POSTMASTER TEST IS SET.

Examination for Person to Fill Palmer Office to Be Held.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Portland on June 21, 1918, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Palmer, Or., and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$250 for the last fiscal year.

Application blanks, form 1753, and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., at the earliest practicable date.

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PORTLAND GRADUATE NURSE ENROLLS FOR DUTY IN FRANCE OR ELSEWHERE.



MISS MYRTLE EVA KAYS.

Portland nurses are being called to service and loyalty they are answering the call. Today at 3 o'clock in the Portland Hotel there will be a conference of representatives of the Portland Chapter, American Red Cross, to arrange plans by which Portland's quota of nurses may be enrolled in Red Cross service.

Oregon must furnish 300 of the 25,000 nurses asked for. Miss Myrtle Eva Kays, a graduate of Good Samaritan Hospital, who now is on duty there, is one of the girls enrolled and yesterday she declared that she wanted to be of the greatest service possible to her country.

Recently enrolled are Miss Esther Peterson, Miss Maude Griffiths, Miss Elsie Foster, Mrs. N. R. Gibson, Miss Mary Conny, Miss W. M. Cleveland and Misses Alma and Eleanor Ekstrom.

BELGIUM'S WOES RETOLD

WOMAN MEMBER OF RELIEF COMMISSION IS HERE.

Public Meeting Will Be Held at Helig Theater Friday Afternoon to Hear Mrs. Kellogg's Message.

Mrs. Vernon Kellogg, author of "The Women of Belgium," and the only American woman member of the new world-famous Belgium Relief Commission, will arrive in Portland Wednesday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ayer.

Mrs. Kellogg will tell of conditions as she saw them in stricken Belgium and was a tireless worker in the great battle against starvation and barbarity. Portland is exceedingly fortunate in having the opportunity to hear her. She now on route from the East to her home in Palo Alto, where Dr. Kellogg is in charge of the biological laboratory at Stanford University.

Mrs. Kellogg will go to Salem Thursday and will address a meeting there that evening.

JOHN DRISCOLL IS DEAD

WELL-KNOWN PORTLAND RESIDENT SUCCEUMS AT AGE OF 55.

Prominent Packer for Quarter of Century Is Survived by Widow and Son—Ireland Native Land.

John Driscoll, prominent in the packing business for the last quarter of a century in Portland, and active in civic affairs, died yesterday at his home, 631 and 1907. He also was a member of the Port of Portland Commission for almost 12 years, retiring a few years ago on account of poor health. He had

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John Driscoll, ex-member of the Oregon legislature and Port of Portland, who died yesterday.

a stroke of paralysis in 1908, which incapacitated him for active work, and though he was constantly at his place of business until Monday last week, when he went home and gradually failed.

Mr. Driscoll was born in County Kerry, Ireland, May 7, 1863, and came to the United States at the age of one year. His family located at Norwich, Connecticut, where Mr. Driscoll grew up. He came to Portland in 1889 and engaged in the meat business with William O'Donnell, under the firm name of O'Donnell & Driscoll and later the Boston Packing Company, of which firm he was a member at the time of his death.

He was a member of the Portland Lodge of Elks, Cathedral Court Order of Foresters, and of Prospect Camp,

Woodmen of the World. He is survived by a widow and a son, who is attending the Catholic University at Washington, D. C.; another son, William, an engineer, Marie. His brother is M. J. Driscoll.

PERSONAL MENTION.

M. Davis, of Hamilton, is at the Nortonia.

John Simmons, of Beatty, is at the Oregon.

S. Hall, of Toledo, is at the Oregon.

J. R. Oldaker, of Hermiston, is at the Ritz.

C. A. Finsett, of Dallas, is at the Cornelia.

W. E. O'Rourke, of Heppner, is at the Ritz.

Mrs. S. S. Smith, of Medford, is at the Benson.

Madelene Ballon, of La Granda, is at the Benson.

Fred Ayers, of Kelso, Wash., is at the Perkins.

Thad Robinson, Tillamook banker, is at the Perkins.

William Irvine, of Arlington, is at the Cornelia.

Robert Scott, of Silverton, is at the Washington.

Mrs. M. N. Kirk, of Heppner, is at the Nortonia.

W. A. Gynn, of Puyallup, Wash., is at the Cornelia.

F. R. Evans, of Seattle, Wash., is at the Cornelia.

John Twohy, of Spokane, Wash., is at the Portland.

F. K. Hollister, of Seattle, Wash., is at the Oregon.

J. H. Macfield, of San Francisco, is at the Benson.

Mrs. Robert Brown, of Pendleton, is at the Seward.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johns, of Salem, are at the Ritz.

F. H. Whitman, Corvallis merchant, is at the Seward.

Theodore de Boer, of Denver, Colo., is at the Perkins.

Frank C. Bramwell, of Grants Pass, is at the Portland.

Miss J. Cornwell, of Jackson, Mich., is at the Nortonia.

Gustave Grossman, of New Orleans, La., is at the Portland.

W. Dykeman, of Washoulog, Wash., is at the Washington.

F. B. Moroin and family, of Trail, B. C., are at the Perkins.

Dr. Tyra Kohlander, of Seattle, Wash., is at the Benson.

George H. Herbert, Deputy Sheriff of Baker, is at the Imperial.

Ed McElwain and Mrs. McElwain, of Toledo, are at the Oregon.

L. Newman and J. P. Walker, of Corvallis, are at the Perkins.

G. S. Trullinger, Astoria real estate dealer, is at the Imperial.

Mrs. J. L. Thompson, of Goldendale, Wash., is at the Washington.

E. E. Kiddie, owner of flour mills at Island City, is at the Imperial.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bishoprick, of Bridal Veil, are at the Perkins.

D. M. O'Donnell and Mrs. O'Donnell, of Cochrane, are at the Multnomah.

Lieutenant C. A. Hauber, of Chewelah, Wash., is at the Washington.

E. A. DeMers and Mrs. DeMers, of Seattle, Wash., are at the Nortonia.

George H. Hyatt, business man of Goldendale, Wash., is at the Seward.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Krom, of Seattle, Wash., are registered at the Multnomah.

W. S. Chandler and Dorsey Kreitzer, Marshfield business men, are at the Benson.

Mrs. Marie Nordstrom, daughter, and governess, of New York City, are at the Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Robinson, of the Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, are at the Seward.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hooper and Miss Betty Hooper, of San Francisco, are guests at the Portland.

George Kohlhaugen, prominent Rosburg business man, and Edward Kohlhaugen, are at the Oregon.

Mrs. C. P. Larrabee, Miss Mary Larrabee and Ben Larrabee, of Bellingham, Wash., are at the Portland.

Captain J. W. Siemens, Klamath banker, who is returning from the Bend convention, is registered at the Imperial.

Grant Smith, president of the Grant Smith companies, has returned from an Eastern business trip and is at home at the Multnomah for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Coffin, Arthur Coffin, Mrs. Lester Coffin, Dorothy, Geraldine, Whitney, Arthur T., and Harry Coffin, of Yakima, Wash., are guests at the Portland.

J. L. O'Connor, of Los Angeles, is registered at the Imperial. Mr. O'Connor is a pioneer of Portland, where he was engaged in the auctioneering business 30 years ago.

MERCHANTS' LUNCH, 25c.
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TAX PAYMENTS BIG

Oregon to Pay Out \$14,000,000 This Week on Incomes.

EFFECT IS HARDLY FELT

Treasury Department Requests That as Far as Possible Special Treasury Certificates of Indebtedness Be Used in Payment.

Probably there is no better example of the elasticity of the financial system of the United States than the collection of \$14,000,000 income taxes from the State of Oregon, as the wistful collector completed this week, without causing more than a ripple on the surface of the financial structure of this part of the country.

Bankers say that it will not be noticeable in the statements of the banks, for it will to a large measure represent only the slight shifting of the finances. The treasury department has requested that as far as possible the special treasury certificates of indebtedness, due June 25, be used in paying income taxes.

In flotation of the Liberty loans considerable sums are occupied in necessary preparation for the drives and in order to carry along the running expenses of the Government cash was raised by means of these treasury certificates of indebtedness. The banks were asked to take these to as large an extent as circumstances would permit, and in doing so endeavored to maintain the relative balance in purchasing that would fall to the shares of the banks in subsequent sales of the Liberties.

Certificate Payments Desired.
 The certificates maturing June 25 were issued returnable at that date with the requirements for payment of income taxes in mind. It is through this medium the remittances to the treasury department will be made in these certificates, due for cancellation, without drawing to the treasury from throughout the country the actual cash. It is for this reason payments are desired in certificates.

Income tax collections are pouring into the office of M. A. Miller, collector of internal revenue, in a steadily increasing volume during the last day for payment approaches. Under the law all income taxes are due and must be paid on or before June 15. Failure to pay by that date subjects the delinquent to the penalties prescribed. It is improbable, however, that there will be delinquencies except through inadvertence or extraordinary circumstances—for neither of which the law makes provision.

Bankers Assist in Payments.
 Bankers assert that there would probably be a considerable increase shown in loans and discounts of bank statements if one were made immediately after the conclusion of income tax collections. Strange as it may appear on first thought, there are hundreds of thousands of persons who are obliged to borrow from the banks the cash to pay their income taxes.

Probably there is no class so generally inclined to keep the cash in grain farmers of Eastern Oregon and the owners of flocks and herds on the open ranges. Both of these classes are not necessarily abundantly supplied with ready cash, though their business shows a balance on the right side for the greater portion of last year. In the case of the grain farmer, he had two years of very light crops and increasing cost of production, but with rare exceptions marketed his crop before there was any appreciable advance in price and used the proceeds to clear up his floating indebtedness of the preceding year or years.

Of those who harvested the best crops last year some flushed with the success of last year, the tax collector bought that "next guess" of a new land, or satisfied some long-cherished ambition for a new home or providing for the education of a promising scion of the household.

DEATH CALLS AT PHONE

MOTHER OF THE LATE FRED A. JACOBS DIES SUDDENLY.

Heart Stops Beating While Talking to Friend Over Wire at Daughter-in-Law's Home.

Mrs. Bolena D. Jacobs, mother of the late Fred A. Jacobs, died suddenly Saturday morning while talking over the telephone, at the residence of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. F. A. Jacobs, 632 Taylor street. Mrs. Jacobs, who was 63 years of age, had been in poor health for some time, but she expired almost immediately.

Mrs. Jacobs was formerly Bolena D. Saunders. She was born at Bedford, Mo., in 1855, and married the late Fred A. Jacobs in 1880. For eight years Mr. Jacobs was a State Senator in Missouri. The family was widely known in Missouri for its many activities.

After the death of her husband Mrs. Jacobs came West and made her home with her son, a prominent real estate operator who died about a year ago in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Jacobs leaves many relatives in Missouri, those of immediate kin being a brother, D. G. Saunders, of Kansas City, and a sister, Mrs. W. R. G. Gilbert. The funeral will be held today at 2 o'clock from the residence of Mrs. Jacobs. The pallbearers will be Ralph Hoyt, L. B. Menefee, W. R. Shively, H. G. Beckwith, O. S. Patterson and R. R. Reed. The body will be forwarded to Chillicothe, Mo., for burial in the family plot.

East Side Residents Blame Eclipse for Boys' Plank

Sides of Houses Found Smeared With Mysterious Substance.

AN ENTIRE East Side neighborhood pleaded zealously for scientific enlightenment yesterday when various residents found their front lawns, their back yards and the sides of their dwellings spotted with a strange, black substance.

Presumably it had fallen from the skies. And what more logical of conjecture than that, in some obscure, unguessable manner, it bore relation to the solar eclipse, then but a few brief hours away?

"It was glassy before handling," reported one fair finder, "and you can see for yourself that it was hot, for it has flattened out as it cooled, and there is grass sticking to the bottom."

The sent several bottles of the queer, black substance to the Oregonian office, and all the local room crew took turns at guessing what it might be.

"She looks like tar," said the literal-minded reporter.

"I've read the cynical city-dick man," she surely does."

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she lacks smell," put in another sleuth on the trail of science.

So they called Weatherman Wells, who is a meteorologist himself, and he said he didn't know about it. Then the solution arrived.

The East Side residence district begged to report that several small boys, on the evening previous, had dipped sticks in sundry barrels of the street department, had lighted them with matches and had cawed blithely through the streets, sprinkling the scene liberally with tar. Complete confession had been made.

Sectionettes Strike After Two Have Clash.

Women Railway Workers Quit When Foreman Will Not "Fire" One.

KALAMA, Wash., June 9.—(Special.)—Kalama has two gangs of "sectionettes" working to keep the railroad tracks in this vicinity free from weeds, and Friday, the crew under Foreman Newton "struck"—all except one woman. It happened this way, Miss Callie Price, who is "strawboss" of the crew gave orders to Mrs. Charles Johns, another member of the crew, which the latter refused to regard, following up her refusal, according to the statement of Miss Price and other girls on the crew, with abusive language and adding force to her remarks by belaboring Miss Price with her hoe, until the weapon was wrested from her by Miss Price and two others of the crew.

Foreman Newton, on being appealed to, said he couldn't discharge Mrs. Johns, because he had orders not to "fire" any married women, whereupon Miss Price struck on the job, followed by the other girls, leaving the bell, erent in undisputed possession of the field.

The other strikers are: Clara Dahl, Bonnie Effen, Edna Belch, Marguerite Thompson, Wilma Scott and Evelyn Brewer.

OREGON TO CONTRIBUTE

Government Wants Shipload of Canned and Evaporated Fruits.

A shipload of canned and evaporated fruits and vegetables will be sent from San Francisco to supply the needs of the Government, and Oregon is to be called upon to contribute every pound of the products possible to make the cargo a full one.

It is imperative that the authorities know at once what is available in Oregon for such shipment, and that it be forwarded without any delay, for the materials required should be assembled by June 20.

Robert L. Ringer, field assistant of the United States Bureau of Markets, in receipt of a wire from the depot quartermaster of the Western Department, San Francisco, asking for this information at once.

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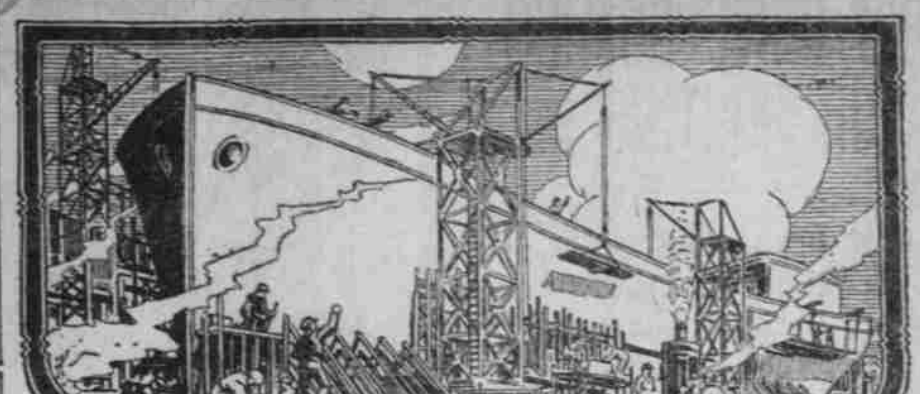
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17 Register at Ilwaco.

ILWACO, Wash., June 9.—(Special.)—Registration day resulted in 17 young men registering here. Their names and postoffice addresses are as follows: Stanley E. Iverson, George Herring, Anir Kary, Hughes Lee, Frank Lee, Otto Olson, Elmer Ecklund, Fritz Eriandson, Alfred Nelson, of Chinook; Harry E. Olsen, Charles Bostrom, of Long Beach;