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AMUSEMENTS.
ORPHEUM (Broadway at Taylor)—Vaudeville. This afternoon and tonight.
BANKER (Alder at Eleventh)—Baker Stock company in "The Crimson Alibi." Tonight.
LYRIC (Broadway at Morrison)—Musical comedy, "Mardi Gras." Three shows daily, 2, 7 and 9 P. M.

FORESTRY OFFICIALS HERE.—Major E. W. Kelly, forest inspector from Washington, D. C., and Roy Headley, assistant forester, from the same office, returned to Portland yesterday with A. O. Waha, assistant district forester, after an inspection trip to the Olympic national forest. They inspected provisions made for fire and the general operation work and ways of handling the forest. Major Kelly and Mr. Headley will be in Portland for about a week conferring with District Forester Cecil about estimates and allotments for the coming year.

GAME LAW VIOLATORS FINED.—A total of \$190 was collected yesterday in fines for game law violators at the state game laws. J. L. Stephens, Astoria, arrested for trespassing on a duck refuge, was fined \$25 and C. G. Bertrand of Astoria \$25 for receiving venison for transportation during the closed season. H. H. Hollaway, E. T. Fisher, Charles Edger, E. Bradley and C. J. Schwarz, arrested for trespassing on a duck lake at Fairview, Or., were tried before Judge Bell here yesterday and fined \$19 each.

MARY LOU HAS MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE.—If the mother of Mary Lou, the tiny girl baby who has won the hearts of most Portland's civic officials since she was found abandoned on a doorstep last week, will reveal her identity she will be made the recipient of \$20 monthly to assist in the care of the waif. The little girl is now a member of Chief of Police Jenkins' family and innumerable offers of adoption have been made. The man who made the offer to the mother of Mary Lou wishes his identity kept secret.

LIQUOR TRIALS SET.—W. S. West, charged with violating the prohibition law will be tried in the federal court February 11. The case was set yesterday. West was arrested by Portland by United States Marshal McGovern of Spokane. The \$4000 automobile owned by West has been confiscated by the government on the charge that it was used to transport liquor to the Pendleton Round-up. Mike Kerkela, charged with violating the prohibition law in four places, will be tried February 10.

SPENCER WILL PROBATE.—The will of the late Schuyler C. Spencer, who killed himself and shot his wife, was filed yesterday for probate. It leaves all of his property to his wife, Spencer, and in event of her death, to a son, Roscoe C. Spencer of Battle Creek, Mich. The will is dated February 3, 1919, and was made just before the couple left on their wedding trip. Value of the property is not mentioned, but it is believed to be in excess of \$25,000, and heavily encumbered by financial obligations.

DR. WIRT TO SPEAK HERE.—Invitations are being issued for the near future to Dr. Wirt to speak at the near future to the civic league luncheon Saturday, when Dr. Lincoln L. Wirt, of the national near east bureau, will be the chief speaker. Dr. Wirt was formerly superintendent of education in Alaska and has been in the commission in Europe. He has recently returned from the near east where he was director of one of the relief expeditions and brings a most inspiring report.

JUDGE DAYTON TO SPEAK.—Arthur C. Dayton, ex-judge of the district court, and who has presided for a number of years at the small claims court, will address the Associated Retail Credit Men at their noon-day luncheon tomorrow on the subject of the workings of the small claims court. This luncheon is to be held at the hotel in the Tyrolese room. All interested, whether members of the association or not, have been invited.

AIRPLANE FIRM IS SUED.—The Oregon, Washington & Idaho Airplane company was defendant in the federal court yesterday on an alleged breach of contract of guarantee. The Union National bank of Seattle was the plaintiff and contends that the airplane company should pay \$10,000 as guarantor in the delivery of a plane to J. C. Sullivan of Seattle.

FOUR MEN ASK DAMAGES.—George Turner, formerly a lineman in the employ of the Postal Telegraph company, has begun suit for \$25,385.85 damages for injuries he received November 16, 1918, at Canyon City. While removing wires from a pole, the cable snapped, the hammer broke and Turner was thrown to the ground.

RIVAL'S ASSAULT FINED.—Leslie L. Hutton yesterday pleaded guilty to assault and battery and was sentenced by Presiding Judge Taxwell to a year in the county jail. He was charged with assaulting and beating the prisoner Severin J. Champurney, on September 2, because the latter was paying attentions to a girl who was their mutual friend.

TILLAMOOK MAN ARRESTED.—Fred Lewis was arrested yesterday at a local hotel by Deputy Sheriffs Schirmer and Christofferson on a warrant from Tillamook county. Sheriff Campbell will come in from the coast today for the prisoner, who is charged with obtaining money under false pretenses.

FLITTING WIFE DIVORCED.—Gus Keramadis yesterday was divorced from Josephine Keramadis after he had told Presiding Judge Taxwell his tale of woe. His wife, he said, uses morphine and other drugs, goes with other men and has been sentenced to four months at the Cedars.

BURGLARS KEEP POLICE BUSY.—Thieves enter homes in all parts of city. Protect your valuables. Phone Mar. 2391 for a Burglary and Hold-up Policy before the loss occurs. W. R. McDonald Co., insurance, Yeon bldg.—Adv.

TWO GAMBLERS FINED.—Crashooting yesterday Jack Coleman and John W. Smith more than it was worth when District Judge Bell fined them for participating in the game. They were taken in custody at the Northwest Bridge & Iron Works.

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APPROVER FINED \$20.—F. A. Lundrun was fined \$20 yesterday by District Judge Hawkins for speeding on the approach to the intersection. He was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Wilson.

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LATORELL TRACT IS PRICED.—Ten thousand dollars an acre is the price quoted on a 40-acre tract of land surrounding the "figure eight" on the Columbia river highway and offered for sale to the county commissioners by the Latorell family. Its present owners. No action on the matter, which was put up to the board by John B. Yeon, was taken, although Mr. Latorell is to leave for the south and wished to have an interview with the commissioners before departing. Mr. Yeon urged purchase of the property to save the beauty of the highway and prevent encroachments of commercialism.

CHAMBER HEARS SISSON NEW YORKER ADDRESSES LOCAL COMMERCIAL MEN. Work of National Industrial Conference Detailed at Meeting Here.

To a large crowd of business and professional men and a sprinkling of women, George W. Sisson Jr., president of the American Pulp & Paper company and a resident of New York city, detailed the progress of work undertaken by the national industrial conference board in its efforts to assist in arriving at just conclusions regarding present-day difficulties pertaining to the commercial world. He spoke at the members' forum of the Chamber of Commerce, presided over by Charles F. Berg.

The board aspires to be the research arm in the field of American industry, said Mr. Sisson. "It seeks to obtain from reliable sources absolute facts, tending to establish the why and wherefore of difficulties arising from time to time. It does not purpose to accept theoretical ideas from theorists, but to get the real facts, to learn what is the matter and then apply a remedy. The board is largely informative and we want you business men here today to know what it is doing and why."

Prior to Mr. Sisson's speech, Mrs. E. L. Thompson, president of the Portland Opera association, briefly outlined the purpose and work of that organization.

Several selections were rendered by members of the opera.

TEN YEARS GIVEN NEGRO SENTENCE IMPOSED FOR ASSAULT WITH DEADLY WEAPON. Henry Williams Sent to Penitentiary After Pleading Guilty to Shooting at Man.

For ten long years Henry Williams, negro, will be confined in the penitentiary for the crime of shooting at a man. Williams had purchased a soft drink from Mihaloff's fruit stand, 214 Commercial street, and failed to make a favorable impression on its proprietor, being invited to drop the place off his calling list thereafter. In the evening, it is alleged that Williams returned, walked up the steps of the building and fired a shot from a .32-caliber Colt, striking Simo on the collar and barely missing a man named Yost, who was also in the shop. It shattered a mirror in back of the two men. Williams then departed post haste with the Chamber of Commerce in pursuit. When ordered to stop, Perkins claimed Williams fired another shot and threw his gun at the policeman. He was finally caught when Officer Tulley shot at him as he was going over a fence.

The defendant offered numerous excuses yesterday after entering a plea of guilty to assault with deadly weapon. A jury had already been impaneled in his case. He said he was a sharpshooter when with the United States army on the Mexican border and maintained that he had only drawn the revolver to scare the proprietor of the fruit stand.

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HOOD RIVER MEN INJURED. HOOD RIVER, Or., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Frank Newell, son of Timothy

NEWELL, upper valley rancher, was brought to the Cottage hospital yesterday suffering from injuries received when a water wagon overturned on him. E. N. Griffith, apple buyer, sustained painful bruises when a motor truck turned over, catching him under boxes of apples.

chairman of the drive to succeed George E. Sanders of this city, who resigned the chairmanship because of other duties. Mr. Bodine served during the recent campaign as chairman of the Linn county republican central committee.

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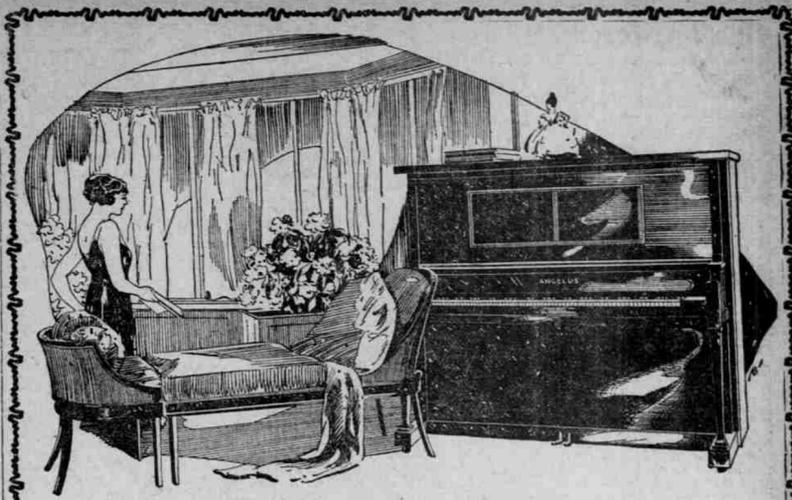
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