

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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THE BAKER THEATRE, Third and Yamhill streets—Matinee, 2:15; evening, 8:15. The Baker Theatre Company, in "Mistress Nell".

ARCADIA THEATRE, Seventh and Washington—Continues vaudeville, 2:30 to 10:30 P. M.

CORRY'S THEATRE, Washington street—Matinee, 2:15; evening, 8:15. "A Night in June."

FOR BENEFIT OF NORWEGIAN FIRE SCOUTS.—For the benefit of the fire scouts at Astoria, Norway, the Scandinavians of Portland will tonight give a grand entertainment in the Arion Hall, corner of Second and Oak streets.

GOVERNMENT MAKING THE MAP.—The United States Geological Survey is making a topographic map of the United States. This work has been in progress since 1882, and about one-fifth of the area of the country, including Alaska, has been mapped.

DEMAND FOR CORNER LOTS.—Several sales of corners were reported yesterday in different parts of the city. None of them was close to the center of town.

THE SPOT OF FAULT.—According to the two faulted sections of Marlow and Gault, which will be the subject of a course of six lectures given by Mrs. L. A. Altman at her residence, 86 Stark street, near Tenth, Tuesdays at 8 o'clock—February 23 and March 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29. Each course—adapted to young ladies—Wednesdays at 10:30—February 24 and March 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30. Course tickets, \$1.

THREE SITES FOR WOOLLEN MILLS.—Three sites are under consideration for the building of the Portland Woolen Mills, recently destroyed by fire. Whether or not Sellwood will again be the site of the mills the management declines to state, saying that while they offer advanced rates, no definite plans have yet been made for rebuilding.

LEVELLY SITE FOR A HOME.—No prettier spot on earth than one of the acre tracts at the end of the St. Johns car line. This property is beautifully situated and commands a fine view of the river and harbor. For prices and terms apply to the Title Guarantees and Trust Company, 6 and 7 Chamber of Commerce.

ANY HOUSE OPEN TODAY.—The rooms of the Art Association on the second floor of the Liberty building will be open today, Washington's Birthday, from 2 until half-past 6, with free admission. A collection of etchings by Whittier forms the present special exhibition.

MEMBERS O. H. BERNARD and F. M. BATHCHELOR have opened a general real estate and insurance office, under the firm name of Bathchelor & Bernard, at No. 75 First street, and will be pleased to serve any of their friends having business in these lines.

ACREAGE TRACTS AT ST. JOHNS.—Tracts of one acre and upward near the terminus of the St. Johns car line, and within a few minutes' walk of the mills and factories. Title Guarantees and Trust Company, 6 and 7 Chamber of Commerce.

GRAND BALL, ARION HALL, FEBRUARY 22, BY GRAY'S CAMP, M. W. A. EVERETT'S ORCHESTRA.

A RARE JEWEL, a diamond, one which for size, quality and brilliancy has never been seen in this city before, is drawing much attention in the window of Dan Marx's store, 74 Third street, where it is on display.

Y. M. C. A. STAR COFFEE.—Montaville Flowers, Impersonator and orator, a versatile artist of rare ability for literary interpretation to read "Ben Hur" Tuesday night at Y. M. C. A.

ARION CONCERT Tuesday, Feb. 23, 1904. Tickets for sale at R. Krump, 265 Alder street.

LEAF YAKS HALL to be given by the ladies of the Tuamoa Lodge, O. D. H. S. at Eagle Hall, February 21. Admission 25 cents a couple. Extra lady 25 cents.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.—One of those choice acre tracts of St. Johns. Title Guarantees and Trust Company, 6 and 7 Chamber of Commerce.

BENEFIT FOR WORTHY FAMILY.—The Ladies of the Maccabees, Hive 24, will give a dramatic and musical entertainment at Arion Hall on February 23, the proceeds to go to the relief of a needy family.

PATRIOTIC ENTERTAINMENT.—Taylor Street M. E. Church Monday evening, February 22. The Steel-Freeland illustrated moving picture concert, under auspices of the Epworth League.

LOCAL OPTION CAMPAIGN OPENS.—The campaign to be carried on by the Prohibition party for the local option law was opened last week by the Eugene Knox Company.

DR. J. H. TUTTLE is again on duty after an absence of two weeks at Santa Barbara, where Mrs. Tuttle and daughter Mattie have been spending the Winter.

ASA HOLMES RIBBECK, graduate dermatologist, scientific featural correctionist, beautifier and restorer of youthfulness.

SUNDAY CLUB AT THE Y. M. C. A.—A special programme has been arranged for the Sunday Club meeting at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon.

HOTEL VAN NOY, Third and Pine, will be opened about March 10 by Mrs. N. L. Slocum.

PORTLAND CUSTOM SHOE & REPAIR Company, guarantee satisfaction. Ladies' sewed soles, 10 cents; gent's, 75 cents and up.

COMMERCIAL Monday, February 22, the Scott Restaurant, corner Seventh and Ankeny, will make a specialty of serving an elegant merchants' lunch daily from 11:30 to 2:30 P. M.

EVANGELIST TO PREACH.—Evangelist Luther K. Robinson, of Somerset, Ky., will preach for the Volunteers of America today at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

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EXTENSION TABLES retail at wholesale prices this week at Calf Bros., 130 Sixth.

SOFTENED SUNLIGHT AND DEATH Barrett Applies Fine Art to the Crematory.

WHERE TO DINE. All the delicacies of the season at the Portland Restaurant; fine private apartments for parties, 305 Wash. near 5th.

Imperial Hotel Restaurant, 2d floor, six-course dinner, 50c; first-class service, a la carte, 6.30 A. M. to 2 P. M.

Perkins Restaurant will serve regular chicken dinner 50c from 12 M. to 4 P. M.

No runs across the continent offers so many attractions as does the Denver & Rio Grande. Write the Portland Agents, 124 Third street, for illustrated booklets.

THIS WEEK IT IS WATCHES

- Ladies' Gold Filled Watches, Elgin or Waltham \$15.00
Ladies' Solid Gold Watches, Elgin or Waltham \$20.00
Ladies' Silver Watches, Elgin or Waltham \$12.50
Gentlemen's Gold Filled Watches, Elgin or Waltham \$12.50
Gentlemen's Silver Watches, Elgin or Waltham \$10.00
Gentlemen's Nickel Watches, Elgin or Waltham \$7.50

AND THERE WILL BE THINGS DOING, for we are going to give some prices that you cannot afford to overlook. Every watch warranted to give satisfaction. Express prepaid on out-of-town orders.

JAEGER BROS. JEWELERS—OPTICIANS 290 Morrison St., near Fifth

Why Go Blind? If the Eyes are giving pain in reading or sewing and are not attended to soon, there is a chance of the eye going blind.

The Oregonian During the Civil War February 21, 1861.

The officers of the Maitland Agricultural Society for the present year are as follows: President, Thomas Fraser; first vice-president, John Powell;

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