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AMUSEMENTS.

BAKER THEATER (2d and Yamhill)—Belshazzar's Feast, matinee at 2:15 P. M.; tonight at 8:15. EMPIRE THEATER (2d and Morrison)—The Moonlighter's Daughter; matinee at 2:15 P. M.; tonight at 8:15 P. M. GRAND THEATER (Park and Washington)—Continous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M. LANTAGE'S THEATER (4th and Stark)—Continous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M. SEAN THEATER (Park and Washington)—Continous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30, 9 P. M.

SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS A MONTH. The Daily and Sunday Oregonian delivered by carrier to one address is 75 cents a month, delivered by carrier to separate addresses the price is 20 cents a week. Phone Main 7078.

DEATH OF REV. C. O. MILLER.—The funeral of Rev. C. O. Miller, a retired minister of the Christian Church, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his daughter, 746 Hawthorne avenue. Rev. Mr. Miller came to Oregon 12 years ago from Lincoln, Neb. He was a native of Illinois, and was 74 years old. Death came yesterday morning through a stroke of paralysis. He leaves a wife and the following children: Mrs. Emma McFarlane, Caleb O. Miller, Jr., and H. M. Miller, of Portland; Mrs. Maggie Dorby, of San Francisco; L. P. Miller, of Eugene; Robert T. Miller and Mrs. L. Jacobs, of Summit, Or.; Interment will be at Hillsboro.

FUNERAL OF MRS. EDWARD S. MCKEEN.—Funeral of Mrs. Edward S. McKeen, who died Friday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Walker, on the Columbia Street road, will take place from that place this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will be in Love Cemetery. Mrs. McKeen was 25 years old, was prominent in lodge circles, having been noble grand of Marrietta Rebekah Lodge No. 39, and also a member of Universal Hive No. 5, Maccabees. She leaves a husband and the following brothers and sisters: Charles Walker, Clarence Walker and Mrs. W. H. Vaughan, of Portland.

POWER-PLANT ELECTRIC MACHINERY.—Three carloads of machinery for the power plant under construction at Cazadero arrived the past week, and were sent out to the work. Machinery is coming constantly to this plant, and by July part of the dynamo will be in operation. OUR NEW SAMPLE-ROOM is now complete, with a full line of new designs of parquet and inlaid borders. We also carry in stock all kinds of hardwood flooring. A modern home is not complete without them. Call and judge for yourself at 187 1/2 Fourth street, Portland Hardwood Floor Company. Phone Pacific 40.

WILL TEST THE ORDINANCE.—H. Magoon, of St. Johns, has filed a petition for a license to sell liquor in that city under the provisions of the general liquor license ordinance which it is claimed the Council passed. This petition will form the basis of a test of the ordinance. The ordinance should be proved that the ordinance was really adopted. It will throw the bars down for other applications for licenses. The St. Johns Company secured its license through the contract it had with the City Council, and was not altogether based on the validity of the ordinance.

HAVE YOU TRIP TO KANSAS CITY OR OTHER MISSOURI-RIVER POINT IN VIEW? If so, try the New Northern Pacific-Burlington service. Pullman first-class and Pullman tourist sleeping cars and reclining chair-cars are now operated through without change between Portland and Kansas City. Direct connection at St. Joseph and Kansas City for all points east and southward. Call on or write D. Charlton, Asst. Gen'l Passenger Agent, N. P. Ry., 255 Morrison street, Portland, Or., for any desired information, tickets, etc.

GOVERNOR WILL SPEAK TO BOTE.—A big George Washington's birthday patriotic meeting is to be held in the Marquam Grand Theater this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Governor Chamberlain will deliver the address on the "Life of George Washington." Judge A. L. Frazer and other prominent men will participate. Master Paul Riggs, the boy soprano singing "My Own United States." The Trinity boy choir will sing, and the Y. M. C. A. orchestra will play patriotic airs.

EXTENDING WOODLAWN AVENUE.—Woodlawn avenue is to be extended from section 14, township 1 north, range 1 east, Willamette meridian, to the right of way of the Portland Railway Company. J. P. Mendicino, engineer in charge of the extension, are the viewers to assess the damages and benefits of this extension. Considerable property will have to be appropriated for this extension.

DO YOU KNOW THAT THE Northern Pacific run through standard sleeping-car, Pullman tourist sleeping-car and chair-car in connection with the Burlington line between Portland and Kansas City, without change of cars? Direct connection made at St. Joseph and Kansas City for all points east and southward.

IS BABLER IMPROVING.—S. Bahler, the pioneer business man, who was stricken with paralysis two weeks ago, is slightly better, but little hopes are entertained for his recovery. Mr. Bahler takes little liquid nourishment and is very weak, but some phases of his condition are hopeful.

NICE HOME.—Beautiful six-room house, Union avenue and Fargo street, on full lot, modern every way, richly tiled, full concrete basement, fireplace. Small payment down if desired. Inquire H. E. Stember, owner, one block south, at 423 Union avenue, north, today.

COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN.—The class for the study of the Jewish sects under the direction of Dr. S. S. Wise will meet Wednesday, February 21, at 2:30 P. M., at the Beth-El synagogue. The essay for the afternoon is the "Sadducees." All are welcome.

SPECIAL COURSE OF LECTURES ON Christian Science by Dr. Morrison, in Trinity Church on Sunday evening, February 19, 8 o'clock. Tonight's subject, "The Body a Fraud." Christian Scientists cordially invited.

DR. CHURTON'S FRENCH TOILET articles for sale, rooms 11 and 12, Grand Theater building. Tickets redeemed for the last time during coming week. Office hours 9:30 A. M. to 5 P. M. Evenings by appointment.

THE LADIES' AUXILIARY to the Letter Carriers' Association will hold a rummage sale at 25 1/2 st., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Donations thankfully received.

THE FAIR.—"Aunt Jerusha's Quilting Party," at Grace M. E. Church Wednesday evening, promises to be a successful affair. Musical club chorus, orchestra.

STRAWBERRY "ALLIANCE" sells from Couch-street dock for Cook Bay and the reka Wednesday, February 21, at 2 P. M. F. P. Baumgartner, agent, Main 861.

SUNDAY DINNER.—One course of turkey served with a French dinner, 50 cents. From 5 to 9 P. M. at Jubour Restaurant, 109 4th st., near Washington.

ELIGANT NEW appointed offices, modern conveniences; Grand Theater Bldg. 11th M. S. Rensler, Sherlock Bldg. FINE old New England dinner at White Temple, Twelfth and Taylor, Feb. 22, from 6 to 8 o'clock. Adults, 50c; children, 25c. NEWBORN SINGING SOCIETY will give a concert and ball Friday evening, Feb. 23, at the Grand Hotel, Second and Oak streets. SCHOOL BOOKS sold and exchanged at the Old Book Store, Yamhill st., bet. 1st and 2d.

TODAY, turkey dinner, 40 cents. The Rev. W. F. Moore has returned to his office, 208 Dekum Building.

MORE DIAMONDS. We have just received a nice assortment of diamonds, that we purchased at a low figure on account of taking the lot. We are going to give our customers the benefit of this deal and shall add only a small percentage to the very reasonable price we paid. If you have any idea of buying one, come and see us. A New Lot of Those 20th Century Cut Diamonds. We now have the largest line of these stones ever shown in Portland. They are of the genuine Wessington variety of the Diamond family, which is considered by experts to be exceedingly fine and to have a more percentage to the very reasonable price we paid. If you have any idea of buying one, come and see us.

JAEGER BROS. JEWELERS OPTICIANS. 200 MORRISON STREET NEAR FIFTH. It is reported that Charles K. Henry during the past few days has made a great many sales in real estate, including a block in the northern part of the city for \$100,000. The 2 1/2-acre tract of Charles Hegel, fronting on the railroad, to a manufacturing concern. A half-block in the northern part of the city for \$40,000. A quarter-block on the southwest corner of Eleventh and Burnside streets, to Mr. T. C. Elliot. Also a single corner lot in the northern part of the city for \$10,000. A quarter-block on McMillen street, to a party who will build there, as well as...

WILL INVESTIGATE GAS COMPANY. Tuesday the Portland Gas Company will be put on trial for its alleged dishonest transactions with its patrons, according to an announcement made by Chairman Amundson of the Council's committee on investigation. Great interest is being shown throughout the city in this important investigation. While the list of witnesses is not definitely known at this time, it is said by those who claim to know that there will be no dearth of evidence. Complaints have been made in large numbers against the company and it is stated that there are few patrons of the concern who have not felt cause for bitter complaint at one time or another.

WHERE TO DINE. All the delicacies of the season at the Portland Restaurant; fine private apartments for parties. Open all night, 205 Washington, near Fifth. The best six-course dinner, with wine, \$6.15 to \$7.15. At Scott Restaurant, 7th and Ankeny. Fine merchants' lunch, \$2. A chicken dinner will be served at the Perkins Restaurant today from 12 to 5 P. M. Price 35c. Louis E. Martinez, Mgr. The Empire, 132 Third street; chicken dinner, 30c; turkey, 50c; finest in city. Genuine French dinner, with wine, 50c, at 615 Fifth street, near Stark.

TEACHERS AND SCHOOLS. Any school or parish or club now has an opportunity to secure a beautiful piano, absolutely free, in the great \$25.00 piano word contest of Eilers Piano House. Lists can be submitted under school name if desired. Get your scholars to work immediately and secure a beautiful piano for your school-room. Full particulars at Eilers Piano House, 254 Washington street.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to express to our many friends and members of Multnomah Camp, No. 17, O. W. W., our sincere appreciation for the kindness and attention shown us in our sad affliction. MRS. L. T. DAILEY AND SONS. High-Grade Pianos for Rent. And sold on easy payments. Piano tuning and repairing. H. Sinsheimer, 12 Third st.

CARD OF THANKS. We desire to thank all of our friends who showed such sympathy and kindness during our late bereavement in the death of our beloved husband and father; also for the many beautiful floral tributes. MRS. H. K. BACKIE AND FAMILY. CARD OF THANKS. Mrs. Ann Sinnott and family desire sincerely to thank their many friends and relatives and the P. U. No. 31, and the American Typewriters' Company, who so sympathetically aided them in their recent bereavement. MRS. ANN SINNOTT.

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SUICIDE OF UNKNOWN MAN. Body Found Hanging by Neck to Rafter in Shack. A body of an unknown man about 25 or 28 years of age was found hanging by a rope to a rafter in an old shack two miles below Linnton by P. B. Noyes, proprietor of the Linnton Box Factory, and W. R. Stultz yesterday afternoon.

PIANOS Are You Thinking of Them? If so think of good pianos. Think of Soule Bros' Piano Co. and the many fine makes we carry, then come and see how little money is required to buy a splendid piano here. We buy everything direct from Eastern factories and we carry a complete line of pianos, piano players and players made inside of pianos. It will pay you to see them as they possess features of excellence not embodied in any other instruments. SOULE BROS. PIANO CO. 374 Morrison St., cor. W. Park.

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