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AMUSEMENTS.
THEATER (2nd and Yamhill)—
The New Century Girls, 7:15 and 8:15 P. M.
EMPIRE THEATER (12th and Morrison)—
A Thoroughbred Tramp, at 7:15 and 8:15 P. M.
GRAND THEATER (Park and Washington)—
Continous vaudeville, 7:30, 7:50 and 9 P. M.
PANTAGES THEATER (4th and Stark)—
Continous vaudeville, 7:30, 7:50 and 9 P. M.
FIAR THEATER (Park and Washington)—
Continous vaudeville, 7:30, 7:50, 9 P. M.

BAPTIST CLERGYMEN WHO WILL PREACH.
Prominent pastors from all points of the Pacific Coast, who have been attending the Pacific Coast Baptist Conference, and who will occupy Baptist pulpits throughout the city today are; First, the White Temple—Morning, Rev. J. H. Garnett, D. D. Santa Ana, Cal.; evening, Rev. Arthur E. Phelps, Los Angeles. Second, Morning, Rev. Albert Hatcher Smith, Pasadena, Cal.; evening, Rev. J. B. Travis, Grants Pass, Or. Central—Morning, Rev. Arthur E. Phelps, Los Angeles. Second, Morning, Rev. G. W. Griffin, Spokane, Wash.; evening, B. C. Miller, Brownsville, Or. Montevilla—Morning, Rev. W. M. Jennings, Garfield, Wash.; evening, Rev. C. H. G. Poole, Shosholish, Wash. University Park—Morning, Rev. B. C. Miller; evening, Rev. W. H. Ferguson, Dayton, Wash. St. Johns—Morning, Rev. T. J. Gillelte, Tacoma, Wash.; evening, Rev. Mark Noble, Corvallis, Or. Arletia—Morning, Rev. J. L. Whirly, Highland—Morning, Rev. J. P. Bailey, Grace Methodist Episcopal—Morning, Rev. J. Travis, First Christian—Morning, Rev. E. H. Hermonist, First United Presbyterian—Morning, Rev. LeRoy Dakin, Christian Alliance—Morning, Rev. J. H. Hamilton, Spokane, Wash. Y. M. C. A. Sunday Club—Rev. E. H. Hermonist and Rev. A. P. Brown. Mass meeting Sunday afternoon at the Williams Avenue School, Rev. J. H. Hatcher Smith and Rev. J. H. Garnett.

Y. M. C. A. MEETINGS.—A new plan will be inaugurated for the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building this afternoon. The general meeting will be shortened so as to adjourn at 4:15, beginning at 3 o'clock. E. R. Hermonist, the baseball evangelist, will speak at this meeting on "Watchman, What of the Night?" The association of the play and Miss Evelyn Hurley will be the soloist. At 4:15 o'clock two open parlaments will be held in different parts of the building. One will be under the leadership of Mr. A. M. Smith, and will discuss the question, "How Far Should the Church Participate in Politics?" The other group, led by Mr. W. M. Jennings, will discuss the first life problem topics, viz.: "The Choice and Preparation for a Life Work." The men's meeting on the East Side will be conducted at the same time as the one at the West Side meeting, beginning half an hour later, at 3:30 o'clock. The speaker will be Rev. J. B. Travis of Grants Pass. Special music will be furnished for the occasion and the large male chorus will sing. This meeting is held in Centenary Church and, like the other, is free and open to all.

TALKED TO PARENTS.—A large audience was present yesterday afternoon at the Williams Avenue School, the occasion being a "bird" entertainment and an address by City Superintendent Frank Higler. The program was as follows: "Partition to the Birds," Johanna McDonnell; composition, "The Bluejay," Lida Brown; song, "Like the Lark," Zeila Hollister; and Norma Johnson; bird quotations, four girls; "The Birds of Killingworth," seven girls; recitation, "An Order for a Picture," Edith Wedwick; song, "The Winter Lullaby," change; Zeila Hollister talked for half an hour, in which he undertook to show the relations of the parents to the public schools. He said, among other things, that he would send his child to a teacher with whom he was not acquainted, and undertook to show the advantage of parent and teacher being closely in touch.

MAYOR VETOES THREE MEASURES.—Mayor Lane yesterday vetoed three measures passed by the Council at its last session. He returned Preston's ordinance, relating to the imposition of \$500 quarterly license upon all local merchants handling trading stamps, without his approval, upon the ground that it was unconstitutional, and disapproved the ordinance relating to the creation of a bureau for the Municipal Court and the appropriation therefor for the reason that they conflicted with Civil Service provisions of the charter.

SCHOOL CONTRACT IS LET.—The Estacada School District has let the contract for the erection of a schoolhouse to Al Lindsay for \$185. Daniel Nussmaker had a bid for \$250. The building must be finished by September 1. It will contain four rooms, two of which are to remain unfinished until the district needs them. It will be a frame structure, with stone and concrete foundation.

TROLLEY TRIPS TODAY ON THE O. W. P. to Oregon City, Chinmah Park, Gresham, 25 cents; all points east of Gresham and including Estacada, 50 cents round trip. Car leaves First and Alder streets for Oregon City on the odd hour and every 40 minutes; for Estacada, 7:30, 8:30, 11:30 A. M., 1:30, 2:40, 5:45 P. M. Tickets on sale in waiting room.

WILL DISCUSS PRIMARY ELECTION RESULTS.—The meeting of the People's Forum will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the Selling-Hirsch building. The subject will be a general discussion of the results of the primaries. Everybody is cordially invited.

CHANGE IN SAILING DATE.—Alliance sails from Couch-street dock for Coos Bay and Eureka Monday night at 8. Freight received foot Davis street. Thompson's Ticket Agency, 128 Third street. P. P. Baumgartner, agent, foot of Couch street, Main 88.

TENANT WANTED.—Owner will build four-story brick on lot 50x100 on First street, between Stark and Washington streets, for desirable tenancy. For particulars inquire the Healy Investment Co., 210-214 Abington, 1064 Third street.

SAN FRANCISCO BENEFIT.—Excursion given under the auspices of the Uniform Rank, Knights of the Maccocks, to Albany and Corvallis, Sunday, May 6. The entire proceeds to be donated to San Francisco sufferers.

THIS WIFE REMOVED.—Not that now is the time to have your hair matted, renovated and returned the same day. Phone Main 616. The Portland Curled Hair Factory, H. Metzger, proprietor.

THE ANNUAL AUCTION.—SALE of unlimited personal property for O. R. & N. Co. takes place (tomorrow) Monday at 10 A. M. at 412 Washington street. S. L. N. Gilman, Auctioneer.

Eyes Tired From Reading Extras? This has certainly been a hard Week on the eyes, reading the many extras, and has proven to many people the need of glasses. IF YOUR EYES ARE STRONG reading should not hurt them at all. DOES THE SUN hurt your eyes and make them blink or water? This is always a sure sign of weakness and the need of glasses. YOUR EYES SHOULD BE PROPERLY TESTED by an expert optician, one who understands every part of the eye, and has the proper instruments to examine them. YOUR EYES EXAMINED FREE OF CHARGE by our optician, who is a member of the firm and a graduate optician from one of the finest Eastern colleges. We carry a complete stock of optical goods of all kinds and can fit you up with any kind of a glass you wish, and we do not ask fancy prices. Remember the Place. JAEGER BROS. Jewelers and Opticians 290 Morrison Street

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS.—Ordinance No. 86, passed at the last meeting of St. Johns Council, makes the Mayor, Chief of Police and Chief of the Fire Department a Board of Fire Commissioners. This board will have full control of the fire department and the management of public property belonging to the fire department, and shall also pass upon buildings to be erected within the fire limits. The board will also decide whether a wooden building inside the limits can be repaired. This Board of Fire Commissioners was also established in view of the enlargement of the fire department, including the purchase of a fire engine and the establishment of a regular department as soon as it can be done.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY.—The Portland Chapter of the Daughters of Confederacy will meet at the office of W. H. Hamilton, 430 Williams avenue, Thursday, April 26. As it is Decoration Day as observed in the South, there will be a memorial program. All Confederate veterans and Southern men were invited to this meeting. Women with Southern blood in their veins should attend. All will be given a most cordial reception. The meeting will be opened at 8 o'clock sharp. All are requested to be on time. Mrs. Elizabeth Craig, the president of the chapter, will read a paper on Jefferson Davis.

BOARD OF TRADE IS ORGANIZED.—Citizens of St. Johns met at the office of C. D. Rogers last evening and took steps to reorganize the St. Johns Board of Trade. W. H. King was elected temporary chairman and Harvey Briggs temporary secretary. W. H. King, J. H. Canright and Richard Shepard were appointed a committee on membership. All present were invited to cooperate with the committee in securing new members and interesting all citizens in the organization. W. W. Raser, J. E. Chipman and C. D. Rogers are the members of the committee to draft a constitution and by-laws.

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REV. ARTHUR S. PHELPS preaches at Central Baptist Church this morning, and Rev. J. H. Garnett in the evening.

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There seems to be a disposition among the leading insurance companies of the world to act honorably with policy-holders in the matter of loss sustained in connection with the San Francisco disaster. Last night Special Agent Banks, of the Hamburg-Bremer Insurance Company, received this dispatch from the New York office, which, it is asserted, reflects the sentiments of all the important companies.

New York, April 21.—J. H. Banks, Special Agent, Portland, Or.—All telegrams from San Francisco checkers, who have received no advice, neither has any other company here, therefore impossible to estimate extent of our loss, but have cashed advice from home office that all losses, no matter to what amount, will be promptly paid.

H. C. BUCHENBERGER, Manager United States Branch Hamburg-Bremer Fire Insurance Company. Henry Evans, president of the Continental Insurance Company, of New York, writing from Chicago to Rountree & Diamond, the Portland agents, says the loss to the company by the San Francisco fire cannot exceed \$2,000,000, and that the company is abundantly able to pay it. Vice-President George B. Kline, who was in Portland at the time of the disaster, returned to San Francisco Thursday night.

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POSTPONEMENT Graham String Quartet The recital to have been given on Tuesday evening, April 24th, has been postponed. Date Will Be Announced Later.

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