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AMUSEMENTS. THE HELIX THEATRE (14th and Washington)—Tonight at 8:15 o'clock, the Stewart Opera Company in "The Two Vagabonds"; matinee at 2:15, to-night at 8:15.

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PICKS STRAWBERRIES IN SEPTEMBER—Leon Sweet, of Mount Tabor, is now picking his second crop of strawberries. While the yield is not so large as that of the first crop, it represents almost as much in cash, as the patch he obtains is about five times as large as it was in the early summer. For the last week he has been picking on an average a crate a day of berries, or 42 boxes. He will be able to pick a crate a day for at least a week more. He sells them at 25 cents a box and the demand is far more than the supply. His patch covers 3/4 acre. Every year Mr. Sweet obtains a second crop from his patch, but usually the yield is insignificant and not large enough to warrant marketing. But this year the second crop is almost as important from a financial standpoint as the first.

CRUISE STRUCK BY WAGON—A. D. Sandy, 25 years old, was struck by a heavy truck driven by R. N. Riner at Sixth and Davis streets early last night while going toward the Union Depot on a bicycle. Sandy was stunned and thrown to the sidewalk, but sustained no serious injury. He was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital in the police patrol wagon.

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SCHOOLS OPEN TOMORROW

SAD DAY FOR THE SMALL BOY NEAR AT HAND. Superintendent Rigler Announces the Names of Teachers Selected to Fill Vacancies Since Regular Election.

At the meeting of the teachers who are to occupy positions in the Portland schools, held in the assembly-room of the High School yesterday afternoon, Superintendent Rigler announced the names of the pedagogues who have been selected to fill vacancies which have occurred through resignations filed since the regular election of teachers last June. Many applications were received for the positions and the board spent some time in making its selections, which were concluded yesterday, and the new teachers will report at the opening of school tomorrow.

The directors have selected H. C. Egan to fill a position on the teaching staff of the High School, made vacant through the resignation of W. O. Monahan. H. Page, another High School instructor, has also resigned and his place will be taken by S. W. Scott. The remainder of the High School corps of teachers will be the same as announced at the close of the last school year. Vacancies in the grammar schools have been filled as follows:

Beattie Dupe, Pernwood school; Annie Frazer, Marquam school; Pauline Rossier, Chapman school; Frankie Ingalls, Hawthorne school; Pearl Montgomery, Shaver school; Mabel Strand, Shattuck school; Luella Mayhew, Stephens school; Anna Chalmers, Woodlawn school; Anna Cassebeer, Felling school; Mary McMahon, Thompson school; Estella Robbins, Sellwood school; Beatrice Harrison, Brookline school; Irene Higgins, Arletta school.

Superintendent Rigler is of the opinion that all pupils can be accommodated by the arrangements which have already been made. However, it is impossible to make any exact estimate as to attendance until tomorrow morning, when the work of the year will commence. It will probably be necessary to procure several additional rooms to accommodate the overflow of pupils. It is believed that by shifting pupils from some of the overcrowded districts to buildings in other sections, the demand for rooms can just about be met.

All high school pupils are requested to report tomorrow morning at the West Side High School. When all have been brought together, steps will be taken to form the East Side High School organization. Certain rooms in the Hawthorne, Atkinson, Ladd and North Central schools will be used by the students of the East Side High School until the building is completed. If the present arrangement is carried out, all high school students on the East Side north of Hancock street will be assigned to the present building.

First and second year pupils residing south of Hancock street will be under the instruction of the new organization. Choir of Taylor-Street Church. W. H. Boyer today begins service as leader of the choir at Taylor-Street.

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