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AMUSEMENTS

BASEBALL—(Recreation Park, Twenty-fourth and Vancouver) 3:30—Portland vs. Los Angeles, 2:30 P. M. HELLIG THEATER (Fourth and Washington) 8:15—Concert by Spitzer Philharmonic Society.

STAR THEATER (Park and Washington) 8:15—The Armstrong Musical Comedy Company in "The Merry Widow" tonight at 8:15 and 9:15. Matinee every day 2:30 P. M. LYRIC THEATER (Seventh and Alder) 8:15—The Allen Stock Company in "The Lady From Laramie" tonight at 8:15. Matinee Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday at 2:15.

MARQUAM GRAND—(Morrison, between Sixth and Seventh) 7:30 and 9 P. M. GRAND THEATER—(Washington, between Park and Seventh) vaudeville 8:15, 7:30 and 9 P. M.

RIPE STRAWBERRIES IN MID-MAY.—There were received in Portland yesterday by an old resident, two boxes of perfectly ripe strawberries, grown at Two Rivers, Walla Walla County, Washington. This new town is near the junction of the Snake and the Columbia rivers, a few miles south of Pasco. The berries were grown on a plateau, irrigated by an immense pumping plant on the north bank of the Snake. These berries are believed to have established a new record for the inland empire in a season not conducive to early vegetation. They show also the exceptional value of sage brush land, formerly regarded as worthless, when you get water on it.

ACCUSED EXPRESSMAN OF THEFT.—W. A. Cecil, an expressman, was arrested yesterday morning on complaint of D. Becker, an employe of Mason, Ehrman & Co., who charges the prisoner with having stolen five sacks of sugar from the wholesale grocery concern at Fifth and Everett streets. Detectives Price and Coleman made the arrest, and took Cecil to jail. Cecil is charged with having stolen five sacks of sugar by a grocer and believing the sacks on the sidewalk were the ones wanted, loaded them into his truck and drove off. Cecil was later released on furnishing \$300 bail.

LECTURE ON "PLAYGROUNDS"—Lee F. Hamner, field secretary of the Playground Association of America, will lecture on "The Importance of Providing Playgrounds for Children in Growing Cities," at the Unitarian Chapel, corner Seventh and Yamhill streets, at 8 o'clock Monday, May 18, at 8 o'clock. Admission free and the public invited. President Roosevelt is honorary president of this association, and Dr. Luther Gulick, of New York City, president. Mr. Hamner's lecture will be illustrated with the magic lantern.

SWINGERS DESEIVE PUBLIC.—Two men, who represent themselves as solicitors of the Oregon School of Art, have been swindling the public. The men make a house-to-house canvass and obtain photographs and money promising to return the large oil paintings. This is the last ever heard of them. Miss Florence Chase, carrier of the Oregon School of Art, desires to call attention to the fact that she has sent out no such solicitors and that their canvass is wholly fraudulent.

SPECIAL COUNCIL SESSION.—Mayor Lane has issued a call for a special meeting of the City Council, to be held at 8 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The meeting is for the purpose of considering an application from the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company for a permit to lay a loop track around the site of the coming livestock show. The company agrees to remove the tracks the day after the closing of the exhibition.

DEATH OF CLARA I. STEWART.—Clara I. Stewart formerly of this city died at her home near Aurora, Saturday, May 9, of peritonitis and pneumonia. She had been confined to her bed for nearly a month. Her husband, mother and two sisters survive her. She was 55 years, 3 months and 2 days old, she had been a member of the Methodist Church since her girlhood. Interment took place Monday, at Turner, Or.

SACRED CONCERT TONIGHT.—In place of the regular evening service in Taylor Street Methodist Church, there will be a sacred concert tonight given by a chorus of 40 voices under the direction of Professor W. H. Brewer. A program consisting of solos and part songs will be rendered. At the service this morning the pastor Dr. Benjamin Young will speak on "Victory and Victory."

SPECIAL DECK SALE.—You can save from \$5 to \$25 by visiting Gill's newly equipped office furniture department this week. The big reductions are being made to acquaint the people of Portland with this department, situated on the second floor of our building. It is well worth your while to come and see. Gill's, Third and Alder streets.

EPWORTH LEAGUE ANNIVERSARY.—The 14th anniversary of the establishment of the Epworth League will be commemorated tonight in Grace Methodist Church. A special musical programme will be rendered. Papers will be read by Mrs. J. R. Candlish and Walter Gill giving a brief history of the league. Mrs. W. H. Heppa will preside.

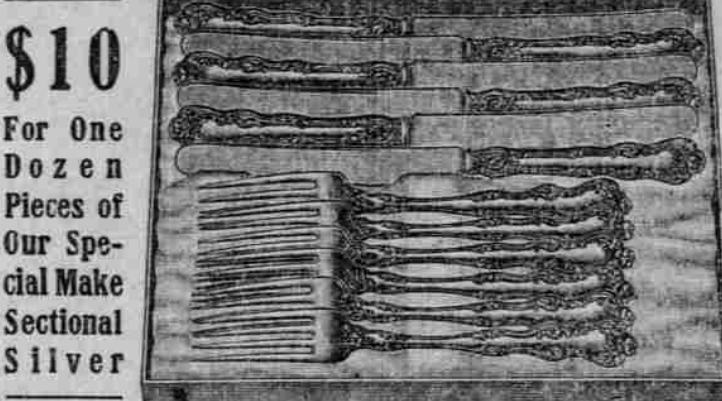
VICTORIA DAY CELEBRATION.—Combined British Societies. Armory Hall, Tenth and Couch streets. Monday evening, May 18, 8 o'clock. Musical numbers under direction of Mrs. Walter Reed. Admission 25 cents. Refreshments served.

COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN.—There will be a meeting of the study class, May 20, at 2:30 P. M. in the vestry room of Temple Beth Israel. The Canonical Books and the Apocrypha, is the subject on which Rabbi Jonah B. Wise will talk.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF THE ENTIRE JEWELRY STOCK OF THE A. N. WRIGHT estate, commencing Tuesday next at 2:30 P. M. and continuing each afternoon and evening until this fine stock is disposed of.

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MAYOR MAY SHUT SALOONS

Court Likely to Order Writ of Mandamus in "Kenna Case." CHICAGO, May 16.—The Appellate Court for this district will decide on Monday what is known as the "Kenna case," whereby it is sought to close the saloons of Chicago on Sundays. In this case, so called because the saloon of Alderman Michael Kenna is named as the basis for the petition, the court is asked to issue a writ of mandamus ordering the Mayor to close all saloons in Chicago on Sundays. A writ such a writ to issue, there would be nothing for the Mayor to do but obey it. He might refuse; but if he did he would promptly and himself in jail for contempt of court, and no Mayor would care to do this, at least Mayor Busse says he would obey the court.

BANK CLEARINGS FOR WEEK.—Bank clearings of the associated Portland banks for the week ending yesterday totaled \$3,964,732.1. The figures for the corresponding week of last year were \$3,966,658.72, while for the corresponding day of last year the total was \$3,955,529. While the balance is against Portland for the past week, it should be remembered that last year at this time the wave of prosperity was at its crest, whereas time will be required to recover from the effects of the financial stringency of last Fall. Portland bankers are optimistic and believe that things are adjusting themselves and that within a short time the comparison with last year will be favorable.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HAWLEY.—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Hawley, who died Saturday, May 9, was held Tuesday morning, from the Millard Avenue Presbyterian Church, Mount Scott, and was attended by a large number of the friends. The services were under the direction of Rev. A. D. Soper, pastor. Music was furnished by Misses and the choir of the church. The interment was in Greenwood Cemetery. Mrs. Hawley was the wife of R. H. Hawley, of the Fisher Thorne Company and daughter of E. White. Mrs. Hawley's mother, Mrs. Sarah White, died suddenly only a few months ago.

OSCAR EATON, Chaplain. EUGENE, Or., May 16.—(Special.)—The oldest active member of the Oregon State Grange is Oscar Eaton, chaplain of the State Grange, which completed its annual session here yesterday. Father Eaton, as he is known to hundreds of Grangers in the state, is 88 years old, yet he is very active in mind and body. He has been chaplain of the State Grange for years and was re-elected at the annual election Wednesday. He is also chaplain of Oswego Grange and of his own, Pomona Grange. He has been very regular in attending at the meetings here and never needs any one to help him about. Of all the officers of the Oregon State Grange, Father Eaton is the only one who has a life-long tenure of the office. No one ever thinks of having any one else for chaplain of the Grange.

ATTENTION is called to the jewelry sale of the A. N. Wright estate. The entire stock of diamonds, watches, clocks, jewelry, cutglass and silverware to be closed out at public auction. There is a rare chance to get high grade goods at your own prices.

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