

PLAY FESTIVAL'S SET FOR TUESDAY

Children Will Give Exhibition Dances and Drills on Peninsula Grounds.

HUNDREDS WILL TAKE PART

Juveniles Will Go Through Maneuvers Under Direction of A. M. Grilley and Corps of Assistants. Games Begin at 2 o'clock.

Portland will bow to its children on Tuesday. At that time the first annual Play Festival will be held at the playgrounds of Peninsula. There will be juvenile games of all kinds, dances, athletic contests and a picnic. The exhibition of dances and games which have been taught the children the past season by A. M. Grilley and corps of assistants promises to be of especial interest.

Hundreds of boys and girls will participate in the day's exhibition, the first of which will begin at 2 o'clock. The work will come as a grand finale of the most successful playground season ever experienced in Portland.

For weeks, Mr. Grilley and his assistants have been at work teaching the children the games and old folk dances which will be introduced in Portland for the first time on Tuesday afternoon. In the athletic contests the winning youngsters will be presented with prize ribbons.

There will be an exhibition of needle and raffia work done by the children of the different playgrounds of the city. Many of the little girls are adept with the needle and have made all the clothes for their dolls. Their handiwork will be shown to the public on Tuesday at Peninsula. Exhibitions of hammocks and other articles of straw have been made by the little tots, many of whom are not yet in their teens.

Various Nations Represented.

In the dances and games will be representatives of every nation. There is as much rivalry between the children in Tuesday's exhibitions as there is between boys and girls of high schools and colleges. Each of the playgrounds in the city has had its own instructors all summer and each has tried to obtain the best standard of excellence.

This will be the first time that the public has been given an opportunity to see at first hand the children doing some of the every day maneuvers which characterize life on the playgrounds. That the playgrounds are a good investment is testified to by the robust and healthy children that romp on the grounds every day. The establishment of the grounds some years ago served to take the children off the streets and to put them in a central place where a supervisor has an eye on them. Fewer accidents to children on the streets have been recorded since the advent of the playgrounds in Portland.

The Portland playground committee is composed of Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, chairman; Mrs. W. B. Ayer, Miss Mary F. Felling, Mrs. Charles E. Ladd, and Miss Cornelia Pritchard. Mrs. Corbett will award the ribbons to the children after their games and contests.

Hall Game to Open Contest.

The extensive programme on Tuesday will open at 2 o'clock with a game of playground baseball. Between teams of the old folk dance by the little girls from the five playground districts. The barn dance will be the first dance and will be participated in by all the girls. Next in order will come a Norwegian dance by City Park division. The North Park division will be next on the platform with a Scottish dance. Children from the Rosewood Park will contribute the game "top goes the wheel." Peninsula will come next with Leddis, a surprise. After this the North Park division will give a dance. This time the English Greeting dance will be seen.

Following this will come the grand finale by all the children. They will give a Swedish klap dance and a Cornish May dance. In practice the children have gone through these dances and evolutions in perfect unison, making an inspiring picture.

Athletic contests will begin at 2:30 for both the boys and girls. The contests for the little maidens will consist of a 50-yard dash, three-legged race, obstacle race and 220 relay race. In the relay race 4 girls will compose one team.

For boys Mr. Grilley has arranged for 20 and 100-yard dashes, the high jump, pole vault and 440-yard relay race.

At 4:30 the game will commence. This part of the afternoon's entertainment consists of baseball and soccer games for boys and playground baseball, three deep, oyster shell and singing games for girls. These games will end the programme for the day.

All Portland is Invited.

An invitation is extended to all Portland citizens to go to Peninsula Tuesday afternoon to see the first Play Festival. Ideal picnic grounds are located at Peninsula.

In the splendid work on the playgrounds this season Mr. Grilley has had as his assistants Miss Neve Patterson, at the City Park, Miss Margaret Bradshaw and G. S. Woodard at North Park, Nina B. Johnson and Edwin F. McKee at Rosewood, Miss Doris Clapp at Columbia Park and H. T. Smith at Peninsula. Floyd Lighty is swimming instructor at the Sellwood tank. With the closing of Tuesday afternoon's programme will end the playground work for 1910. Work in this line is expected to be extended twofold in 1911.

DISPLAY SPACE PROVIDED

Officers of Rogue River Fair Procure Additional Rooms.

GRANTS PASS, Or., Aug. 26.—(Special).—The officers of the Rogue River Industrial Fair, which opens October 5, will have ample room this year for all the exhibits.

The executive committee has rented two large brick buildings, and one concrete building with considerable floor space. One of these buildings will be used exclusively for ladies' needlework and fancy work exhibits. The others will be devoted to general exhibits. In addition to this amount of floor space, the secretary has ordered from firms in Portland several large tents, that will be used for poultry, hogs, horses, sheep and goats, and other livestock. The sum of \$17,000 will be distributed

ed in premiums. The Council has granted many favorable concessions to the fair committee. All exhibits and displays will be made in rooms along the paved streets, provided with cluster lights.

Each town of the Valley will have a day and special excursion of will be started from all points along the Southern Pacific and the Grants Pass & Western roads.

BANK CLEARINGS JUMPING

Increase of 30 Per Cent Noted in Portland's Financial World.

Portland bank clearings in the past week showed an increase over the corresponding week of 1909 of about \$1,500,000 or approximately 30 per cent. The total of approximately 20 per cent.

CLERGYMAN WILL TEACH LANGUAGES AT YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.



Dr. John Marshall.

Dr. John Marshall, an ordained clergyman, has been chosen by the directors of the Portland Young Men's Christian Association to have charge of the department of languages in the association school this Fall and Winter. Dr. Marshall is a Portland man and a native of Germany. He is a graduate of Vienna University and took a post-graduate course at the University of Bonn. He speaks fluently in German, French, Italian and English and can also converse in Latin.

15 ARE INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

Richardson and Lambert Are Charged With First Degree Murder.

5 OF INDICTMENTS SECRET

PRISONERS TO GAIN PAROLE

Many in Federal Penitentiary to Be Freed Under New Law.

No Action Can Be Taken Against Promoters of Hillman Townsite. Rosenberg Case Goes Over. Eleven Not True Bills.

Held to answer to charges of murder in the first degree, Harvey Lambert and Auril M. Richardson were among 15 persons indicted yesterday by the Multnomah County grand jury. Of the indictments returned, five were not made public. Eleven not true bills were also returned by the grand jury.

Richardson is charged with killing Jesse C. Hale on August 15. The tragedy, grew out of domestic troubles between the Richardsons, for which the husband declares Hale was responsible. Richardson went to the fire boat house on the morning of August 15 and shot and instantly killed Hale.

The murder with which Lambert is formally charged by the grand jury was committed July 2 in Woodlawn, when he shot his wife, Margaret Grace Lambert. Three shots were fired into the woman's body, resulting in her death a few hours afterward. Lambert turned the revolver upon himself and fired a bullet over his heart. At the time of the tragedy, it was believed that Mrs. Lambert would live and he would die. But Lambert has been improving in condition until the last few days when he is reported to be failing rapidly. His present condition is considered serious.

No action was taken by the jury upon the case of Dr. C. C. Rosenberg, who was connected with the mysterious death of Vera Hank an Oregon City girl, several weeks ago. It was intended to present a charge of negligence against the physician, but this was delayed on account of the illness of the mother of the dead girl, who is considered a material witness. The case will be taken up later.

Absence of any written "token" as required by the statutes of this state, is held to be fatal to the prosecution of the case against the promoters of the Hillman townsite, accused by numerous disinterested purchasers of securing money by false pretenses, and District Attorney Cameron advised the jury that a charge against them could not be established. The District Attorney is in possession of many complaints against the Hillman promoters, but in none is the "token" in evidence. Cameron said that he had information that the Federal authorities had taken up the matter, however.

Ten true bills were made public as follows: State against E. R. Robinson, forging name of R. W. Foster on check of \$35 on the First National Bank of Portland.

State against S. W. Howard forging name of A. C. Mann on \$200 check on Bank of California.

State against Ray Nelson, robbing Leslie S. Roe of \$7 on August 12.

State against Nick Lenhold, forging name of E. Bergstrom on check of \$5 in favor of James Goodland.

State against William Bell, alias Frank Monroe, forging check of \$14.25 on the First National Bank. The first name of Wright & Baldwin was used as the payee.

State against William Gray, alias James Gordon, forging name of J. J. Gray on check of \$100 on First National Bank.

State against Joe Sanchez, larceny valued at \$90, property of Mamie Delahanty.

State against Reuben Miller, larceny of automobile from garage of Northwest Buick agency, July 6, valued at \$125.

State against Auril M. Richardson, murder in first degree for killing Jesse C. Hale with revolver August 15.

State against Harvey Lambert, murder in first degree for killing Margaret Grace Lambert, July 2.

Eleven not true bills were returned as follows: State against Walter McCrum, contributing to delinquency of minor, Ruth Bergen. Also not true bill returned against McCrum, charged with same offense upon Irene Barnes.

State against Jack Forrester, contributing to delinquency of a minor, Irene Barnes.

State against Fred Starbuck, John Doyle and William Farrington, assault with deadly weapon upon Charles Dale July 11.

State against Philip Jacob, obtaining goods by false pretenses.

State against Sourin Sulgh, assault with deadly weapon upon Johanna Vanderkerst, July 7.

State against H. C. Cratsenberg, obtaining money from H. W. Smith by falsely pretending he had established business and was owner of office furniture and that said business was paying \$250 monthly.

State against W. B. Maybee, adultery.

State against Mike Rovovich, assault with knife upon Joe Stenich, July 4.

State against Claude W. Garletz, larceny by bailee of diamond ring from Ida Fisher.

State against George Parlock and Stance Parlovich, larceny of \$50 from Mike Parlock, August 12.



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Financier to Be Prosecuted on Embezzlement Charge.

SALARY IS WRONGLY PAID

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looking man of finance, promoter and soldier of fortune, on many occasions, held to the grand jury by Justice Bell yesterday to answer for an alleged embezzlement of \$1500 of the funds of the North Pacific Trust Company. The complaint was made by C. D. Hulbert, secretary, and M. M. Urdahl, vice-president of the company, two real estate dealers.

It is alleged by the prosecution that these three organized the company, to handle many large projects, including an irrigation scheme and the building of a theater on the East Side. They were commissioned to sell for Frank Banker & Co. of land adjoining the Penitentiary at Salem. Pearson reported that he had arranged a sale of the land to the state, but that it would be necessary to have a deed in the name of the trust company, as the state would not deal with an agent. Yanike made such a deed.

New Mortgage Made.

Mortgages were pressing on the property, and the promoters borrowed from Balfour, Guthrie & Co., \$15,000 to pay them off. After a partial settlement of the mortgages, a balance of \$285 was left on the books. It is charged that Pearson caused this to be entered to the credit of the company as commissions earned. The state contends that the company could not earn a commission by paying off one mortgage on its own property with another.

At the instigation of Pearson, it is alleged, a resolution was written in the minutes of the company, directing the payment of \$1500 to Pearson, being salary for six months at \$250 a month, and \$250 to Hulbert, salary as secretary. Hulbert later became convinced that he was not entitled to this money and proposed to Pearson that they should return it to the treasury. When Pearson refused, the charge of embezzlement was filed.

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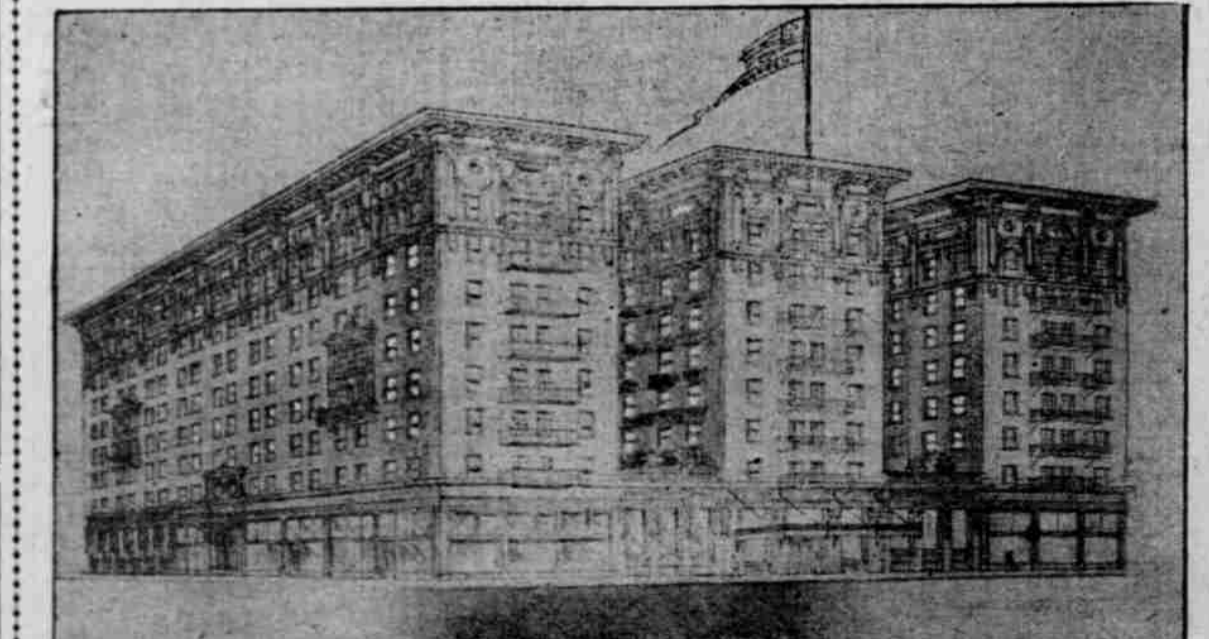
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IMMENSE HOTEL TO BE VIRTUALLY NINE-STORY STRUCTURE, INSTEAD OF SIX.



REVISED PERSPECTIVE OF THOMPSON HOTEL. —Gibson and Cahill, Architects.

It has been definitely decided that the Thompson Hotel, which will cover the block bounded by Third, Fourth, Pine and Ash streets, will be eight stories high instead of six, as was planned at first. In reality nine stories will be the height of the building, for a large loft floor at the top will be placed much of the machinery that otherwise would go to the basement. Quarters for the help will also be here. This will give a large basement floor for rent. Altogether the hotel as planned now will have more than 200,000 square feet of floor space. The exterior of the building has been greatly altered with the change in plans of the builders, the Thompson estate, Gibson & Cahill, the architects, have done away with the mansard roof originally designed and have substituted one with a heavy cornice, made more ornate in some places. The appearance of the first floor will depend largely on the tenants. Much of it has been rented, says C. K. Henry, who is putting up the building for the Thompsons.

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