

EIGHT PERSONS IN CITY NOW MISSING

Disappearance of Man Who Threatened Suicide Latest Case Reported.

WIFE CARRIES ON SEARCH

John Johnson, 7 Years Old, Found, but No Clew Is Discovered to Whereabouts of Superintendent of Ford Factory.

MISSING PORTLAND RESIDENTS. Thomas F. Bradshaw, superintendent of the Ford Automobile Company's factory here, missing since Tuesday. Paul play is suspected.

DE WOLF HOPPER STAR IN COMEDY SINCE 1890

Actor's History Includes Records of Long List of Productions, Starting With "Castles in the Air," Presented First in New York.



DE WOLF HOPPER.

DE WOLF HOPPER, who will come to the Heilze Theater, week of October 11, with a revival of the Gilbert & Sullivan light opera, made his debut as a star at the Broadway Theater, New York, May 5, 1890, in "Castles in the Air," the year following bringing out "Wang," which lasted two seasons.

the Comedy Theater in "The Mystical Miss" (the British title for "The Charlatan"). He returned to America in 1900 and for two years was a leading member of Weber & Fields' forces, appearing in the burlesque of "Fiddle-Dee-Dee" and "Hoity-Toity."

BOOTHS TO BE BUILT

Permanent Structure for Public Market Planned.

WORK TO START AT ONCE

Success of Institution Established and It Has Its Second Best Day Despite Rain, Receipts Being About \$6000.

Portland's public market had its last Saturday as a temporary institution yesterday. Unless weather conditions are too bad, work will be started this week on the tearing out of the temporary wooden booths and the erection of permanent booths with wide umbrellas shed coverings, rain awnings covering the sidewalks and folding display tables of the latest type.

SCHOOL UNION IS PLANNED

Proposal Up to Unite 8 Districts With Building at Gresham.

The Gresham Board of Education has started a movement for a union normal and agricultural high school at Gresham to include eight school districts—Gresham, Powell Valley, Beaver, Rockwood, Pleasant, Pleasant Valley and Hillsview. It is planned to consolidate all these districts for high school purposes only, the high school building to be located at Gresham.

APPEAL FOR GIRL ISSUED

Passage to New York Wanted so Tot May Reach Relatives. Mary is three years old. Her father has recently sustained an operation and is weak and ill. His plucky little wife has made a hard fight to keep the wolf from the door, but, in spite of her best efforts, things have gone hard with the family, though they have borne their privations without complaint.

PORTLAND GIRLS RISE RAPIDLY IN THEATRICAL PROFESSION.



Florence Hart Fay Bainter. Two Portland girls who are making rapid strides in their chosen profession are Florence Hart and Fay Bainter.

HERMISTON DRAWS ON WATER SUPPLY.

HERMISTON, Or., Sept. 26.—(Special.)—At the close of the irrigation season the Cold Springs reservoir remains with one-third of the 1914 water supply on hand for next year.

CITIES ARE COMPARED.

"A Careless City—Portland" was the heading of one placard which drew the difference between this city and "A Careful City—Hanover, Germany."

CITY'S BALANCE \$1,514,107

There is a total of \$1,514,107.39 on hand in the various city standing funds according to the semi-monthly financial statement issued yesterday by City Treasurer Adams. The statement is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Total: \$1,514,107.39

GAZETTES PLANS AD

Enthusiastic "Safety First" Meeting Is Held.

AID OF EVERYONE ASKED

Mayor Would Make Portland Second to None in Avoidance of Accidents—Commission Dines at Commercial Club.

To make Portland second to no city in the United States in provisions for public safety is the aim of members of the new commission appointed by Mayor Albee as expressed at the luncheon tendered them yesterday noon at the Commercial Club. Fully 350 persons attended the "safety first" meeting.

Need of Co-operation Asserted.

"I am here today to assure you that the city will co-operate in the 'safety first' movement," he said, "but our efforts can be successful only if we work together. No one can refuse to lend his approval to this movement, but that is as far as many of us get. It is very easy to say, after an accident, that the other fellow is to blame. Every day we see men risk their lives, limbs and property trying to save 30 seconds on the bridges across the river."

Chapter Plan Suggested.

A suggestion that Portland organize a chapter one of public safety, that Oregon City organize chapter two, etc., that the movement might spread to the state, was made by E. T. McBain, and met with favor.

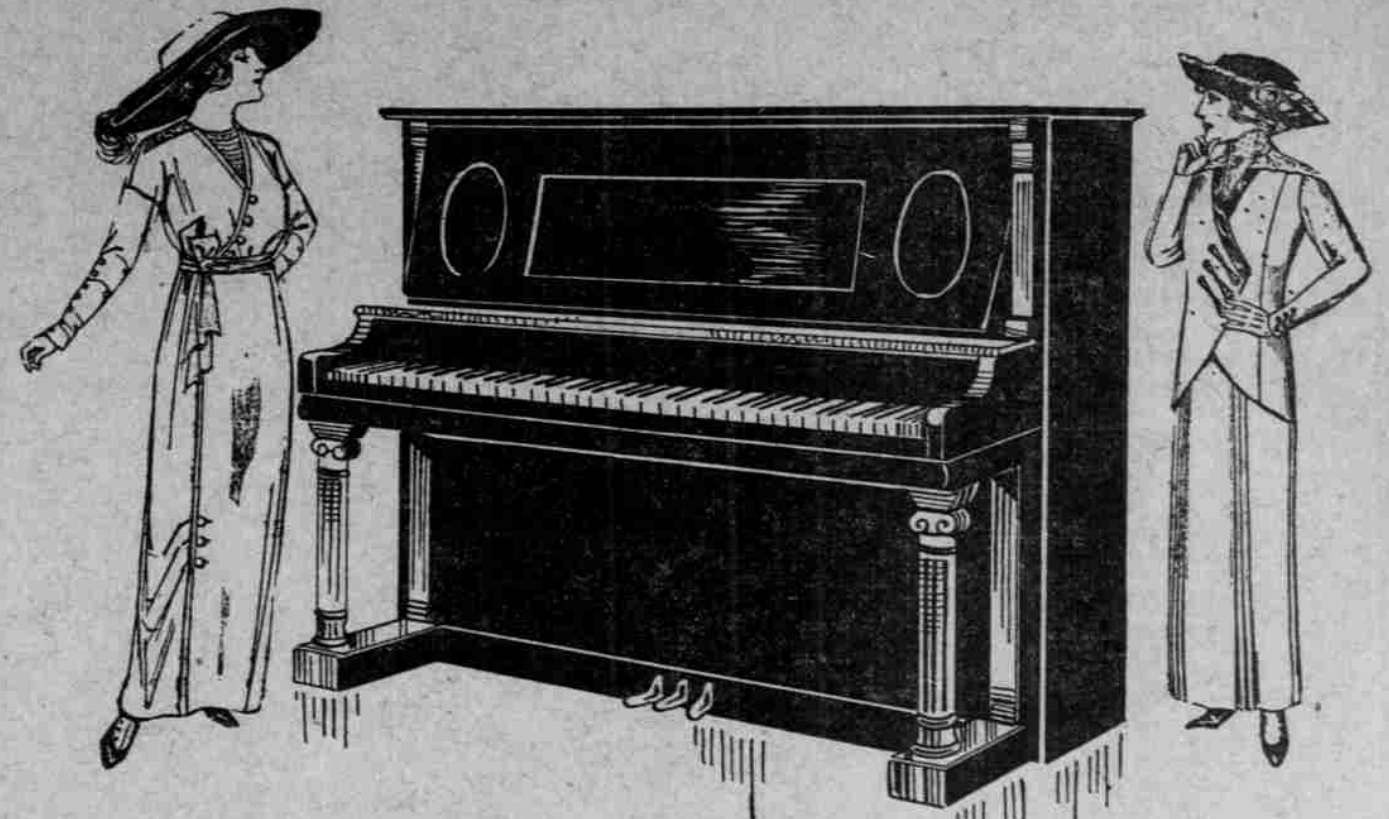
Mayor Albee formally appointed Fire Chief Dowell on the Public Safety Commission to collaborate with A. M. Churchill, chairman of the Fire Prevention Bureau. Chief of Police Clark already is on the Commission as chairman of the Bureau of Public Safety.

The Commercial Club dining-room was decorated with placards boasting the "safety-first" propaganda. Placards of traffic necessities to prevent accident, fire prevention rules and similar displays caught the eye of the crowd. An exhibit of piles of rubbish which need only a spark to ignite them and start a conflagration, and other fire risks, "safety first" blotters were distributed as mementos of the occasion.

A Bed Bug Cure. Ask for Insecticide.

Plummer Drug Co., 3d and Madison—Adv.

Only \$97.20 for This New \$250 Piano



Soule Bros. Failed

Stock to be Sold Under Authority of the Court

Don't imagine that Soule Bros. ran a junk shop.

They may not have been the best piano merchants in the world, but they were practical men and carried fine pianos.

This house is still chockful of the very finest kinds of pianos; Baby Grands, Uprights and Player Pianos, too. Not ordinary, shoddy, snide cheap John truck, but high-class, valuable, much-to-be-desired and musically appreciated instruments, fit to grace the proudest mansion or the musician's music room.

Now, I want buyers for these fine pianos, and have got to have them quick. The creditors had to have a pile of money yesterday, and I have raked it all together; but there is still more money to be raised. I don't care for profits nor did anybody else connected with this deal. I must get rid of the goods, and all expenses must be stopped.

Then there are a lot of other pianos that I had to take in a wholesale way from various sources. These must also be sold. There is, if anything, a bigger sacrifice involved in the sale of these instruments than there is in any of the others. If you want to in-

vest \$95 for a new piano, I will give you a good one; but if you think well enough of your home to realize that it should be equipped with something in the way of a piano that you would usually pay \$600 or \$700 for, you can get it here now for \$237 to \$353. But you can't expect to do it after I'm through here. Do it now.

Nor do I care for all the money. If the purchaser is not prepared to pay it all at the time selection is made, why, I'll give four years' time on many of these instruments, although I would like to get the money back in less time, say in three, or perhaps two years' time. This means business.

Player Pianos \$188

Some of These Player Pianos Are \$850 Original Values

Some of the Pianos in This Sale:

- Chickering Knabe Behning Wegman Lester Steinway Steck Weber Emerson Schumann

- Weber Pianolas Steck Pianolas Vose & Sons Briggs Estey Ludwig Hobart M. Cable Hallet & Davis

Many a pianoless home is now being made happy for only \$97.20 with pianos that are really \$250 to \$300 value, and at only \$118 for instruments worth \$350 and more. A large number of \$450 pianos are also being sold for in the neighborhood of \$266, some for less, and a few for a little more.

Player pianos at prices less than the same quality uprights. For only \$266, you even as low as \$188, you can buy the \$700 and even \$850 player pianos, guaranteed for ten years; for \$337 the very latest 88-note \$850 player pianos, guaranteed ten years, and for only \$688 the \$1000 values.

Grand pianos now for less than the same quality uprights would cost at any other time: \$700 values now \$337, \$800 values now \$446 and \$950 values now \$518. All old reliable established makes. Also many other pianos not listed above, and I want to say to you right now that you can secure almost any make of piano you desire. But to appreciate the true value of these greatest bargains ever offered, you must see them. Electric pianos of the highest quality, instruments that have been in operation around and in Portland for years, can now be had at \$58, \$126 and \$278, and the very best and highest priced electric pianos, usually selling for \$600 to \$1000, now go for only \$388.

NOTHING HELD BACK. All talking machines must go. Columbia, Edison and Victrola, and any number of records of all makes. We must also sell all desks, chairs, safes, music rolls, racks, stools, benches, cabinets, typewriters, numbering machines and in fact complete office equipment, for very little money.

FURTHER PARTICULARS. Some particular values that we have to offer and that we would like to close out quickly: \$1100 Weber Pianola Piano, \$537. This is the finest and best ever made by the Aeolian Company; also a \$1500 combination Lester Grand-Pianola, \$669; \$500 Combination Burnmaster-Pianola, \$218; \$600 or \$700 Kingsbury Player Piano, 88-note, now \$235. We could go on enumerating bargains like this indefinitely.

Chickering, America's oldest and best; Steinway, Steck, Wegman, Schumann can all be secured now at unbelievable reductions. As above stated, practically every make that you can possibly think of is here, and must be sold at once.

For the benefit of those not being able to call during the day, our store is open every evening until 9 or 10 o'clock. C. E. Lucore, agent and creditors' representative.

Makes no difference as to price or terms. Store open evenings, 358 Morrison street.

The Sale of the Soule Bros. Failure

Under Authority of Order of Court

In fact, you will find almost any make, either in an Upright, Player or Grand Piano.

C. E. LUCORE Agent and Creditors' Representative

Open Evenings Until 9 o'Clock 388 Morrison Street

No Matter Where You Live, You Can Phone Your "WANT" Ad to The Oregonian. Simply ask "Central" to give you the "Want Ad" Department, and, if you are a subscriber to either phone, the ad. will be charged to you and bill sent the next day. Easy—isn't it?