The City's News in Brief

Items of Local Interest for Busy Journal Readers.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Moderately high temperatures prevailed yesterday east of the Cascade Mountains, but to the west of this range it was from 15 to 25 degrees cooler.

Showers and thunderstorms have occurred generally in Nevada, Southwestern Idaho, Utah, Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota and Northern Minnesota.

The weather is unsettled in the North Pacific States, and showers and thunderstorms are probable Thursday. It will be cooler east of the Cascade Mountains.

EDWARD A. BEALS,
Forecast Official.

The River.

The river at Portland this morning is 21.2 feet and rising slowly. A stage of 21.7 feet will be reached Thursday, and preparations should be made for a stage of about 23.5 feet by next Sunday.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Portland—D. S. Kerrick and wife, Parkville, N. Y.; Mrs. G. W. Wood, Miss A. Wood, Astoria; C. H. Collins, Chicago; J. Johamson, Colorado Springs; J. F. Murphy, Tacoma; H. C. Bellinger, Victoria, B. C.; G. E. Goule, Boston; S. P. Shultze, Henry Stell, J. B. Brewster, San Francisco; M. Winter, city; W. J. Ball, Tacoma; E. Gass and wife, Vancouver, B. C.; J. A. McAllister, Davenport, Ia.; C. A. Congdon, Duluth; Dr. Redington, Oakland; Miss Congdon, Duluth; Miss Rothemel, San Francisco; Miss Dernbar, Oakland; Miss Augustine, San Rafael; E. A. Stuart, Seattle; J. K. Weatherford, Bob Mabry, Albany; Mrs. Mary W. Bowman, Miss Mary Reid, Miss B. B. Craig, Miss Elizabeth Goodloe, M. M. Allen, R. G. Ramsey, Danville, Ky.; E. R. Ingersoll, Seattle; C. A. Ray, San Francisco; J. B. Morkey and daughter, Brooklyn; G. W. King, Athens, O.; E. T. Little, New York; S. C. Palmer, St. Louis; E. R. Worrell, C. E. McIntyre, Butler; M. Hermann, New York; J. M. Wheeler and wife, R. D. Treadwell and wife, Warren, Ark.; J. C. Reed and wife, F. D. Long and wife, New Castle, Pa.; Mrs. Parkington, Miss Hussey, San Francisco; Mrs. H. E. Lloyd and daughter, South Dakota; W. T. Williamson, Salem; W. Mainland and wife, Wisconsin; J. H. Groot and wife, Denver; H. S. Brooks, C. W. Murphy and party, Chicago; G. S. Berkman, San Francisco; M. A. Warren, Lincoln; W. F. Barry, Massachusetts; J. P. Huggins, San Francisco; B. C. Wennston, J. P. Moff and wife, Seattle; B. A. Rowland and wife, New York; B. Meineke, Milwaukee; M. Hamburger, San Francisco; T. O. Hilbourn, Chicago; J. H. Ullman, Jr., Chicago; F. D. Gibbs, Spokane; J. C. Wallace and wife; Robert Wallace and wife, J. L. Wallace, Lydia Wallace, Lindsay Wallace, R. Gray, Cleveland; M. L. Stern, Chicago; C. V. Slocum and daughter, Pittsburg; R. R. Hazlewood and wife, Sherman, Texas; Robert Morris, Chicago; Mrs. W. G. Taylor, Milwaukee; Mrs. A. M. Caudee and children, Denver; H. C. Seaman, A. S. Taylor, Everett; E. A. Heard and wife, Rome, Ga.; Martin Bierdenbach, Idaho; Mrs. J. A. Russell, child and maid, Vancouver; A. B. Carter, Seattle; R. S. Knapp, Yuka, Cal.; R. W. Christion, Gold Hill; J. H. Tucker, Tacoma; C. A. Hucker, Atlanta, Ga.

Imperial—William Mason, Camas City; S. L. McKenzie, Lostine; Mrs. W. Madison, Astoria; C. Hubbard, Independence; H. C. Clair, Saginaw; J. Thomas, Fern Hill; Miss Irene James, Claude Gatch, H. P. Wilson, Mrs. J. Wilson, Salem; Mrs. May Sperger, Mrs. D. J. Sullivan and daughter, Kalama; D. M. Stuart, Astoria; Lillian Pettit, Fannie Pettit, Salt Lake; L. J. Casurie and wife, Oakland City; C. F. McKenney, Seattle; H. F. Algert and wife, Watsontown, Pa.; T. A. Moore; Salem; C. W. Brown, Needles, Cal.; Virgil Cona, Parsley, Or.; George Wall, George Hardwig, J. E. Young, Cottage Grove; G. C. Morris, Ashland; C. B. Beckes, Chicago; Alex Martin and wife, Klamath Falls; A. P. Hedges, San Francisco; Dr. F. A. Bailey, Hillsboro.

Fine Day! Buy Meredith's umbrellas. Repairing, recovering. Wash. and Sixth.

Try the American Restaurant, corner Third and Couch. The best of everything.

Dr. Amelia Riegler has returned from taking post-graduate work. Phone residence, Union 1161.

Are you afflicted? If so, ask your druggist for Guinean's Remedy. Its cures are marvelous.

Portland Club, 130 Fifth street. A palatable lunch served every evening from 8 until 11 p. m.

Building is going ahead rapidly in the residence districts, a large number of new homes being under construction.

Vapor Bath, scientific massage, by young lady masseuse. Room 26 Raleigh Building, Sixth and Washington.

H. L. Bruce, plumber, has removed from 226 1st st. to 291 E. Morrison, just across Morrison-st. bridge. Phone East 84.

The Portland Cricket Club will meet tomorrow in room 222, Chamber of Commerce. A full attendance is desired.

From the 7th to the 16th of July the Evangelical anniversaries will be celebrated in Sellwood Park, at the foot of Spokane avenue.

Reports received in this city indicate that rain is needed to insure the growing crops in the Walla Walla Valley and in Southern Washington.

The work of repairing the asphalt pavement along Washington street, from Third to Sixteenth streets, is going on. The Trinidad Asphalt Company has the contract.

On the evening of June 15, the Brotherhood of St. Paul of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church will give a free social and entertainment in the parlors of that church.

An adding machine is being "tried out" by County Treasurer Lewis, in his office at the county courthouse. If purchased the machine will cost the county in the neighborhood of $300.

A postoffice of the fourth class has been established at Biggs, Or., in Sherman County. Postal authorities say the office has long been needed. It is about 20 miles west of The Dalles.

The postoffice at Harrison, Or., has been discontinued, and hereafter residents of that neighborhood will receive their mail at Centerville. Bly will take the place of the Garner postoffice hereafter.

The Columbian flood is like our business—quite swell. Our steam-heated collar and cuff polisher is also swell. It don't scorch and rot the fiber of the linen. Union Laundry, Second and Columbia.

Grant Copeland, a wealthy farmer and prominent Republican politician of the Walla Walla country, who has been in Portland for several days, reports the wheat yield this season will be above the average in Southeastern Washington.

Turkish baths for ladies. Finest Turkish baths in the city at 424 Washington street. Free treatment on vibrator with each bath. Open evenings by appointment. Phone Black 1916.

A bashful traveling man and one who does not profit by his opportunities are both in the same class. A commercial man who does not carry a Blick is only half a traveler. Ask your friends, then call on the Blick agent, at 266 Stark street.

The high water has prevented black bass fishing on Columbia Sough, because so much fish food is washed down the river that the fish refuse to bite. Fishermen are waiting until the water shall subside.

Three of the five lots needed for grounds for the Brooklyn School, on Milwaukie avenue, have been secured by the Board of Education, the purchase price being $1,450. Negotiations are pending for the other two lots needed.

In the chapel of the Mount Tabor Sanitarium, at 7:30 o'clock this evening, will occur the third annual commencement of the Training School for Nurses, under charge of the Seventh Day Adventists. The following class will be graduated: Dollie Folkenberg, C. E. Foster, Mae Powers, B. E. Rees, Jessie L. Scovill, Mrs. W. S. Larkin, Aldwin V. Oliver and Tena O. Klemenson.

Bank checks found—If Miss Lorine Rivers will call at The Journal office, 289 Yamhill street, and prove her property, she may have same by paying cost of advertisement.

Stick—Stick your patrons with poor work. This is not the motto of the United States Laundry. If our work don't suit you we will gladly do it over again. The main thing with us is pleasing our customers.

Residents in Albina and Holladay addition are expressing great pleasure over the decision to give public concerts in Holladay Park. The park is one of the most beautiful in Portland, but complaint is made that it has never been given proper attention.

Postmaster Bancroft is in receipt of a communication from James W. Veeder of Schenectady, N. Y., asking the whereabouts of George Dorn. Dorn has been absent from his home for many years, and Veeder says he is wanted in order that an estate may be settled.

The story of Sacajawea, printed in an attractive booklet, will be distributed through the secretary of the Statue Association, Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, of Oswego. This was decided upon at a meeting of the society held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. M. Cartwright.

A whalebone, found on the beach near Oysterville, has been added to the collection of curios in the free museum at the City Hall. Rev. Father Hadley found the bone, which is shaped like a canoe. It is supposed to have come from the roof of the great sea mammal's mouth.

Delightful River Excursion — The steamer Leona leaves foot of Taylor street tomorrow, and every day, at 8:30, 11:30, 3 and 6:30 o'clock for Oregon City and Willamette Falls. Fare for round trip, 25 cents. Passengers may take a layover at the Falls and return on any boat of the day.

The smallpox patients at the Florence Crittenton Rescue Home are all convalescent, and City Physician Zan states that the contagion has run its course there. Five women were ill with it, and but for the fact that all of the inmates were vaccinated promptly when the first cases broke out, many others would have followed, it is claimed.

The Regulator Line popular steamer "Bailey Gatzert" leaves Portland daily for the Cascades of the Columbia, affording everybody a fine opportunity to view the magnicent scenery and raging flood. Steamer leaves Alder-street wharf daily at 8 a. m.; Sundays 9 a. m. Music and meals on board. Round trip fare $1.50. Phone, Main 914.

For Friday, 50 dozen Misses' and Children's fast color Sun Bonnets. Special for Friday only, 12½c each. Hercules—that's the name of our children's and misses' stockings. It denotes strength, 15 and 25 cents a pair. A new lot of belts just arrived, and they are the latest. (It's a fact.) At the big East Side Department Store, Kennard & Adams, 539 Williams avenue.

It is a pleasure and satisfaction to know, when you go to a drug store, that you can depend on getting exactly what you want. That is the reason that Albert Berni, the druggist, corner Second and Washington, enjoys the confidence and generous patronage of the public as he does. His drug store is one of the old landmarks of the city, having been established for many years, and has always enoyed the reputation for fair and honest dealing.

An open-air meeting of the Multnomah Alliance No. 4 was held Tuesday evening last at the home of J. E. Burke, corner of Eighteenth and East Pine. Chinese lanterns were scattered about under the trees, producing a charming effect. Stirring addresses were made by I. H. Amos, Rev. J. F. Ghormley and B. Lee Paget, predicting the final overthrow of the liquor traffic. Recitations and music followed, completing a very pleasant evening's entertainment.

The two special Southern Pacific trains which left Southern California at midnight Sunday, arrived in Portland yesterday. There were, including delegates to the Presbyterian Assembly, recently held in Los Angeles, and their wives and families, exactly 250 persons on the two sections. One train left yesterday afternoon for Puget Sound; the other was side-tracked and the visitors used it for a hotel last night. The day was spent in sightseeing. A party of 70 left this morning for a trip up the river. Local ministers are caring for the visitors during their stay in Portland.

The following officers have been elected by the State Homeopathic Society, now in session in this city, to serve during the coming year: Herbert S. Nichols, president; G. C. Eshelman, first vice-president; George Wiggs, second vice-president; Ella K. Dearborn, recording secretary; P. L. McKenzie, corresponding secretary; Emma J. Welty, treasurer; H. C. Jefferds, Byron E. Miller, G. C. Eshelman, P. L. McKenzie and Nellie Smith-Vernon, board of censors. The meeting will conclude this evening. There are many Homeopaths and others interested in homeopathic work attending the sessions and much valuable work is being done.

PERSONALS.

S. L. McKenzie of Lostine, Wallowa County, is in Portland.

E. F. McDaniel, a prominent citizen of Baker City, for many years a resident of Cove, Union County, is in the city.

E. L. Smith of Hood River, president of the State Board of Horticulture, is in the city attending the sessions of the Grand Lodge of Masons.

Mrs. I. E. Saling of Weston, Or., accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. C. F. Bulfinch of Weston, and Mrs. L. M. Funk of Spokane, is in the city, the guest of her daughters, Mrs. P. A. Worthington and Mrs. F. H. Coffin.

A BUSINESS CHANGE.

Mr. E. L. E. White, for the past 18 years editor of the Portland Chronicle, and stockholder in the White & Durham Co., recently sold his interest to J. H. Zame. Although Mr. White has been continuously in the printing and newspaper business on the North Pacific Coast for the past 28 years, he was able to cut loose from old associations, and immediately purchased a complete new plant of up-to-date material, locating at 102½ First street. In less than one week's time from the day he sold out, the office was opened to the public and doing business. His office is declared to be the "swellest" in the city.

REDUCED THREE-DAY RATES TO YAQUINA AND NEWPORT.

Commencing June 6, the Southern Pacific Company will place on sale Saturday-to-Monday excursion tickets to Yaquina and Newport and return, at rate of $3.00. This affords an excellent opportunity to spend Sunday at this popular seaside resort.

Season tickets to same points will be placed on sale June 1, at rate of $6.00.

Preferred Stock Canned Goods.
Allen & Lewis' Best Brand.

SOLD A HEPPNER MAN GOLD BRICK

How P. W. Allison Was "Steered" Into a Store Called the Hub and Made to Pay $12.50 For a Cotton Suit.

Says He Will Have a Few Things to Say to His People When He Gets Home About Fake Stores In Portland.

The latest victim of the notorious Hub clothing store at Third and Burnside streets, an adjunct of Strain's cotton-mislt place on a more prominent thoroughfare, is P. W. Allison, a resident of Eastern Oregon. Allison was stopping at the St. Paul House in this city and was approached last Friday by a steerer for the Hub game, who asked him if he was not going to buy some clothing.

"Yes," replied Allison, "I am."

Allison, accompanied by another young man from the cattle country, went to the Hub and paid $12.50 for a suit of cotton clothing and were told that the outfit was a "misfit" made for an Eastern house. The purchasers brought the suit to The Journal office Saturday and an examination of it was made.

The suit was a plain, shoddy affair, the sleeves of which had been lengthened out by the Hub's non-union tailors in such a way as to suggest the work of a novice. The cloth was the poorest quality of goods, miserably put together. Three dollars would have been a big price for it.

"Did you not see the expose of the Hub and Strain's in The Journal?" was asked of Allison.

"I did not see it in time," said the young man. "You see I am not well acquainted in Portland. My home is in Heppner and I have been in the habit of buying goods here, but if the Portland people are going to allow such bunco games to be run on those who patronize this city I will, for one, take my business away from this place.

"I consider it a shame that such establishments as Strain's should be allowed to work people as they do and advertise their fakes in newspapers that are supposed to be respectable. When I get back to Heppner I will have something to say to our people on this subject."

CRUSHED TO DEATH UNDER STREETCAR

A City & Suburban car crushed little John Edgar Satterwhite to death last night at 6 o'clock at the corner of Front and Arthur streets, South Portland. The lad was 7 years of age and the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Satterwhite of No. 686 Third street. No inquest will be held, as Coroner Finley is convinced the fatality was purely accidental.

The lad had been playing on the sidewalk under a store awning at the corner of Front and Arthur streets, and the car was in charge of Motorman J. Henninger.

According to all who witnessed the accident, no blame can attach to the motorman. He was running his car at a slow rate of speed, and as soon as he discovered the boy on the track, reversed the power with remarkable promptness.

Coroner Finley arrived soon after the accident and took the remains to his morgue. The body will be taken to the home of the parents today.

GRANGE FLORAL DAY

Evening Star Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, observed Floral Day by holding an interesting session yesterday. During the day a literary and musical program was rendered under the direction of Miss Emma Larsen. A banquet was given at noon. John F. Caples, late United States Minister to Chili, acted as waiter. The question as to the advisability of building the proposed new hall was discussed and a committee, composed of A. F. Miller, H. L. Vail and Mr. Gates, was selected to prepare circulars to send out to the membership.

MOTHERS' CLUB TO MEET

The last meeting of the year of the Mothers' Club will be held at the Harrison-Street School tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, at which time officers will be elected.

Miss Hassler, assistant city librarian, will read a paper on "Mothers' Literature." Mrs. M. A. Triggs will have an article on "Hygiene for Children," and afterward conduct a question box, answering such queries as may be propounded by the members of the club.

MUSIC IN THE PARK

Music will be added to the charms of the City Park on Sunday next. Bandmaster C. L. Brown has completed the arrangements for the public concert season. Liberal donations to the music fund have been made by many citizens and corporations, the total being $5,501.50. Of this sum $1,000 was given by the Park Commission. The street railways donated good-sized amounts and the business men generally contributed freely to the fund.

VERY LOW RATES EAST.

O. R. & N. Offers Big Inducement to Travel—Long Time Limit and Stop-over.

Many Portland and Oregon people no doubt will take advantage of the very low round trip excursion rates to the East offered by the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, the following being the figures from Portland: Chicago, $71.50; St. Louis, $67.50; Peoria, $69.25; Cairo (Ill.), $72.15; Memphis (Tenn.), $73.50; New Orleans, $85.35; Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth, Omaha, Council Bluffs, Sioux City, St. Paul, Minneapolis, all $60. Dates of sale: June 4, 5, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30; July 15, 16; August 25, 26. Limit: going, ten days from date of sale; return, ninety days from date of sale. Stop-over privileges will be allowed within limit in either direction west of Missouri River or St. Paul. For particulars, ask at O. R. & N. ticket office, Third and Washington streets, Portland.

4 Days Across Continent.

Commencing June 13, the Canadian Pacific will inaugurate fast train service, placing in commission the "Imperial Limited," the crack train of the West.

THEATRICAL OFFERINGS

Sale of Seats for Empire Opening.

The sale of seats for the opening week of the Empire commences tomorrow at the theatre, and those desiring seats for the opening night should be sure to bear the same in mind, as it is almost an assured fact that the demand, especially for the opening performance, Monday night, June 15, will be enormous. Several of the actors that are to appear on the opening bill arrived from New York last evening and more are expected in daily. High-class vaudeville will reign supreme at that new playhouse. The management is making a special effort to win the patronage of the public, who like that style of amusement, and if the best money can procure in that line of the theatrical business, and a handsome, well-appointed house, built especially for vaudeville and containing every up-to-date convenience will stimulate the public, then success will crown their efforts. Mr. C. H. Brown, Pacific Coast representative for the Pacific Northwestern Vaudeville Circuit, has been in town for the past four days arranging things so that the opening bill will run just as smoothly as if the house had been open for years.

Highly Pleased Audiences.

Many people attended The Baker last night and many were delighted at the performance given by the Stuart Company of "The Cat and the Cherub." It is in a class of its own, and like unto no other play that has been seen in Portland in years. The play shows the way the heathen, especially of the lower class, known as the highbinder, plots and carries out his wrongdoings.

"The Cat and the Cherub" is followed by "The Peacemaker," a comedy in one act, from the pen of Ralph Stuart and Arthur Bragdon, who wrote it intending it for laughing purposes only, and it made good their every wish.

Farewell Week.

Ralph Stuart and his excellent company will begin their final week of this engagement next Sunday afternoon, June 14.

The bill for the closing week is "The Virginian," a domestic drama in five acts, by Bartley Campbell. It is a play that appeals to people of the present day—much the same class as "In Missouri." The time of the play is 1861 and 1865. A young man, Vandyke Vernon, called "Van," is the principal character.

The entire company will be well cast—the full strength of the members used. There are some fine character parts and the comedy is particularly good.

It is safe to predict that crowded houses will greet Mr. Stuart and his company in this, the closing bill of the present engagement. Matinee Saturday.

Iced Air, Not Hot Air.

Although the weather was a bit sultry last night, the patrons of The Baker were as cool as if they were at the seashore, instead of attending a theatre. Reason—Mr. Baker, with his usual enterprise, has installed in his popular playhouse an ice cool-air plant. This system is used very extensively throughout the East during the heated term, and has met with great favor.

"The Stubbornness of Geraldine."

If "The Stubbornness of Geraldine" was manifested towards her modiste, that charming young creature held out in a good cause. Soft and clinging are the gowns that comely Mary Mannering wears when portraying the willful heroine, whose stubbornness won her happiness. As dainty in coloring as Miss Mannering herself are the frocks that she wears, and, what is more, they seem to take on a part of her own soft, gentle nature.

Beautiful, indeed, is the pure white toilette that Geraldine wears. From the crown of her pretty head to the embroidered hem of her bewitching frock, she is arrayed in white. The many gores of the white crepe skirt are hemstitced together with heavy silken thread, and the bottom of the skirt is trimmed with embroidered insertion. The bodice is light and delicate from the filmy Valenciennes upon it, and the full-flowing sleeves end in frills of the same rare lace.

Superb is the evening cloak that enfolds Miss Mannering's graceful figure. It touches the hem of her dinner gown and is rich in heavily wrought embroidery, a deep lace flounce and full ruches of pleated chiffon.

The cloak is of rich brocade, the flowers being done in natural colors, and a flounce of rich lace foots the garment. About the neck, down the front and on the sleeves in fluffy chiffon. Mary Mannering and her excellent company will present "The Stubbornness of Geraldine" at the Marquam Grand Theatre next Monday and Tuesday nights, June 15 and 16. The advance sale of seats will open next Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

High-Class Vaudeville.

Vaudeville in all its best features is being shown at Cordray's this week. Not alone is President Roosevelt a central figure in the attraction, but eight other especial high-class acts are assembled that are said to be as clever entertainers as have happened. It seems that crowds that attend Mr. Shields' attractions come away from the house and criticise favorably on the worth of the people who are engaged to do the turns. There will be one big week at Cordray's before Mr. Shields takes his attractions out to his park at Thirteenth and Washington streets, but on June 21 a matinee will open the popular resort and a splendid program is promised. There have been many improvements made at the park. People who visited it last summer will hardly recognize the place. A new stage; different seating arrangements, and up-to-date scenery, painted for the occasions this season, have been prepared by Mr. Shields. Until June 21 there will be the very best shows given at Cordray's every afternoon and evening.

Carnival Parades.

The parade committee is arranging several very attractive features for the W. O. W. carnival. The Queen's parade will be a very pretentious affair. The committee is now trying to arrange for a parade of horseless carriages and bicycles, which will be quite a unique affair, as each vehicle will represent something different. On Woodmen Day there will be one of the largest crowds in Portland that the city has ever had. The different camps throughout the state have accepted an invitation from the local camps of Woodmen, and, with them, will come quite a following, which will swell the crowd to immense proportions. A parade of Woodmen will take place in the afternoon to the carnival grounds, and then the W. O. W. will give the visitors an entertainment—the kind for which they are famous. The general committee of the W. O. W.'s big carnival will be in a position to give to the public the full program of the different days very soon.

Director J. J. Jennings is a very busy man these days, and he assures the public that, although Portland has had two carnivals, neither of them will compare with the W. O. W.'s big carnival. The public has confidence in Director J. J. and can expect a grand affair and an immense crowd. Remember the dates, July 14 to 25, inclusive.

Evening With David Harum.

Augustus F. Howell will appear under the auspices of the Portland Seamen's Institute at Y. M. C. A. Hall June 23, in an impersonation of David Harum. Mr. Howell will be assisted by Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer, prominent as a local vocalist. Mr. Howell is a resident of Boston and has demonstrated his ability as an elocutionist and an impersonator. His work has received high praise throughout the country and his portrayal of the quaint old character of Westcott's famous book is drawing large audiences everywhere.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE SEA SERPENT?

Watch for the unique and catchy pamphlet issued by the General Passenger Department of the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad Company, which tells a little tale about the Summer Girls, Sea Serpent and Sunsets at Seaside. The story is short, but well told and handsomely illustrated, and will make its first appearance about June 10. Copies mailed free upon application to J. C. Mayo, G. F. & P. A., Astoria, Or.

Preferred Stock Canned Goods.
Allen & Lewis' Best Brand.

REPEAT CHARGES OF UNFAIRNESS

Complaints Still Being Made Concerning Conduct of the City Engineer's Office in Sidewalk Matter.

Alleged Discrimination Without Cause May Be Basis For Suit—Marshall Brothers Defend the Department.

Complaints are still being made concerning the conduct of the City Engineer's office, particularly concerning what is alleged to be the discrimination in the matter of selecting material for sidewalks. The charges made by some leading cement dealers of the city through The Journal Friday last have been reiterated and it is still probable that the incident will not terminate before legal action has been taken by those who declare they have a grievance against this department of the city government.

The principal allegation is to the effect that the City Engineer's office made a practice of recommending one particular kind of cement to the disadvantage of other kinds, equally good, without officially stating any cause for the discrimination.

At present there is an unusually large amount of sidewalk improvement being done throughout the city and the gentlemen who made the charges referred to believe that any one firm favored by the engineer or his deputies can reap a commercial harvest out of proportion to the business it could otherwise expect to obtain.

Defends Engineer's Office.

Marshall Brothers, contractors, who were mentioned in a Journal article of Friday last, said this morning:

"We are not in the cement selling business, but confine ourselves strictly to concrete work. We know nothing of any discrimination of any character that has been made in favor of any particular brand of cement, but on the contrary we have been given a list by the engineer's office, which comprises about a dozen brands of cement which had been tested by the engineer's office and found to be above the standard tensile strength and which were acceptable to that office. We were instructed that we might use, to the satisfaction of the engineer's office, any one or all of these brands of cement sold on this market, and whenever the test has fallen below the standard tests we have not used that brand of cement."

AMUSEMENTS.

EMPIRE THEATRE
12th and Morrison Sts.
NORTHWESTERN VAUDEVILLE CO., Proprietors.
GEO. L. BAKER, Resident Manager.
Only Theatre in Portland Devoted to High-Class Vaudeville.
Opens Monday, June 15.
PRICES:
MATINEES—20c and 10c.
EVENING—30c, 20c and 10c.
Boxes and Loges 50c.
Sale of seats begins
THURSDAY JUNE 11th
Watch Announcement in Thursday Papers

Cordray's Theatre
Cordray & Russell Managers.
Phone Main 992. Portland's Popular Family Resort.
Summer Prices—Matinees, 10c and 20c. Evenings, 10c, 20c, 30c.
MATINEE TODAY, 2:15.
TONIGHT AT 8:15.
"A GIANT AMONG PIGMIES!"
SEE! SEE! SEE!
EDWARD SHIELDS'
CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE
PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.
In vaudeville. The wonderful Polyscope will show the President passing the Hotel Portland—Biggest crop of umbrellas on record. President enjoying an Oregon rainstorm. Dedicating the Lewis and Clark monument. People you know and meet daily reproduced in a marvelous manner.
9—STAR ACTS—9.
Including the Monopede Acrobats—Ernie and Honegger.

The Baker Theatre
George L. Baker, Manager.
The bigest hit in years.
Something to think about.
Beautiful in the extreme.
"THE CAT AND THE CHERUB."
See
Ralph Stuart as Wing Shee.
Frank Camp as Chin Fang.
"THE PEACEMAKER."
One spasm of laughter.
Evening, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Matinee, 10c, 15c, 25c.

CONCERT HALL—
BLAZIER BROS.
CONCERT EVERY NIGHT.
242-248 BURNSIDE.

SHOES
Few people know a good shoe when they see it.
We wish everybody to know there is a factory in Portland manufacturing a hard-wearing line of men's and boys' shoes.
They are made of asbestos leather, tops sewed with silk, and will not rip.
The bottoms are from the best fading grade of sole leather.
We also manufacture a fine line of miners', cruisers' and loggers' shoes.
They are for sale at 207 WASHINGTON STREET, Portland, Or., and we can assure the public that there is no better line in the market for the money.
The Reid-Brunke Shoe Co.

Fifth and Washington Streets. Olds, Wortman & King "The Different Store"

A SURPASSING SALE of WRAPPERS Values to $2.50 for 89c
Opens Here Tomorrow Morning at 8 a. m.

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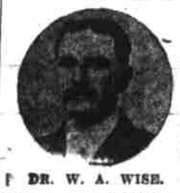

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