The Children's Opera company will appear at the Marquam Grand theatre Wednesday, May 18, in the three-act operetta, "The National Flower." This company has done one work in the past and this is said to be their crowning effort. The music of "The National Flower" is by Gilbert and Sullivan. The cast is composed of 85 people, there being 60 beautiful costumed children on the stage at one time. Ten solos will be rendered during the performance by some exceptionally fine voices. The comedy work of Clyde Owen and the two old maids is creditable. The play is being staged for the benefit of St. Patrick's church by Fred H. Drake. rick's church by Fred H. Drake,

Prizes were awarded yesterday to the Sunday school children of St. Michael's church who have been most faithful in their attendance during the past term. The prizes were medals and pins, beautifully designed. A record has been kept of the attendance during the past in each class having the highest average received prizes. The prizes were warded by Father Cestelli, assisted by pastors of other local churches. A cantata was given by the children and there was music by the Portland Italian band.

This war on divorce by the good people of the country is commendable. War heated ones in the foreground of public favor. These do not weaken the fiber of the linen by fire heat, as do the other kind, but on the contrary, exmds its life. Every citizen should anderstand the difference between steam and fire heat, and if he did, the Union. Second and Columbia, would do all the fine linen work of Portland. Telephone Main 398.

A most excellent musical and literary entertainment will be given at the Tabernacie Central Christian church, East Twentieth and Salmon streets, tomorrow evening, May 10, at 8 p. m. very best talent of that new church. just completed by Rev. J. F. Ghormley, will participate in the elaborate program, including the Letter Carriers' quartet and Professor Rasmus, who will redite "Ben Hur's Charlot Race." Many west side friends of the pastor will be expected to attend.

The excursion trains to Seaside every Sunday in May and June are under the supervision of the A. & C. R. R. manage-They wish to assure the people of Portland that all visitors to the will have good seats on the train and everything possible will be done to give their patrons an enjoyable day's outing. Special cars will be reserved for large parties. Fare for the round trip only For information and tickets call at 248 Alder street or telephone Main

The best excursion out of Portland next Sunday will be to Seaside, via the A. & C. R. R. Every passenger is asof a good seat, a delightful ride, beautiful seenery and five hours at the beach to enjoy old ocean. Only \$1.50 for the round trip. Train leaves Union depot 8 a. m. every Sunday in May and June. Tickets at 248 Alder street.

Congregational church at Second and Thomas Bowen in the chair. The debt was also a duet by Norman Lewton and Jefferson streets this evening. Short of \$1,800, which has been standing over Clarence Godfrey. addresses will be made by F. McKercher, First English church, has been paid Rev. J. H. Allen, B. Lee Paget and A. C. Rev. J. H. Allen, B. Lee Paget and A. C. during the year. Rev. G. W. Plumer, Millican, interspersed with campaign the pastor, and the members have been songs by a male quartet.

The weekly meeting of the Central W. C. T. U. Wednesday at 2 p. m. will be of special interest. The topic for dis-cussion will be "Practical Preventive Measures," and will be opened by Mrs. L. H. Additon, national lecturer on so ciological subjects.

Oregon City boat. Delightful river ride. Leaves 8:30, 11:30 a. m. and 3 and

6:15 p. m. Round trip 45c.

Steamer Charles R. Spencer, mencing April 25, will leave for The Dalles Monday, Wednesday and Friday from foot of Washington street. Leaves

See the great Russian-Japanese battle on the Yalu. The most sensational and exciting moving pictures ever exhibited,

Fine day! Buy Meredith's umbrellas. Repairing and recovering. Two stores— Washington and 6th, Morrison and 5th. Steamers for The Dalles will leave Alder-street wharf 7 a. m. daily (except Sunday). Phone Main 314.

Notwithstanding the great show at the Arcade theater this week, the prices remain the same.

Don't fail to see the world's greatest juvenile athletes, the Quinn trio, at Arcade theatre.

Paul Stanley, renowned character comedian, at the Arcade this week,

Delineator for June now ready Jones' book store, 191 Alder street. Musical Harts and their \$1000 set of chimes at the Arcade this week.

Olvio electrical sensation at the Arcade this week. S. H. Gruber, lawyer, 617 Com'el Block.

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REV. BAT PALMER CONSIDERS THE CITES CHIEF BERCUTIVE RE-SPONSIBLE FOR PRESENT CONDI-NOWS IN PORTRAD LAWLESS MERCHET HAS MUCK PRESSURY.

Rev. Ray Palmer preached the first of a series of 16 sermons at the First Paptist church yesterday, Dr. Palmer is occupying the puipit of the church during Dr. Brougher's European tour. His evening sermon was on "Who Is Responsible for Portland's Wickedness?" The auditorium was growded. Dr. Palmer's text was "Watchman, What of the Night," Isaalah 41:11. He and in part:

What of the Night," Issalah 41:11. He said in part:

"Our text is found in connection with the prophecy of the downfall of Babylon. I do not compare Portland with Babylon only in the sense that all cities like Babylon shall rise or fall as they keep or disregard God's law.

"I do not say that Portland is worse than many other aities. I have personally looked into the conditions in Chicago, San Francisco, Seattle and St. Louis and believe Portland has less wickedness than the cities named.

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no charges against him. He is a man body in which you have tabernacied so of clean personal record. After all, he long. Yes, old body, farewell. I hope is doing as much as his predecessors to see you again where age and pain are have done. I have known the mayors of Portland for eight years past, and for the most part they have been mere figureheads, so far as bettering the conditions in our city is concerned. They have been machine-made mayors. A machine-made mayor can be no good in Contral Christian Congregation Worship the very nature of the case. The best man on earth nominated and ruled by the bosses is tied hand and foot, The mayor is ruled by the machine, the ma-

saloonkeepers and gamblers and these in turn by the devil. in a round about way pleading the cause of the violaters of the law, or again, to see him falling on his hands and knees before the supreme court, and with tears in his eyes pleading to be excused from executing the law against the lawbreakers of the law against the lawbreakers of the supreme court. "One of the most pitiable sights ever in seen in our city is that of our honored is mayor going before the grand jury and, da the lawbreakers of the city. Some one Gale, and the organist was Miss Events should accompany him and sing Show Ryan. Pity, Lord, Oh Lord Forgive, and let these unrepenting sinners live. This ing fund will be given tomorrow evening. loes not prove the mayor a bad man, The church is free from debt, and the but simply shows the tremendous pressure of the lawless element of Portland that even so good a man as George H. Williams, when in the seething mael strom of corrupt politics, is borne down as helpless as a babe in the froth-

ing ocean of death. "Mayor Williams, we had a right to expect better things of you than of responsible as one of the watchmen of the city's walls."

PAYING OFF CHURCK DEET.

Portland Evangelical Association Just Closed Successful Year.

The Portland churches of the Evan gelical association have just closed a A popular rally in support of the local option law will be held at the old Congregational church at Second and May 11, in Jefferson, Or., with Bishop piano and vocal solos and readings. There making an effort to remove the obligation ever since the new building was finished. Memorial church, with Rev. P. J. Green as pastor, has succeeded raising \$1,200 of its debt of \$1,800. Rev. J. E. Smith, presiding elder of Salem district, will resign and retire from the field at this conference.

CONFERENCE ON WEDNESDAY.

The eastern Oregon division of the Free Methodist church will hold its annual conference in the First church, East Ninth and Mill streets, beginning Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The officers of the conference are as follows: Superintendent, Rev. Wilson Thomas which Hogg; secretary and treasurer, Elder H. tire of. V. Haslem; assistant, G. W. Bordurant. The chairmen of committees are as follows: Education, J. Glenn; publication, W. Pearce; reforms, H. V. Haslem; state of the order, the elders of the various districts. There are about 458 members in the conference. districts of Salem, Grants Pass, Eugene, Portland and Ashland are included in this western division of the church.

START A REW CHURCH.

Organization Known as "God's Church" Located on the Bast Side.

"God's Church of Portland," is a new church which has been started on Haw-thorne avenue near East Seventh street. The church was recently organized Elder Neil as pastor, and now a \$3,000 edifice is being built.

The church claims distinction from any of the other 100 denominations in Portland. It has no church organizations and the only officers are the trus-

The elders and the laymen are building a new structure, which they say is a meeting house and not a church. The members declare that all ministers are machine-made and all other churches are

Mr. Craig, who came from Spokane to help build the church, says that there are a few Christians in other churches but one by one they will drop out and come to the "Church of God." "This church is modeled after the ministra tions of Christ," he says. "We believe that there should be but the one church,

and that is the Church of God." WELCOME NEW PASTOR.

> A. M. Bookwood Preaches Piret Sermon at Bighland Church.

Highland Congregational church welcomed its new pastor, Rev. Arden M. Rockwood, yesterday, when he preached the first sermon of his pastorate. The church was well filled at both services and Dr. Rockwood was given a hearty welcome. He is an Oregonian having graduated from Portland academy. Since his graduation from Amberst college he has been stationed at Wayland, Mass. The Highland church is a very prosperous one. It is not yet a year old. There is no debt and all the departments of the church are growing rapidly

"AN ARTHUR PRIMED."

Able Sermon by Bev. P. B. Short,

Taylor Street Church. "An Abiding Friend" was the subject of Rev. F. Burgette Short's serme was "Carnation Day" at the church. At Lyric, corner of Alder and Seventh, will the close of the service each member open. The managers, Keating & Flood,

Dr. Short took for his text Hebrew, Xiii;5 "I will never leave thee nor forsake thee." He said in part: "The promises of God! They are the oases of the Bible, the hope of the sin-

ner, the joy of the saint. They are oint-ment for the wounded, a cordial for the weak, a restorative for the faint-hearted, and food for the hungry. The world would be miserably poor without friends. The character of our friends is the counterpart of our own character. The friendship of Christ implies three essential elements—consideration, comfort, constants. constancy.

"There can be no abiding friendship without consideration. The rights and opinions of all concerned must be considered. This is a fundamental principle in both business and society. . Christ has considered our every condition and need.

"He comforts the sorrowing, tolling, discouraged, dying. More tenderly than even a mother comforted her child has constancy is beyond question. Its basis is His fathomiess, boundless, deathless This has made for Him friends, disciples, martyrs. As to Jacob and Rachael, so to you, who are 50 or more years old, He has proven an abiding, con-siderate, comforting, constant friend. I congratulate you this morning upon the length and utility of your lives. You have been, and still are, heroes and heroines. We owe you a debt of last-

ing gratitude. congratulate you upon your health and vigor. You are not old yet. Your heart is still tender. The condition of "It is false logic, however, that argues that because other cities are bad, is the measure of life. I congratulate we should try to do nothing for our you on your life of Christian service own. We know that gambling and other forms of vice are wide open in As the smoke of the battle lifts you are our city, aiready catching glimpses of the city who is responsible? First of all, beyond. Soon you must say good-by the mayor, George H. Williams. I bring to earthly friends, and even to the old

Contral Christian Congregation Worship in Their New Home.

The members of the Central Christian church worshipped for the first time in chine by the bosses, the bosses by the their new tabernacle, East Twentieth and Salmon streets, yesterday morning. The edifice was well filled at both morning and evening services. The structure is a modest one, sufficient to accommo-

A concert for the benefit of the build-

RE-OPERED AFTER TWO MONTHS.

membership is rapidly increasing.

Services Testerday at Grace M. E. Church.

Special services marked the re-opening of Grace Methodist Episcopal church your predecessors. We must hold you yesterday, after being closed about two months on account of repairs. At both morning and evening services there was a special musical program. In the morna special musical program. In the morning. John Ross Fargo sang "God, Be Merciful." At the evening service the choir sang "Abide With Me," and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hamilton sang "Tve Had a Glimpse of Jesus." Dr. Lathrop's evening sermon was on the "Twentieth Century Church." At the Epworth league meeting, Miss Josie Watkins, of

AT THE THEATRES

"WEAT MAPPENED TO JONES." All who want to know "What Happer ed to Jones" can learn this week by attending the Baker theater. For its closing wook the Neill-Morosco company has chosen George Broadhurst's popular

The farce is in three acts, and depends for its humor mostly on the comical situations developing from a case of mistaken identity. It made a hit at the start Friday, May 13th and seems a fountain of entertainment which the theater-going public does not

Jones, be it known, is a hymn-book drummer, with a side line of playing cards, and his vocation brings him acquainted with most respectable people. Traveling to a small town he attends a rize fight-it's in the blood-and in fight is raided. That happens oftentines and is in the nature of things. Jones flees with a professor and his prospective son-in-law to their home, and in order to evade detection is garbed in the suit of a brother of the professor, who is a bishop and momentarily expected home.

The family enters, mistakes Jones for the bishop and the fun begins. Howard Gould appeared to excellent advantage last night in the title role. George Woodward won applause by his portrayal of the professor. Thomas Oberle's Methistophellan air was missing in taking the part of Anthony Goodly but he displayed much versatility as the bishop. The other male members of the company acquitted themselves creditably. Of the women Miss Gardiner was ill and unable to appear. Bessle Stuart as a Swedish maid got a great deal more out of the part than would be expected from the lines. As Marjorie, Ethel Hep burn showed a capacity for much more important roles. Miss Esmond and Miss McAllister were up to their usual standard. Pauline Herbert and Teresa Max well did as well as histrionic handicaps

BORR GENERALS TO SPEAK. Tomorrow (Tuesday) night, at the Marquam Grand theatre the Boer war officers, General Joubert and Captain O'Donnell, will give an illustrated lecture on "The Boer War." Sixty views

would permit-their parts were not

will be given. The advance sale of seats opened this morning. Popular prices will prevail. AT CORDRAY'S THEATRE.

The Platt Stevenson company gave "The Black Flag" last night to a good sized house at Cordray's theatre. play was to have been "My Wife," but owing to the illness of one of the company the change was made. The play last night is a blood curdling melodrama of the old school that pleases a certain kind of people. The performance tenight, the management promises, will be an improvement.

AT WHE ARCADE.

The new bill for the week will be put on at the Arcade tonight. It includes everal artists never seen in this section of the country. There will be novelties in moving pictures and the good stand-ard of the house will be maintained.

LYBIC OPRES TOXIGHT.

ver 50 years old was presented with a claim the coslest family theatre on the cautiful carnation by Mrs. Short. Pacific coast.

The bill this week for the opening night will be one of the strongest ever seen in the city, and not one of these

seen in the city, and not one of these acts has ever appeared in Portland before. The program embraces the highest salaried artist ever brought by any popular-priced house to the city:

Arthur & Carlisie's refined comedy sketch team; the Travdolas, juggiers, hoop rollers and head-to-head balancers; and Rice, monologist and Jew impersonator; the Grant Walstein, champion roller skater of the world; Raymond G. Baldwin, the baritone soloist and picture melodies, direct from New York; the De-Garnos, meteors of the air; Nellie Bruce, Garnos, meteors of the air; Nellie Bruce in her contortion dance; and last, but not the least, the Great Vitascope plotures, Edison's latest film, the Coast Guards responding to signals of distress taken in actual life, making a great hit in New York and San Francisco.

CHIEFLY PRESONAL

O. G. Ayers of St. Paul has accepted a position as claim clerk at the Ainsworth dock for the O. R. & N. Co. Fred R. Waters, secretary of Salem Abstract & Title company, is a guest at the Belvedere. S. H. Friendly, a leading dry goods

merchant and prominent politician of Eugene, is transacting business in this Dr. J. A. Geisendorffer of The Dalles

is registered at the Perkins.
T. H. Johnson, a Dufur merchant and present state senator from Wasco ounty, is in the city. Arthur C. Stubling, a wholesale liquor

dealer of The Dalles, is registered at John H. Cradlebaugh, manager of the Galice Mining company of Merlin, Douglas county, is in Portland in the interest of his company.

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