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TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

Holla: "Susan in Search of a Husband" Baker; "Nettie the Newsgirl" Empire; "Out of the Fold" Lyric; "Tennessee's Partner" Grand.

"Bacteria of Diseases of Cattle Which Are of Importance to Man" was the subject of an address delivered before the City and County Medical Society by Dr. E. N. Hutchinson yesterday.

The exhibition of original paintings by F. C. Estabrook, an artist of note from Boston, Massachusetts, in the gallery at Tull & Gibbs has attracted hundreds of art lovers since the exhibition commenced two weeks ago.

Portland Seaman's Friend Society.—The adjourned annual meeting of the Portland Seaman's Friend Society will be held on Tuesday, February 12, 1907, at 3 o'clock, in room 2, Y. M. C. A. building.

The central union meeting of the W. C. T. U. yesterday was attended by County President Mrs. E. Alton Hanson, who conducted devotional services and gave a talk on department work.

The sister superior of St. Helen's hall has issued invitations to an evening of recitations to be given this evening at 8 o'clock.

The first mid-week meeting of the People's Forum will be held tonight at Sells-Hirsch hall, Tenth and Washington streets.

The Willamette Brewing company filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk today.

Hotel Houston, new brick, high class, elegantly furnished; call bells, hot and cold water and steam heat in every room.

The East Side Business Men's club will hold its regular meeting this evening in the Odd Fellows' hall, Grand avenue and East Pine street.

Steamer Jesse Harkins, for Camas, Washougal and way landings, daily except Sunday.

Dr. W. A. Wise will shortly leave for Alaska, and those who want to see him before he goes kindly take notice.

The Standard Carpet Cleaning company can now be reached by phone Pacific 1310.

E. W. Moore, expert photographer, Elks' building, Seventh and Stark sts.

Woman's Exchange, 133 Tenth street, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch.

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1907 Styles. In ladies' suits and jackets are coming in lately at Le Palais Royal.

NEW PRICE LIST

Table with columns for 'NEW', 'SEARCHED', 'NOT SEARCHED', and 'EXTRAS'. Lists various items like sheets, spreads, towels, etc. with prices.

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AT THE THEATRES

W. H. Crane-Ellis Jeffreys Tomorrow. When the history of the present theatrical season is written it is sure to contain much about the star cast revival of "The Shooes to Sennen."

Last Time Isabel Irving Tonight. In support of Miss Isabel Irving, the charming American actress who will be seen at the Helbig theatre, Fourteenth and Washington streets, for the last time tonight in the new play, "Susan in Search of a Husband,"

Seated Sale Tomorrow "The Ham Tree". The advance seat sale will open tomorrow (Friday) morning, 10 o'clock, at the box office of the Helbig theatre, Fourteenth and Washington streets.

Praise "If I Were King." Justin Henley McCarthy's play "If I Were King" will always be associated with the name of E. H. Sothorn.

"Brother Officers" Begins Sunday. Commencing with the Sunday matinee, that famous society play of army life, "Brother Officers," will be the attraction at the Baker all next week.

New York Scenes at Empire. Right into the heart of New York's east side goes the audience at the Empire this week.

"Human Hearts" Is Coming. At the Empire next week, commencing with the Sunday matinee, that great drama, "Human Hearts," will be produced.

Next Week at the Lyric. Next week at the Lyric, beginning Monday matinee, the bill will be Hoyt's famous farce comedy, "A Bush of Keys."

Lily Branscombe Does It. Lily Branscombe, the delightful little ingenue of the Lyric Theatre Stock company, plays her way into the hearts of the big audiences this week in a surprising manner.

Natural Scenes at Star. Plays like "Out of the Fold" are not numerous and that is why the attendance at the Star theatre is so large this week.

Lots of Good Things. From Roland Travers, with his many mystifying illusions, to the imported life-motion pictures, there is not a moment in the grand entertainment at the Grand.

PERSONAL. James Stott, deputy sheriff of Multnomah county under W. E. Storey and candidate for sheriff in 1904 against Tom Word, who has been critically ill, is reported to be improving at the Good Samaritan hospital.

Preferred Stock Causes Goods. Allen & Lewis' Boat Brand.

NEW UNIVERSALIST LEADER HERE

Rev. James D. Corby Placed in Charge of Work in Portland by His Board.

FORMER BUSINESS MAN IN NEW YORK

Will Present First Sermon to Congregation Sunday, and Expects Then to Outline His Plans for Furtherance of Religious Work.

Following its policy of securing its strongest and most aggressive ministers for the Pacific coast, the Universalist missionary board has placed Rev. James D. Corby in charge of the work



Rev. James D. Corby.

In this city, Mr. Corby has just arrived from New York city where he has been pursuing special studies at the Union Theological seminary and the teachers' college.

Mr. Corby will reside at 23 East Eighth street and will deliver his first sermon to his new congregation Sunday.

Mr. Corby was born in New York City and educated in the public schools. He has had a practical business training, having worked in the largest wholesale dry goods house in the metropolis, and for several years was employed by a stock exchange firm on Wall street.

Mr. Corby's friends include that he is a helper in every good effort for social betterment and civic improvement. He has been active in the work of providing summer playgrounds for children and addressing the common council in the metropolis in its interest.

He has been in demand as an interesting speaker before the chambers of commerce and other bodies desirous of enlarging their usefulness.

"On Sunday I will outline some of my plans for my work in Portland," he said. "But I chiefly desire that it be understood that I will do nothing to antagonize the other churches and that it shall be my endeavor to advance the cause of all the churches while in this city."

Foreign immigration was the principal topic discussed by the Council of Jewish Women yesterday afternoon.

The members put themselves on record as opposed to the proposed amendment to the immigration law which provides for the appointment of a medical officer to inspect all immigrants and to refuse admittance to any one of poor physique or low vitality with no appeal from his decision.

In this they concur with the opinion of the members of the national council, who declare that the sufferings and persecutions which the Jewish immigrant suffers in Russia, at sea and on the terrible voyage in the crowded steerage must of necessity reduce those who survive these trials to a condition which might aptly be described as one of low vitality and of poor physique but from which they may speedily recover with proper food and air.

A telegram of protest signed by 300 members of the Portland section, Council of Jewish Women, was sent to Speaker Cannon.

Recommends Galveston. Mrs. Leon Hirsch read one of the most scholarly and comprehensive papers which the council has had presented. She endorsed the suggestion of Israel Zangwill, which has the support of other Jewish leaders, to make Galveston instead of New York the port of entry for foreign immigration.

This, it is thought, would divert the tide from New York City, where every two thirds of the Jews in this country are now congregated. From this point laborers could be distributed to other states and the congestion in the Ghetto be reduced.

Mrs. Leon Blumauer made a practical suggestion along this line, saying that it was not possible to open a new country with tallies, seamstresses and those who know only secondary pursuits. A generation of other life is needed to prepare them for it and it is to the children that one must look for this.

Mrs. Solomon Hirsch expressed herself as opposed to the closing of New York or any other port to the persecuted wanderers seeking a home in America.

An able and interesting paper was read by Mrs. Felix Friedlander on current events, the most interesting point to the council being the announcement that Dr. Stephen S. Wise has succeeded in his mission to create an "unmuzzled pulp" so far that he has a new synagogue and its support for three years pledged by prominent New York people and its construction will begin at once.

The socialist of the afternoon was Miss Kathleen Lawler. At the conclusion of the program a social hour was enjoyed.

Friday Bargains in Hosiery. Underwear, dress skirts, petticoats, etc., at Le Palais Royal, 275 Washington street.

The Meier & Frank Store \$25.00 to \$35.00 Tailored Suits On Sale Tomorrow at \$11.95 Ea.

A sensational "Rummage Sale" of women's high grade Tailored Suits is announced for tomorrow's 889th Friday Surprise offering in Portland's leading Cloak and Suit store—200 new, stylish, up-to-date garments at a very small fraction of their real worth—many of them



desirable for the coming spring season—The assortment is so large and varied that every individual taste can be quickly satisfied—Included will be found mannish mixtures, plaids, stripes and checks in all the best shades and combinations made in 3/4 length Coats, semi-fitting, tight-fitting and Pony Jackets—All are handsomely made and finished throughout—best style skirts—all sizes—Suits selling regularly at \$25 to \$35—Your choice tomorrow only at this low price, \$11.95 suit.

MEIER & FRANK'S 889th FRIDAY SURPRISE SALE

\$5.50 Couch Covers for \$3.35 Each

In the Drapery Department for tomorrow's 889th Friday Surprise Sale, a bargain extraordinary in the celebrated "Art Loom" Couch Covers; Oriental and Art Nouveau patterns; rich blending of colors; blues, reds, green and terra cotta; 50 and 60 inches wide and 3 yards long; all perfectly reversible; every one guaranteed fast color, the dyes being imported from Chemnitz, Germany; every color being tested by exposure to the sun for weeks; large variety; \$5.50 values, \$3.35 tomorrow at the exceedingly low price of only \$3.35

MEIER & FRANK'S 889th FRIDAY SURPRISE SALE

1000 Men's Four-in-Hands \$1-\$1.50 Values at 59c Ea.

Tomorrow's great Surprise Sale of Men's fine Neckwear is of importance to every well dressed man in town—High grade Four-in-Hands in a beautiful assortment of fine silks—plain and fancy colorings—new designs—About 20 dozen English Squares are included in the lot—Neckwear that finds ready sale at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50—Your choice tomorrow at the extremely low price of 59c See Morrison Street window display—Great bargains Broken lines of Men's Underwear—Look to your needs

MEIER & FRANK'S 889th FRIDAY SURPRISE SALE

600 Crepe de Chine Scarfs at \$1.19 Ea.

Great Surprise Sale bargain in women's "Du Barry" Scarfs; a special purchase of 50 dozen enables us to offer \$2.00 and \$2.25 values at \$1.19 each; plain crepe de chine and fancy flowered effects; all are neatly hemstitched. The color assortment includes white, pink, blue and lavender; full 2 yards long; unequalled values for tomorrow only, at this low price \$1.19 See Fifth-Street Window Display. Mail orders will be carefully filled.

Men's Suits at Half Price

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Men's \$18.00 Suits at \$ 9.00 Ea.
Men's \$20.00 Suits at \$10.00 Ea.
Men's \$22.00 Suits at \$11.50 Ea.
Great Values in Men's Overcoats

Great "Rummage Sale" bargains in Boys' and Young Men's ready-to-wear apparel—Suits, Overcoats, Trousers, etc., all on sale at quick selling prices. Look to your needs at once. Second floor.

BAKER'S COAL FIELDS BELIEVED TO BE RICH

Baker City, Or., Feb. 7.—Some day the coal fields of Baker county will be famous. Such is the belief of W. H. Johnson, a prominent rancher and stockman of the Lower Powder valley. Mr. Johnson has prospected the coal deposits in the vicinity of his ranch on Lower Powder and declares that they will be made to pay big when capital is interested and they are properly worked.

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