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Chautauqua, and I came here today somewhat prejudiced against Mrs. Gilman, but she swept away my prejudice, and I acknowledge it the greatest lecture I have ever heard from that platform.

In introducing her the president said: "She, like her illustrious uncle, Henry Ward Beecher, has combined oratory with that greater efficiency, the power to make the world think."

To make, not the world, but the people better in the keynote and doctrine of everything Mrs. Gilman preaches, and in the proclamation she certainly sets her audience a thinking. Mrs. Gilman left this morning to fill several engagements in Salt Lake.

"Swat the Fly" was not only in evidence but crept into every other program that was given yesterday. When Professor Sweetser gave his lecture with this exceedingly catchy title, standing room was at a premium, and before he got through every soul in the house was convinced that what he said in the start had been more than proven, namely, "that the housefly was the most dangerous beast on earth." The illustrations almost appalled the audience.

Art Talk Is Given.

From 11 to 12 Mrs. Alice Webster gave an illustrated talk on the Sweetser pavilion. The pictures were, many of them, from the masters, and largely consisted of famous pictures of women and children. So pleasing was the lecture that the word has gone out that next year Chautauqua must have an art gallery.

At the close of the afternoon program, Dr. Esther C. Pohl, Portland's health officer, spoke for a half hour on contagion and disinfection, explaining each and sending some hot shot into the audience. She said that everybody else but those mothers that took children into crowds, knowing them to be affected with some contagious disease, at the time, citing a case she had met on the car coming up that afternoon, where a mother was bringing her child, who had a severe case of whooping cough, onto the Chautauqua grounds.

Dr. Pierce to Talk.

Tomorrow afternoon at the same hour, in the auditorium, Dr. Pierce of the Open Air sanatorium will speak on the great white plague. This will close the series of talks given by the visiting nurses' association.

Numbers of white ribbons gleamed here and there today.

Mrs. Spooner of Jennings Lodge was hostess for the day.

The hour of meeting is changed for the remaining days. Dr. Pierce's lecture, the anti-narcotic subject was under discussion and led out to the discussion of the laws and the necessity of teaching law enforcement.

Tomorrow's Program.

Morning, 8 to 11, Chautauqua summer school; 11, Chautauqua forum, Williamette university rally; 12, Chautauqua quartet; 1, President Fletcher Roman; 2, Salem university quartet.

Afternoon, 1:15, concert, Chemawa Indian school band; 2:30, Knickerbocker quartet; lecture, "The Village Statesman," by Honorable Henry Albert McLean, president of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition; 3:30, baseball; 7:15, concert, Chemawa Indian school band; 8:30, recital, Montaville Flowers and the Misses Keller.

Oscar Wilde's Unknown Admirer.

Paris, July 14.—Robert Ross, Oscar Wilde's executor, has concluded the legal formalities in connection with the purchase of a grave in the cemetery of Pere-Lachaise, where the poet's remains will be transferred next week from the cemetery of Bagneux, where they have lain since 1906. In this connection, according to a story published in the Paris papers this week, the sum of \$15,000 has been given by an anonymous woman for the erection of a monument over Wilde's grave.

# LOS ANGELES CAPITALIST MUCH IMPRESSED AT GROWTH OF CITY.

Stability of growth and the steady increase of real estate values are to F. E. Harris of Los Angeles the most noticeable features of commercial activity during the last few years in Portland. Mr. Harris, a prominent business man of Los Angeles, president of the Louisiana Rice Milling company, and also of the Columbia Paper company of Los Angeles, and is at present on his annual visit to Portland.

All the men, said Mr. Harris this morning, practically own their own buildings, and in Seattle you will find eastern capital building up the city, but here people sink their money in their own town. Confidence in the home city is one of your strongest points.

"We thought that real estate values in Portland had reached the top four years ago, but every year upon my return they have gone up as much as 15 per cent a year. I believe that this advance will be continued."

"Speaking of my own business, I may say that our percentage of increase in business in Portland has been larger than in any other city."

"At the present time the rain has done more harm to Portland than anything else. I have been here at many different times of the year, and I know that you do not have rain more than 100 days in the year. Your commercial clubs should advertise strongly upon this point. Tourists are driven away from Oregon by the expression 'It rains 13 months in the year.'"

It seems to me that the greatest thing up here is the farm lands. Well skilled and trained farmers, prices and values will go up. You have also been in marketing your products through associations. It is the only way to market agricultural products."

You have much greater resources in Oregon and Portland than we have in Los Angeles. We have made good, however, in what we did have. Our success has come from everybody working together in unison."

# VICTIM'S GHOST VISITS MURDERER

Charles F. Newcomb's Ravings Sequel to Most Fiendish Crime on Record.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Tacoma, Wash., July 14.—Claiming that he is being visited by the ghost of his victim and also that his accomplice in crime, the widow of a slain man, comes and peers into his cell at night and wakes him from sleep, Charles F. Newcomb, confessed murderer of Martin Kvainhaug, tells remarkable tales that lead his jailer to suspect he is feigning insanity or that he is actually breaking down under the strain of waiting for his trial for murder.

Newcomb and Mrs. Kvainhaug, his partner in crime, are in separate parts of the Pierce county jail. The woman industriously knits and sews, her mind apparently entirely calmed by the memory of her terrible crime and her probable fate. The man, however, is endeavoring to convince himself that the spirit of his victim has undergone a change toward him and that somehow his lawyers will be able to move the jury that he will execute the sentence.

The murder for which the pair are to be tried was a particularly brutal one. It occurred last night on the way to Kvainhaug and his wife were returning late at night from a dance, and springing on his victim, felled him with a powerful blow to the chin, then fired several shots into the prostrate body.

The police have signed confessions from both the woman and the man telling of their illicit relations and that the murder was the execution of a well-natured man who had been a party. Newcomb claims that Mrs. Kvainhaug herself fired two shots into the husband's back while he lay on the ground, but the woman denies this. The trial is set for early in September.

# ALL TO TREAD

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claiming that it will work great hardship on poor property owners in the outlying parts of the city.

"People who have lots worth \$100 should not be compelled to put in a cement walk costing \$100 more. There should be a certain district in which only cement walks may be laid, but in the districts farthest out, where there should be permitted for temporary purposes."

Helding defended the ordinance on the ground that the property which was as much more as the cement walks will cost.

The move looking to the removal of the free employment bureau from the city hall was made by Councilman Celars, who moved that the special committee having charge of the bureau be requested to look up a new location and report to the council. He said that the city hall is not a good place for such an office. Dunning seconded the motion and it was adopted.

From the license committee came the new ordinance proposed by the draymen to amend the old vehicle tax ordinance, reducing the license for two-horse drays from \$20 per year to \$10 per year, and for single-horse drays from \$10 to \$5. It was referred and ordered printed for information of the members.

Baker presented an ordinance to reform the clock in the long summer days by advancing the time by the clock one hour between May 1 and October 1. Baker explained that he introduced this ordinance by request of the National Daylight association of Cincinnati, which is sending out enthusiastic literature on the subject. He said he was not sure it is a good thing, but thought the subject worthy of investigation. The ordinance was referred to the committee on judiciary.

The proposal to change the designation of "streets" on the east side to "avenues," with the idea of making it easy to distinguish east side thoroughfares, was put to sleep without comment by the streets committee, reported unfavorably, and the report was adopted without dissent.

The Foster's claim for \$57 for a fire hydrant that he privately installed was approved by a vote of 8 to 6. This was on recommendation of the committee on ways and means. Dunning proposed it as a bad precedent, saying that many such claims may come in if the city pays for hydrants originally installed by property owners.

# REFUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED.

(By Journal Special Wire.)

Salem, Ore., July 14.—Authority is given the Portland Railway, Light & Power company today by the railroad commission to make a refund of about \$25 upon a carload of explosives from Portland to Boring on the Etowah line. The refund is made to the Trojan Powder company of Oakland, Cal.

The railroad commission authorized the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company and the Southern Pacific company to make a refund of about \$40 to the Portland Woolen Mills of Salem on a shipment of scoured wool from Pendleton to Salem. The refund is made on a basis of \$1 per hundred pounds from Pendleton to Portland and 25 cents per hundred from Portland to Salem.

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Knickerbocker Quartet at Chautauqua.

This morning confirmed the opinion of yesterday afternoon that the sun had come to stay. It started in this morning with genuine old fashioned Chautauqua weather, minus the dust, and at noon promised to gratify the many prayers that for a week have been offered for fairer and warmer weather. With but five days more in which to recuperate from the effects upon the attendance by the bad weather of last week, it is the hope of everybody today that the many friends of Chautauqua will put forth their best efforts to swell the attendance, so that the management may at least, come out even, and some from the splendid talent they have brought to the assembly this year.

Popular Class Meets.

Professor Sweetser's class went back to its schedule hour this morning and held a fine meeting from 10 to 11. This class is one of the most popular on the ground and Professor Sweetser one of the most popular instructors.

Mrs. Miller's class increases in interest and attendance every day. For the past two days the capacity of the large headquarters of the Y. W. C. A. has been taxed to comfortably accommodate the many who crowded into it to get the benefit of the instructors in domestic science and the demonstration work.

Another class that has been steadily growing is Dr. Goshen's Bible class. Many come from Portland and Oregon City each day specially to attend these lessons. The class has a membership, which numbered this morning well onto 300. During his stay at Chautauqua Dr. Goshen has made himself a host of friends, both within and outside of his class.

Strong Program at Forum.

The forum put on a strong program today, the speaker being President Fletcher Roman, who spoke on "The Joy of Boys." The Salem University quartet rendered some fine music.

The Knickerbocker quartet will open the program this afternoon. These musicians, in their work, have won a surprise and delight to the audience. The management had promised a treat in this aggregation of singers and went far beyond the most sanguine expectation. Tomorrow the quartet will give the entire afternoon program, and it is expected by all who have heard them sing, to be one of the crowning features of this year's assembly.

Fine Looking Young Men.

The members who compose the quartet are a fine looking set of young men, who enjoy their work and bring into it the enthusiasm and love of music that is necessary to make it a success. The members are C. L. Goetting, first tenor; Fred Purdy, second tenor; D. B. Crane, first bass; A. Larsen, second bass.

The speaker of this afternoon was Honorable Henry Albert McLean, president of the Washington commission

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Mrs. Sellick Burned to Death.

Ely, Nev., July 14.—Mrs. Margaret Sellick, the 74-year-old wife of E. R. Sellick, a drifter at Copper Flat, was burned to death in her home late last night. Mrs. Sellick attempted to start a fire with kerosene. She died three hours later.

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