

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

THE BAKER THEATRE (Third and Yamhill streets)—Mr. Ralph Stuart and Company, in a most magnificent production, "Pericelli," commencing at 8:30.

It was a BERTHLEAK—A man who is interested in food supply matters and all that sort of thing went down to Linton a few days ago to look over the horse slaughtering establishment. He told his wife that he was bringing home a horse-steak for dinner, so that she could test the quality of the killing. He did not look to look at the killing of the horse, so went out in the big corral where there were several hundred of the animals to see what they looked like. He found several Washington County farmers there buying horses, as there were many in the hands of the farmer work, which they could buy cheap. Some of these horses were hitched inside the corral, and when something started the wild horses chasing around the farmer's horse broke loose and joined in, with their bridles and stirrups flying, and the visitor witnessed the greatest circus he had ever seen. Even an old mare and her little colt, only 15 minutes old, joined in, and the fool, with head and tail up, kept up with the procession and appeared to enjoy the exercise. Going home he bought a fine beefsteak, which he handed to his wife, saying, "Here's your steak." She took off the paper and sniffed the odor of the meat and ran for the back door, where she fetched and vomited till she could no longer stand. Her mother said, "I will cook that steak, and he shall eat it." She put it on the gridiron, and when the fat began to drop on the coals and the smell therefrom to spread through the room, she also made for the back door and relieved her feelings. The man finished cooking the steak himself, and the women having recovered, he said he knew women were nervous, imaginative animals, but he had not supposed that their imagination was so powerful as to make them sick at the sight and smell of a beefsteak, and then he got out as swiftly as possible, followed by half the dishes on the table. He says one experiment with "horse flesh" is enough for him.

SHIRKERS ON FRONT STREET IMPROVED—Any one who passes frequently along that part of Front street where the commission houses are located cannot fail to see that there is no necessity for the sidewalks being crowded and impassable as they are in places. On one block in particular all the business appears to be transacted and all the goods handled on the sidewalk. Even the desks at which orders are taken and accounts of sales kept are placed on the sidewalk, while the front of the stores are piled with old boxes and barrels and all sorts of rubbish, and the sidewalks are dark and dirty as to make it no wonder that the proprietors prefer to stay outside and do business there. On this block the public are lucky to find even two feet of the sidewalk, which is the amount allowed for displaying goods—clear for travel, and that is littered with cabbage leaves and rubbish of all kinds crowded with Chinese and other people peddling of vegetables, etc. On other blocks the sidewalks are kept in decent condition and are not piled and crowded with boxes and barrels, and the stores are kept in decent order and cleanliness, and pedestrians can pass without risk to life or limb. It is about time a "sidewalk inspector" had taken this district in hand and introduced some new regulations there or enforce the old ones.

B. P. CARDWELL'S QUINCE WIN MEDAL—Much has been said about the large number of medals and diplomas awarded the Oregon exhibitors at the Pan-American Exposition. This, however, should not cause surprise, as almost any product of Oregon is so much ahead of similar products of other states that Oregon exhibitors have won solid gold medals, and the securing of a medal is dead easy. For instance, B. P. Cardwell has some old fruit trees on his property in the city, and he has a city to which no particular attention is paid, as they will all be cut down when the property is improved. Last fall he gathered quince from some of these trees, and a friend passing remarked that they were rather fine ones, and that a jar of them would look well in the permanent exhibit on Washington street. Mr. Cardwell, who is a well-known man, was so pleased that he was welcome to as many as desired if anyone would come after them. He E. Doach was notified, and sent up to Mr. Cardwell and secured a basketful of quince. He now views his old quince trees with more respect, and will probably give them some attention, and may win a whole pile of medals and diplomas for their products.

A SCHOLAR AND A GENTLEMAN—No man has ever visited Portland with higher commendations of the press and the public alike than Henry Austin Adams, who will deliver the third lecture of his series of five lectures this week, Friday, last tomorrow night at Baker's Theatre. The staid old conservative but able Philadelphia Ledger says of Mr. Adams' lectures that they are of the highest quality. The subject of Mr. Adams' first lecture in Portland is "Cardinal Newman," the profound thinker and the scholar of the English-speaking race. The price of admission to any lecture of the course this week will be 25 cents only.

DEPART SIDEWALKS TO BE LAID—W. M. Probst and Mr. Pray, who were arrested Friday charged with violating a city ordinance in laying a wooden sidewalk in front of the Marquam rooming-house on Sixth street, between Alder and Morrison streets, were arraigned in the Municipal Court, and were discharged on the understanding that cement sidewalks would be laid instead. Work is now being proceeded with on the cement sidewalks.

STRAWBERRY PICKERS WANTED at Hood River. Growers pay cent and half pound. Good pickers make \$2 to \$4 per day. Steamers leave daily at 7 A. M. from foot of Alder street. For further information apply to White Collar Line, Alder-street dock. Both phones, Main 351.

THE LATEST RETURNS show that the most popular candidate is Father Goose, who, with the assistance of Mr. Jinks, Mr. Clow, the elephant and the big baby and other talent, will receive his friends tonight at Woodmen Hall, East Sixth and Alder.

FOR THE DALLIES and all Upper Columbia River points, take steamer from foot of Alder street, daily, except Sunday, at 7 A. M. DALLIES electric sign. Both phones Main 351.

SPECIAL ROUND TRIP RATE to Cascade Locks for \$1.50. Steamer leaves daily from foot of Alder street at 7 A. M. Steamboat ride both ways without transferring. Fare to Goose! Fare to Goose! Entertainment at Woodmen Hall tonight. Sure cure for blues. Adults 25 cents, children 15 cents.

ASTORIA BOAT leaves daily 7 A. M., except Sunday, foot Alder street for Astoria and all Lower Columbia River points. T. M. C. A. MOONLIGHT excursion, Wednesday, June 11, at 7:45 P. M. Tickets 50 cents.

P. P. KENNAM, 126 First street, near Wash. Columbia and Hartford bicycles.

TOMATOES FIND READY MARKET.

Many persons can remember when the tomato first came into notice in this country. It was cultivated more as a curiosity than anything else, and was called "love apple" more frequently than tomato, which is its name in Mexico, where it originated. Owing probably to the unwholesome nature of the plant, which is a member of the nightshade family, some species of which are poisonous, tomatoes were eaten by but few, and used often to be seen ranged in windows to ripen in the sun. No one then had an idea that the tomato would ever come into such general use or be so extensively grown and sold as fresh and canned as it now is. It stands about on a par with the peach in this respect, and, if anything, is ahead of it. So eager are people to secure fresh tomatoes that they are shipped in here early in the spring from the South and from Mexico. A lot which arrived here a few days ago were shipped at \$2 for 25-pound boxes, and the demand was not nearly supplied. When it is known that as many tomatoes can be had here in their proper season, when, of course, they are much better, it can be seen how anxious people are to get them. The tomato is now considered one of the most wholesome of fruits or "vegetables," and is eaten raw, cooked in many forms, is canned, made into catsup, and when green manufactured into chow chow, etc. It has assumed many shapes, and is of all sizes, from the size of a man's fist, round, oblong, smooth or deeply lobed, and of all shades of red or yellow in color.

POINTER SCENTS A MOUSE—A keen-pointed pointer dog was the cause of a terrible rumour in the sporting goods department of a large wholesale store on Fourth street a few days ago. He had accompanied his master on a visit to the place and, pointing around him, made "point" in front of a stand of drawers, and as no one offered to open a drawer for him, he undertook to tear the stand. His actions attracted the attention of everybody about the place, and finally, in order to save the stand from being torn to pieces, a clerk pulled open the lower drawer. A mouse's nest, with half a score of tiny, young mice, was disclosed in some waste paper in one corner. The dog grabbed the nest and the young mice, but the old mouse jumped out and ran for her life. The whole crowd rushed after it, knocking each other down and upsetting piles of goods, kicking, striking and stamping in frantic endeavor to murder the little beastie. The mouse was over in a few seconds. The mouse escaped, of course, but when the proprietor viewed the wreckage and saw the damage done, he made remarks not found in any book on etiquette or ethics, and before the employees got the place cleared up they wished that the mouse and the pointer had been in glory before they ever saw them.

SHIRKERS LEAVE FOR SAN FRANCISCO—Just how many members of Al Kader Temple of the Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of this city have left for San Francisco to attend the meeting of the Imperial Council, the order cannot be ascertained. Delegations of Shriners from all parts of the city for a week, and local Shriners have been doing their best to entertain them while here, and a few have quietly gone off with each party, and some have gone off on the steamer, and it is safe to say that all who could possibly spare the time have gone, for the gathering in San Francisco is to participate in the city's greatest and most glorious jubilee—the Centennial. The Californians have raised \$150,000 to entertain the visitors, and the city is decorated in the most lavish style. Captain J. A. Brown is in charge of the headquarters for Oregon Shriners, and has a band engaged for their special benefit, and will endeavor to see that the Oregonians keep up with the procession. It will take about a week to get through the program, and the Californians have prepared for the entertainment of their visitors, and Al Kader Temple is making preparations to entertain the 10,000 or more of them who will visit Portland on their way home.

IMPROVEMENTS ON MOUNT SCOTT LINE—The improvements which have been made out on the Mount Scott Railway to Woodlawn and adjoining tracts have turned the attention of owners of other tracts to the advisability of laying them out and improving them. John A. Bell, who has a tract of 124 acres at Anabel, has just completed a tract of 124 acres, to be known as Anabel station. He intends to plat the tract, which is in cultivation in acre lots, with the idea of securing a desirable home for himself. The tract is a mile and a half from the junction of the Hawthorne Avenue line, and was named in honor of Mrs. Bell. It is a fertile tract, and commands a fine view of Mount Hood and the great fountain at No. 2 reservoir, which, so far as the city is concerned, is the largest and highest jet in the world.

WILL MAKE PORTLAND HIS HOME—James T. Chinnock, of St. Paul, who arrived in Portland with his family about six weeks ago with the intention of making his home here for the future, has secured a location and has already commenced building. He purchased three lots in the block bounded by East Ash and Pine and East Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, and will build six houses on the property, the average cost of which will be \$2500. One of the houses is a home for himself and family; the others are for rent. The work of excavating for the foundations has already been commenced. Mr. Chinnock is a middle-aged man, and has visited Portland several times on business, and likes the city and the climate so well that he concluded to take up his residence here.

EXCURSIONS WILL PATRONIZED—The excursion yesterday took quite a number of people to the coast. On the Southern Pacific the cars of both sections of the conductors' excursion to Salem were crowded and everybody who visited the city had a very pleasant time. A baseball game between the Fidelity and Cottage Grove teams was played, and was won by the former by a score of 10 to 1. The excursion train to Astoria returned about 9:30 o'clock, and those who were on board had no complaint to make against the heat or dust along the line. On the river the Harvest steamer carried 70 passengers to Multnomah Falls, and all of them were well pleased with the trip.

PARACHUTES TO TAKE AN OUTING—The Methodist preachers of the city will take an outing to Vancouver today, leaving First and Washington street at 9 o'clock. Regular Line steamers for the Dalles at 7 A. M. from Oak-street dock. See time card.

DR. E. DEWITT CONNELL has returned. F. W. BALDWIN & Co., photographers, printers.

CHICAGO TO NEW YORK IN 20 HOURS.

"The Pennsylvania Special" In addition to present through trains, the Pennsylvania lines will, on Sunday, June 16, inaugurate their 30-hour passenger service between Chicago and New York, leaving Chicago daily at 11 o'clock noon.

The equipment of the new train will be up-to-date, and it will be known as "The Pennsylvania Special," running through from Chicago to New York in 20 hours. For particular information please call on agent, 268 N. Dering, Assistant General Passenger Agent of the Pennsylvania lines, 268 South Clark street, Chicago.

WHERE TO DINE.

We make a specialty of fine summer lunches. Portland Restaurant, 26 Wash. High-Grade Planes for Rent. Sold on easy terms. Planes tuned and repaired. H. S. BAKER, 23 Third st. Harris Trunk Co. for trunks and bags.

TO PROTECT CITY MILK

NEW ORDINANCE TO GUARD ITS PURITY AND WHOLESOMENESS.

Inspector Provided For Who Shall Enforce Cleanliness in Dairies and Prevent Adulteration.

An ordinance providing for the licensing of milkmen and dealers in milk and for protecting the purity and wholesomeness of the milk supply of this city has been prepared by Councilman Mulkey for the consideration and action of the Common Council at an early date. It provides that there shall be three classes of milk dealers: those who have dairies within the city limits, those whose dairies are outside the city limits, and those who have no dairy but merely buy and sell milk.

The ordinance makes it unlawful for any one to sell or exchange milk that is adulterated or preserved. Milk containing more than 88 per cent of water or less than 3 per cent of butter fat, or less than 5 per cent of solids other than butter fat, or of less than 1.688 specific gravity after the cream has been removed, or cream that contains less than 30 per cent of butter fat, or milk that

shall contain chalk, burnt sugar, salt or other substances added to deceive is defined as adulterated. The ordinance also provides that milk shall be kept in clean, cool, and well-ventilated places, and that the milk shall be delivered to the consumer in a clean, cool, and well-ventilated place.

It shall be unlawful to sell the milk drawn from cows for 15 days before and 5 days after parturition or from unhealthy cows, or from cows handled or cared for by persons afflicted with a contagious disease, or which contains an undue amount of sediment. It shall be unlawful for milk dealers to use the first general class of feed cows, the milk of which is to be offered for sale, on onions, turnips, cabbage, garlic, weeds, brewers' waste, wormwood, or other weeds or vegetables which are likely, in the opinion of the Milk Inspector, to give peculiar flavors to the milk or to affect the health of the consumers thereof.

The ordinance further provides that buildings used for dairy purposes shall not be within 200 yards of any manure ground or body of stagnant water, or within 200 feet of any chicken-coop, hog-pen, stable or privy vault, and no water closet or urinal shall be within 50 feet of such building, unless such building has a good and sufficient sewer, and all such buildings shall be drained in such manner as shall be approved by the milk inspector and shall be kept as clean and as free from dust and vermin as possible.

Provisions are made for the supply of pure water to dairies and for the protection of the water supply from contamination of any kind, and for the proper cleanliness of the buildings and cattle.

Provisions are made to prevent the granting of licenses to unsuitable persons and for the revoking of licenses when necessary. Section 24 provides for the appointment of a Milk Inspector by the Mayor, to be confirmed by the committee on Health and police, to hold office during the pleasure of the Mayor, at a salary of \$1,000 per month. Other sections define the qualifications of the Inspector, who must be a graduate from a veterinary course of study, and define his powers and duties and the duties of deputy inspectors.

The ordinance is somewhat lengthy and has been carefully prepared and appears to cover every requirement for such an ordinance, and will doubtless meet with the approval of the Council and Mayor.

STREET-CAR'S WILDPLUNGE

With 110 Passengers on Board It Misses Train by Two Seconds.

One hundred and ten people court themselves fortunate to be alive today, as also the motorman and conductor of car No. 41, of the Mount Scott line. Laden with this unusual burden of passengers, the car left the grade from Grand street to the end of the Madison-street bridge, crossing the Southern Pacific tracks without a stop, and missing the incoming Southern Pacific passenger by only two seconds.

The load on the street-car was too heavy for the brakes and motors, so that the vehicle ran wild on the down grade. The motorman and conductor worked the brakes at both ends of the car and stood heroically at their posts, while the car plunged down the grade and on the tracks ahead of the approaching passenger. The cars leaving Lewis street evening are always crowded, and No. 41 last night was particularly so. Its motors are not strong enough to enable it to make schedule time with an ordinary party aboard. The cargo of humanity that was jammed into the car last night is estimated to have weighed 12,000 pounds.

Want Postoffice Name Changed.

The settlement at Fairview enjoys the distinction of having a name, it is generally known as Fairview, yet Postoffice there is Cleona, and letters must be so directed or they may not reach their destination. Two names applied to the same place are confusing, especially in business matters. An effort is being made to have the name of the Postoffice changed to Fairview. There is another town in Coos County by that name, and there is danger of confusion unless the county name is always placed on the envelope. Fairview

on the O. R. & N. has become a place of importance, on account of its becoming a shipping point for much produce.

AMUSEMENTS

"Pericelli," by the Stuart Company, at the Baker.

"Dad" Hewins.....J. C. Fenton
 Tom.....Ralph Stuart
 Jim.....Frank Sheridan
 Harry Swift.....Arthur Garrels
 Willard Hillson.....Louis Morrison
 Master Eddie.....Bertha Lillian Holmes
 Annie.....Miss Lanning Rowan
 Mattie.....Elizabeth Stewart
 Maida.....Kathryn Wayne

"Pericelli," which was put on by the Stuart Company at the Baker Theatre as the farewell bill, proved one of the best and most acceptable attractions of the whole engagement. Two big houses were needed yesterday and every one was delighted with the excellent manner in which it was put on.

Few plays that the company has been seen in in Portland are as good an opportunity to all the members of the cast as this. All the parts are strong, each has its clever bit of dialogue or clearly marked individuality, and in feeling, in

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THE WHITE IS KING



Two carloads of sewing machines received within 10 days of a new model. Call and take a look at them. They are beautiful, and a few second-hand sewing machines for sale. \$3 and up. New sewing machines for rent. Needles and parts for all machines.

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been formed. The sale of seats will open on Wednesday morning, and, judging from the large number of inquiries already made at the box office, the success of Miss Kidder's visit is assured in advance.

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FOR JOHANNISBURG.

Steamer Direct Will Leave San Francisco About July 10.

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