

BAKERS' BARGAIN

Opening of North Bank Road Notable Occasion.

J. J. HILL CHIEF SPEAKER

Louis W. Hill and Howard Elliott Will Also Attend—Number of Guests at Function Must Be Limited to 300.

One of the most notable banquets in recent years in Portland will be the one at the Commercial Club next Friday night to celebrate the opening of the North Bank of Spokane and the Seattle Railway into Portland.

SHRINERS TO GO TO ASHLAND

A large delegation of Shriners from all over the state is expected to go to Ashland November 14, to attend the state gathering.

TAFT HEARD BY THOUSANDS

Judge Speaks From Back Platform at Dunkirk.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., Nov. 2.—An audience numbering thousands listened to Mr. Taft this morning at Dunkirk.

MAKES NEW YORK FORECAST

Decisive Victory in Empire State, Says Judge Taft.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 2.—Judge Taft predicted today a great and decisive victory in New York for the Republican party.

APPLE FAIR TO BE BIG EVENT

Buyers Coming to Spokane December 1-3 From Here and Abroad.

William McMurray, general passenger agent for the Harriman lines in this territory, returned yesterday from Spokane.

COLONISTS COME TO OREGON

Homeseeker Travel Heavy in Last Days of Reduced Rates.

Colonist travel to Oregon just now is heavy. Train No. 5 on the O. R. & N. from the East has been run in two sections for the past few days.

RAILROADS LET EMPLOYEES VOTE

General Offices and Ticket Offices of the Railroads Will be Open Today as Usual, Although Opportunity Will be Given Those in the Service to Vote.

NEW RAILROAD OFFICES OPENED

The new combined freight and passenger offices of the Harriman lines at Third and Washington streets were opened yesterday for the first time.

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MASTERPIECES IN BLACK AND WHITE AT THE MUSEUM OF ART

Illustrative Exhibition, Consisting of About One Hundred and Fifty Prints, Will Remain in Place During Winter Months.

SMALL ILLUSTRATIVE EXHIBITION

A small illustrative exhibition of the art in black and white, consisting of about 150 prints, including mezzotints, line engravings, etchings, lithographs, woodcuts and modern prints ranging from German and Italian prints of the 15th and 16th centuries to etchings and lithographs by living artists.

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HOUSEHOLD NEEDS, Gas Mantles, Lasto Mantle, 25c, the equal of the best 35c mantle on the market. Darratta, 410 Morrison. Wood, 6000 course first-class 4-foot 6-inch wood, \$4.50. Phone Main 433. A. J. Creek Fuel Company, 408 Corbett Bldg.

PANTAGES THEATER, ADVANCED LAURELLE. Shepp's Dog, Poty and Monkey Circus. One of the largest and best animal shows ever produced on a vaudeville stage. Performing unheard of feats and displaying startling intelligence. Special added attraction, Klein, Ott Bros. & Nicholson, American leading vaudeville comedians. Tickets, 15c, 25c. Two shows at night, 8:10 and 9:30.

THE GRAND—Vauville de Luxe, ANOTHER BIG BILL. Alice Montlock & Co. Hawley & Olcott. The Dream of Beauty. From the Palais Royal, Paris. Fred Bauer Grandioso. LYRIC THEATER, Seventh and Alder. Beginning Sunday Matinee, November 1. BLUNKALL COMPANY. The American Sensation Drama. "MIDNIGHT IN NEW YORK." In active cooperation, the great race play, "The Derby."

AMUSEMENTS, HELIG Theater, Phone Main 1 and A 1122. TONIGHT AT 8:15 O'CLOCK. Remainder of week—matinee Saturday, 2:30. In the beautiful Western Play, "THE BARK AWAY." Evening, 8:15. Matinee, 2:30. Lower, 50c; balcony, 75c. Seats, 15c. Matinee—\$1.50 to 25c.