TOWN TOPICS

Items of Local Interest for Busy Journal Readers.

Reports from Spokane indicate that A. J. Powell, said to be a clever forger, has come to Portland in his endeavor to escape the police of the Washington city. Local officers have received no official notice asking them to watch for Powell, however. Powell formerly lived at Leadville, Col., and for a while worked for Cohn Bros., merchants of Spokane. When he quit, December 19, he got a check for $18 for his week's wages. It is asserted in Spokane reports that he forged five duplicates of this chech cashing each one. A warrant was issued for his arrest. When he left he said he was coming to Portland, but it is thought more likely he continued to San Francisco. He is 45 years old.

$750 in realty will be given away the 12th day of January, at Estacada. Every person present that day will have a chance to secure a residence or business lot free—without investing a single penny. The parties who are successful in this free gift of a homesite will receive a warranty deed from the Oregon Water Power Townsite Co. before leaving the city of Estacada, on the day of sale. The distribution of free lots will be conducted by a committee which will be selected by all parties present. Come to the big lot sale and help make Estacada the second metropolis of the West. Trains leave First and Alder streets at 7:40 and 9 o'clock a. m. on the 12th day of January. Round trip excursion fare 75 cents.

The annual meeting of the Oregon Fish and Game association will be held in the hall of the Oregon mining stock exchange, chamber of commerce building, Portland, Or., next Saturday, at 7:30 p. m. The annual election of officers will be held. Reports of officers and of the committee on securing a game-fish hatchery will be presented, and other important business will come before the meeting, which will be followed by a smoker, when several interesting addresses on the life and habits of certain game birds and fish will be delivered by prominent sportsmen. Sportsmen and others are cordially invited to attend.

The following officers have been elected by Kremlin Baku, Imperial Order of Muscovites, the high order of Odd Fellows: Thomas F. Ryan, czar; Ralph Osvold, regent; J. C. Jameson, commandant; Edward Holman, high priest; E. E. Sharon, recorder; H. Claussenius, treasurer; Byron E. Miller, royal inspector; Charles Pye, royal messenger; Wilson Benefiel, royal inner guard; W. T. Nutting, royal outer guard; W. T. Williamson, R. Alexander and M. A. Zelig, trustee.

While boarding an Upper Albina car at 6:15 o'clock last evening, a young man snatched a belt purse from Miss Ethel Hunsaker, 810 Borthwick street. Miss Hunsaker was on her way home and took the car at Third and Morrison streets, when the thief brushed by her, taking the pocketbook from her side. In the crowd he made his escape. The purse containing but $1.25 in cash, an oblong gold locket containing a photograph and some receipts.

Bertha R. A. Morak began a suit for divorce from Joseph Morak yesterday. She alleges that when they were married in Walla Walla in 1902 Morak had a lawful wife living. Since then his first wife has been divorced from him. Morak was arrested about a year ago on a telegraphic warrant from Walla Walla charging him with bigamy, but he obtined his release by a writ of habeas corpus.

The officials of the Second Baptist church, on East Ankeny street, held a business meeting on Tuesday evening. All of the old officers of the church were re-elected. In a financial way good progress was made during the past year. A debt of $450 was wiped out and over $400 was expended in improvements. During the year $2,502 was received.

After pleading guilty to a charge of selling short-weight butter, W. N. Daniels, proprietor of the La Grande creamery, was fined $25 by Justice Reid some time ago. The creamery man has been in much trouble with the state dairy and food commission, having recently been fined $30 for selling tub butter as first-class goods.

Football!
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Reliance of California vs. Multnomah, New Year's day, 2:30, rain or shine, the great game of the year. Admission 75c.
Football!
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At a meeting of a number of leading retail clothiers last night it was decided to close their stores all day tomorrow, New Year's. So far the following merchants have signed the list: Samuel Rosenblatt & Co., A. B. Steinbach & Co., Ben Selling, Famous Clothing company and Moyer Clothing company.

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An electric display of fireworks was witnessed last evening at Grand avenue and East Morrison streets. A telephone pole fell down, dragging a mass of wires across the trolley wire of the streetcar line, with the result that the whole block was illuminated by the contact.

John W. Wilson, who died at his home, 415 Sacramento street, yesterday, was one of the Oregon pioneers of 1852. He fought in the Indians wars of the Northwest as a member of the First regiment of mounted volunteers.

We think our monumental work is as fine as can be done. We have confidence in ourselves. Try us, and be made aware of our good work. Otto Schumann, next door Taylor street church.

There is no better health or breakfast food on earth than Violet Oats. The White House Cook Book is the best that has ever yet been printed. There is a coupon in every package of Violet Oats and 20 of them entitles the holder to a cook book free of charge. U. S. Mills, Front and Main streets.

Physical culture for women. New term begins January 4. Class nights Mondays and Thursdays. Fee $1.00 per month. Join now. Ringler's Physical Culture School.

Friday, January 1.
Modern Woodmen New Year's ball.
Everest's orchestra, Arion hall.
Tickets 50 cents.
Ladies free.

Time trains will leave First and Alder street for Estacada, the day set for the auction sale of lots of the new city. First train, 7:40 a. m. and second train at 9 a. m.

Our half tone work has won for us a reputation that is A No. 1. When you have any such work let us do it. Peaslee Bros. Co., fine printers, Sherlock building.

We wouldn't ask to do your printing if we thought we couldn't please you. We can, so hesitate none to ask. Metropolitan Printing Co., 147 Front street.

Happy New Year! How about your watch or clocks? Are they in good trim? If not let us repair them. John A. Beck, 207 Morrison, near Front.

Dr. R. C. Coffey has abandoned his down-town office. Will be found at the North Pacific Sanatorium, Twentieth and Glisan streets, all hours.

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 914.

Portland Club, 130 Fifth street. A palatable lunch served every evening from 8 until 11 p. m.

Have you noticed or taken advantage of the one half price on fiction offered by Ewing's Bookstore?

You can't keep a good thing down. Borick & Runyon Co.'s B. & S. Catarrh Powders.

Albina people, get photos at Thwaites', 508 Williams ave. Cabinets $2.50 dozen.

Good eating and a pleasant disposition go hand in hand. The Savoy.

E. H. Moorehouse & Co., at Seventh and Alder. Telephone Main 1343.

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EXCEPTIONS FILED IN BAN'S BIG SUIT

In the United States circuit court this morning S. Ban filed a bill of exceptions to the defendants' answer in the suit brought by Ban against the Columbia Southern railway, A. E. Hammond, Archie Mason and the New York Security & Trust company. The exceptions are on technical points. The matter is set for hearing January 6, 1904.

Ban, who is a Japanese contractor, furnished laborers for the construction of the Columbia Southern railway, and declares that there is still due him $25,365.86, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent since July 10, 1900. He also asks $6,000 for attorney's fees and $54 for other incidental expenses in the filing of papers. Wallace McCamant appeared for the plaintiff this morning.

BOARD OF TRADE PUSHING THE FAIR

A special meeting of the board of trade was held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and passed resolutions asking congress to pass the appropriation for the Lewis and Clark exposition, now before it, and also to arrange for a government exhibit at the fair.

All the indications at present are that the banquet of the board of trade January 6 will be a great success. All the prominent commercial men of the city have been invited to attend. In addition to a speech by Governor Chamberlain and the mayor, there will be speaking by many prominent men, among whom A. L. Craig, of the O. R. & N, has promised to speak.

SNOW DELAYS EASTERN TRAINS

Northern Pacific train No. 3, from the East, due at 7 a. m., will arrive this evening 12 hours late. Local employes of the company say that the delay is due to snow in the Dakotas and the North generally. Up to this time Portland lines have this winter brought their trains in on time generally, and the snow has so far caused but slight delay. The Southern Pacific morning train from San Francisco, due at 7:30 o'clock, arrived on time, but a second section of this train will not arrive before late this afternoon, being delayed by snow in the Siskiyou range.

CHIEFLY PERSONAL

M. P. Benton, agent for the Burlington on the sound, was in Portland last night.

State Senator M. A. Miller of Lebanon was registered at the Perkins yesterday afternoon.

Representative N. Whealdon of The Dalles is registered at the Perkins.

M. G. Royal, an attorney from Olympia, is in Portland.

D. A. McCarty, a local cattle buyer, has returned from a trip to Eastern Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Guichard of Walla Walla are registered at the Portland. Mr. Guichard is a prominent business man of the Garden City.

Grand Opening Friday Evening.

Cosgrove's concert orchestra will open the entertainment season of the Order of Washington in the Catholic Foresters' hall, 326½ Washington street, tomorrow evening. A superb company of 10 graduate musicians will render a musical program lasting two hours, after which they will furnish music by the entire orchestra for the social enjoyment of those attending. All are invited. Admission 50 cents.

Grand Ball

Tonight, given by Professor Eaton at Arion hall. Gentlemen 50c, ladies free. New class January 4 and continue Monday and Thursday evenings of each week.

RECEIVING HOSPITAL IN GREAT DEMAND

CHIEF OF POLICE HUNT EXPLAINS THE GREAT NECESSITY FOR SUCH AN ESTABLISHMENT—THE CONVENIENCE COULD BE PROVIDED FOR $250 TO $300.

"If they will give me the authority I can fix up an emergency hospital on the third floor of the city jail," said Chief of Police Hunt yesterday.

"It will probably take from $250 to $300 to make the necessary changes and to install the conveniences which will be needed. Of course for this sum nothing elaborate can be furnished, but the ward will have all that is needed. I submitted plans some time ago, and now as soon as I get the word I can go ahead and make the changes.

"Among other things it is necessary to have a padded cell where delirium tremens patients can be cared for. In a padded cell they will be unable to hurt themselves, and in such a place all articles with which they might harm themselves can be taken from them. It is essential that we have a padded cell. Then the plumbing must be fixed and changed, and we will have to provide a bed, an operating table and whatever else is needed."

The reason for placing the ward on the third floor of the jail is that there is no other story where there is room. It was suggested that the detectives turn over their room in the second story, but Chief Hunt would not permit this. On the upper floor there is more ventilation, less noise and confusion, besides more light. All these advantages, combined with the fact that on the third floor alone can room be found for the ward, compels its establishment on that floor.

An illustration occurred yesterday showing the need of the hospital. Early in the day a man was taken with an epileptic fit on a streetcar. An officer took him to the station after the sick man recovered his senses on the street. The victim of the fit was still ill, but he said he could leave. There was danger of his having another fit and probably injuring himself severely, but the police had no place to keep him. In many emergency cases a ride to the hospitals in the patrol wagon might prove fatal. Under the proposed conditions those injured will have immediate attention at the station.

AT THE THEATRES

"FOXY GRANDPA" TONIGHT.

Who has not heard of "Foxy Grandpa" and the boys, the musical comedy which opens an engagement of three nights with matinees New Year's day and Saturday?

There are no dull moments in "Foxy Grandpa." The ear and eye are kept busy all the time. There are new songs set to music that appeals to the listener, lively dances that command the constant attention of the auditor and excellent specialty acts that prove an agreeable diversion. "Foxy Grandpa," an old gentleman with a warm affection for his grandsons, is continually enticed into mischief by the two boys, but manages to turn the laugh on them at almost every turn. Joseph Hart plays "Foxy Grandpa." Miss Carrie De Mar appears as Polly.

"A TRIP TO CHINATOWN."

Isn't Campbell the funniest fellow you have seen in a long time, and isn't Miss Starr a stunning widow? Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown," the present bill at the Empire, gives both ample opportunities. The company will finish the week at the house and will give a special matinee tomorrow, New Year's day.

AT THE ARCADE.

Every act on the Arcade bill this week entertains. Swor Bros. furnish the comedy element with clever dailect songs and stunts. Raymond and Clark, two popular singers of parody songs, are greeted five times a day with laughter. Bessie Southwick, a pretty soubrette, dazzles her audiences.

"WAY DOWN EAST."

Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock the advance sale of seats will open for "Way Down East," which comes to the Marquam Grand theatre next Monday night, January 4, for one week, with matinee Wednesday and Saturday. "Way Down East" appeals not to a limited class, but to everybody with a spark of sympathy, a liking for an interesting story and a relish for clean, wholesome fun.

AT THE WINTER GARDEN.

"Crowded to the doors" is about the way to describe the Winter Garden, the new amusement resort at Third and Morrison streets. The continuous entertainment offered by the management is clever and clean. Twenty-eight vaudeville acts are on the program, presented by the best performers obtainable.

"SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL."

"School for Scandal," which is probably the most brilliant comedy of its kind in the English language, is receiving great praise for its excellent production by the Baker company this week. There will be matinees both tomorrow and Saturday.

NEXT WEEK AT THE BAKER.

"The Ironmaster," which opens at the Baker on Sunday afternoon, is one of those powerful society dramas in which the Baker theatre company is always at its best. It runs all next week, with the usual matinees Sunday and Saturday.

"A MODERN MAGDALEN."

Jessie Shirley in "A Modern Magdalen," will open at Cordray's theatre next Sunday afternoon. The engagement will continue for a week. All the original scenery from the Bijou theatre, New York, will be used.

"IN CONVICT STRIPES."

A special New Year's matinee performance of "In Convict Stripes" will be given at Cordray's theatre. The play is one of the old-time melodramas and is drawing large houses.

UNION TO BURY DAILY.

The members of the local union of the United Brotherhood of Leatherworkers had charge of the funeral of Samuel Daily, which took place from Finley's chapel at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Daily committed suicide in an East Side lodging house Monday, leaving a note blaming his wife for his suicide. Friends say that she is a hard working, respected woman. She is now near Lowell, Wash., it is said. Interment will be in Lone Fir cemetery.

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NEW YEAR WATCHES IN CHURCH AND HALL

YEAR 1904 TO BE GREETED WITH PRAYER AND SONG, MUSICAL AND LITERARY ENTERTAINMENTS, BALLS AND REFRESHMENTS—USUAL RESOLUTIONS.

City hall, the courthouse, the federal court, the custom-house, the docks and most of the stores will be closed all day tomorrow. Barber shops will close at noon. The money-order department of the postoffice will remain closed all day tomorrow. All the other departments will close at 10 a. m. One delivery of mail will be made in the forenoon.

Railroad offices and headquarters, including local ticket offices, will observe New Year's day as thoroughly as they did Christmas. All offices will close during the day, and only the telegraphers and men actually needed in the work of operation will report for duty. With the holiday rush, pay day, the close of the year's business and compilation of annual reports, the local officials have been busy the past few weeks, and the usual lull is now apparent.

Elks' Christmas Tree.

Portland lodge, No. 142, B. P. O. E., will entertain its members and visiting friends this evening at Elks' hall. A Christmas tree with presents for the "boys" has been arranged, and a vaudeville entertainment and spread will add to the enjoyment and comfort of the assembled ones. The social session will follow the regular lodge meeting, and will commence about 10:30 o'clock. Richard Clinton, exalted ruler of Portland lodge, will preside at the meeting. On the committee on arrangements are W. M. Davis, C. N. Rankin, W.W. Bretherton, Sig Wertheimer and Judge Alex Sweek.

Watch Night Services.

Watchnight exercises, services and entertainments will take place tonight, New Year's eve, in many churches and societies. There and elsewhere there will be the customary turning over of "new leaves" and making of good resolutions, and downtown in sundry brilliantly-lighted and convivial places will be a last clicking of glasses at the eleventh hour and eleventh minute. "While the old year lies a-dying," followed by the usual "swear-offs." "Ring out the old; ring in the new." Farewell 1903; hail 1904; and Happy New Year to all.

Signals from Observatory.

The United States naval observatory will send out on New Year's eve a series of telegraphic time signals, according to the plan followed daily at noon, to mark the commencement of the new year. These signals will commence at 11:55 o'clock p. m., December 31, and with the customary pauses continue for five minutes, when the final signal marking the new year will be given.

Will Burn a Note.

Mizpah Presbyterian church, East Thirteenth and Powell streets, will burn a promissory note representing an indebtedness of the church building fund, which has been provided for by recent subscriptions, at a watchnight meeting.

Union Baptist Services.

Union watchnight services will be held in the First Baptist church, corner of Twelfth and Taylor streets, beginning at 9 o'clock. During the social hour, from 10 to 11, light refreshments will be served in the lower room. Rev. Mr. George Robert Cairns of Seattle will be present and give a Bible reading during the first hour and preach the closing sermon between 11 and 12 o'clock. The chorus choir will assist with appropriate music. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these services.

At St. Mary's Cathedral.

The musical program New Year's day at St. Mary's cathedral, at 10:30 a. m., will be the same as Christmas day, Poniatowsky's mass in F will be sung with a large chorus under the direction of Mr. N. C. Zan. The soloists are Miss Fowler, Mrs. Reed, Mr. Belcher and Mr. Zan, with Miss McGinn as organist.

Celebration at Holy Rosary.

The beginning of the new year will be most appropriately celebrated by the Dominican Fathers. They will celebrate four masses, at the following hours: 6, 7 and 8 a. m., and a solemn high mass at 9 a. m., by the Rev. Father J. D. O'Brien, O. P., it being the 11th anniversary of his first holy mass. The full male choir will be present to do honor becoming the occasion.

At Danish Lutheran Church.

New Year's services will be held at the Danish Lutheran church, Thirteenth and Glisan streets, Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Bishop O'Reilly at St. Mary's.

Right Rev. Bishop C. J. O'Reilly is in Portland from Baker City. He will celebrate pontifical high mass at St. Mary's church, Albina, New Year's day at 10:30 a. m. Bishop O'Reilly was formerly pastor of this diocese.

Fourth Presbyterian.

Evangelistic meetings at Fourth Presbyterian church, First and Gibbs streets, will begin with watchnight services, Thursday.

Mount Olivet Baptist.

At Mount Olivet Baptist church, Seventh and Everett streets, meetings will begin early in the evening.

First Presbyterian.

Following the custom observed for several years, the First Presbyterian church will hold a sunrise prayer meeting Friday morning at 7:45 o'clock. In former years these meetings have been well attended.

The Y. W. C. A.

The Young Women's Christian association has no plans for the observance of New Year's day, but all young women visiting the rooms will be cordially welcomed and made to feel at home.

The Y. M. C. A.

At the Y. M. C. A. the rooms will be open as usual, but there will be no special observance of New Year's day.

Clark Methodist.

The Clark M. E. church will not join in the union watch services at the Taylor-street Methodist church, but will hold its own services tonight.

Elks Will Watch.

A watch-night entertainment for Elks only will be held in Elks' hall tonight. Elaborate preparations have been made and there will be something doing both before, at and after the old year is bade good-bye forever and the new year receives the glad hand. All Elks visiting in the city are invited.

Caledonian Club Celebration.

The Caledonian club has made preparations for a merry time, beginning at 8:30 o'clock this evening. It will be a "bogmanay" entertainment and dance to be given at Artisan's hall, 106 Third street. The Scotch people will be there in force. An attractive program has been arranged, after which there will be a dance.

Quarterly Meeting.

The Portland circuit quarterly meeting of the Free Methodist church will be held January 1-3, in the church at 333 East Ninth street, corner of Mill street, and will be conducted by District Elder W. Pearce.

Colored People Celebrate.

The colored citizens will celebrate the signing of the emancipation proclamation on Friday evening at the A. M. E. Zion church, corner of Fifteenth and Main streets. Mr. J. P. Kavanaugh will deliver the address on this occasion. A musical and literary program will be given under the auspices of the Paul Lawrence Dunbar literary society. The G. A. R. has been invited.

Volunteers of America.

Volunteers of America will hold watch night service at their hall, 83 North Second street, near Everett, tonight. Captain Anderson will first hold a street meeting at corner Second and Burnside at 10 p. m., and at 11 p. m. the meeting will start inside. Volunteers will hold two meetings New Year's day, one at 3 p. m. and one at 8 p. m. All welcome.

Union Watch-Night Meeting.

In place of the regular 7:30 o'clock prayer meeting, a union watch-night meeting will be held at the First Methodist Episcopal church, corner Taylor and Third streets. The meeting will begin at 9 o'clock p. m., in the lecture room of the church. All the Methodist churches of the city, except those that have provided for a meeting of their own congregations at that hour, are to unite in this service. Besides this, an earnest invitation to attend this meeting is extended to all people who have no duties elsewhere at that time.

DIES ALONE IN LODGING HOUSE

After a protracted spree, Sing Fat, a Chinese laborer, 52 years of age, died alone in the Central lodging house, Second and Burnside streets, last night. The body was found at 8 o'clock this morning and was taken in charge by Coroner Finley, who believes that the excessive use of intoxicating liquor was the cause of death. Sing Fat engaged the room last night, being taken to the lodging house by several of his countrymen. He appeared to be drunk at the time. An hour or two latter another Chinaman called to see him and then he was left alone. He was lying on the bed partly undressed with his feet on the floor. Two empty gin bottles were in the room. In the dead man's pocket was his certificate of residence showing that he was admitted to this country 19 years ago.

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MORE SALOON MEN ARE IN POLICE NET

Christopher Simpson, who keeps a saloon at Third and Taylor streets and Fred Fritz, proprietor of the saloon and variety theatre at Second and Burnside streets, have been arrested for violating the closing ordinance. Both cases were called in the police court yesterday. Simpson forfeited $25 bail and the other case was continued.

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Many,
Many of Them
On this, the last of the old year, we wish to extend our heartfelt greeting to all our old friends and our new ones. We thank you for the patronage we have received during the past year, and extend you the greetings of the season. May you prosper in all is the fervent wish of
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