TOWN TOPICS

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS.

Marquam Grand	Dark
Cordray's	"The Ensign"
Baker	"Twirly Whirly"
Arcade	Vaudeville
Lyric	Vaudeville

City Auditor Thomas C. Devlin was busy yesterday sending out copies of the mayor's message and municipal reports of the city for 1903. The message and reports are in book form, and fill 404 printed pages. The book, which is being sent to the mayors of the leading cities of the United States, contains Mayor George H. Williams' annual message, the street railway franchises granted by this city, and the reports of the following municipal officers: Auditor, treasurer, engineer, attorney, health commissioner, inspector of plumbing and drainage, chief of police, municipal judge, civil service commission, street cleaning and sprinkling department, park board, library board, chief of fire department, corporation yardkeeper, superintendent fire alarm system, water board and harbor master.

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James McCann, a bartender at the Fashion saloon, in the north end of the city, was arrested early yesterday morning by Patrolmen Courtney and Jones upon complaint of A. C. Rothrock, who alleged he was knocked down in that saloon and robbed of $20. On the witness stand in the municipal yesterday morning, the complainant was intoxicated and told a very rambling story, but the defendant was held in the sum of $200, and his case will be concluded next Tuesday.

Tomorrow's election will doubtless convince a good many Portland people that Tom Word's good reputation is worth something when it comes to running for office. The people of Portland, unless all signs fail, will give him a telling plurality in his contest for the sheriff's office. Then he will turn around and make them so good an officer that they will be glad of it the longest day they live.

Don't miss the game this afternoon between Albany and Roseburg, of Oregon State league. Howard and Lewis will constitute the battery for Albany, while Reed and Morrow will officiate for Roseburg. Reed is a Portland boy, and Howard hails from Vancouver. A good game is a sure thing. Recreation Park, Twenty-fourth and Vaughn streets. Game called at 3 p. m. Usual admission.

Chief of Police Hunt and Detective Joe Day are wondering what District Attorney William Travers Jerome of New York meant when he wired to them yesterday for information as to the criminal record of the past 15 years of Alfred Childs. Immediate reply was sent, but no further word has been heard of the matter.

It being rumored around town last evening that some enthusiastic Stott man stood at Turn Halle bar panting to bet $500 that Word would not be elected, S. C. Armitage started out on the trail of the Stott enthusiast, but up to this writing has not been able to smoke him out. Mr. Armitage still has his $500 in his jeans.

Why not get a bottle today? It will certainly cure you, as it did and does others. There is not another remedy in the world possessing such remarkable curative properties as Wahoo Tonic does for the stomach, bowels, kidneys and liver. It positively cures chronic constipation and is a most excellent general tonic and strength-giver.

Don't forget Tom Word when you vote tomorrow. He will not forget you when he takes upon himself the sheriff's duties. Mr. Word is not an ingrate. He remembers his friends—and will not forget to give the taxpayers surcease from many of the burdens they have borne in the years that have passed away.

Tomorrow's vote will tell exactly how many persons desire the sheriff's office to be conducted as business men conduct their affairs. Every Tom Word vote will be a vote for that departure from the ordinary methods of the sheriff's office.

The best, newest and fastest steamer on the Columbia and Willamette rivers, the Charles R. Spencer, sails from foot of Washington street Monday, Wednesday and Friday for The Dalles and all way landings. Low passenger fares; quick dispatch of freight.

Regulator line steamers for The Dalles, Lyle, Hood River, St. Martin's and Collins' Hot Springs, Cascade Locks and all way points leave every morning (except Sunday), 7 o'clock, from Alder street dock. Best of meals. 'Phone Main 914.

Locksley Hall, Seaside, is now open for the season's business. This popular summer resort has been greatly improved since last year. Its old friends will find it more delightful than ever. Rates from $12 to $18 per week.

Excursions to Seaside every Sunday in June. Only $1.50 for round trip. Train leaves union depot 8 a. m.; returning leaves Seaside 5 p. m. A seat reserved for every passenger. Tickets, 248 Alder street and Union depot.

Mrs. L. H. Hart will give a free lecture and open meeting of the New Thought League, June 7, at 8 p. m. All New Thought readers and investigators are earnestly requested to attend. Room 207 Allsky building.

The A. B. C. Delicatessen and lunch room, 386 Morrison street, serves every day home cooked hot lunch for 25 cents. Sells over the counter home cooked meats, pies, whole wheat bread, cake and York's home made candy.

We have a 52-room house on Sixth street which has been newly refurnished, clearing $250 per month. You can buy this part cash, balance payments. Square Deal Brokerage Co., 129 Seventh street.

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C. E. Walborn, 284 Second street, careful furniture packer. Hood 1677. Call up.

Epicures patronize the Savoy. Opposite old postoffice on Fifth street.

Wise Bros., dentists, the Failing bldg.

J. J. WHITNEY FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

J. J. Whitney, Democratic nominee for district attorney in the Third judicial district, has served for two terms in

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that office. As a prosecuting officer he has earned an enviable reputation and ranks high as a criminal lawyer throughout the state.

He has also served the people of Linn county for a term of four years as county judge and has filled other positions of public trust.

THE PRIMARY LAW.

It Will Relieve the People From the Evil of Bosses.

From The Dalles Chronicle.

The direct primary law is not a political measure, and yet it is of more importance to the people generally than the supremacy of either party. It is an attempt to free the voter from the domination of bosses and conventions governed by the political machine. This is an evil that is alike prevalent with Democrats and Republicans. In states, counties, cities or precincts where any party is in a majority these despicable methods have been adopted. It prevails in New York city, where the Democratic party controls affairs, to the same extent as in Philadelphia, where Republicans dictate the municipal policy. The same is true of almost every state, county and city in the union.

The evil is universal all over the country, and has been the means of destroying the purity of the ballot and the freedom of the voter. It has become so general that there is a wide spread demand for an immediate remedy, and patriots have been devising means to eradicate this menace to free institutions. While politicians can perpetuate their sway the offices are under their control, and may be given to favorites or sold to the highest bidder. Under such a system there is no free expression of the popular will at the ballot box, and the result of elections, even before the primaries, are as easily determined as the solution of a mathematical equation.

If the primary can be made subservient to the boss, the nominating concention will readily respond to his dictation. This is distinctly understood when the primary ticket is voted, and everything is adjusted to accomplish the desired purpose. Using a symbolism, politics has become a perfect machine, with every wheel in place, and every cog responsive to its counterpart.

The direct primary law will bring the nominations home to the voters, and do away with primary elections of delegates and nominating conventions. In states where it has been in operation it has been very beneficial in ridding politics of many abuses and in making the ballot the expression of the popular will. It will do the same in Oregon, and all citizens know such a reformation is greatly needed in every county and city of this state. The domination of party bosses has long been suffered by our people, but it is hoped by the passage of this law a new era in politics will be inaugurated in Oregon and the people will resume the reins of government.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF CONSTRUCTION ROBERTS SENT HERE TO INSPECT 1905 GROUNDS, IS SAID TO APPROVE LOCATION FOR U. S. BUILDINGS.

Although J. W. Roberts, government superintendent of construction at San Francisco, who is here inspecting the site of the Lewis and Clark fair, has said nothing for or against the exposition grounds, it is the opinion among fair officials that he is very much pleased with the location.

Mr. Roberts' coming to Portland was the result of a request from Director-General H. W. Goode to Washington officials. Reports had been circulated at the capital city that the site allotted for the government buildings was on lands that overflowed annually. In order to prove that these stories were false, Mr. Goode asked that some one be sent here to inspect the grounds and make a report.

Came Here Quietly.

Although local fair officials had been expecting Mr. Roberts for several days, he slipped into Portland quietly, and is said to have been in the city nearly a day before he met any of the Lewis and Clark officers. He was here three days, and most of his time has been spent in taking surveys and making levels of the fair grounds, and consulting with members of the United States engineers corps here. Mr. Roberts learned that the island on the grounds has overflowed but once during the past score of years, and that it is above the level of the local customs house.

"Mr. Roberts has seen the lake at its very worst," said D. Curtis Freeman, private secretary to Director-General Goode, this morning, "and if the fair directors had wished to conceal anything from the government officials they surely would not have invited an inspection of the site at this time. The river is now at its highest point, and Mr. Roberts can easily see that there is no danger of the grounds being overflowed during the exposition.

"Then, again, the dredging of Guild's lake is far from being completed. If this was finished the island, regarding which so many queer yarns have been told, would appear higher above the surface of the water than it does at the present time. Accompanied by Director of Works Oscar Huber, Mr. Roberts paid several visits to the exposition grounds during the past two days, and although he will not state his opinions of the site before his report is sent in to Washington, the visiting superintendent of construction has given us the impression that he is very much pleased with the grounds, and especially that portion of them that has been set aside for the government buildings."

WILLIAM GALLOWAY HAS FINE RECORD

William Galloway, Democratic nominee for judge in the Third judicial district, is a pioneer of 1852, having located in Yamhill county with his pa-

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rents in that year. He was educated in the public schools and at Willamette university.

Representing Yamhill county in the legislatures of 1874, 1878 and 1880, he was active in legislation during those eventful years, and was chairman of the ways and means committee when a number of state buildings were under construction. He has served 12 years on the state board of agriculture, and was president of the board for four years.

He has figured prominently in state affairs, and was judge of Yamhill county from 1890 to 1894. He left the office with the county free of debt. In 1894, he was the Democratic nominee for governor, but was defeated by Judge Lord. He served as receiver of the United States land office at Oregon City, for over six years, having been appointed in February, 1896. During that time he handled nearly $1,000,000, without the loss of a cent to the government or its patrons.

He takes great interest in farming, at his Morningside orchard farm near McMinnville.

R. W. MONTAGUE FOR THE LEGISLATURE

Richard Ward Montague was born and brought up in northern Iowa. He was graduated in 1883 from the academic department of the state university of

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Iowa and later from the law school of the same institution. Although of the strongest Republican antecedents and in a community where Republicanism was intense and all but unanimous he cast his first vote, in 1884, for Grover Cleveland. In 1887 he went to New York City where he remained three years, and in 1890 removed to Portland, where he has since continuously resided and practiced law. He was a working member of the charter board and has been for the past two years secretary of the Democratic state committee, but has not before been a candidate for office.

Local Option.

Grants Pass, June 4.—To the Editor of The Journal—If a verdict could be had from each individual I doubt if there is a man in Oregon who would not admit that the sale of liquor is a pernicious business.

The heavy tax imposed on the traffic brands it is an outlaw in business. No other business could pay such license and exist. If the hardware merchant was compelled to fix prices to meet a high license such as this, we would return to the latch and string, leather door hinges, and the kettle would sing merrily from a crane in the fireplace as of yore. But who ever heard a kick at the liquor man's bill. Every business sanctioned by law should be an honorable one, and if the saloon is such, no just reason exists for exhorbitant taxation.

There being no legal excuse for the high liquor license, it follows that all above a normal business tax is blood money, drawn by municipal ordinances from a nefarious traffic, a mesalliance of the people with the vendors of a poison worse than the breath of hell, in order to lighten the burden of a just taxation.

This is the kind of money to the tune of $140,000 per annum which the Oregonian is lamenting will be lost to Portland if the wave of local option should purge the city. Does our municipalities, our counties, states, and hence the United States, depend on a high saloon tax or any saloon tax at all to save them from financial ruin? Show us a dullard so dense as to believe there is no other source to raise money for street improvements except through a high saloon tariff. Such flimsy claims are born of greed and emenate from those who by various, mysterious, and devious ways gather a few crumbs from this vile source of revenue.

Aside from the corrupt influence of the whisky ring in politics, and the curse it brings to the consumer and to those associated with him, there is no sane excuse, morally or physically, for men to imbibe needless quantities of liquor.

Shall we support a traffic that causes a man to sell his franchise for a drink of whisky?

Can an influence of this nature give anything but an unsavory odor to politics? The counts are enough to show any right-minded man why he should vote local option. If it fails it will be because a majority have not the courage to vote their convictions.

The writer is strictly non-partisan and non-sectarian, therefore the above sentiments are not influenced by a religious or political bias, but are born of a desire to see a reformation in our moral and political status.

It has been suggested to me that the expressions are too strong, that for policy's sake the remedy should be administer in Homeopathic (sugar coated) doses. This lukewarm apathetic attitude will defeat the objective in all reform movements.

Local option is a step in the right direction, destined with proper support to eliminate the evil influence of the liquor traffic in politics.

J. L. MALLORY.

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Oregon Dairy and Food Commissioner—S. M. Douglas, Lane county.

First Congressional District.

Congress—R. M. Veatch, Lane county.

Second Congressional District.

Congress—J. E. Simmons, Multnomah county.

Judicial.

Circuit Judge, Department No. 1—G. W. Allen.

Circuit Judge, Department No. 3—Mark O'Neill.

District Attorney—John Manning.

County.

Joint State Senator, Multnomah, Washington and Columbia Counties—J. T. Milner.

State Senator, to fill vacancy—Isaac Swett.

State Senators—A. F. Flegel, Frederick V. Holman, John Lamont, George W. Simons.

Representatives—Robert Brady, W. L. Brewster, Arthur Brock, E. R. Clary, P. P. Dabney, D. M. Donaugh, N. H. Grafton, J. G. Meybrunn, R. W. Montague, J. A. Newell, John Van Zante, Oglesby Young.

Joint Representative, Multnomah and Clackamas Counties—J. E. Hedges.

Commissioner—John Sleret.

Sheriff—Tom M. Word.

Clerk—Frank Lee.

Treasurer—W. H. Lesh.

Assessor—D. F. Campbell.

School Superintendent—H. W. Herron.

Surveyor—R. C. Bonser.

Coroner—J. W. Morrow.

Portland Justice of the Peace District.

For Justice of the Peace — E. H. Cahalin.

Constable—William Miller.

East Portland Justice of the Peace District.

Justice of the Peace—C. A. White.

Constable—J. M. Freilinger.

Mt. Tabor Justice of the Peace District.

Constable—D. P. Lang.

Multnomah Justice of the Peace District

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