

TOWN TOPICS

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS... Tonight's amusements... Various listings for local events and shows.

Homer Hallock, a local newspaper man, has been appointed traveling representative of the bureau of excursions for the Lewis and Clark exposition.

At the Memorial Evangelical church, corner of East Eighteenth and Tibbets streets at 2:30 p. m. today, a great mass meeting of the Young People's alliance of Portland and surrounding towns will be addressed by the able and eloquent Rev. J. H. Lamb of Cleveland, Ohio.

A general invitation has been extended to railway conductors and their wives to attend the reception at Elks' hall in the Marquam building Tuesday afternoon in honor of the delegates to the annual convention of the Order of Railway Conductors, which begins in this city on Wednesday.

Baseball: Baseball! Today 2 p. m., 24th & Vaughn, Schillers vs. University Park. Local championship, admission 25c. Ladies admitted free.

Oregon City river trips—A pleasing scenic river ride, restful, charming and comfortable. A delightful outing for little money. Sunday boat leaves Taylor street dock 11:30 a. m., 3:30 p. m., leaves Oregon City 1:30 and 5 p. m. Round trip 25 cents.

50,000 Immigrants Wanted—To locate along the Oregon Water Power & Railway company's line between Portland and Etawaca. For information inquire of the Oregon Water Power & Railway company, 134 First street. Phone, Main 216.

S. D. Bristow, traveling auditor of the Wells Fargo company, is greatly impressed with the exposition, and expressed surprise that it was so near completion. Mr. Bristow is one of the oldest of Wells Fargo's employees.

Concert—Given under direction of Miss Ella Frances Huberg, Tuesday evening, May 22, Y. M. C. A. auditorium, Fourth and Yamhill. Reserved seats 50c and 75c.

The "Passion Play" as performed by the peasants of Mt. Horitz every 10 years will be given at St. Patrick's Catholic church at 8:15 p. m. today and tomorrow.

Window screens at wholesale price; screen doors 3 plain, 50 cents; fancy screen doors, 75c. 14, any kind, 17c. Portland, Wash and Door Co., 239 First street, near Main.

We are still fitting those \$2.50 glasses for you. If you need glasses it will be to your interest to call on Metzger & Co., jewelers and opticians, 131 Sixth street.

In none of the suburbs is more beautiful going on than in K. P. P. on the Mount Scott line. Choice lots are still for sale on \$3 monthly payments.

Antique mahogany furniture for sale. Fine upholstery and repairing. S. Z. Mosser, 48 and 50 North Tenth street. Phone Main 1924.

"Fair Pitfalls for Young Women." Dr. Brougher to young people tonight at the White Temple. Baptism, "Glory" chorus.

Comforters tacked, 50c; quilts quilted, \$1 per spool. By Ladies' Aid First Christian church. Phone No. 2192.

\$1,000 reward for any adulterations found in Oregon Grape or Pacific Cream.

Dr. L. M. Thornton, dentist, 302 Marquam building. Phone Main 684.

Prize walk, Cedar park Sunday, dancing afternoon and evening.

The Journal asks who's who's who? Ansley Printing Co., 250 Oak.

BIG ELECTRIC CRANE FOR THE EXPOSITION Under the direction of W. H. Corbett of the Willamette Iron & Steel works, a mammoth electric crane is being installed in the machinery and electricity building at the fair. It will be one of the most interesting sights in the exposition, and will serve a useful purpose from the minute it is completed.

WHERE TO DINE. All the delicacies of the season at the Portland restaurant. Private apartments for parties, 202 Washington, near Fifth.

N. C. Branden, new grill, 108 Sixth street, will serve a fine table dote dinner for 50 cents, from 12 m. to 9 p. m.

LOW PRICED SEASON TICKETS TO THE EXPOSITION In response to the overwhelming demand upon Lewis and Clark Exposition Headquarters yesterday, it has been decided to afford another opportunity to the public to buy Commutation Tickets. A special sale will be reopened for a period of 15 days only, beginning Monday morning at 8 o'clock, at Woodward, Clarke & Co.'s store, Fourth and Washington streets.

If the child is ever to learn the relative value of things, he must be taught that the bit of copper dropped into the bank is just as real as the stick of candy in his fist, and a deal less harmful—a savings account is an educator.

WE PAY 4 PER CENT INTEREST

Oregon Savings Bank Capital \$100,000

MRS. STONE'S DEATH WAS DUE TO ACCIDENT

Blanche Tompkins Acquitted by Jury of Charge of Murdering Her Roommate.

After having been out nearly three hours the jury in the case against Blanche Tompkins, indicted for murder in the second degree, returned a verdict of not guilty at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

CEGAR BOARDS WITH INTERESTING HISTORY

Two boards with an interesting history attached have been presented to the Oregon Historical society. In 1828 Ashland Clayton, a pioneer of southern Oregon, purchased a tract of land about 12 miles west of Roseburg on the North Umpqua river, on which is located a house, known as the poor farm.

1,000 Feet Above the City. Portland is nestled amid the most beautiful scenery in the world. Through its midst winds the Willamette river, upon whose bosom all manner of water craft may be seen, from the sportsman's tiny shell to the stately sloop that ply the wild waves of the furthestmost seas.

Dancing at Canemah Park Pavilion. This afternoon and evening, round trip rate 25 cents. Park open to the public.

SHADOW OF FRAUD ON THE TILES

Prominent Portland Men May Be Indicted for Stealing School Arceage

STARTLING EVIDENCE FOR THE GRAND JURY

Methods by Which the Grabbers Gained Possession of Valuable Tracts.

If the Multnomah county grand jury considers important evidence gathered for its consideration, it is confidently declared that indictments will be returned against several prominent residents of this city for complicity in the state school land frauds.

New light is thrown upon the methods of the general land office transactions, returned during the administration of Blinger Herman as land commissioner. The evidence demonstrates, fresh and beyond question that advance information as to contemplated reserves was secretly sold to speculators by some one in the general land office.

CONGRESSMEN WILL BE HERE LATE IN JUNE

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MAINLY PERSONAL. A. S. Froslid of Seaside, a prominent lumberman, is registered at the Imperial. Dr. C. E. Loomis of Eugene is in the city on a brief stay.

A. O. U. W. Assessment Plans. The new plans of assessment and the various options applicable to members according to age will be thoroughly explained at meeting of Industry lodge No. 8, tomorrow (Monday) evening. A large attendance is expected.

For Sale. Hardwood floors for all kinds of rooms in all kinds of buildings. For old houses as well as new. Eastern oak laid and finished from \$1.44 per square yard up.

Y. M. C. A. DEFEATS O. R. & N. The Y. M. C. A. team defeated the O. R. & N. baseball team yesterday for the second time, the score being 5 to 12.

No Efforts to Check Fraud. The results are sensational. The evidence clearly establishes that at least three-fourths of all school lands purchased under the Lewis and Clark observatory, through most glaring frauds.

State May Get Back Land. In addition to the criminal proceedings already instituted in Marion county and those expected in this county, suits will be brought for the recovery of much of the land of which the state has been robbed.

Will Try to Recover Lands. It is understood that the attorney general will commence suit in the near future for the recovery of about 15,000 acres of land held by the Abaquia Lumber company.

The original applications for the purchase of this land were made by wagon known resident of Portland, who were induced by Pater to make the purchases. They made the usual affidavit that they were buying for their own use and benefit, but Pater was adroit enough to see

For Rent Stores

In New Building on 26th Street

Facing Main Entrance and Exit of Lewis & Clark Fair.

APPLY

B. M. Lombard 514 Chamber of Commerce or 393 1/2 26th Street

care from them at the same time assignments in blank of their claims. Acting as their agent, Pater went to Salem, filed the applications and paid the first installment of the purchase price.

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ELABORATE ANNUAL OF JEWISH TRIBUNE

The second annual number of the Jewish Tribune is one of the most elaborate numbers that has been issued by a local publishing house this season.

GRAND CONCERT TO BE GIVEN FOR CONDUCTORS

A grand concert will be given at Festival hall at the Lewis and Clark fair grounds this afternoon by the Order of Railway Conductors.

25c Buys a Good Opaque Cloth Window Shade Tomorrow Only

Covell's Formerly New York Furniture Store 184-6 FIRST ST.

OREGON LUMBERMEN HAVE ORGANIZED

State Manufacturers Will Seek to Include Brethren in Sister States.

PHILIP BUEHNER ELECTED HEAD OF ASSOCIATION

Simply Mutual Benefit Arrangements and Will Not Increase the Price of Product.

Fifty representatives of lumber mills met at the Portland hotel yesterday and effected an organization to be known as the Oregon Lumber Manufacturers' association.

Philip Buehner, treasurer of the Eastern & Western Lumber company, of this city, was elected president of the association, and five vice-presidents were elected as follows: L. J. Wentworth of Portland, W. R. Hume of Astoria, George H. Kelly of Eugene, C. W. Thompson of Cascade Locks and J. Simpson of North Bend.

The purposes of the association are said to be the adoption of uniform grades and prices. Those who attended deny that any action was taken or is contemplated that will in any way affect the price of lumber.

THE PHILADELPHIA Newly furnished apartments overlooking Pizza and Thompson Fountain. Hot and Cold water in rooms. Bath free to guests. Rates \$1.00 per day and up.

The Woodland (The Steel Residence.) Mrs. E. Shultz and Mrs. A. Brooks, Managers. 263 Sixth St., Cor. Madison. Phone Main 1250.

Hotel Estacada IN EFFECT FROM APRIL 25 Lodging and Breakfast \$1.25 Room and board per day \$2.00 Room and board per week \$10.00 Breakfast \$1.00 per week

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KNIGHT'S OPPOSITE PERKINS HOTEL Cor. Fifth and Washington Sts. Stylish, Sensible, Dret Kid, Lace, With Patent Leather Tip. Sizes 5 to 8, \$1.50 Per Pair. Sizes 8 1/2 to 11, \$2.25 Per Pair. Sizes 1 1/2 to 2, \$2.50 Per Pair.

Oriental Curio Sale Now is the time to buy all kinds of Japanese and Chinese curios. We are selling every article at a great reduction in order to make room for the arrival of new goods for the fair, consisting of silk, snow, kimono, pique purses, silver cloisonne vases, satsuma, fine brown decorated porcelain tea sets, matting, toys, etc.

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JOHN DELLAR, AT TWO STORES First and Yamhill and Third and Vaughn.