

TOWN TOPICS

At the meeting of the People's Forum to be held at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at Elker's hall in Marquam building...

The building known as Parsons hall, at Nineteenth and Washington streets, is being torn down and a flower garden will cover the site...

Under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Hill, "Feticoat Pericles" a clever parody on English society life, was given before the Women's club yesterday afternoon...

Mrs. C. H. Marsh died this morning at her home, 281 Thirtieth street, after an illness of three days. Mr. Marsh had left for New York only a few days ago on a business trip...

President Roosevelt said this week, "Smile the Corruptionist." This will be Dr. House's subject to the business men of this city next Sunday night...

Good Hunting on O. W. P.—Special tomorrow to Graham, 5c; including Estacada, 50c round trip. Dinner at Hotel Estacada, 75c. Cars leave First and Alder streets, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30, 1:30, 2:40, 5:44, and 7:15.

Fortland Tannery Parlor, 146 Park street, between Alder and Morrison, the only place in town where enchiladas, chile con carne with frioles, Mexican style, also the celebrated Frit's tamales, are made. Open from 12 m. to 11 p. m.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the county clerk's office of the Rose Wool Scouring & Manufacturing company. Thomas Rose, A. C. Mowrey and J. M. Nickum, the capital stock being \$75,000.

J. E. Caven, manager of the New York Empire theatre company, is in the city making arrangements for his company, which opens an engagement at the Empire Theatre commencing Sunday, November 18.

The journal agency at Salem has been transferred to I. D. Briver, Jr. The office is at 373 State street, telephone Main 120. Where all subscriptions, payments and complaints will be promptly attended to.

Evangelist Rogers is presiding at the Olive Branch Gospel Mission each evening. Mr. Rogers has been preaching at this mission since Wednesday evening, and many have professed conversion.

RECORD OF SHIPMENTS OF FLOUR AND GRAIN

Eight Big Liners Clear for the Orient, Carrying Valuable Cargoes. In Reckoning Sailing Vessels Which Have Cleared Are Not Considered and These Would Greatly Increase Total for the Month.

The work of loading the British steamships Oceanic and Auchenblair with grain and flour cargoes for Japan was completed this afternoon and the vessels probably will leave down in the morning. Approximately the Oceanic has on board 6,000 tons and the Auchenblair 5,000 and the two cargoes are worth almost \$400,000.

The steamship Algon cleared yesterday with a shipment valued at \$218,944. In addition to 1,482 steel rails which she brought from San Francisco, the steamer had on board 61,281 barrels of flour worth \$246,453 and \$7,836 bushels of wheat valued at \$23,120. The bulk of the cargo will be delivered to exporters in Hongkong, while a portion of it will be discharged at Japanese ports.

The month gives promise of being a record-breaker so far as the flour and grain exports are concerned. With the two tramp steamers which are now completing their cargoes there will be at least eight big liners to clear for the orient during October. The others are the Kelvinburg, Inman, Coudon, Knight, Errant, Algon and the Aragona, which will be ready to sail about Monday. It is estimated that the value of their cargoes will run considerably over the \$1,000,000 mark. In addition to these a number of sailing vessels have cleared with grain shipments which will increase the value of the exports a figure seldom reached at this or any other Pacific coast port.

MAPS SHOW DEPTH. Believed Pilots Did Not Know of Deep Channel at Mouth of River.

Maps showing the depth of water on the Columbia river bar were completed by the United States engineers last night and are being distributed today among those who are directly interested in shipping from this port. Bar pilots and sea captains also will be supplied with them.

The blueprints show that in a certain ship channel over the bar the depth of water at the shoalest point is 24 feet. In other channels frequently followed by ships there are certain localities where only 23½ feet of water was found. The former channel is about 400 feet wide and the engineers say is entirely ample to accommodate the largest vessels.

After they have been supplied with copies of the maps it is supposed that the pilots will be greatly benefited. It is the general supposition that they did not know anything about the existence of the deeper channel. A footnote on the maps reads: Soundings are approximately in feet and refer to the datum plane of the zero of the mean of the lower low waters at Fort Stevens wharf. The plane of the mean of the lower low waters at Fort Stevens wharf is approximately from half a foot higher than on the bar, which would reduce the depths shown that amount.

CAPTAIN A JUGGLER. His Skill Makes Gota Disappear and Broker Buys.

By means of a little sleight-of-hand performance, at which he is an adept, Captain Denker, master of the steamship Gota, has succeeded in winning numerous soda waters from his friends since his arrival in port. His latest victim is a well-known ship broker who went up against the skipper's performance.

Rev. D. A. Waters of the University Park Methodist church has just returned from a two weeks' vacation spent in the mountains and will preach in his church at the morning and evening services tomorrow.

Dr. Brougher's topics at the White Temple Sunday, 10:30, "A Universal Savior"; 7:30, "Put Yourself in His Place." Fine soloists, quartet and chorus. Baptists.

Rev. J. B. Fisher, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Thora Tonseth, Hunter station, Mount Taber.

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JAPAN TRADE LESS. This Is Given as Reason for Activity of European Importers.

Of the 16 grain carriers chartered on Thursday to load at Portland and on the coast for the United Kingdom, Balfour, Guthrie & Co. secured two—the British ship Garnet Hill and the French bark General De Bolla. It is also reported that they have the French ship Les Adopbes, but this has not been confirmed.

NAMES MADE PUBLIC. Shippers Were Much Interested to Learn What Two Ships Had Been Chartered.

British ship Kyanona, 1,799 tons. French bark General De Bolla, 1,740 tons. British ship Clan Graham, 1,976 tons. British ship St. Marango, 1,843 tons. British bark Marion Fraser, 2,344 tons. British bark Alice Marie, 1,733 tons. British bark Duferline, 2,775 tons. British bark Garnet Hill, 2,149 tons. French bark Eron, 1,771 tons. British bark Hougomona, 2,333 tons.

KILBURN ARRIVES. Vessel Which Suffered Serious Mishap Looks Well as Ever.

After an absence of more than two months, the steamer F. A. Kilburn again arrived in harbor last evening. She was chartered yesterday to load grain at Portland and to carry for the United Kingdom. It is a matter which they have been industriously trying to find out since the first report about the charter was received.

ALONG THE WATERFRONT. Although the work of loading her lumber cargo was completed several days ago, the German ship Arthur Pitger is still lying out in the stream off the North Pacific wharf.

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TONIGHT IS CONCERT NIGHT

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AN UNUSUAL SIGHT. When Business Seems a Little Slow Around Town, to Find One Place Crowded.

Now that the fair is closed business is expected to slow down a little, but the Hotel Oregon enjoys the distinction of being the one dining place in the city where often it is necessary to bring into play additional tables in order to accommodate its grill dinner patrons.

President Roosevelt's Request. Heeded by us and our first baby has arrived and more we hope will follow in due time. The Bijoux Sohmer Grand is a little darling, as one lady expressed it, and we are proud of it and invite all music-lovers to see it, hear it and play it.

LAST WEEK. Of the Free School. The ladies who have failed to attend Mrs. Harrier's lectures should do so this week, every day at 2:30. Hundreds have expressed themselves as being highly pleased with her work.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The Allen & Gilbert-Ramaker Co. invite you and your friends to a musical evening tonight. Miss Elizabeth Marvin, Violist. Miss Ada Williams, Violin. Mr. Carl Williams, Piano.

Evolution of Flour. Tests by chemists in government laboratories long since established the fact that the outer husk of the wheat berry contained no nutrition for the human system and also that it was indigestible by the stomach.

THE GRAND

Madame Wanda's Educated Gossip Dags. The Maloma. Shantall. Weston & Trux. The Grandioso. Fred Parslow.

THE STAR

The McDonaids. The Starlings. Leonard & Bernard. Billy Duran. The Starlings. The Starlings.

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Marquam Grand Theatre

ONLY TWO MORE PERFORMANCES. TOMORROW AT 8 O'CLOCK. Tomorrow Afternoon at 2 O'clock. Elmer & Erlanger's stupendous Production. General Law Wallace's Great Drama.

"Ben Hur"

Although the sale has been very large, good seats may be had at 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50. Seats now selling for the entire engagement.

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