

TOWN TOPICS

Marquam Grand... "The County Chairman" Empire... "A Runaway Girl"...

Instructions have been issued by Inspector Bruhn that hereafter all detectives must obey the rule requiring them to work during certain periods...

A meeting of the membership committee of the Portland chamber of commerce yesterday afternoon elected A. G. Reed chairman...

J. A. Willis reported to the police yesterday that his watch and chain had been stolen from his room at the Grand lodging-house...

The February number of The World Today contains an interesting sketch of George W. Boschke, engineer of the new sea wall at Galveston...

Presiding Judge Arthur L. Fraser yesterday issued an order enjoining G. W. Willett from taking further steps toward disposing of or patenting certain labor-saving devices...

G. A. Du Rette was awarded \$2,000 damages yesterday from the Pacific Mail Order company. He sued for this amount, alleging that he had paid for stock in the company...

Eugene Ormonde, for a time leading man at the Belasco theatre, is now leading man with Florence Roberts in a new play, "The Strength of the Weak"...

C. E. Jorgensen will build a five-story brick business structure at the southeast corner of Third and Main streets...

At a meeting of the banquet committee this afternoon arrangements for the Lincoln day banquet to be given at the Commercial club under the auspices of the Republican and the Young Men's Republican clubs...

At a meeting of the congregation of the First Baptist church last night the action of the prudential committee and board of trustees in raising the salary of Rev. J. W. Brougher to \$4,000 per year was unanimously ratified.

The state treasurer today received through S. T. Lockwood & Son of Portland a draft for \$2,568.33 in payment of the state taxes of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company...

THE CHESWICK HAT AT THREE DOLLARS IS UNEXCELLED HAT VALUE—WE GUARANTEE IT. SPRING STYLES NOW IN.

Hewett, Bradley & Co. 341 Washington

THE MOON IN SHADOW OF EARTH

That Was Why There Was an Eclipse of the Moon Last Night.

THEY BOTH TRAVEL BUT MOON OUTFRONS SHADOW

Dull Red Glow Caused by Refraction of Sun's Rays by Atmosphere of Earth—Thousands Stay Up Late to Watch Phenomenon.

C. A. Landsberger, Oregon's Pioneer German Newspaper Man, Who Died Yesterday.

The body of Daros H. Sherk, a young mining engineer and son of George W. Sherk, a prominent business man of Huntington, Oregon, who committed suicide in the Northern hotel at Seattle last Wednesday, will be brought to Portland this afternoon...

Buy for quality and don't waste your money. Cheap frames and pictures are even cheaper than their price. We have the kind you ought to put your money in. Our goods are all new, first-class and up to date...

Improve your yard. Don't you think a dozen fine rose bushes or flowering bulbs, a nice holly or ornamental shrub of some kind would improve the looks of your yard?

A party of five distinguished Chinese merchants and officials who are on a voyage to America to study trade conditions will be invited by the Portland board of trade to come to this city and be the guests of Portland's commercial bodies at an entertainment in their honor...

Revival services will be held every night this week and next at the First Christian church, Park and Columbia streets, by Dr. S. M. Martin, evangelist, of St. Louis. His subject tonight will be "Trust in God or Something." By request, he will repeat his sermon Sunday afternoon on "The Second Coming of Christ and the End of the World."

S. M. Meers, president of the Portland Cordage company, yesterday underwent a successful operation for appendicitis at St. Vincent's hospital. The illness attacked Mr. Meers without warning while he was attending a performance of opera at the Marquam Grand theatre Monday evening...

You may be planning to build a home. If so, you should go to the Yates Art company, Brown building, Hawthorne and Grand avenues, and get some of those beautiful pictures at lowest prices ever before sold on this coast.

Harry E. Northrup, son of Judge H. H. Northrup, has filed a declaration of his intention to become a candidate for representative in the state legislature. He promises to support for United States senator the Republican receiving the highest number of popular votes. Northrup is an attorney.

Edward Holman & Co., the leading funeral directors, have the finest establishment, the finest goods, the finest vehicles and the most reasonable prices. Fine broadcloth covered caskets, \$25 and \$30. The finest wood goods made, from \$12 to \$20. Parlors 220 and 223 Third St., cor. Salmon, Portland, Or.

Now is the time when a beautiful framed picture is most appreciated by your invalid friends. Isn't there some you ought to remember in this way? We'll deliver any kind you order, with your card. The Yates Art company, Brown building, Hawthorne and Grand avenues.

Prudent women are taking advantage of the low ebb of prices on all goods in our store. Pictures and frames bought now mean money saved—they are always good. The Yates Art company, Brown building, Hawthorne and Grand avenues.

Attention is called to the creditors' sale advertisement on page 5. The E. B. Brown company, who have charge of this sale, announce that the sale will begin Saturday at 9 a. m. Come early and get the choice.

J. M. Swinsky of the Baron's shoe store on Thursday returned from an extended trip through California. He reports lively business in that part of the country, but says there is no place like Portland.

Watches, Watches, Watches—On easy weekly payments, \$1 down, 50c per week. Don't go without a good time-piece. Metzger & Co., 111 Sixth street.

Professor Began's new term begins now. Ballroom, stage, fancy dances. To wait like I do will cost you \$1000.

Gold medals for lawn grass and sweet peas. Butter, sardines, 15¢ front. Dr. E. C. Brown, Eye-Ear. Marquam. Ask for Fritz's tamales.

400 Boys' Suits Go at \$2.35. The Salem Woolen Mill Store, 35 and 37 Third street, has sprung another sensation today by adding to their discount sale 400 boys' and children's suits in Norfolk and double-breasted styles; regular \$2.50 and \$3.00, at the phenomenally low price of \$2.35—an event which they predict will cheer the mothers of Portland looking to their store tomorrow.

The Meier & Frank Store. Open Tomorrow Night Until 9:30. Last Day of the Great "Rummage Sale". Tomorrow night at 9:30 ends the great Annual "Rummage Sale." Don't miss visiting the store—After-inventory bargains of great merit in all lines of wearing apparel and household effects. Broken lines, remnants, odds and ends marked at surprisingly low prices—Remember this store is open tomorrow night until 9:30. The Meier & Frank Store. Portland's Largest and Best Store.

THE DENTISTS YOU SHOULD GO TO. Nature is the Greatest of All Physicians. and if given a chance will effect a cure in ninety-five per cent of chronic diseases. There are no diseases that chiropractic cannot cure providing they are caused from pinched nerves and interference in the circulation; and we make the assertion, and stand ready at all times to prove our assertion, that ninety-five per cent of diseases are caused by those two abnormal conditions—pinched nerves, interference of circulation. You may ask what causes those abnormal conditions. We tell you, and no one can deny, luxation of vertebrae in the spinal column, partially closing the intervertebral foramina, causing pressure on the nerves emanating through them from the spinal cord—the nerve center. The vertebrae being displaced, they naturally press upon the blood vessels between the bodies of the vertebrae, causing an interference of circulation. These conditions being the cause of the diseases, which is the most rational thing to do—fill your stomach with drugs or remove the cause by adjusting the luxated vertebrae, thereby removing the nerve pressure and freeing circulation and allowing nature to go on and build up the broken down tissues and restore you to health and happiness. Call at our offices and let us explain chiropractic to you. Its principles appeal to all good, sound thinking people. Office Hours: 9 a. m. to 12 m., 1:30 to 5:30 and 7 to 9 p. m. Examination free.

Dr. Briggs & Stewart CHIOPRACTIC Rooms 310-311 Stearns Bldg., Corner Sixth and Morrison Streets. FIRE SALE DRY GOODS, Ladies' Underwear, etc. JUSTICE REID ON THE TESTIMONY BEING CONSIDERED, SAID: "I will grant Mrs. Brown, the defendant in this case, a nonsuit. There is not a particle of evidence to show that Wilson has the slightest claim on the watch or ring. I can't understand on what grounds he appealed to the court to obtain possession of the property."

Green, Short Slab Wood. From Inman-Poulsen's mill on the East Side, and the Portland mill on the West Side, will be sold at \$1.50 Per Load. For a short time, as per the districts advertised by us last Fall. These prices will not be continued for long. Banfield-Veysey Fuel Co. 201 1/2 Main St. 60% TREES BURNED.

Japanese and Chinese CURIO SALE. Owing to our surplus stock of holiday goods we shall reduce prices on every article in all lines, consisting of fine Silver Cloisonne, Satsuma, new Brasseware, Bronze Decorated Porcelain Tea Sets, Silk and Satin Embroidered Kimonos, Screens, Carved Furniture, Toys, Matting, etc. Andrew Kan & Co. 307 MORRISON ST.

Marquam Grand Theatre Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Matinee. America's Greatest Tragedians. NANCE O'NEIL In Superb Scenic Productions, as follows: Monday, "Fires of St. John" By Underman. First Time Here. Tuesday, "Macbeth" By Underman. First Time Here. Wednesday Matinee, "Magda" Wednesday Eve., "Nanna Nanna" By Mesterhalk. First Time Here. Evening Prices—Lower Box, \$1.50 and \$1. Balcony, \$1. The Box, Gallery, etc. See Boxes and Insigns, \$10. Matinee Prices—Lower Box, \$1. Balcony, 75c and 50c. Gallery, 25c, etc.

Marquam Grand Theatre Tomorrow Afternoon at 2:15 GEORGE ADER'S BRILLIANT COMEDY "THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN" His Hit Before a Crowded House Last Night. Evening Prices—\$1.50, \$1.00, 75c and 50c. Matinee Prices—\$1.00, 75c and 50c. SEATS NOW SELLING.

Baker Theatre Oregon Theatre Co. Tonight at 8:15 o'clock— "THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN" The Home of Medical Burlesque. TONIGHT AND TOMORROW MATINEE, No Performance Saturday Night.

MINER'S BOHEMIANS Burlesque and Extravaganza Company, presenting the elaborate farce, "A BOHEMIAN BEAUTY" 20 Broadway Show Girls, Beautiful Music, Screaming Comedy. 8—Big Vaudeville Acts—8 Saturday Matinee Last Performance—10c, 25c, 50c, 75c. Night Prices—25c, 50c, 75c. Best Seats—Specialty. Matinee, 10c. YANKEE DOODLE GIRLS.

Empire Theatre 1215 and Morrison Portland's Popular Playhouse. The Celebrated Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Company. TONIGHT AND SATURDAY NIGHT "A Runaway Girl" Saturday Matinee, "Pinafore" Evening Prices—10c, 25c, 50c, 75c. Matinee Prices—10c, 25c, 50c, 75c. Best Seats—Specialty. Matinee, 10c. SUNDAY NIGHT, "THE GEISHA."

LYRIC THEATRE The Incomparable Lyric Stock Company Presents "An Honest Workman" A Sensational Melodrama in Four Acts. ADMISION 10c. RESERVED SEAT 50c.

PANTAGES Fourth and Main St. THE FOUR COWLES, FRANK AND MATTHEW, HARKLAD QUARTET, LAWRENCE THE BUCKLE, WOODS AND WOODS, LEO WILHELM. Performances daily at 2:30, 7:30 and 9 p. m. Admission 10c. Reserved seats, 20 cents.

STAR THEATRE Week of Feb. 5. GREAT BELLO, Acted by E. H. Bell, Solo. The Greatest Juggling Act on the American Stage.

Grand THEATRE Week of February 5, DIDA, Women's Grand From England.

APOLLO Skating Rink. Open From 12 Noon Until 10:00 p. m. Plenty of Good Skates. LEARN NOW. SKATE WITH THE CROWD.

The Apollo Rink. Enjoy a pleasant afternoon or evening. Music both occasions. APOLLO RINK SEVENTH AND OAK.

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