

TOWN TOPICS

Marques Grand... First of St. John...
Fires early this morning partially destroyed wooden building at the corner of Columbia and First streets...

Dean Panman of the University of Pennsylvania will lecture tomorrow in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium at 7 p. m. on "Research in Babylonian"

Members of Camp No. 4, 478, Modern Woodmen of America, are considering the advisability of moving from their present quarters...

Members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, local No. 317, are caring for Fred Kruger, a young man who was injured by slipping from the Alpine rooming house...

All the way from the headwaters of Bull Run river came a shinnow to aid M. Friedenthal in taking his bath yesterday morning...

The graduation exercises of the Sunnyside school will take place tonight at 8 o'clock, the doors being open at 7:30 o'clock...

The officials of the Methodist Episcopal church South advertised yesterday for bids on the contract for excavating for the new church to be erected by the congregation...

The E. W. Goodrich Philharmonic chorus will give Handel's Messiah at the Centenary Methodist Episcopal church tomorrow night...

Wild strawberries picked from the vine ready to eat in early February must sound good to snowbound mill-owners and bring visions of the millennium...

Bishop Morris has been offered \$5,000 to endow a scholars' bed at the Good Samaritan hospital, the donor being the widow of Lieutenant Commander Buckingham of the United States navy...

The chapel meetings of the Second United Evangelical church, corner of Fargo and Kerby streets, will be continued nightly this week...

Japan Lilies—There are no flowers so stately, more admired or more easily grown. Plant them now. They increase in beauty and size each year...

Edward Holman & Co., the leading funeral directors, have the finest establishment, the finest goods, the finest vehicles and the most reasonable prices...

FOR THEIR MADE FOUR SIZES TO FIT THE OLD AND YOUNG IN THE OLD WAY. WE'VE BOTH GRADES IN QUARTER SIZES.

Hewett, Brackley & Co.

PLANS CROWD

John Cigalos Makes Debut as Vaudeville Star and Suffers Stage Fright.

HERO OF VALENCIA GRIPS THUMBS AND HOLDS HARD

Then Makes His Little Speech in Low Voice, Salutes, Lifts His Hat and Escapes to Friendly Protection of the Wings.

John Cigalos, or Cigalos, the "hero of the Valencia," made his debut as a vaudeville star last night at Pantages theatre. It was a terrifying occasion for John Cigalos.

These two medals you see upon Cigalos' breast," said the introducer, were presented to him, a smaller one by the Methodist church of Seattle and the larger by the United Commercial Travelers.

Cigalos saluted again and again, and again he bowed. He had gripped well so far, but now the strain of the well-meaning stars from the crowd in front began to wear on him.

Finest broadcloth covered caskets, \$25 and \$30. The finest wood goods made, from \$12 to \$20. Parlors \$10 and \$12. Third street, corner Salmon, Portland, Oregon.

Charles M. Kahn, city attorney of Boise, Idaho, is in the city. Mr. Kahn is a graduate of the University of Oregon and formerly a resident of Portland.

A large crowd attended the evangelistic services at the First Christian church, Park and Columbia streets, last night and today.

Watches, Watches, Watches—On easy weekly payments, \$1 down, 5¢ per week. Don't go without a good time-piece. Metzger & Co., 111 Sixth street.

The Sub-District Missionary rally to be held at Peoria, Oregon, February 16 to 18 inclusive, will be attended by a number of local Methodists.

Why pay \$3 to \$10 for eyeglasses? We guarantee a perfect fit for \$1. Eyes examined free. Metzger & Co., 111 Sixth street.

Quality, Quantity and Quickness is the rule at the Morris restaurant, 223 Washington street.

Gold medals for lawn grass and sweet peas. Butser, seedman, 128 Front.

COUNCIL SUDDENLY CHANGES FRONT

Council Suddenly Changes Front and Grants Saloon License to Hotel.

PLACE WILL OPEN BEFORE WEEK'S END

Mayor King Casts Deciding Vote for New Regime and Temperance Forces of Place Prepare to Make Strong Campaign.

The chief side effect of the Journal is in the case of J. M. C. Miller, 200 East Morrison street, Telephone No. 270.

Close on the heels of the defeat of the general license ordinance, which surprised the town last week, the St. Johns council last evening granted a license to the St. Johns Hotel company to open and conduct a saloon for one year.

Three members of the council felt that the body laid itself liable to a suit for damages when it passed a resolution favoring the application of the hotel company and then refused to abide by the first agreement after the council had carried out its part of the contract.

Attorney W. R. McGarry, for the company, and City Attorney Greene informed the councilmen before the vote was taken last night that if the license was not granted the company had an excellent case against either the town or the councilmen who first favored the license application.

The business sentiment of the town is not opposed to the issuance of the license, the merchants feeling that it would have been an evidence of bad faith had the council refused the license after its first resolution.

Where all the skates come from is a mystery. In a week or two thousands of east side children sprang full panicked with winged heels and a reckless disregard for the rights of more pedestrian.

Some of the swiftest-footed youths have drained the family purse for the price of a pair of rubber-tired skates, and silent as ghosts they glide and swoop down the block in squads in the fashion of joining hands and swooping down the block in squads in the fashion of joining hands and swooping down the block in squads.

At the close of the play Governor George E. Chamberlain will present the diploma and deliver an address. The class colors are violet and white, the flower the violet.

Business Methods of Securing Fire Protection and Fireproofing Improvements.

The University Park board of trade held a mass meeting last night and discussed fire protection, street improvements and civic betterment work in general.

Each of the improvements is important. The bringing of Dawson street

THE MEIER & FRANK STORE

7500 Men's Spring Shirts

In the Men's Furnishing Goods Section today we are making a special display of the new Spring and Summer Shirts—The greatest showing of its kind Portland has ever seen—Every new style, design and coloring in all the representative makes—By anticipating your needs now you have the advantage of complete stocks to select from—



Great Sale of Ribbons
8000 yards of 8-inch all-silk Tafeta Ribbons; extra quality, in a variety of fully 20 of the leading shades; best 35c 25c

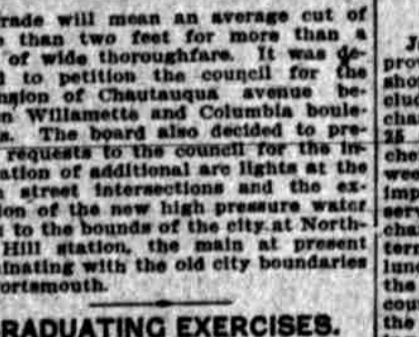
Women's Spring Suits—Hundreds of them—in attractive and exclusive styles: Etons, Princesses and Pony Jacket effects in a very large variety of new materials and shades...

New styles in women's tan and covert jackets for spring and summer, tight fitting, half fitting, loose back, fancy stitched and cloth strapped effects, fly front, double breasted, straight front; exceptional values at \$7.50, \$10.50, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$28.00 up to \$30.00 each.

THE NEW SUMMER SHIRTWAIST

89c up to \$35.00 Each—2d Floor
Tens of thousands of new Spring and Summer Shirtwaists are ready for your choosing—Linen, mull, dotted Swiss, dimity, batiste, figured mull—The newest and prettiest styles to be shown—Beautifully made and trimmed—Deep, round and low pointed yoke—Cluny, double thread, plait val., matose and venise lace trimming—All over embroideries and pin tucking—Fancy long and short sleeves—Every new idea is represented at prices ranging all the way from 89c up to \$35.00 Each

Two extra special values in Cotton Waists; lawns, mulls, mercerized and Indian Head Linens; trimmed in lace, embroidery and tucks; all new up-to-date styles in great variety and all sizes; take advantage of the low prices and large assortment.



GRADUATING EXERCISES.

Woodlawn Students Will Receive Diploma From Governor Tonight. Five students will be graduated from the Woodlawn grammar school this evening.

Important Changes. Jabour's merchants' lunch, which has proven so popular to business men and shoppers alike, will in the future include fish and salad without extra charge.

Milwaukie Country Club.

Los Angeles and Oakland clubs. Take Sellwood and Oregon City cars at First and Alder.

FORCED OUT OF BUSINESS.

Every citizen in Portland is doubtlessly aware of the conditions existing in reference to the rent question.

American Restaurant
OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. Dinner from 11 a. m. to 9 p. m. TRY ONE MEAL AT THE American Restaurant And You Will Always Be A PATRON

Irving's Buchu Waters
Are a true remedy for all kidney diseases, from its most simple form—pain in the back, to its most serious condition—Bright's disease.

MARQUAN

NANCE O'NEIL

Macbeth Will Not Be Given Tonight

CHARLES B. HANFORD

POLLARD'S LILLIPUTIAN OPERA COMPANY

FRIDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY MATINEE

Baker Theatre

"The Yancey Dood's Girls"

"The Messiah"

Portland Philharmonic Society

PANTAGES

GRAND THEATRE

STAR THEATRE

LYRIC THEATRE

"Our Girls"

EXPOSITION RINK

APOLLO SKATING RINK

Skating Afternoon and Evening

APOLLO SKATING RINK