

Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS.

12th and Morrison. "The Doctor of Alcatraz" "If I Were King" "Human Hearts" "Lost in Siberia" "A Bunch of Keys" Grand. Vandeville

The funeral of C. H. McNamee, who died at his home in Portland on the morning of Feb. 11, Monday, February 11, from blood poisoning, caused by a scratch on the finger, was held from the Evangelical church, East Sixth and East Market streets yesterday afternoon.

William H. Welsh, formerly a member of the local police department, but now general superintendent of the Canadian Detective Bureau, with general offices in Toronto, arrived in the city this morning on the way to California.

The Pacific Railway & Navigation company's line from Hillsboro to Tillamook will be printed in black ink on the next map of the Harriman line in Oregon.

Peasey Bros' Friday Special—Our \$1.50 grade of red and white Port, sherry, Tokay, Muscat and Sauternes wines for \$1 per gallon.

Charles Ford, a member of Fidelity lodge, No. 4, Ancient Order of United Workmen, died at his home, 515 Welder street, after a lingering illness, Monday, February 11.

The trial of John Farrell for a statutory offense involving 24-year-old Esther R. Dixon was called in Judge Cleveland's court at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The Portland chamber of commerce will furnish, on request, a number of photographs of Portland, the Columbia river and Oregon farm scenes, for use in a beautiful publication that is being prepared by the Matthews-Northrup works of Buffalo, advertising the Pacific northwest.

The North Coast Furniture Works filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk today.

Portland Academy.—The opening has been postponed until Monday, February 25.

The Modern Brotherhood of America will give a play, "Hickory Farm," in Marguerite hall, corner of Hawthorne avenue, Friday, February 15.

The Swedish Good Templar lodge will give an entertainment at their hall, corner Front and Olive streets, tonight at 8 o'clock.

Steamer Jesse Harkins, for Camas, Washington and way landings, daily except Sunday. Leaves Washington street dock 2 p. m.

Dr. W. A. Wise will shortly leave for Alaska, and those who wish to see him before he goes kindly take notice.

East Portland Cleaning and Dye Works can be reached now by phone East 4425.

M. W. Moore, expert photographer, Elks' building, Seventh and Stark sts.

Woman's Exchange, 123 Tenth street, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch.

Acme C. Co. sells the best safety coal oil and fine gasoline. Phone East 729.

Why pay more? Metzger fits your eyes for \$1. 111 Sixth street.

J. W. Thatcher, the artist, is now with Forbes Engraving Co.

PERSONAL

F. H. Johnston, the investment broker, with offices in New York, Chicago, Detroit, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Portland, is in the city today, leaving tonight for San Francisco.

Miss Clara Carlisle has returned from a two-months' visit to southern California points.

TEACH THE YOUNG

habits of economy and thrift and the advantages of a bank account, for therein lies the assurance of future prosperity.

AN EXCLUSIVE PEOPLE. Roosevelt's mode his peace pact with Deleh...

A. G. BROWN BECOMES O. R. & N. PAYMASTER

Popular Member of Clan Macleay Earns Deserved Promotion by His Long Service.

A. G. Brown, ex-chief of the Clan Macleay, and for 10 years assistant chief clerk of passenger accounts for the O. R. & N. Co., has been appointed paymaster for that company.



A. G. Brown.

accept the position of auditor for the Portland Hotel company. The appointment is effective February 15.

Mr. Brown came to Portland in 1894 with E. S. Benson when the latter accepted the auditorship of the O. R. & N. Co.

Mr. Kaufman was a member of the same group. They have served the railroad company well and faithfully.

We Make This Bold Statement. We positively lead in ladies' fashionable garments—and sell at only the fairest and most legitimate profits.

Who is Metzger? He fits your eyes for \$1.00. 111 Sixth street.

THOSE WHO OBSERVE LENT MUST TRY CONCOCTING NEW DISHES

The distressing situation presents itself of Lent at hand, and the fish market in a state of demoralization.

Lenten trade, is blocked or sidetracked somewhere between here and New York and cannot be heard from.

Those housewives who keep Lent may find some pleasure in testing their ingenuity in preparing meals of nuts, rice, and fruits, thus adding to their accomplishment to their list.

You get used to poor tea and coffee and don't mind—Sculling's Best.

"TWINS" WIRES PHYSICIAN AND VALENTINE COSTS HIM \$22.90

There is one man in Portland today not overly much pleased with the valentine he received this morning.

Smith kissed each of his half dozen little Smiths good-bye, narrowly missed forgetting his wife, and two days ago reached Portland.

This morning he stood in the lobby of one of the hotels. He had just dispatched several dollars' worth of good, bad and indifferent valentines to his wife and family.

The total charges were \$22.90. In accordance with Smith's home instructions to wire full details of any unforeseen circumstances which might happen during his absence, the wife had ordered that several hundred words be sent to set his mind at rest.

SPIRITS CONVERSE WITH LIVING

Mrs. Jones and Others are Called From the Dim Beyond at Seance.

MEGAPHONE EMITS BRIGHT BLUE FLAMES

Ghostly Voice of Irishman Familiarly Known as Pat Escorts Dismembered Spirits From One World to the Other for a Moment.

For 50 cents the people of Sellwood were offered the privilege of conversing with dead friends and relatives last Wednesday evening.

All spirits were introduced to the assembly by "Pat," undoubtedly a dead Irishman. "Pat" was the most accommodating spirit in the bunch.

This is the manner in which the trick was done: After the seance conductor or presiding elder had gathered in your half smothered, you took your seat among the others in a circle.

It was so dark you could not see four inches beyond your nose. Almost immediately a queer feeling began to take possession of you.

There was no "fake" about this on the excuse that there were unbelievers in the circle.

All kinds of conversations were held. The spirits called those present familiarly by their first names.

"Is there any person there by the name of Mrs. Jones?" asked Jones.

"Yes," says Pat. "She's my wife. She's been dead for 10 years," says Jones.

Other spirits told where they had been born and where they had died. Altogether, it was an interesting performance, but not always convincing.

You get used to poor tea and coffee and don't mind—Sculling's Best.

Be One of the Wise Ones

With this bargain we are giving absolutely

FREE An Extra Pair of Trousers

You will actually save \$15 if you buy your suit

Now

100 Dozen Women's 18c Hosiery at 10c a Pair

100 dozen Women's Fast Black Hosiery on sale here Friday and Saturday at this remarkable price.

Children's Hose 12 1/2c—A special lot of Children's Seamless Ribbed Hose, regular 18c grade.

Boys' Waists 25c—Boys' Blouse Waists, with or without sailor collar, light or dark colors, reg. 50c quality.

Men's Wool Underwear, \$1.50 Grade, 69c a Garment

Agents Warner's and Thomson's Corsets.

McAllen & McDonnell

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PEER OF ALL \$3.00 HATS. A. B. Steinbach & Co. Largest Assortment of John B. Stetson Hats in the City.

THE STORE NOTED FOR BEST GOODS AT LOWEST PRICES

FRIDAY and SATURDAY SPECIALS. The following items on sale Friday and Saturday only at these reduced prices.

3000 Yards New Spring Wash Goods at 10c a Yard. For a great Friday and Saturday special we place on sale 3,000 yards of New Crepe Waistings.

MEN'S SHIRTS, 47c. Made of best quality English Percale and Madras, stiff or golf styles, with detached collars.

\$1.50 GLOVES, 97c. 500 pairs Heavy French Lisle Gloves, Suede finish, on sale Friday and Saturday at this extremely low price.

Two Days Only New \$20.00 Spring Suits at \$14.85 Each. Women's and Misses' New Spring Suits, made in either Eton or jacket styles.

100 Dozen Women's 18c Hosiery at 10c a Pair. 100 dozen Women's Fast Black Hosiery on sale here Friday and Saturday at this remarkable price.

\$2.50 Waists \$1.59. Made of fine white lawns, in 20 different styles. All elaborately trimmed with laces, tucks and embroidery.

Men's Wool Underwear, \$1.50 Grade, 69c a Garment. Agents Warner's and Thomson's Corsets. McAllen & McDonnell. CORNER THIRD AND MORRISON STREETS.