Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS.

"All of a Sudden Peggy"
The Strollers
"The Dairy Farm'
Vaudeville
"Polly Primroac"
"Wedded, but No Wife"

While sitting in a chair at her home anday night listening to her daughter and from a book, Mrs. Henrietta Windeman passed peacefully away. So silently did Mrs. Winkelman die that the daughter, Etta, did not notice her mother's death until she placed the book upon the table and called to her parent to go to bed. Receiving no anwer she went to her mother's side and found she was dead. Mrs. Winkelmann was 5: years of age, and had lived in Portland 14 years, coming to this city from California. Miss Etts Winkelmann is the only surviving daughter, and is employed as a manager of one of the departments in Meler & Frank's store, The funeral was held at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the Portland crema-

Free lecture and shorthand demon-stration tonight, at Woodmen hall, on Eleventh street, between Alder and Washington street. Everybody welcome. Prof. C. L. Spencer of Spencer Business college, of New Orleans, will lecture tonight on the famous Chartler system of shorthand, a system that seems destined to supplant all others leading schools, fifty words a being the record after only a instruction. The lecture and stration will be equally interesting to all, but court reporters, short-nand instructors and stenographers will find it especially valuable.

The contract for three steel bridges, each 150 feet long, has been let by the Pacific Railway & Navigation company to the American Bridge company. They will be used on the main line to cross the Kilches, Wilson and Miami rivers in Tillamook county. They represent a cost of about \$60,000 and are to be delivered by August I. Contracts for additional construction will be let as soon as the bids can be filed from companies whose engineers are on the survey determining the cost of the work. The line is now extending into more difficult country, where there will be deep cuts, tunnels and much trestling.

Examinations by the United States civil service commission will be held in Portland, June 26, to fill vacancies in the following branches of the government service: Assistant engineer, salary \$720; machine woodworkers, wages cents an hour for eight-hour workday: assistant chemist, salary ranging from \$1,200 to \$1,800 per annum. July 24 an examination will be held to fill vacancy in the position of repairman in the weather bureau, department of agriculture, salary \$720 a year. The age limit for applicants in each of these

Hereafter all contractors who desire bid on city work wil be required to indorse the wrapper or envelope containing the bid with the name of the public work for which it is submitted so that it can be identified from other sealed bids on public work. No more than one bid shall be inclosed in any envelope or wrapper. This action was taken by the auditor's office on account of the fact that in several instances of late envelopes which have not been marked have caused much trouble to the office force and the committees.

Harold Cirvice, a well-known Portland young man, was drowned in the Concord river, near Concord, New Hamp shire, last week, by the upsetting of a cance in which he was paddling about the river. The information of the young man's death was received in a letter to A. A. Kadderly, and at the time of writing the letter the body had not been found. Cervice formerly lived with his family on the east side. He was 19 years of age, and worked for Baltes & npany, printers. He left Portland about a year ago.

The manufacturers of "Golden Grain Granules," the pure cereal health coffee, are spending a fortune introducing this article in the northwest. On June 1 they will make an offer to give rewards to clever boys and girls. It will be published in The Journal, so the young folks ought to look for the advertise-No boy who smokes cigarettes will get any reward, is one of the peculiar conditions, says the advertising manager for this American Cereal

All arrangements for the celebration tonight of the 127th anniversary of the birth of Tom Moore, at Murlark hall, Twenty third and Washington streets, have been completed. An interesting program of musical and literary features will be rendered. A number of Moore's songs will be rendered by wellknown singers. Judge Thomas Hailey will preside as chairman. The entertainment bagins at 8:15 o'clock.

A special meeting of the Portland Ad league will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) evening in the board of trade rooms at 8 o'clock sharp for the purpose of discussing the rose carnival. The league will take an active part in the rose flesta. Various committees looking to this end will be appointed at this special meeting. A large attendance is desired.

Suit for \$50,000 damages for false imprisonment has been filed in the circuit court by Attorney A. C. Emmons against C. E. Loss, Emmons alleges that his arrest was caused at Drain at the instance of Thomas Owens and T. J. Tobin, agents of Loss, who was then engaged in construction work on the Drain-Coos Bay branch of the Southern Pacific.

The Economy Gas Co. protects the people's rights by giving a bond to the city for its good faith, and section 8 in franchise makes it forfeitable by the city council if it falls to fulfill its

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Bitter War Between Rival Alaska Railroad Interests May Cause Bloodshed.

A bitter war that will probably culminate in bloodshed is raging between the Guggenheim interests and the Alaska Pacific Railway & Terminal company at Catalla, Alaska. A pile driver has been blown up with dynamite and troops have been asked for. The railway and terminal company is headed by Dr. W. H. Bruner, an Alaska oll operator, well known in Portland.

M. K. Rodgers, representing the Bruner people, is at Valdez asking that troops be sent to Catalla bay to preserve order and the rights of the Bruner Railway & Terminal company, which owns the water front and townsite at Martin's island, and the rights of way for a railway leading from it. of way for a railroad leading from it to the interior coal and oil fields.

It is said the blowing up of the pile driver was the result of an attempt by the Northwestern Railway company, backed by the Guggenheims, to con-struct a trestle and railroad track over the right of way held by the Bruner company. The latter's men were working on the property at the time, and the Northwestern's men attempted to pro-

ceed by force. When the pile driving crew feached the edge of the right of way, the chief engineer and attorney of the company called the Bruner people and asked per-mission to cross. The request was refused, the Bruner men saying that an injunction had been asked for and granted, and that the papers were on their way north. The Guggenheim party then proceeded with their work until 6 o'clock in the evening, when they chained down their pile driving machinery in the middle of the Br tract and went to supper. It was then the explosion occurred, that completely wrecked the whole pile-driving equip-

The Alaska Pacific Railway & Terminal company men are credited with the declaration that if an attempt is made by the Guggenheim party to continue work a fight will follow, and "if necessary bloodshed.

Dr. Bruner's chief engineer was in Portland a few weeks ago and purchased three carloads of machinery, including pile drivers, donkey engines and steam shovels, for construction of the railroad and terminal grounds of the Alaska Pacific. The prize for which the rival railroad companies are struggling is the traffic of the immense coal and oil fields that its back of Catalla bay.

number of years a resident of Omaha, Nebraska, died at his home in this city Monday evening, May 27, at the age of 47 years. Funeral will be held from the residence, 347 Eleventh street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment at River-

The Economy Gas company, vote yes for it protects the people's rights by giving a bond to the city for its good faith, and section 8 in the franchise makes it forfeitable by the city council if it fails to fulfill its contract.

There will be a dramatic recital and entertainment this evening at the sell-wood Presbyterian church, in which Walter C. Farnham will pres-Wade Farnham, elocutionist.

All circles Ladies of the G. A. R. will neet with Winslow Mead, room 7, Drew hall, 8 p. m. sharp, Tuesday, May 28. Ella G. Himes, President.

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hall, Albina, tonight. Everybody come. Ladies invited.

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Special 10c, 15c and 20c lunch, 11:30 to 1. Oregonian Confectionery, 131 Sixth street.

Eastman kodaks and supplies. L. eeser Cohen, 111 6th, the Kodak store. Allen's Kushion Kumfort Shoe keeps the foot dry and cool. 405 Morrison Dr. William Cavanaugh, dentist, has moved his office to 603-4 Buchanan bldg. Acme Oil Co. sells the best safety coal oil and fine gasoline. Phone East 789.

Woman's Exchange, 133 Tenth street, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch. E. W. Moore, expert photographer, Elks' building, Seventh and Stark Sts. Office space for rent; ground floor

Inquire Ellison, 84 Third street. Albina, attention! Lane meeting in Mair's hall tonight.

Levy's Music House, 126 Fifth street. Photo mounts, Woodworth, 1491/2 1st. D. Chambers, optician, 129 Seventh.

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Waverly Improvement Club Has Adopted Resolutions Against Proposed Measure.

At a meeting of the Waverly-Richmond Improvement club held Friday evening, a statement was adopted with reference to the proposed ordinance for the issuance of water bonds and bonds for fire boat and fire mains; in part as follows:

"For many years the people living in the suburban districts within the city limits have been paying water rates, which have been used very largely for the laying of water mains in the thickly settled parts. The people living in the suburbs have been compelled to lay service pipes usually at great ex-pense, with the hope that as these districts built up water mains would be supplied on the same terms and con-ditions as the mains have been laid

Becsive Nothing for Taxes. "People living in the suburban disricts have their street improvements and sewers to pay for; they have been paying taxes upon their homes for they have received practically nothing in return. They have no fire protection, practically no police proection, have very few lights, and have had to do the best they could with the few water mains which have been laid in their districts.

"In the opinion of the Waverly-Richmond Improvement club it is unfair and unjust that when the people in these outlying districts have earned the right to some benefits from the taxes they have for so many years been payin, they should be compelled to pay the whole cost of mains laid for their bene-

"Mains for fire protection in the busness districts, for the benefit of captalists and landlords who own the bus iness property, should in justice be paid for by the owners of such property. Nothing could be more unjust than to require the workingmen who live in suburbs to pay the whole cost of the mains necessary to supply their households with water and to pay for fire protection for the business houses of the wealthy.

"In the name of justice and reason, and on behalf of the owners of the numerous small homes in the suburban parts of the city, we ask every voter to dinances, the one for the issuance of water bonds, and the other for the issuance of bonds for fire boat and fire

Hotel Portland.

Beginning Saturday, June 1, Herr Wadlemar Lind's full orchestra will play in the hotel court every evening from 6:30 to 9:30 and from 10 to 12 in the grill room.

CHILDREN REMEMBERED IN MRS. WINTERS' WILL

By the terms of the will of Mrs. Anna Winters, filed in the county court for probate, bequests are made exclusively to stepchildren of Mrs. Winters. daughters of John Winters, are given \$15 each. To Frana Buch, daughter of Karl Seaman, Mrs. Winters' first husband, is bequeathed \$15. To Mrs. Buch's children, Anna and Gordon Steffen, aged 13 and 15 years respectively, bequests of \$1,500 each are made. All the re-mainder of the property is left to Louis Seaman, a son of Karl Seaman, who is

known as Louis Winters. Mrs. Winters says in her will that it is her intention that no part of her property shall go to Louis Seaman's wife, Mrs. Bertha Winters, and in case Louis dies leaving his wife as sole heir, his share of his step-mother's property is to be given to the Steffen children.

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SUIT BROUGHT ON NOTE DECIDED AGAINST PLUE

In deciding the suit of W. D. Plue against A. F. Biles, formerly manager of the W. P. Fuller company, Judge Frazier in the circuit court did not sustain the charges of fraud and misrepresentation made against Biles by Plue had given his note for \$1,000 to Biles, and brought suit to have it declared void. Judge Frazer Good music and fine speaking at Mair's held that Plue had not been induced by Biles through any misrepresentations to the note, and decided that Plue

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