

Town Topics

The sale of two whole blocks on Fifteenth street to Marshall, Wells & Co. for use in their business, in addition to a number of other sales made in the past few days by Charles K. Henry & Son, amounting to over \$300,000, should be sufficient refutation to those who have talked "slump" or "hard times." The fact is that the city was never in so healthy and promising a condition as right now. Those who have talked about "slump" and coming "hard times" should bear in mind that Oregon is growing in every direction, and Portland with all of its suburbs is being expanded by the aid of new electric lines on every possible hand. Business of all kinds is increasing, and the railroad and transportation companies claim that they have not sufficient equipment, terminal facilities or rolling stock for doing all the business that is offering. Every able-bodied person that wants to work is employed at big wages. The city is forging ahead. It is time for knucklers to throw away their hammers and shout for the growth and prosperity of Portland. If you have properties you want sold, and really mean to sell them, place them with us. Give us a contract for a reasonable length of time, and we will make them go. See us for business in the real estate line, and we will place factory sites, warehouse sites or inside business property for use or investment. We will pay you to call upon Charles K. Henry & Son, 123 Third street, Portland, Oregon.

Twelve years ago next to the corner of First and Yamhill streets, John DeLac opened a store that was just six feet wide and fourteen feet deep. It would take a page to tell of the many things that he has enlarged his store, but when his present alterations are completed he will have two floors of 50x100 and balcony about two-thirds of his floor space. The work is progressing rapidly, and John is having hard work keeping pace with the workmen, hence his big alterations, that have capped the store for low prices on high grade merchandise. The sale has been a wonderful one, and hundreds who have visited the store have been captivated by the goods that are marked way down in price to move them quickly. You can't miss it. If you drop in on DeLac's, you will find goods as fresh and new, and a guarantee goes with everything he sells—a guarantee that he will make good anything that doesn't suit his customer exactly. Don't wait if you want to save money. Go tomorrow.

My Ellers, of this city, accompanied by his sister, Helen, and her aunt, Mrs. Melner, arrived in New York on Thursday last, after a pleasant passage from Hamburg, from which point they left a week previous. All reported excellent health. After a few days stop in the east, the party, which has been joined by A. H. Ellers and wife, will return to the city via Chicago, Spokane, Seattle and Tacoma.

We want to say a few things about ourselves, and one of them is that when everybody else is asleep we are on the alert for new ideas in fabrics, designed by good dressers, and our price is in reach of all. Any suit in the house to order for \$25. No more, no less. This is something that is new in the city. Unique Tailoring Co., 309 Stark, near Sixth street.

Cash Award of \$100.—The interesting part about the \$100 cash award being offered in this paper for a good business phrase is that the most inexperienced person is as apt to win it as some old warhorse. Everyone should try for it. Details elsewhere in the paper.

Baseball! Baseball! today 1:30 p. m. Two red-hot games for one admission. Hill Park, St. Johns. Tri-City league teams. L. B. Frakes team vs. North Pacific Brewers. Portland Trunkmakers vs. Brainerd Cubs.

Water through hose for sprinkling yards or sidewalks or washing porches or windows must be paid for in advance and used only between the hours of 6 and 8 a. m., and 5 and 9 p. m. It must not be used for sprinkling streets. If used contrary to these rules, or wastefully, it will be shut off.

Stomach trouble, liver and kidney complaints are permanently cured by "Days" use of mineral water from Wild Pigeon Mineral Springs. Try a gallon of the water, and if no benefits result, your money will be returned. Office 306 Pine street. Phone Main 5462.

United States Attorney William C. Bristol, who is at Denver attending the national land convention, will return to Portland tomorrow morning. Mr. Bristol addressed the convention on several occasions and served as a member of the committee on resolutions.

Mrs. C. R. Ray of Medford lost a grip containing some articles of clothing at the Portland hotel yesterday. It is not known whether the grip was taken by a sneak-thief or whether it was taken by mistake by a guest of the hotel.

A chimney burned out in the Arcade lodging house at the corner of Sixth and Couch streets at 8 o'clock last night. It created a spectacular blaze for a few moments, attracting an enormous crowd to the scene.

White Flyer line of launches will make daily trips to the Oaks and return. Boats leave foot of Yamhill street daily at 1:30 p. m. Sunday, 10 a. m. Tickets at dock office, 10 cents.

Last Friday evening the graduating class of the Shattuck school held its class party and reception to the teachers at the home of Miss Eunice Townsend, 322 Columbia street. A very

Wedding Gift Season

Our beautiful assortment of fine jewelry and novelties for wedding remembrances are a most magnificent exhibit. One of our jewellers from the art workers who have left the imprint of a skill that stands for real merit. Comparison will demonstrate.

Gifts for the Home Beautiful

We have many impressive but dainty little novelties here which will make a gift. We know jewelry values, and through the facilities our long experience has made, we are able to understand any other jewelry house in the state. Heitkemper's is the jewelry store where you can get what you are looking for. Every article purchased here receives that same careful attention as it is possible for only the best establishment to afford. All goods left to be delivered will find the best of attention until placed within your hands.

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226 MORRISON ST. Lowest Priced Jewelry House for Fine Goods.

EVANGELIST BUTLER

Noted Soloist Accompanied by His Wife Arrived in Portland Yesterday—Announces Concert.

Mr. Fred Butler, accompanied by his wife, arrived in Portland yesterday. Mr. Butler became well-known and made many friends in Portland during the evangelistic campaign conducted in this city by Dr. Chapman and his co-laborers. He had become well-known as an opera and concert singer before taking up evangelistic work. At one time he was a member of the Alice Nelson Opera company which was among the first in the country. He left the stage to perfect his voice under the instruction of Karl Breneman, the noted vocal teacher of New York City. Since then he has continued his concert work and has been the leading soloist in the great Chapman evangelistic campaigns. As a concert singer he is among the first in America. At the conclusion of one of Mr. Butler's concerts, a gentleman who knows more about two or three things than he does about the technique of music was talking to a little lady who knows all about it.

"Did you notice the accuracy of Mr. Butler's singing?" she asked. "You bet," replied the critic, "when he sounds his C major on the governor's staff you can bet your last dollar he's got the right pig by the ear, and he's wailing around among the private notes."

Mr. Butler is over six feet tall, has a fine physique and a winning personality. He makes hosts of friends wherever he goes and the people of Portland will be glad of an opportunity to hear him sing. He will give a concert in the same church next Tuesday night.

The graduating class of the D. P. Thompson school was entertained last night at the home of Miss Elizabeth Metcalf, 555 Patten avenue. The evening was spent in sports and games of various kinds, following which refreshments were served. The following is the roster of the class: Matilda Oberg, Hazel Roster, Nellie Thompson, Kathleen Kathryn, Noonan, Maude Thayer, Lillian Flinn, Helene Nichols, Elizabeth Metcalf, Duane Weiden, Fensell, Edwin Bannister, Henry Grayson, Proctor, De Soto, Frank Stricker and Floyd Stark. Misses Laura Myers and Kathryn Porter, teachers in the Thompson school, were also invited, as were Miss Florence Liburn, Ruth Tuttle, Vera Cook, Valeria Hellwell and Dollie McNaughton, all former pupils of the Thompson school.

We call for three pieces of your clothing, clean, press and deliver back to you each week and give you eight shaves a month for \$1. Call us up on either phone. Unique Tailoring Co., 309 Stark street.

All patrons of "The Nickelodeon," the moving picture show, 120 Sixth street, will get a chance to try a cup of the world-famous pure cereal coffee called "Golden Grain Granules," if they visit "The Nickelodeon" today.

This will remind you that now is the time to have your hair mattresses renovated and returned the same day. Phone Main 414. The Portland Curled Hair Factory. H. Metzger, proprietor.

Herman M. Leffert, the jeweler and optician at 273 Washington street, returned yesterday from a month's visit to Council Bluffs, Iowa, where he was called to the bedside of his dying mother.

Property owners at the beach—P. A. Doane is doing painting and decorating of the beach. A few more customers can be accommodated. 286 Yamhill st.

Word has been received here of the death at Alameda, California, of Mrs. Edith Johnson, sister of Mrs. Samuel B. Story of this city.

We have the fashionable house-painting colors, for 1907, copper-brown and copper verde. New Era Paint & Varnish company, 123 First street.

At Salvation Army hall, on Fourth street, near Burnside, Rev. John O'Fall will preach tonight at 8 o'clock. All will be welcome.

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

Sweet cream buttermilk, cheese, butter, ham, eggs, coffee, etc. Oregon Cheese Co., Sweetland building, 126 Fifth street.

Notice to Patrons—Richards will serve his regular Sunday dinner without wine, to 8:30. Weber's orchestra.

New swimming plunge now ready, both sexes, private lessons. Open daily. 282 B. Morrison st. East 5670.

Why pay more? Metzger fits your eyes for \$1. 243 Wash. St. cor. 7th, formerly at 111 Sixth street.

Dustless Streets.—Portland Road-Oiling company, 1435 Sherlock building. Telephone Columbia 1837.

Acme Oil Co. sells the best safety coal oil and fine gasoline. Phone East 783.

Fishing pole or box of candy with each pair of children's shoes at Rosenthal's.

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

Berger—signs—254 Yamhill—phone.

Bark Tonic for rheumatism.

Beck—jeweler—295 Alder.

Kiser. Scenic photos. Imperial hotel.

KLAMATH PAPER'S EXTRA ON WRECK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Klamath Falls, Or., June 22.—The stage running between Ager and this city drove off a culvert near the Klamath Hot Springs and one passenger, H. W. Straw, who is interested in the stage route, was injured, but is recovering.

The train on the Klamath Lake railway, connecting Klamath, California, with Pocke, Oregon, which carries most of the passengers coming into this country, got away from the engineer while approaching the station at Thrall and dashed down the grade across the Southern Pacific tracks into the ditch beyond. Several Klamath Falls people were on board, but none were seriously injured. Among the passengers were Abel Ady of this place, Lee E. Robinson of Alameda and Mrs. H. B. Hargus and two children. These were unhurt.

An example of local newspaper enterprise, the Express, one of the weekly newspapers, issued an extra telling of the wreck on the Klamath Lake road.

DUQUOILLE LOGGERS IN PARADE

Novel Features to Be Shown in the Demonstration to Be Made in Portland at the Coming Fourth of July Celebration.

One of the highly entertaining features of the Fourth of July celebration will be the merchant's grand illuminated parade of nineteenth century horrors and plus-uglies, with twentieth century novelties, to take place at 8 o'clock on the evening of the third.

The merchants of Portland have offered 50 valuable prizes as follows:

Order, lodge or club parading the largest number of its members in burlesque or fantastic costumes (three or more orders competing). Order, lodge or club parading the second largest number of its members in burlesque or fantastic costumes.

Best burlesque band, second best burlesque band; best bunch of clown horse-back riders; bunch of eccentric "country club" riders; representation of a group of Indians on horseback; bunch of vaqueros or cowpunchers on horseback.

Imitation of farm wagon or hay ride with comical groups; most comical farm outfit, horses, cows, oxen or mule teams; float with or without grotesque characters; automobile with or without passengers; best "hoo-doo" or "hobo" crowd in costume; noisiest bunch of boys in any costume, 20 in bunch; best imitation of a millionaire tramp; of "Uncle Sam"; western Indian brave; of western Indian squaw with papoose; most comical single character, (gentleman); single character, A (lady); grotesque character; (to head the parade); best group of messenger boys, with or without whistles, tall or short, large or small, young or old; noisiest group of newsmen; best group of imitation plantation colored people; of "nake-walkers"; of imitation French cooks; of imitation of a country preacher, of a country schoolmaster, of a country schoolmarm, of a streetcar conductor; best representation of some well-known Portland resident.

Best imitation of a woman voter; of a Cockney Englishman, of a southern gentleman, of a country Reuben, Swedish character, imitation of a burglar or highwayman, fattest man, slimmest man, best Santa Claus; best "Father Time"; best illuminated automobile or rig of any kind.

TALENT DISPLAYED. QUITE REMARKABLE.

Little Men and Women Who Will Take Part in Opera Are Working Hard.

It is really quite remarkable to see the talent displayed by the little men and women who are taking part in "The House That Jack Built." Little "Mary, Mary, quite contrary" is played by Del-

berta Stuart, who is as willful and naughty as one could wish and never forgets her part.

Repeated rehearsals are bringing all the participants to a great perfection and a treat is certainly in store for those who attend the clever little opera.

The music is graceful and melodious, the kind that haunts one. Four performances will be given at the Marquand Grand, July 1, 2 and 3.

New Shoe Repair Shop.

Jacob Schwind late of "Schwind & Bauer" has opened up a new shop for himself at 267 Stark street, near Park, where he has installed all the latest up-to-date machinery, so as to turn out any kind of work from the coarsest heavy boots to the finest ladies' work at the shortest possible notice. Mr. Schwind invites his old customers and the general public to inspect his shop and see the wonderful new machinery at work, and also insure them of the same careful attention paid to work as in the past.

Where to Dine.

Watson's Restaurant will serve a fine chicken dinner today, 50 cents.

See Commercial Investment Co.'s Advertisement in "Business Chances," and under "New Today."

GRANT HAMILTON CHALLENGED TO DEBATE AGAINST GEORGE SPEED

Unusual interest centers around the coming of M. Grant Hamilton, general organizer and one of the most eloquent and powerful speakers of the American Federation of Labor, who will speak in this city at an open meeting in Drew hall, 162 Second street, next Friday.

In view of the fact that Mr. Hamilton will be in the city at the same time as George Speed, an equally forcible representative of the Industrial Workers of the World, friends of each are anxious to bring them together for a debate on the merits of the two great conflicting organizations.

The following challenge has been issued by the officers of the Industrial Workers of the World:

"We, the members of local union, No. 22, Industrial Workers of the World, do hereby challenge Organizer Grant Hamilton of the American Federation of Labor to meet in public debate a representative of the Industrial Workers of the World. Subject of debate to be Industrial Unionism vs. Craft Unionism."

Members of the Industrial Workers of the World are anxious to hear their leader debate and it is recognized by both members of both organizations that such a debate would be of great educational advantage.

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Mrs. Effie A. Skelton, aged 35 years, the widow, filed her petition in the county court yesterday afternoon. She lives at 1827 Peninsula avenue. She, too, says there are but two heirs to Skelton's property—herself and her stepdaughter. Mrs. Skelton places the value of the estate at \$35,000. Neither makes any charge against the other, each contenting herself with a request that she be appointed administratrix. Mrs. Skelton bases her claim on the fact that she was Skelton's wife.

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FAREWELL RECEPTION FOR REV. MR. BLISS

Members of Third Baptist Church Show Appreciation for Long and Faithful Service.

Rev. E. M. Bliss of the Third Baptist church, Vancouver avenue and Knott streets, who leaves with his family for his new pastorate at Fresno, California, was tendered a reception by members of his congregation Friday, June 14.

The reception was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McKechnie, 806 North 10th street.

Rev. Mr. Bliss was highly thought of by the members of his congregation and they were not willing to have him leave the city.

At the reception Rev. Mr. Bliss was presented with a handsome loving cup, the gift of his congregation, and Mrs. Bliss was presented with a beautiful floral gift as tribute for work performed in aiding his husband in his work in Albina. A large assemblage was present and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Warehouse and Factory Sites.

We have a number of warehouse or factory sites with railroad facilities on Fifteenth street, where the new railroad line is to be built, on which street Marshall, Wells & Co.'s new building will be erected. Have some corner lots, quarter blocks and half blocks.

If you want a warehouse site or factory location, be sure and call upon Charles K. Henry & Son, 123 Third street, Portland, Oregon.

A Fool and His Money.

The Portland Juvenile Dramatic club's production of this society drama promises to be a pleasing performance. The play will be presented by eleven child actors who are well-known in local theatricals. It will be given at the Empire theatre on June 16. The sale of seats opens at the box office on Wednesday morning, June 26. Prices, 50c, 10c and 25c.

AMERICAN RESTAURANT COR. THIRD AND COUCH STS.

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Lettuce 10c, Green Onions 10c, 5c Shred Tomatoes 10c

Shrimp Salad, Mayonnaise 20c Dressing 10c

Fried Bacon 10c, Fried Shad 10c, Fried Shad 10c, Fried Shad 10c

Fried Salmon 10c, Fried Tenderloin of Sole, Tartar 10c

Half Cracked Crab 10c, Domestic Sardines 10c

Baked Mackerel, Drawn Butter 10c, Steamed Kidney Beans, Drawn 10c

Butter 10c, Cream Souffle with Toast 10c

Baked Beef Tongue, Piquant 10c, Baked Chicken Pie 10c

Pork Tenderloin, Country Style 10c, Fried Chicken, Brown, Brown 10c

Butter 10c, Veal Sausage, New Potatoes in 10c

Cream Chicken, Potatoes and 10c, Rooms 10c

Pork Spare Ribs, New Cabbage 10c, Cold Roast Chicken, Potato Salad 10c

Veal Kidney and Bacon on Toast 10c, Chicken Croquettes, Green Peas 10c

Codfish in Cream, family style 10c, Corn Beef Hash, Potatoes 10c

Beef Stew and Spaghetti 10c, Baked Pork and Beans 10c

Banana Fritters, Wine Sauce 10c, Side order 10c

Half Spring Chicken on Toast 10c, New Potatoes in Cream 10c

Raspberries and Cream 10c, Strawberries and Cream 10c

Strawberry Short Cake 10c, Strawberry Ice Cream 10c

Coffee, Cream and butter and potatoes with all meals.

AMERICAN RESTAURANT, Corner Third and Couch Sts., Dinner from 11 a. m. to 8 p. m.

used by the officers of the Industrial Workers of the World:

DAUGHTER AND STEP-MOTHER IN CONTEST OVER VALUABLE ESTATE

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