

Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS.

Helig Theatre... Uncle Tom's Cabin... Marquam Grand... Baker Theatre...

The Harriman railroad lines publish in Europe a monthly magazine in four languages.

H. C. Townsend, at one time the youngest general passenger agent in the country, has reached the end of a quarter of a century of active service with the Missouri Pacific Railroad company.

Councilman Baker believes he has a solution for the new jail and emergency hospital problem confronting the city in the purchase of the block bounded by Main, Madison, Fourth and Fifth streets.

Eight Greeks who were engaged in playing a quiet little game of basquet in the lodging-house at Fourth and Davis streets, were arrested by the police last night on a charge of gambling.

The annual report of Frank D. Hennessy, clerk of the municipal court, shows the year just closed to have been a profitable one for this particular department of the city government.

Because Charles B. Paris has given to his idea but \$36 since they were married five years ago in Nashville, Tennessee, and \$1 since Christmas 1906, he has had to file divorce proceedings against him in the state circuit court.

Rev. A. Preston Boyd, pastor of the Sellwood Methodist church, has been transferred to the Eggleston Memorial, the First Methodist church, Portland, Oregon.

All business men on the east side, no matter from what section, are earnestly urged to attend the annual meeting of the East Side Business Men's association tomorrow evening in the Healy building, East Morrison street and Grand avenue.

The real estate directory which appears in today's Journal for the first time will be of interest to the general public—especially lawyers, and thousands of citizens who are interested in realty.

A small building in the rear of 511 Rodney avenue, owned and occupied by Mrs. Mary B. White as a photograph gallery, was totally destroyed by fire at 6:30 o'clock last evening.

Head-Black Advertising company, prepares good advertising copy for the city papers, writes booklets, plans publicity campaigns of any kind and originates new and clever advertising ideas.

Championship basketball match. Dallas college vs Ringier E. S. A. C. tonight, Ringier gymnasium.

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

Painting, tinting, paper hanging and picture framing. Portland Paint and Paper company, 251 First st. Main 4878.

Dr. H. A. Hoffman, dentist, rooms 206-7 Alley bldg., 3d and Morrison. Phone A-248 and 3d 1348.

Acme Oil Co. sell safety coal oil and fine gasoline. Phone East 789; B-1007.

Woman's Exchange, 133 Tenth street, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch. Highest price paid for fresh eggs. Kruse's, Park and Morrison.

D. Chambers, optician, 129 Seventh. Journal want ads, 10 a word. Bark Tonic for rheumatism.

F. W. Baites and Company invite your inquiries for PRINTING. Phone Main 165 Home A 1165 First and Oak

Foster & Kletzer Signs

HOUSE-CLEANING SALE

CLOSED TODAY—SALE BEGINS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9

Portland's Best Shoe Store ROSENTHAL'S Cor. Seventh and Washington



Do you know what house-cleaning means at Rosenthal's? IT MEANS the absolute clearance of all Fall Footwear, and at a price so far reduced as to insure a positive clearing out in the next 30 days.

A Great Clearance Sale

Just one month to sell out every pair of Fall and Winter Shoes. Time is short, that's why the reductions will be more than extraordinary, and remember, every pair is the famous Rosenthal quality Footwear—shoes that are high grade and dependable, stylish, slightly examples of all that's best in the world of footwear.

Doors Open at 9 Tomorrow Morning

We must have room for our new spring stock, on the way. Today we are closed. Sale begins at 9 tomorrow morning. Be early.

CHOICE... 1500 pairs of fine kid and felt House Slippers, values to \$2.50, only \$1

ALL FALL and WINTER FOOTWEAR MUST GO \$2.85

1500 pairs Men's box calf Blucher genuine Good-year sewed, oak-tanned sole leather, every pair guaranteed, good value at \$4.00, all sizes. Sale price only \$2.85

\$5.85 House-Cleaning Bargain Extraordinary \$5.85

Infants' 75c Shoes Choice \$3.15 Per Pair Children's Shoe Sale

Children's \$1.50 and \$2 Shoes Boys' Steel Shod Shoes

See the Windows Tonight and Get Posted on What a Sale at Rosenthal's Means--Or, Better Yet, Be Here Early. The Selling Begins at 9 Tomorrow

MERCHANTS GETS IN SHAPE TO REOPEN Increases Capital Stock and Arranges for Large Reserve Fund.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Merchants National bank will be held January 14, when the stock books will be open for additional subscriptions to increase the paid up capital to \$500,000.

MINSTREL MAIDS MANUFACTURE LAUGHS Young Women Give Novel Entertainment to Concordia Club Members.

The Concordia club was the scene of a novel entertainment last night when the Minstrel Maids entertained their friends with a lively New Year's eve program.

The company wore the conventional black--on their countenances, and the costumes were extremely rich and striking. Miss May Hirsch acted as interlocutor and kept her audience in high good humor.

The suit by E. B. Watson against Orville M. Rankin and John H. Rankin was dismissed in the circuit court.

WEALTHY TIMBERMAN DIES ON WAY EAST Christopher Barker Expires on Train Near Green River, Wyoming.

Christopher C. Barker, president of the Peninsular Lumber company, and prominently identified with the lumbering interests of the northwest, died on the train yesterday near Green River Junction, while on a trip to Wisconsin and Michigan, where he has large lumber and saw milling interests.

CHEW PARTICULAR ABOUT HIS COMPANY Willing to Go to Chicago but Prefers to Go Alone.

Habeas corpus proceedings were unavailable in the circuit court yesterday afternoon to secure the release of Moy Ton Chew, the Chicago Chinese accused of the murder of one of his countrymen in that city.

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Where to Dine. H. C. Brandes' grill, 103 Sixth, serves elegant Table d'Hotel dinners daily.

COAL Special Price on our good coal for a short time only \$7.00 per Ton C.O.D. BUY NOW WHILE THE PRICE IS DOWN F. B. Jones & Co. EAST 7 B 1771

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INSIST! DEMAND! Tell the Grocer to Order! KIBLOP'S ANKOLA King of Coffees 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c

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Our force is so organized that we can do your entire crown, bridge and dent work in a day if necessary.

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W. A. WISE, Dentist Pulling bldg., 3d and Washington sts. 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays, 9 to 12. Painless extraction, etc.; Plates, etc. BOTH PHONES, 4 AND MAIN 508.

HEILIG THEATRE 14th and Washington. Phone Main 1 and A-1122. Tonight at 8:15 o'clock STETSON'S "UNCLE TOM'S CABIN" Prices 25c, 50c and 75c.

HEILIG THEATRE 14th and Washington. Phone Main 1 and A-1122. Tomorrow, Friday, Saturday, Eight Special -rice Matinee Saturday Henry W. Savage Offers Musical Comedy "WOODLAND" Evenings \$1.50 to 50c; Matinee \$1 to 25c

MARQUAM GRAND Portland's Famous Theatre, Main 6. Matinee Today at 2:15. Tonight and Remainder of Week "ARIZONA" The Greatest American Play ever Written Evenings 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1; Matinee 25c, 50c, 75c. January 5, 6, 7--The Passion Play.

BAKER THEATRE Phone Main 2 George L. Baker, General Manager. Famous Baker Stock Company. Special New Year's day Matinee Wednesday. Regular Matinee Saturday. Tonight, all week, Winston Churchill's beautiful romantic play, "THE GREAT MELODRAMA" Absorbing plot and characters. Evening prices, 25c, 50c, 75c. Matinee, 15c and 25c. Next Week--"Soldiers of Fortune."

EMPIRE THEATRE Morrison and 12th. Phone Main 117. MILTON W. SEAMAN, Manager. Tonight all this week, matinee Wednesday (New Year's day) and Saturday; the merry musical comedy success, "ARE YOU GRABBY?" Frank Dana, star. See the Teddy Bear sensation. The big musical fun show. Night prices, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c; all matinee prices 10c and 50c. Next Week--"At the Old Crossroads."

LYRIC THEATRE Both Phones: Main 4685; Home, A-1098. Week commencing Monday, Dec. 29. The Allen Stock Company Presents the MAJESTIC PROMISE. Matinee Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Prices 10c and 25c. Evening at 8:15. Prices 10c, 15c and 25c. Boxes 50c. Office open 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

THE GRAND Matinee daily. Prices Weekday: Matinee, 15c to any part of the house except boxes; evening prices, balcony and gallery, 15c; entire lower box, 25c. Sunday and holiday matinee same price as evening.

THE STAR Old, N. 5400 Phone: New, A-1490 For the Entire Week of December 29. The R. E. French Stock Co. Presents "A MAN OF MYSTERY" Matinee Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, with special matinee New Year's day. Matinee prices, 10c and 25c; evening prices, 15c, 25c and 50c; curtain rises at 8:15 sharp. Reserve seats for any performance by either phone.

"The Nickelodion Theatre" Opposite Oregonian Building. TODAY "The Colonial Soldier" Any seat 5c.

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