

Town Topics
TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS.
Hellig... Dockstader's Minstrels
Lyric... The Bushranger
Grand... A Trip to Coney Island

INDEPENDENCE PARTY
The Independence Party is being organized and is growing in every state of the nation.
It is a party of the people, not the politicians.

City Engineer D. W. Taylor's report on the widening of Vista avenue was referred back to him by the street committee of the city council yesterday afternoon with instructions to change the plans so as to bring Montgomery street into Vista avenue.

That is what the founders of the nation intended. That is what the people are not getting through the old parties. The old parties have fostered instead of destroying the evils that have grown up in our government.

An ardent letter from J. B. Reynolds, assistant secretary of the United States treasury, has been received by the Portland chamber of commerce asking that any complaints be sent in at once regarding shipping and import regulations.

The word "Republican" and "Democrat" symbolize only the vehicles for getting office—and then turning the offices created by the people against the interests of the people.

The Portland Realty board has issued an attractive invitation to the "Good Streets" lecture to be delivered next Thursday evening at the Empire theatre by R. H. Thomson, city engineer of Seattle.

Isn't it about time for a national party that will represent you, all of you, all the time? The declaration of principles of the Independence Party has been characterized as the embodiment of the best political thought of the decade.

Another step was taken yesterday in the city lighting question by the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, when officials of the company refused to accept the city's warrant for the amount of the April lighting bill.

Some of the things the Independence Party advocates and that the people want have been promised by the old parties—before election—and forgotten—after election. Join the national movement that will follow promise by performance.

Selling dirt excavated in street improvements by contractors was the cause of a spirited discussion between the members of the street committee of the city council yesterday afternoon and the legal right of the contractors to claim the dirt was questioned.

Articles lost and found on the streets—the last few days: Seventy-one umbrellas, 2 door keys, 1 handkerchief, 1 watch, 1 apron, 10 purses, 10 watches, 1 coat, 1 fur, 5 grips, 2 pairs of shoes, 2 lunch pails, 2 lockets, 1 baby shoe, 1 ladies' jacket, 1 bathing suit, 1 pin, 1 photograph, 10 packages, 1 cap, 1 shop basket, 1 blue print (Allan E. Simpson). Call the lost article room of the Oregon Water Power & Railway station, corner First and Alder streets.

Members of A. J. Smith post, No. 26, and Blackhawk circle, No. 26, G. A. R., of Sellwood, and Winslow Men's club, of Sellwood, will meet at the home of Captain Chase of the towboat Sarah Dixon on Friday evening in helping their little rose garden box in memory of its way to the ocean, as was told in The Journal. The boat was launched at the Sellwood ferry on the afternoon of Wednesday day in memory of the dead sailors who gave their lives for their country and sleep in unknown and watery graves.

Uniform Ranks Portland camp No. 107, W. O. W., winners of first prize at Seattle last year, will give an exhibition drill on Morrison street in front of the grandstand tonight (Saturday) at 8:30. Admission 25 cents.

M. P. Helbock's fingers were worth \$7,650 to him, according to the valuation placed in a suit to recover damages from the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing company by Portland, which to the credit of his digits while operating a table saw for the defendant. He is 16 years of age, and the suit was brought by the machinery properly placed to protect the workmen, his hand being caught in the saw. The suit was brought through the young man's guardian, Margaret Helbock.

The latest in sheet music for 5c, 10c and 15c. All music demonstrated at E. P. Charlton & Co.'s Ten Cent store, 288-290 Washington street.

United States Commissioner A. M. Cannon yesterday held William M. Crawford, a newboy, for a hearing before the federal grand jury on a charge of assault. It is alleged that Crawford obstructed the entry to a box and that when Alfred Peterson, a letter carrier, attempted to open the box he was assaulted by Crawford.

Grand carnival dance at Ringler's hall tonight: fine floor; excellent music. Steamer Jesse Harkins, for Camas, Washougal and way landings, daily except Sunday. Leaves Washington street dock at 8 p. m.

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 8 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.

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Excursions tomorrow to Oregon City, Canemah park and Willamette falls, 45 cents round trip. Cars leave First and Alder streets every 30 minutes, on the hour and half hour. Dancing at Canemah park.

Special sale of Welsh antlered coal, \$10 per ton, for the month of June. Inquire at gas office, Fifth and Yamhill streets.

DR. DROUGHER
Speaks Both Services Sunday at the WHITE TEMPLE
Twelfth and Taylor Streets
10:30 A. M.
"Whole-Hearted"
OR
A CALL TO THE HEROIC.
Observance of Lord's Supper.
7:45 P. M.
"Dissatisfied and Discouraged"
An sermon to those who have been disappointed in love and life.
ORGAN SOLO, MISS GRACE E. KEENE.
Special Music and Gospel Solo.
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HORSES AND GRADING OUTFITS AT AUCTION
(Special Dispatch to The Journal).
Pendleton, June 5.—It is now being prepared by the government to sell off 100 head of work horses, used in the Umatilla reclamation project, at the market sales day to be held in this city, July 6. It is thought the work on the irrigation project will be completed by that date, which is the date of the regular sales day for this city. The sales should amount to from \$12,000 to \$15,000, and buyers from all the north west states will be present to bid on the stock. Aside from the horses a large amount of grading property, such as plows, scrapers, rollers, cultivators and other implements used in making the reservoir will be offered for sale.

DAILY FISH CATCH CRAWFISH BECAUSE ALPINE SOLID OUT

Crawfish, for which Portland is noted from one end of the country to the other, became more famous than ever last night—famous on account of the fact that at midnight there wasn't a cooked one within the city limits of Portland. Millions of crawfish—it is true that many of them were little fellows, but they were crawfish just the same—were served during the week to the Portlanders and their visiting friends. Every one who cannot appreciate naturally wanted a taste of the meat of the toothsome little thing which has assisted in spreading Portland's fame broadcast.

SOCIETY AND SAILORS MINGLE IN THE ROSE FESTIVAL BALL
The grand ball given last night at the armory by the Rose Festival association was an elaborate affair. There were about 400 dancers on the floor and as many more spectators. Many representative society people were in attendance and their handsome gowns mingling with the uniforms of the officers from the barracks and the fleet made a pretty picture.

DETECTIVES SMUG PICKPOCKET VICTIM
C. O. De Vere Declares His Proof of Loss Made No Impression on Police.
Eight-year-old Joe Lavadada was struck by a buggy while standing at the corner of Second and Madison streets, yesterday afternoon and is now in a precarious condition at his home, 252 Second street. He was standing with his father when struck by the buggy, the wheels of which passed over his abdomen. Dr. G. T. Trommald, who is attending him, will make an examination today to ascertain whether or not the little chap is injured internally. The identity of the two men in the buggy has not been established.

PHONE CLUB NAILS DOWN FIRST PLACE
Journal Library Contestants See Operators Still in the Lead.
It seems that the Western Bell club has permanently annexed first place in the Journal library contest. Somebody must get very busy indeed if the telephone operators' organization is to be pushed out of the niche at the top of the list. Following is the standing of the contestants:

Table with 2 columns: Contestant Name and Points. Includes Western Bell club (18,872), Journal Library (12,011), and various schools and clubs.

Huge Cougar Kills Cow.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal).
Aberdeen, Wash., June 6.—A huge cougar has been terrorizing the residents of the Neushikah river valley for several months. It is so large that it not only kills the smaller animals of the farmers when it is hungry, but has even killed a cow for G. M. Powell. A number of hunting parties have gone out to get the big cat.

THE ROSE FESTIVAL BENEFITS PIANO HOUSE
Many Out-of-Town People Take Present Opportunity to Select Piano at Eilers.
The three magnificent delivery wagons of Eilers Piano House have been kept busy, frequently overtime, delivering many fine pianos and player-pianos each day, sold to city buyers. In addition to this, many sales are made daily to country buyers. Portland witnessed quite a rush from people from out of town. Among the sales recorded up to 5 o'clock yesterday, the following were found the following out-of-town buyers:

W. J. Tester of Roseburg, a Chickering piano.
Ball, Astoria, a magnificent Weber piano in selected mahogany.
Miss E. Dooper of Hillsboro, a Marshall grand in mahogany.
Mrs. C. P. Bayer, North Yamhill, Or., a Kimball piano.
Mrs. T. Barlow of Camas, Wash., a Kimball upright piano.
W. H. Eccles, Ogden, Utah, calling with his family, selected a superb \$1,200 Paragon grand in magnificent crotch mahogany, which will be sent to his home in Utah.

Must Keep Away From Second Wife
Siedow Sentenced for Shooting at No. 1 in Gentle Reproof.
That Fred Siedow must not go near his second divorced wife or talk to her, on penalty of being thrown into the penitentiary for one year, was a portion of the sentence passed by Judge Gantenben yesterday afternoon by Judge Gantenben in the other wife, Siedow was sentenced to serve one year, but paroled on condition that he will keep away from wife No. 2.

COFFEE
Pity to waste good coffee by a poor cook; or waste a good cook by poor coffee!
Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him.

BABY LEFT ALONE IN HOUSE ALL DAY LONG
Locked alone in a residence at 1294 Union avenue for over six hours and voicing its hunger-pangs in pathetic cries, the 2-year-old baby girl belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kocofac was yesterday taken in custody by Patrolman W. P. Drugg and turned over to Park and Girl home.

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With special features and Final Performance
\$1500.00 Fireworks
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Tonight 8:15 Tomorrow Night
Lew Dockstader
And his BIG MINSTRELS
Prices—50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50.
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Great Rose Festival Attraction.
Matinee Today 2:15—Last Time Tonight
"THE HALFBREED"
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Big Scenic Play—Record Seven Weeks
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Games begin week days at 3:30 p. m., Sunday, 2:30 p. m.
Admission: 50c—Bleachers, 25c; grandstand, 50c; boxes, 1.50; grandstand, 15c.
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May 18
June 5, 6, 19, 20
July 6, 7, 22, 23
August 6, 7, 21, 22
Good for return in 90 days with stop-over privileges at pleasure within limits.

REMEMBER THE DATES
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Dates of Sale: May 4 and 18, June 5, 6, 19, 20; July 6, 7, 22, 23; August 6, 7, 21, 22.
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