

### Town Topics

Two hundred guests were present at the banquet and reception given Dr. Fletcher Homan, the newly elected president of Willamette university, Friday night by a score of well known Methodists, high in the ministerial councils of the Methodist church. The speakers devoted their addresses to eulogies on the work that has been accomplished by Willamette in the educational field and to urging all good Methodists to come to the support of the university with financial contributions inasmuch as the trustees are earnestly endeavoring to make the university a place where the best of the state will be trained.

President Josselyn, of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, says that the sensational raising of rates by the insurance companies is nothing but a holdup game and is not warranted. The insurance companies raised the rates on the ground that the direct electrical current now in use on Portland motors is dangerous. Mr. Josselyn says this is true only of sections subject to electrical storms and Portland is exempt from these. If the railway company is forced to put in alternating currents immediately in place of the direct one now in use this action will cause a big loss to all owners of electric motors on machine or elevator power, as every motor will have to be replaced.

Three cases of assault and battery which were to be tried this week in Judge Reid's court had to be postponed because of the absence of the defendants in two of the cases and of the plaintiff in the third case. As the result of the failure of Hunter brothers to appear this afternoon, the case having been postponed from last Saturday, bench warrants have been issued for them. They are the men who were charged with beating up a Cleone rancher. They came to town last Saturday and could not find the justice court. They will be led to it Monday afternoon.

Beginning on Wednesday, July 1, the Portland Railway, Light & Power company will put on a package freight service between East Portland and Casdadero and Troutdale handling packages on passenger trains, leaving Portland at 8:15 a. m., 1:15, 6:15 p. m., and on trains leaving Casdadero at 7:15, 11:15 a. m., and 3:45 p. m. Packages will be received and delivered at the company's depot, East Water street, and at Troutdale avenue. For further information call on or address any of the company's freight agents, or the traffic department. Phone Main 624. House 47.

The Laurelwood M. E. Sunday school will hold a picnic on the Fourth at the grounds at Tremont station, Mount Scott car line, in which every other Sunday school in the city is invited to participate, regardless of denomination. Speaking and singing, games and exercises, tables and seats will be provided. A plentiful supply of ice cream, lemonade, candy and refreshments will be on hand, and the profits on the sales will help to pay for the new Laurelwood church. Come early, stay late, enjoy yourself, but don't forget your lunch baskets.

W. J. Peck's recital at Woodmen's hall last evening demonstrates what can be done by a quick method. Pupil sang selections from the grand opera very creditably. Among the soloists were Misses Tilden, No. 567 East Morrison street, on Wednesday evening, July 1. Mrs. M. L. Christian and Mrs. H. C. Gunn of the committee have arranged the following program: Address, Mrs. Ada Wallace Unruh; piano recital, Mrs. H. E. Plummer; reading, Mrs. D. W. DeHart; vocal solo, Miss Leah Euser; walking solo, L. S. Draper; vocal solo, D. W. DeHart.

The ladies of the Central Women's Christian Temperance Union will give a lawn social and reception at the residence of Miss Tilden, No. 567 East Morrison street, on Wednesday evening, July 1. Mrs. M. L. Christian and Mrs. H. C. Gunn of the committee have arranged the following program: Address, Mrs. Ada Wallace Unruh; piano recital, Mrs. H. E. Plummer; reading, Mrs. D. W. DeHart; vocal solo, Miss Leah Euser; walking solo, L. S. Draper; vocal solo, D. W. DeHart.

Alleging that Harry Vanhook and A. V. Parsley, two attorneys, have unlawfully seized his tools of woodcarvers' tools, also a tabouret and several statues, Marcus Pollok has begun suit in the circuit court against them to recover \$100, which he says is the value of the property. He says the goods were taken from 528 Washington street on May 11 when he had been deprived of his means of livelihood, as he has to depend upon his tools and did not have money to buy a new outfit.

The Knights of Columbus will initiate three scores new members into the order this morning. The initiation will be preceded by solemn high-mass in the cathedral at 9 o'clock. This will be attended by the Curial knights and visitors in a body. At 10:30 the first and second degrees will be given and after luncheon the third degree will be put on at 3:30. A banquet will follow at 6 p. m. The initiation will take place at the Masonic temple, corner of Yamhill and Park streets.

Forty carpenters, bricklayers, plasterers and other laborers employed in the work of remodeling the Pantages theatre, at Fourth and Park streets, quit work yesterday morning because a brother of J. F. Shea, the wealthy capitalist-contractor by whom they were employed, was working on the job. Mr. Shea then put on old overalls himself and got down in the basement, where he was seen yesterday by many of his friends, wrestling with iron pipes.

The American Bank & Trust company, 50 Seventh street, recently reorganized, solicits your business; pays 4 per cent on time deposits, 2 per cent on checking accounts. G. J. MacGibbon, cashier; L. C. Ralston, president.

Suit of the government against Charles Drew, a cattle dealer, who has

a ranch near the Klamath Indian agency, to compel him to pay for allowing his stock to graze on the reservation, is to be instituted by United States District Attorney John McCourt next week. About 50 head of Drew's cattle have been corralled by the government representatives at the agency. It is claimed that the cattle have been trespassing.

The emperor of Japan has kindly allowed the Portland Railway, Light & Power company to take a huge generator which was intended for the Japanese government. The company will use this to replace the one of the battery lost by the runaway generators in the power plant at Estacada. A special train will be run from Sechenatchy, N. Y., to Portland to carry the big "maker" here without delay.

Ella L. Greer was arrested yesterday afternoon on a warrant sworn to by Herman W. Barr, charging her with practicing optometry without having a registration certificate. She was found at 423 Washington street. This is another of the numerous cases brought by members of the various state boards to enforce the law requiring members of professions to have the proper registration.

Any property owner who lets ten, fifteen or more grass roots taller than ten inches anywhere within 120 feet of graded streets in the city of Portland will hereafter have it cut for him by the city, which will insure the payment of the cost of such cutting by filing a lien on the property affected. An ordinance to this effect was signed by Mayor Lane yesterday morning.

A special car will leave at 9 o'clock this morning for Cedar park, where the Ancient Order of Hibernians will hold their annual picnic, to which the general public is cordially invited. A musical program will be rendered and a number of valuable prizes will be given away to the winners of the races and other sporting events which will be a special feature of the big picnic.

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Trolley excursions today on Portland Railway, Light & Power company to Estacada and upper Clackamas river points, 75 cents round trip; tickets must be purchased, on sale in waiting room, and used only between the hours of 7:15, 9:15, 11:15 a. m., 1:15, 3:45, 7:25 p. m. Dinner at Hotel Estacada, 60c.

The four-story flat on Johnson street between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, has been purchased by an out of town investor, consideration \$15,000. The property is a two story frame building, containing a 30 foot lot, and was sold through the agency of E. J. Daly.

D. W. Wakefield, D. S. Stearns and C. Krell have appraised the estate of the late Marquette L. Labbe at \$53,952. Nearly all the property consists of a quarter interest in the home of her father, John Labbe, subject to a life interest of her mother, Angeline M. Labbe.

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 5 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.

E. E. Gould of this city through the agency of Devlin & Firebaugh has sold lots 2 and 4, block 2, improved with a three month trip through the east. Mr. Abbott of Hood River who expects to make his home in this city. The consideration was \$4,150.

This will remind you that now is the time to have your hair mattresses renovated and returned the same day. Phone Main 474. The Portland Curled Mattress Factory, H. Metzger, proprietor.

The Portland Shoe Repair company, 269 Yamhill street, between Third and Fourth streets, Phone Main 7655. Your shoes repaired while you wait. Best oak soles, 75 cents. Bauer & Stöpper.

Trolley trips today to Oregon City and Canemah park; 45 cents round trip; tickets on sale in waiting room, First and Alder streets. Cars leave 30 minutes, on the hour and half hour.

Rate war, steamer Northland sails direct for San Francisco Tuesday evening. Cabin \$10, steerage \$5, berth and meals included. C. H. Thompson agent, 138 Third street.

Baseball! Baseball!—Tri-City league championship, Woodburn vs. "Frakes" Sunday, June 28, 6:00 p. m., Vaughn street grounds. General admission 25c.

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

"Ballet Gaiety" for the Locks Sunday; don't forget the place—Alder street dock; leave 9 a. m., return 5 p. m. \$1.00 round trip.

Marie S. Whigham will present pupils' vocal recital at Elfers hall Wednesday evening, July 1. Invitations at Tilford building.

H. J. Hefty, architect, office removed from Lumber Exchange building to room 203 Gerlinger building, Second and Sixth streets.

Will officers of Beach & Simon and William P. Richardson removed to seventh floor Board of Trade building.

Groceries sold this week: big discount. Cut Rate Cash Grocery store, 282 Russell street, East 1613.

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Henry F. Joslin, attorney at law, removed to 519 Worcester building.

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### PERSONAL

Hy Ellers left Friday evening for a trip to the south.  
Miss Grace Kern accompanied by Mrs. L. Mattson left Monday for a three month's trip through the east.  
Wednesday evening, June 24, Miss Lucile Channell and Edwin P. Williams were married at the home of the bride's sister, Captain and Mrs. Clyde Raabe, 7618 East Taylor street. Rev. Nelson E. Allen officiating. The bride was dressed in white silk and carried Bride's roses. Miss Nellie Raabe played Mendelssohn's wedding march.

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## The Libel Will Be Resented

An outrageous falsehood that appeared in yesterday's "Spectator" will be taken into court. An outrageous and scandalous falsehood respecting the Butte Boys Consolidated Mining Company appeared in a weekly publication emanating from a room in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, in which it was stated that the Butte Boys "has no lease whatever on the Goldfield Florence, and its impudent assertion is made to deceive the public." The name of the sheet publishing

THIS BALD AND WICKED LIE  
Is the "Spectator," and for weeks it has been slandering not only this but every other company engaged in the mining business in this city, without, we believe, an exception, save one that saw fit to be "induced" to advertise in its seemingly worthless columns. We say seemingly worthless, because we believe that its circulation is so infinitesimal that use of its columns as an advertising medium would amount to little less than larceny of the money of our stockholders, to whom every dollar we receive for the sale of shares belong, and who expect that we will wisely employ their funds and not practically donate them to every medium or applicant that comes along.

WE HAVE TWO LEASES ON THE PROPERTY OF THE GOLD-FIELD FLORENCE.  
One dated May 1, and made to the Florence Central Mining Company, and on June 2, with the consent of the Goldfield Florence Mining Company, transferred to the Butte Boys Consolidated Mining Company, which had amalgamated with the Florence Central—or, rather, had taken over all that company's interests. Another lease, dated June 13, on an entirely separate tract of Florence Goldfield ground, is in our possession, and is the property of the Butte Boys Consolidated Mining Company, and these documents may be seen at any time by any interested person at the company's office, 517 Lumber Exchange building.

NOTICE IS THEREFORE GIVEN, THAT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE LEGAL ACTION WILL BE TAKEN AGAINST THE PUBLISHERS OF THE SPECTATOR.

It will then be seen if legitimate, honest, square dealing in the development of gold mines may thus be willfully, wickedly and maliciously attacked by persons of the character of those two individuals who pose as sponsors for the weekly publication known as the "Spectator."

AN IMPORTANT MINING ENTERPRISE  
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