

Town Topics

Tonight's Amusements

Heilig... The Clansman... Baker... The Rocky Mountain Express

The Central Labor Council, Portland's new directing labor body, was organized last night.

Representatives of every bank in Portland met last night in the Security Savings & Trust company's office.

Mrs. J. T. Cromwell, aged 74, an Oregon pioneer of 1853, died at her home, 1885 Taylor's Ferry road, Thursday.

The United States civil service commission has announced dates for four examinations to be held during November.

Great factory mistake shoe sale at 291 Morrison street. Labels wrong on fall shoes just arrived.

Tomorrow is the day which is generally observed by the Anglican church as St. Luke's day, in memory of St. Luke, the beloved physician.

Charles F. Berg, the retiring manager of Lennon's Portland store, was banqueted at the Danmore hotel last night.

J. F. Monahan and Charles Thirkill, the two clerks charged with the forging of Southern Pacific passes and who were arrested at San Francisco.

The father of Willie Meyers, 131 East Third street, reported to the police yesterday that Willie had run away from home and wanted him caught.

Congressman W. E. Humphries of Washington will be the principal speaker at a meeting to be held in the Armory on the evening of October 27.

The \$250,000 worth of improvement bonds recently sold by the ways and means committee of the city council.

Detectives Kay, Hyde and Craddock raided the gambling joint at 83 1/2 North Fourth street last night and gathered in two Chinese and two Japanese wagers of fortune.

Owners of the following articles that were found on the streets yesterday can recover them by calling at lost articles department.

L. D. Mahong, a member of the Missouri delegation to the legislature, will deliver an address to the people of Russellville and Monticello tonight at Warren's hall on the Base Line road.

36th Street

Mayor and Pacific Bridge

Manager Come to an Agreement.

Mayor Lane's object in withholding his signature from the warrants for the payment of work accepted by the city on Thompson street and only releasing the chief executive's name attached to make them convertible into money by the Pacific Bridge company became evident at the meeting of the executive board last evening when Manager George W. Simons, of the bridge company, promised if necessary to rebuild them entirely.

Grant Given Opinion. When the matter of reconsidering the acceptance of the Thompson street curbs was brought up, Deputy City Attorney Grant was asked for an opinion as to whether the board has any authority to reconsider.

Nothing much is wrong with the curbs, anyway. You may remedy the hollow spot defect by putting in a patch, but I don't think these spots will hurt the curbs much where they are found in the ends of panels.

What New Cement Will Do. I stand ready to do the right thing and to repair the curbs on Thompson street if that is necessary but I want the defective spots marked once and for all so that when I have repaired them some other committee can't come back with another inspection and make me continue repairing indefinitely.

Repairs Make It Worse. City Engineer Taylor corroborated the manager and said further that the repairs made so far would make them worse than if they were left alone.

Witness Fees in Benefit Fund. Tichenor and Hellyer Told to Turn in Sums Received From the County.

Publicity put an end, for the present anyway, to the fattening of police and detective salaries by the collection of witness fees.

Sworn Lived Outside Limit. The collection of witness fees by the detectives became a subject yesterday when Hellyer and Tichenor filed affidavits that they lived beyond the two mile limit.

ES A. C. dancing party, Ringier hall tonight. Music by Es. A. C. dancing party, Ringier hall tonight. Music by Es. A. C. dancing party, Ringier hall tonight.

FOX CATCHER'S BARNS EAPS

Youngsters Give Fine Exhibition of Horsemanship at the Oriental Building—Hunt Club Drill a Feature of Performance Last Night.

Fox Catcher, J. D. Farrell's Irish hunter, was the lion of last night's horse show audience. It competition with Frank, Otto Breyman's big bay that had thus far beaten everything he had gone against, the Seattle horse outclassed the local champion, and in a series of exhibition high jumps cleared the bars at 6 feet 1 with apparently no effort at all.

Besides the jumping of this horse, the best feature of yesterday's program was the driving and riding of some very young children, several of whom gave exhibitions of exhibition in hand that exceeded anything shown by their elders in the ring.

The absence of the Andrew Laidlaw horses from Spokane, which is a disappointment to exhibitors in many classes, is said to have been caused by the fault of a groom who had been entrusted with the shipping of the animals.

Only One Four-in-Hand. The Leadbetter four-in-hand was the only entry in its class and was owned by James Nicol not exhibiting but Judge Boyd took the judges, the ring master, his assistants and a driver, and around the ring, giving an exhibition of his abilities as a whip.

Class 75—Ponies under 12 hands 2 inches—Clover, gr. g., Miss Helen W. Farrell, first; Millie Skowbold, M. Miss Marie Klack, second.

Class 31—Pair of geldings not exceeding 15 hands 2 inches—M. and M. and per cent, appointments 50 per cent; to be driven by a lady—Lady Tuck, blk. m., Lord Nip, blk. g., Miss Margaret Ayer, second; Buster, ch. g., James Nicol, third; Bob, bay g., George T. Willet, fourth.

Class 78—Ponies 13 hands 2 inches and not exceeding 14 hands 1 inch—Quality Queen, J. W. Condit, Jr., Seattle, first; Spelling, 4 years old and under, Ayer, second; Buster, ch. g., James Nicol, third; Bob, bay g., George T. Willet, fourth.

Class 53—Thoroughbred saddle mares or geldings over 15 hands 1 inch—Witacup, ch. g., G. F. Porter, Vancouver, Wash., first; J. H. Bennett, br. g., W. M. Davis, second; Oregon Boy, ch. g., Miss Sally Leadbetter, Camas, Wash., third; Will Whirring, ch. g., Mrs. F. G. Buffum, fourth.

Class 42—Horses not exceeding 15 hands 2 inches, to be shown by two horses 50 per cent, appointments 50 per cent, to be driven by amateurs—Sunshine, ch. m., J. W. Condit, Seattle, first; Merry Widow, blk. m., Maplewood Farm, second; Lady Arva, Miss Bernice Baker, Tacoma, third.

Class 64—Pole ponies not over 14 hands 3 inches, to be shown with mallet—Crocket, ch. g., Henry Metzger, first; Dexter, bay g., George Bates, Jr., second; Cassar, br. g., Dr. G. E. Brewster, third; Babe, bay m., Frederick Porter, Vancouver, fourth.



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