

Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS.

Hellig Arthur Hartmann, Violinist... The Sun Day of Broadway... The Rose of the Rancho... Orphan... Vaudeville... Grand... In Wyoming... An Indian Romance

J. P. Loatsakos, a graduate of the Royal Classical college of Athens... Secretary McIntosh says it will be useless for applicants without experience to seek an appointment.

Articles of incorporation of the Amer Credit company have been filed by N. C. Oviatt, Charles R. Goldstein and H. W. Lemcke, the capital stock being \$50,000.

Auction Sale—Before making your holiday purchases don't forget that the entire line of diamonds, watches, signet rings and set rings, cut glass, clocks, hand painted china, silverware and the entire line of jewelry of M. L. Fisher, the jeweler, 257 Washington street, is being auctioned off daily. Seats for ladies.

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Dr. George Soltan of London, England, will assist in special evangelistic services at the Fifteenth and Morrison streets, beginning January 10.

Mary MacLachlan has been appointed by County Judge Webster as administrator of the estate of her father, Donald MacLachlan, who died on November 28, leaving an estate valued at \$2000.

Rate War—For Los Angeles direct, steamer Tamapais sails Friday noon. Cabin \$19.50, steerage \$10.00.

From Shakespeare's "Hamlet" to Mark Twain's "Buck Fanshaws Funeral" J. B. Stevens tonight at Unitarian chapel, Seventh and Yamhill. Tickets 50 cents.

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

Dr. George F. Koehler has returned. Practice limited to diseases of the stomach and bowels. Swetland bldg.

CONDEMN THE ENTIRE SYSTEM

Agree That Sailor Boarding Houses in Portland Must Be Abolished.

That the sailor boarding house system as conducted under the present heavy expense to shipping must be discontinued was the decision reached yesterday afternoon at a conference held here by the various foreign consular representatives.

The conference was held in the British consulate for the purpose of further discussing the subject which formed the topic at a special meeting of the board of trustees and the harbor and river committee of the chamber of commerce Tuesday afternoon when the various parties concerned were given opportunity to speak.

The consular representatives stated their views and held emphatically for a material reduction in the fee charged for furnishing sailors while John Grant, who conducts the licensed sailor boarding house, argued in favor of his interests.

They held that there is no need for a sailor boarding house. The consuls believe that the sailor is able to take care of himself when in port and if he wants to go to a boarding house he does not need a law to state to which one house he should go to gain admission.

PROGRAM FOR HARTMANN CONCERT. Arthur Hartmann will give his eagerly anticipated violin recital at the Hellig theatre tonight, assisted by Alfred Calzin, his pianist, and a most unusual and absorbing program will be given.

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Seat Sale Tomorrow. IN "THE CHORUS LADY" Hellig Theatre, 8 Nights, Beginning Next Sunday. Prices: Lower floor \$2.00, \$1.50. Balcony \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c. Gallery (including reserve), 50 cents.

Bungalow THEATRE. Main 117, A-4224. Repeated by immense popular demand, second and last week, Helios's THE ROSE OF THE RANCHO.

Opera House THEATRE. Main 6, A-1020. Mat. Ex. Sundays and Holidays. Week of Dec. 14—Schoolboys and Girls; Silvers; Howard & Lawrence; Olivette; Fonda; Bell & Fonda; Bowyer; William Tompkins; Pictures; Orchestra.

BAKER THEATRE. Phones Main 2, A-5340. OREGON THEATRE. LESSNER. Geo. L. Baker, General Manager. Tonight, all week, Bargain matinee Wednesday. 25c any seat. Regular matinee Saturday.

PANTAGES THEATRE. Advanced Vaudeville, Stars of All Nations. MADDER & STEFATRO. Presenting "The Turning of the Tide." A rattling good playlet, full of fun from start to finish.

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