

Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

Heilig Theatre—"The Burgomaster." The Jap. Orpheum—Vaudeville. Grand—Vaudeville. Pantages—Vaudeville. Star—Vaudeville. Rose Festival—June 7 to 12.

Uncle Sam Offers Jobs—Six civil service examinations in a week are announced by the United States civil service commission. The first will be held on March 10, 1909, and five will be held March 17, one of them extending over to the 18th. March 10 there will be an examination for the position of chief veterinarian in the Philippine islands at a salary of \$2500. On March 17 there will be held for the position of roller maker in the bureau of engraving and printing at a salary of \$1100 a year; assistant superintendent of construction in the United States penitentiary, salary \$1500 a year; assistant in delivering in the department of agriculture at a salary of \$900 a year and one for the position of mechanical and electrical engineer in the quartermaster's department, \$1200 a year. Applications should be made to Z. A. Leigh at the postoffice.

W. C. T. U. Meeting—A very earnest and uplifting devotional service was held at the headquarters of Central W. C. T. U. Wednesday. Many were present and gave personal experiences of answers to prayer. It was announced that the Lincoln badges will be sold on the streets Friday, permission having been granted by the city council. All who will help are requested to come to room 506 Goodnough building, Thursday, between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., and obtain the badge. Next week the subject will be "A Backward Glance." In charge of Mrs. H. J. Shene. The Francis Willard memorial service will be held Wednesday, February 24.

To Advertise Oregon—Orders for 655,000 pieces of advertising matter concerning Oregon have been placed with Portland printing houses. This week these included 500,000 inserts ordered by the Portland Commercial club which will be distributed to the business houses in all the large places in the state and will be placed in all mail sent out of Oregon. The remainder 155,000 pieces consist of the Harriman lines, descriptive of the opportunities awaiting the settler in Oregon. The motive behind both inserts and folders is to induce people to take advantage of the colonist rates to this state during March and April.

No Change in Lighthouse District—Portland is not going to lose the headquarters of the Thirteenth light house district. A letter received from Senator Bourne by the chamber of commerce and containing the inclosure of a letter from Captain H. Mayo, naval secretary, sets at rest all fears that have arisen. Captain Mayo states that at the meeting of the lighthouse board, February 1, it was voted not to remove the headquarters from Portland to Bellingham, Wash., but to make an effort to wrest the headquarters from Portland, but the action of the lighthouse board is final.

Woman's Club Meeting—The meeting of the Woman's club tomorrow afternoon in the Women's Woodcraft hall is to be the annual open meeting to which members are privileged to invite their friends. Mrs. C. G. Pritchard is chairman of the day. An interesting program will be given, of which a main feature will be the illustrated lecture on Oregon trees by George H. Hines. Mrs. Abigail Scott Duniway will read a poem written at the grave of Lincoln in 1873. Piano numbers will be given by Mrs. John Flanders Beaumont.

S. P. Tracks a Nuisance—Considerable complaint is being made by teamsters of the condition of the Southern Pacific tracks between Stark and Washington on Fourth street. The railroad recently repaired its right-of-way at this point, but the section men left the groove by the rails just wide enough to catch small tread tires, with the result that from ten to a dozen wagons are smashed daily. The result is a constant stream of wheels and harness of the wagons and the tempers of the teamsters.

Falls in Front of Car—Jumping from the end of the delivery wagon on which he was riding, Ralph Nichols, 8 years old, living at 485 Williams avenue, stepped in front of a "U" car at Williams avenue and was run over yesterday afternoon. By the prompt action of Motorman Goode in stopping the car, the boy's life was saved, and he suffered only the loss of several teeth and a severe scalp wound. Dr. Bruce attended him and he was taken home by his parents.

Revival Services—The special revival services conducted by Rev. Alexander Beers of Seattle in the First Free Methodist church, corner East Ninth and Mill are continuing. The services tonight and tomorrow night, with special song service led by the pastor, Rev. Beers, at 7:30, followed by the sermon at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Beers will preach tonight, taking for his subject "Sin Entering the Citadel of the Soul."

Administrator Loses Suit—In the case of Edward Pinskiwicz against the Portland Railway, Light & Power company Judge Bronaugh directed a verdict yesterday afternoon in favor of the defendant. Edward Pinskiwicz, as administrator of the estate of Otto Brandes, who was killed by a streetcar last February, sued the company for \$7500. The court held that there was contributory negligence on the part of the deceased.

Opens Hebrew School—N. W. Bresler, an educator who for the past year has been in charge of the Hebrew educational schools in New York and Chicago, arrived in this city yesterday to open a school here. The school is to be located at 543 First street and will open its course of lectures Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Mr. Bresler was formerly a prominent educator in Warsaw, Russia, the province of Poland.

Grant Paquet Extension—The city of St. Johns has granted Joseph Paquet a 20 days' extension of time on his contract for building the new city dock. The city officials believe that Mr. Paquet did his best to finish the job in the contract time, but that the inclement weather of early January prevented. The dock is now to be finished February 20.

Holds Teachers' Examination—County School Superintendent Robinson is holding a teachers' examination in the Marquam building. Of the 83 applicants 51 are trying for county certificates and the rest for state certificates. The number of applicants is larger by 50 per cent than in any preceding examination.

Found on Streets—The following articles were found on the Portland streets on February 10: 11 umbrellas, 1 box, 3 gloves, 1 bottle, 1 book, 1 rubber, 2 lunch boxes, 1 purse, 1 screw-driver, 1 package.

Caught Playing Cards—Fines of \$1 each were this morning imposed upon the eight union painters found playing cards at the building on the corner of 1st and 2nd streets, last evening.

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THREE PHASES OF THE SOUL

Newton Riddell Lectures on
Psychic Phenomena at
White Temple.

The White Temple was well filled last night by an appreciative audience to hear the fourth in the series of the Newton Riddell lectures on the "Soul." After answering questions placed in the question box, Mr. Riddell took up his lecture proper on the subject of "Psychic Phenomena." Among other things he said:

"The soul has three distinct planes of manifestation, each of which results in a form of consciousness. The soul functioning through the brain, in response to stimuli produced in what is known as the objective mind, the continuity of which is frequently spoken of by psychologists as the stream of consciousness. This objective mind is the subject of what is called physiological psychology. The soul functioning independent of the brain results in what is known as the subjective or superconscious mind which is the basis of psychic phenomena, telepathy, clairvoyance, clairaudience, trance, mediumship, psychic dreams and visions, etc. The soul functioning through the spirit results in spiritual perception, the change of which is called God consciousness. The natural man has but two planes of consciousness; only those whose spirits have been quickened into life by the holy spirit have the third, or divine consciousness."

"The memory of the subjective mind is so far as we know infallible. What ever is once deeply impressed upon the soul never leaves it. The change of brain tissue, we lose the power to recall as a conscious fact, but it is ever held subjectively, and as we pass on to the body the soul holds a captivated record of our thoughts and desires. There is no escape from this record. There is nothing hidden that shall not be revealed. There are no secrets in the psychic realm."

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"Tonight Mr. Riddell will speak on 'The Psychology of Success,' in which he promises to give practical methods of success, tell one how to win out in the battle of life, acquire a captivating personality and make a fortune. All young people, salesmen, clerks and business men are especially invited."

NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE WILL BE ENLARGED

At the annual open meeting of the Council of Jewish Women held at Temple Beth Israel last night the president, Mrs. Max Hirsch, made the announcement that a new site has been purchased at Second and Wood streets, for an enlarged Neighborhood house where the various societies of the council's work can be carried on with improved facilities. No definite plans for the building have yet been made, but as soon as preliminary are arranged the building will be pushed forward and completion is now hampered by the lack of room.

Mrs. Hirsch's annual message embraced the various lines of industrial and social work carried on by the council. Reports showed that there are now 100 foreigners in the neighborhood, learning to read and speak English; 47 children in the kindergarten, and a large attendance at cooking, sewing and gymnastic classes.

Mrs. Elfreda Heller Weinstein gave two delightful washboard numbers. Her voice is a clear soprano and she sang with much sweetness and understanding. Edgar E. Courson accompanied at the organ.

The lecture on Scotland given by Bishop Scadding, illustrated with stereopticon slides made from photographs taken by himself was most interesting and instructive. The lecture was followed with the closest attention and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience present.

Complexion Floutie and Beauty Bags—Discover your face for removing wrinkles, pimples, blackheads and bleaching skin. Direction how to prepare and use. 25c. Box 4008 Station E, Portland.

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See Our Gasoline Power drag saws, Cut 25 to 30 cords per day. Easily handled by one man. Foot Machinery, 3800 Broadway and East Alder street.

Auction! Auction!—Beginning Saturday, February 6, at 2 p. m. and 7 p. m. Everything at auction until sold. Elite China & Glass Co., 352 Morrison.

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

Laos Curtains like new: 50 cents upwards. Hand laundry. Phone Main 3073.

Woman's Exchange, 133 Tenth street, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch.

Shipyard's Springs—For results and comfort. R. K. station, Ash, Wash.

No really young and attractive woman ever gets off a street car backwards.

W. A. Wise and associates, painless dentists, Third and Washington.

D. Chambers & Son, opticians, 321 Morrison, cor. Sixth, are the best.

Dr. M. A. Jones, dentist, has returned. Suites 402-3 Buchanan Bldg.

American Bank & Trust Co.—Moved to corner of Sixth and Oak.

Brandes' Grill, 103 6th, quick service.

Dr. Kaynes, optician, Salmon near 5th.

NORTH BANK ROAD IS NEARLY COMPLETE

Rolls have been laid on the entire North Bank line from Pasco to Marshall Junction, just outside of Spokane, and the track has been connected up for the entire distance from Portland to Marshall Junction. The Box Canyon bridge on the line between Marshall Junction and Pasco was completed so far as the placing of girders is concerned last Thursday. Some riveting still remains to be done on the bridge, and the line will be turned over to the operating department for acceptance.

It is not believed by the officials in Portland that the line will be in shape to operate fast trains over it until the first of next month, but as soon as it is through freight trains will be routed that way instead of over the Northern Pacific tracks from Pasco to Spokane.

Wines and Liquors. Special Friday only, \$1.50 port, sherry, and angelica, muskadel or tokay wine, 75c per gallon; \$4 whiskey, \$2.75 per gallon; \$4 brandy, \$2.75 per gallon. Phones: Main 6439 and A-4499. National Wine Co., 415 Fifth and Stark streets. Free delivery.

Portland Marble Works 302 FIRST STREET.

Portland Academy

Fits boys and girls for eastern and western colleges. Includes a primary and grammar school. A residence hall for girls. Second term will open February 9, 1909. Catalogue sent on request. Address:

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BURBANK CREATES SPLENDID ROSE AND NAMES FLOWER FOR OREGON

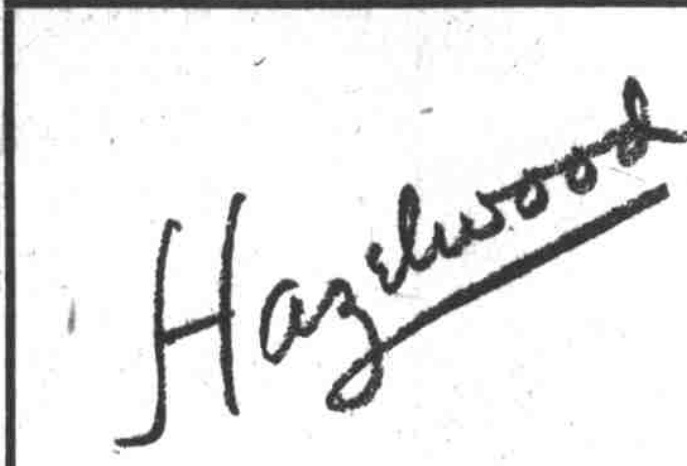
Luther Burbank, the wizard of horticulture, has developed a new rose, a specimen of which will be sent here to be planted on Washington's birthday and which is to be called the "Rose of Oregon." He sent this word to the Portland Rose Festival association yesterday and said that although he may not be able to come here himself his "little offering" will be sent here any way.

Mr. Burbank did not go into particulars as to the color or other qualities of his new flower, but simply said that it is the most beautiful rose he has ever seen. The committee is willing to trust in his judgment and consequently expectations are great. The plant will be turned over to the custodian of the forestry building to care for and as fast as possible slips will be taken from it and planted and the new rose made plentiful in the city.

Word was also received from Joaquin Miller to the effect that he will send a number of sonnets to the women participating in the rose planting exercises and also a poem written for the occasion. The reading of this poem will be a feature of the program.

The program for February 23 is all but complete, and as soon as word is received from several of the prominent speakers it will be given out. Governors Chamberlain, Mayor Lane, Bishop Scadding, representatives from the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific fair and a number of other prominent men have been asked to take part.

A 53 pound tumor was removed from a Eugene woman.



St. Valentine Specials

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New \$1.00 Elastic Belts at 50c

20 different lots, made of finest quality plain and fancy elastic, beautiful buckles; actual \$1.00 values—Friday and Saturday. . 50c

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Friday and Saturday on all

Copper and Brass Goods

25 per cent discount off Regular Prices.

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424-6 Washington St.

Bet. 11th and 12th.

ANNOUNCEMENT

On account of moving into their new building, the Portland Marble Works, located at 302 First Street, will close for 30 days sell their entire stock of monuments and markers at cost price. Will move to 302-304 Fourth St., opposite City Hall.

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Friday night, the German Stock Company. Matinees Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

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Seventh and Alder Sts.
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