Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

Bungalow ..... "The College Widow"
Baker ..... "The Boys of Company B"
Orpheum ..... Vaudeville
Grand ..... Vaudeville
Pantages ..... Vaudeville
Lyric ..... "A Crazy Idea"

Owing to the unavoidable delay caused by the congestion of traffic on the steel bridge, due to the closing of the Burnside bridge, commencing Friday, March 5, 1909, the Woodlawn and Alberta cars will run to the east approach of Burnside bridge and return. Passengers will be required to walk across the Burnside bridge to transfer cars on the west approach of the bridge. These transfer cars will run via Burnside street, Fifth street, Washington street and Second street. A separate line of transfer cars will also run from Second and Washington street over the steel bridge to Union avenue, and Holladay avenue, to accommodate passengers who would rather ride over the steel bridge and be delayed, than walk over the Burnside bridge and take cars on east side of bridge.—Portland Railway, Light & Power company.

Stolen Automobile Recovered.—The automobile stolen from Dr. Holt C. Wilson Tuesday night was found on the Crystal Springs farm, near Milwaukie, yesterday and brought into town. The thieves evidently got off the road, and unable to back the machine out of the narrow road into which they drove, cut out the electric coil and storage battery and left the machine there. To replace the lost articles will cost the doctor about $75. The machine was stolen from in front of the Oregonian building Tuesday evening and was gone most of one day before Dr. Wilson got track of it. Yesterday it was returned to him after having been found on the Ladd farm. The tool box was open when it was found and a number of the tools missing, the coil and storage battery missing and the rear axle sprung.

Rowena M. Hogan, photographer, who had suspended her business since the fire in the Abington building, has reopened the Rembrandt studio in the same building. The quarters now occupied by the studio were arranged after her own ideas and equipped with the necessities that make photography a success in every detail. Mrs. Hogan's many patrons will find her better fitted than ever to take care of their patronage. Coupons issued before fire will be honored if presented before May 1.

Consolidated.—The Sample Shoe Store company announces the consolidation of their two stores, 203 Morrison street, and 142 Second street, retaining the store at 142 Second street, and discontinuing that at 203 Morrison street. George Greenfield, one of the proprietors of the concern, states that this is done because their lease at 203 Morrison street has expired, and owing to the proximity of the two locations it was thought best to retain the more central one.

Suit for Timber.—The Inman-Poulsen Lumber company of Portland is made defendant in a suit to recover $3046.59, alleged due because of the illegal purchase of timber from George W. Keith and Herman J. Potter, which was instituted in the federal court yesterday afternoon by District Attorney John McCourt. The land from which the lumber was taken was originally homesteaded by Albert E. Greene, who, however, left before proving the property.

Mining on the Snake.—Greater preparations than were ever before known are being made along the Snake river for the mining of the gold during the coming summer, says Deputy United States Marshal Griffith, who returned this morning from a three weeks' trip in the Snake river country. In most of that country winter still prevails, says the deputy, and little preparation can yet be made for farming.

Good Templars Will Aid.—Svithiod lodge, Good Templars, held a meeting last night, at which it was determined to take an active part in the 1909 campaign against saloons. Rev. John Ovall made an address, urging this action, which was received with enthusiasm. A committee was appointed to confer with other committees and Anti-Saloon league leaders interested in temperance reform.

Short Weights Ordinance.—The health and police committee of the city council this morning recommended the passage of an ordinance that will prevent unscrupulous merchants from defrauding the public by short weights and measures. The ordinance was drawn up by the city sealer of weights and measures. A fine of from $5 to $500 is provided for violations of the law.

Heavy Rain Bursts Sewer.—Residents of Mill street between Front and Water were considerably surprised this morning upon the discovery of a babbling brooklet that had sprung up in the night. Investigation proved it to be a sewer that had burst during the heavy rain last night. Men are at work today repairing the damages.

Readings at Y. W. C. A.—A delightful evening's program is that to be given by Miss Ruth Hart Carter, well known as a reader, at the W. Y. C. A. auditorium Friday at 8:15. Among the selections given will be characteristic verses from James Whitcomb Riley, H. C. Bunner, Edmund Vance Cook and others.

Advent Christian Revival.—The revival services at the Advent Christian church, on Second street, between Hall and Lincoln, under Rev. George E. Coofrider, will continue through next week, with meetings every evening except Saturday. There has been a good attendance.

Save the Discount.—Send check or pay at office on or before the 10th to save the discount on March bills for the automatic telephone. Home phone your long distance calls to Tacoma, Seattle and way points. Home Telephone company, corner of Park and Burnside streets.

Irrigation company incorporated.—W. Lawrence, L. L. Osborne and A. L. Weigle have filed articles of incorporation of the United Water Motor Irrigation company. It is formed for general power and irrigation purposes and has a capital stock of $500,000.

Y. M. C. A. Men's Meeting.—Dr. William Parsons of Pittsburg, Pa., will address the men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon on the subject "First." The Y. M. C. A. quartet will sing. All men are invited.

Ringler's swimming baths, enlarged, improved, contain 50,000 gallons warm Bull Run water. Now open daily till 10 p. m. Expert instruction. Special hours for women and children. 288½ East Morrison street.

Audubon Society Meeting.—There will be a meeting of the Audubon society at the city hall tomorrow at 8 p. m. Some new lantern slide bird photographs will be shown. All who are interested are welcome.

Eyeglasses That Fit.—Giving solid comfort and perfect satisfaction is what we guarantee. No fancy prices. Dr. G. Rubenstein, optician, 188 Third st., opposite Baker theater.

The following articles were found on the Portland streetcars yesterday: Nine umbrellas, two satchels, one faucet, one tin box, one book, one key, four packages.

Kelly's Family Liquor Store, Park and Morrison. High grade wines and liquors. One price to all. Free delivery. Tel. Main 28. Home, A-2828.

Clean lump coal, thoroughly screened, for furnace, range or stove, prompt delivery; weight guaranteed. Oregon Fuel Co., Main 43, A-1043.

Conference of Trainmen.—National officers of railway trainmen's associations are returning to Portland today to continue their conference with officials of the Northern Pacific and North Bank roads, relating to assignments for their men. The chief difficulty found in these assignments, say the trainmen, is the tendency on the part of the companies which have interest in the North Bank road to duplicate appointments and promotions in a way that is very embarrassing to the men. A. F. Whitney, vice grand master of Railway Trainmen, is a guest at the Perkins and B. Corrigan, assistant grand chief engineer, is due this evening.

Council Crest Asks for Sewer.—Residents of Council Crest Park and vicinity have applied for the installation of a sewer system. The council committee on sewers this morning directed that a resolution be sent to the council recommending that improvement proceeds ings be instituted as soon as possible, so that the clamoring property owners of the hilltop may be appeased.

Readjustment of Salaries.—Councilman Menefee has called a meeting of the council committee on current expenses for next Tuesday. The committee will make recommendations for a readjustment of salaries paid to city employes. Heads of all departments have been directed to attend the meeting.

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

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Woman's Exchange, 123 Tenth street, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch.

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

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

Rex Painless Dentists, Grand Theatre building.

Dr. McCracken, Dentist — Rothchild bldg.

Dr. E. C. Brown, Eye-Ear. Marquam.

Brandes' Grill, 103 6th, white cooks.

Dr. Haynes, optician, Salmon near 5th.

NEW PASTOR TO PREACH SUNDAY

Rev. W. F. Reagor.

Rev. W. F. Reagor, the new pastor of the First Christian church, reached the city yesterday and today moved into the temporary parish house at 262 Twelfth. Mr. Reagor came to this city from Sacramento, where he was the pastor of the First church. He will preach his first sermon Sunday morning.

A Tennesseean by birth and educated in Kentucky at the state university and the Lexington theological school, this is Mr. Reagor's first northwestern pulpit. He has spent some 13 years as pastor of California churches, the last eight years at Sacramento, where he had built up a very large congregation.

He was born in Shelbyville, Tenn., in 1865, and gained a great reputation as a church builder from his work in Sacramento.

Mr. Reagor's Sunday topics will be "The Redemption of the Human Race the Eternal Purpose of God," and "Jesus His Own Best Evidence."

DEMONSTRATION TRAIN FROM CALIFORNIA U.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

University of California, Berkeley, March 5.—The university agricultural demonstration train will leave Los Angeles for a 10 day trip through the southern end of the state on March 16. This is the second trip of the train this winter. The excursion will be made under the management of the college of agriculture, as was the former trip. President Wheeler will accompany the train this time. At various points in the state stops will be made and free lectures and demonstrations on agricultural subjects given. So great has been the demand for this form of scientific instruction from the farmers of the state that it is probable that the demonstration train will be a permanent method of university extension work from this time on.

TAXPAYERS, ATTENTION

A Mass Meeting Will Be Held

On Tuesday, March 9, at the Heilig theatre, to protest against the exorbitant increase of taxes. Our taxes this year are from 20 to 50 per cent higher than last year. When is this going to end? There is too much extravagance and waste in the management of both the city and county affairs. United effort should be made among the property owners to see that the taxes are reduced. It is the duty of every taxpayer to be present at this meeting.

CHARLES K. HENRY.

Troy Laundry Co.

Have removed their west side bundle office to 248 Alder street.

Meetings in Gregory Heights. See page 3.

AT THE THEATRES

Next Week at the Lyric.

Starting with the usual Sunday matinee, Sunday, March 7, the Lyric Stock company will present "Wormwood," taken from the book of the same name, written by the well known writer, Marie Corelli. It is a melodrama that will surely please all.

Only Farce Comedy This Week.

The Lyric Stock company is offering this week the only farce comedy in the city. "A Crazy Idea" is the bill, and it is well worth an evening of your time. If you can't go, send the children to one of the matinees.

"The Boys of Company B."

One of the best comedies of the season is Paul Armstrong's "The Boys of Company B," in which the popular actor, Paul Armstrong, is starring this year. It is a militia play by Rida Johnson Young, author of "Brown of Harvard."

"The College Widow" Tonight.

One of the biggest hits the Baker Stock company has ever made is this week's, "The College Widow," which will be seen tonight, tomorrow matinee and night. It is the thrilling college comedy with scenes laid at the imaginary Atwater college.

"Society and the Bulldog."

Next week the Baker Stock company will present for the first time here Paul Armstrong's latest play, "Society and the Bull Dog," which is on the order of his greatest comedy success, "The Heir to the Hoorah," being a combination of eastern and western characters.

Daniel Sully Next Week.

A strong company in the best comedy of the season is what is promised the patrons of the Baker all next week, opening Sunday matinee, when Daniel Sully will be seen in his new play, "The Matchmaker."

Aerial Act Coming to Orpheum.

The Four Poncherrys who will appear at the Orpheum next week, are among Europe's most clever and successful aerialists. There is one lady and three gentlemen, who are all of the cleverest in their line of work.

Sullivan and Kilrain Next Week.

John L. Sullivan, perhaps the greatest figure in the world of sports the past 25 years, whose glory today is little dimmed, since he lost the world's heavyweight championship, will appear next week at Pantages in conjunction with his old enemy, Jake Kilrain.

Capacity Houses at Pantages.

Here is a list of the acts that are drawing capacity houses to the Pantages theatre this week: The Four Hanlons, fantasma stars, Kid Gabriel and company, producing the famous Remington pictures; Somers and Storke, the Two Blossoms, etc.

Blessings at Orpheum.

The Berlin newspapers in speaking of Madam Blessing, who is appearing at the Orpheum this week, said: "Madam Blessing is the most beautiful and strongest lady athlete that has ever graced the boards of the German music halls." The Blessings do marvelous head and hand balancing.

Coin's Dogs at Grand.

Don't fail to take the children to the Grand this week to see the great comedy, "It Happened in Dogville." All the actors are dogs, and they play their parts just like human beings. This is an act that will please the old and young alike.

Smallest Man Coming.

The smallest man, Adolph Zink, will be the chief attraction at the Grand next week. Mr. Zink is the famous Lilliputian who was a Broadway attraction for years. He is a German who has been in this country since his youth. Zink gives imitations of noted players.

"The Red Mill" Coming.

Charles Dillingham will present Victor Herbert and Henry Blossom's big musical comedy success, "The Red Mill," at the Heilig theatre for three nights, beginning next Thursday night, March 11. A special price matinee will be given Saturday. Seat sale opens next Tuesday, March 9, at theatre boxoffice.

PERSONALS

Ruth White, in the "Burgomaster," accompanied by her husband, W. P. Cullen, is a guest at the Portland.

Attorney General A. M. Crawford, accompanied by his wife, was in Portland yesterday afternoon, a guest at the Imperial.

Attorney John A. Carson of Salem is a guest at the Imperial.

China Plate Free.

A China plate will be given free to every one who inserts a cash want ad amounting to 15 cents or more in next Sunday's Journal. Business chances and real estate are the only ads excepted. See announcement on want pages today.

Bad Weather

WILL NOT KEEP PROSPECTIVE PIANO BUYERS AWAY FROM OUR TENTH ANNIVERSARY PREMIUM PIANO SALE.

$2.00-for-$1.00 Offer Accepted by Scores of Buyers During Past Two Weeks.

Our determination to make this Tenth Anniversary Piano Sale an event of great importance to every prospective piano purchaser of Portland and vicinity is being realized in spite of the bad weather. The mere mention of the fact that the very choicest and most costly creations of the country's greatest piano makers are being offered at unusually low prices and on easiest of terms has been sufficient to attract a steady stream of eager buyers to our salesrooms at all times.

The $2-for-$1 offer, whereby you receive a receipt for double the amount of your first payment, up to and including one-eighth the sale price of the instrument, and the announcement that we have dispensed with all outside solicitors (the saving in wages being deducted from the selling price of our pianos) has awakened unusual interest and caused many people to purchase at this time, thereby taking advantage of the heretofore unheard of reductions in price.

Every piano in our immense stock of high-grade and well-known makes is included in this sale and you are now able to secure a beautiful Hobart M. Cable, a Marshall & Wendell, a Bush & Gerts, Kohler & Campbell, Lester, Crown, Pease, Haddorff, Eilers, Kimball, or any one of the forty makes for which we are representatives, at prices lower than ever before.

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During this sale we will not haggle over terms. Bring in $30 or $20, or even $10, as first payment—select a fine, high-grade, brand new instrument, and arrange to pay the balance in small monthly amounts, as best suits your individual convenience. Failure to investigate this most liberal offer will certainly prove a loss to you. You cannot afford to delay the purchase of your piano another day when such liberal inducements are offered you. You had best select your instrument now, while the prices are reduced and have the pleasure of using it in your home while paying for it. With our small payment down and easy terms you will soon own an instrument and hardly miss the small monthly amounts you have paid for it.

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5-Pound Pail of Lard	60c
10-Pound Pail of Lard	$1.15
Fine Hams, best Quality, per lb.	12½c
Cottage Hams, per lb.	11c
Shoulder Hams, per lb. . . .	9c
Bacon, per lb.	16c

Fish Specials

SMELT, 3 pounds for..... 10¢
RAZOR CLAMS, per dozen.. 10¢
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ALSO FINNAN HADDIE

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A Large and Choice Lot of TURKEYS
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SOME FRUIT SPECIALS

The best Oranges that grow—
Large, sweet and juicy, dozen.... 35¢
Medium, sweet and juicy, dozen.. 25¢
Fancy Lemons, dozen .... 10¢ and 15¢
Tangerines, dozen ..... 10¢
Large and ripe Pineapples, each.... 35¢
Grapefruit, thin skin and heavy, each. 5¢
Grapefruit, large size, ... 4 for 25¢
Extra fine Winter Nellis Pears, doz. 20¢

APPLES
Two large lots of fine Eating and Cooking Apples; will sell Saturday only at, per box ..... $1.45 and $1.75
Best California Walnuts, 2 lbs..... 35¢
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BULLETIN No. 2

About the Crowds to Gregory Heights

There have been all the way from 800 to 3000 people visiting GREGORY HEIGHTS on Sunday, ever since the tract opened. It is fair to presume that they take the ride with the idea of seeing the property. Such being the case, we have endeavored to have enough representatives on the ground each day to show such a vast number of people the lots we have for sale. Unfortunately, however, most of the large crowds have insisted upon visiting the property in the afternoon, making it utterly impossible for us to accommodate them all courteously. We merely ask those who intend to visit GREGORY HEIGHTS next Sunday, and are seriously interested in the ownership of a home, to see us in the morning. It will be better for you and better for us. We are on the ground every day from morn till eve.

There are less than 300 lots left unsold. Your opportunity to buy your own home for $10 a month is rapidly slipping away and it is a certainty you will never again be able to buy a building site in the city of Portland, for as low as $100, payable $5.00 down and $2.50 per month.

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GREGORY HEIGHTS

AMUSEMENTS.

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Week of March 1—Eight Palace Girls and James Clemons; Ray L. Royce; Ward-Klare Co.; Jeanette Adler and Picks; The Blessings; McDonald & Huntington; Gray & Graham; Orchestra; Pictures.

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And not exceeding	$2.00
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