Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS.

Heilig ..... "Mary's Lamb"
Baker ..... "The Gingerbread Man."
Bungalow ..... "Carmen."
Orpheum ..... Vaudeville.
Grand ..... Vaudeville.
Pantages ..... Vaudeville.
Armory hall ..... Society Kirmess

Alberta to Have Fire House—At the meeting of the Alberta Improvement association Wednesday it was practically decided to construct a cement block firehouse either on Alberta street or within 100 feet of it for the new chemical engine to be stationed in that vicinity. This will make the finest suburban firehouse in Portland and the chemical should give good service as bitulithic pavement is soon to be laid on Alberta street. Plans are being drawn for this purpose and the ground has been donated by E. M. Baker, who recently built five store buildings at Seventeenth and Alberta. The funds will probably be raised before the club's next meeting. Delegates to the United East Side Push clubs were appointed. The matter of the widening of lower Alberta street is progressing satisfactorily and will probably be completed within the next few weeks.

Mrs. Clayson Sues Again—Mrs. Annie L. Clayson has begun suit in the circuit court against William Clayson, her son, to collect $720 under an agreement that he pay her $60 per month. This is the third suit of its kind she has filed, another pending case covering the payments alleged to be due from October, 1905, to March, 1908. In 1905 she obtained judgment for payments up to that time, amounting to $780. She states that she dismissed a suit for $6000 against her son in the United States court in Alaska under his promise to pay her $60 per month for life, but he has not been regular in his payments.

Forgery Charge Dismissed—Al Muller, arrested yesterday on a forgery charge by detectives Hyde and Reed, was dismissed this morning by Municipal Judge Van Zante. Muller had found a check for $17.50 made out by the Union Meat company payable to G. Z. Funk. He passed himself off as Funk on Charles A. Winters, a saloonman, who cashed the check for him. The check apparently was already endorsed. Muller is a hard working young boy and apparently did not know there was any harm in cashing the check. He was released on repaying the money he had obtained.

Will Talk on Charter—Frederick V. Holman, the one member of a committee of 15, who opposed the new charter, will next Sunday, April 18, endeavor to show the voters of Portland why they should not favor the commission plan of government. The meeting will be held in the auditorium of the Catholic Young Men's club on Morrison street, which will again be opened for the second series of lectures. Mr. Holman is an author well known as being largely instrumental in placing Dr. McLoughlin's name in the history of the northwest.

Sunnyside Wants Park.—Sunnyside and Hawthorne avenue push clubs have combined in an effort to secure a large park for that neighborhood out of the money to be spent by the city park board during the next few months. A communication from the clubs to the park board was filed today in which a plat of 26.5 acres of land was enclosed with the request that this be purchased by the city. The property adjoins East Stark street and the northwest corner of the Prettyman donation land claim.

Restaurant Man Exonerated—The case against J. L. Smithson, a restaurant proprietor at 90 North Sixth street, charged with selling liquor without a license, was dismissed on motion of the city attorney in police court today. It appears that Smithson had tendered money for a special license at the city hall but the fact that an injunction prevented the issuance of any license to restaurant proprietors kept him from getting it at the time.

Organize State Council—Local members of the Oregon Knights of Columbus are preparing to welcome delegates from Baker City, Astoria and Coos Bay to a meeting to be held at the K. of C. clubhouse on Park and Taylor streets May 11. The purpose of this meeting is to organize a state council of their order which will in future attend to the organization of new councils and the control of the old ones. A large attendance is expected.

Penny Bros.' Friday and Saturday Special—Our $2 grade of wines at $1 per gallon; our $1.25 grade of wines at 75c per gallon; I. W. Harper, Kentucky Dew, Kellogg and Old Celler whiskeys, regular $4.50 at $3.50 per gallon; invalid port, regular $2.50 at $1.25 per gallon. Friday and Saturday only, 379-381 East Morrison street. Phones East 287, B-426. Free delivery.

Albina W. C. T. U. Social—The Albina W. C. T. U. will give an entertainment in the Vernon Presbyterian church, East Nineteenth and Wygant streets north this evening at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of music, drills and an oratorical contest for a silver medal by a class of boys and girls under 14 years of age.

Auto Thief Escapes—A stern chase in automobiles with police officers in the rear machine and two auto thieves in front took place on the Base Line road last night, the thieves winning by an eyelash. The machine stolen, owned by Foster & Kleister and operated by A. Allison, was taken last night at 10 o'clock at Second and Morrison street. A pursuit was made in another machine, the pursuers breaking down near Montavilla and a few moments later the pursued machine also giving away. The thieves escaped.

Ahavai Sholom Services.—Services will be held tonight at Congregation Sholom synagogue, corner Park and Clay streets at 8 o'clock. The newly organized choir will participate in the services. Saturday morning services begin at 9:30 o'clock. Rabbi Abrahamson will officiate. Everybody welcome.

Sellwood Republican Club.—There will be a meeting of the Sellwood Republican club this evening at Union hall, corner of East Thirteenth and Tenino avenue, to hear the report of the delegates from the Republican nominating assemblage, also for general business.

Asks Band Concerts.—University Park Push club has filed a petition with the city executive board asking that the summer concert band be sent down to Columbia park once a week this summer. The club believes that section of the city is entitled to this much recognition.

Bouthillier Would Be Solon.—Alfred Bouthillier wants to represent the people of the Third ward in the city council. He filed notice of his intention to become a candidate this morning. His motto is: "Equal Rights to All."

Fined $10 for Speeding.—A. Heffman, charged with speeding his automobile at a rate of 18 miles an hour on East Nineteenth street, was fined $10 in police court this morning on pleading guilty.

Fight with Razors—A razor fight at 82 North Ninth street late yesterday afternoon resulted in S. M. Reynolds, a negro who lives at 462 Davis street, being stabbed by another negro, said to be named Dangerfield. The negroes had been drinking and became quarrelsome when Dangerfield stabbed Reynolds, inflicting rather severe but not dangerous flesh wounds. A complaint charging Dangerfield with assault with a deadly weapon will be sworn out by Reynolds today.

Salvation Army Social—A musical entertainment will be given by the Swedish corps of the Salvation Army in the interest of their heathen missionary work tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the new hall, 430 Burnside street (the old Swedish Lutheran church). The Swedish Baptist male quartet will sing. Refreshments will be served. All will be made welcome.

Fossil Banker Locates Here—Mr. and Mrs. George Carpenter have returned to Fossil, Or. They have decided to locate in Portland and will make their home at Sixteenth and Broadway in a which which Mr. Carpenter purchased from Mrs. M. DeGrandtre for $7500. Mr. Carpenter has been a banker in Fossil and has large business interests in that vicinity.

Anderson Bound Over.—Albert Anderson, arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of passing a forged check on T. A. Hogan, a saloonkeeper, waived examination before Municipal Judge Van Zante this morning and was bound over to the grand jury under a bond of $750. He was arrested by Detectives Craddick and Martin.

Martin Fined $10.—Edward Martin, the sewing machine agent arrested Tuesday on a charge of assault on a warrant sworn out by G. M. Wagner, who charged him with taking liberties with Mrs. Gardner, was fined $10 in police court this morning.

Found on Streetcars.—Overcoat, three grips, 10 packages, two lunch boxes, 15 umbrellas, pocket knife, brooch, two keys, two demijohns, two cans varnish, handbag, pin, fur, two pair glasses, cycle, grip.

Gambrinus Brewing company announces that its annual output of Bock Beer brew will be on the market Saturday, April 17. For sale by all dealers. Send your orders now and insure early delivery. Main 49, Home A-1149.

We sponge and press your clothes, shine your shoes, all for $1.50 month. Main 514, A-4314. Wagons run everywhere. Unique Tailoring Co., 309 Stark.

Bible Discourses.—By Frank Draper, of New York, Sunday, April 18, 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m., Odd Fellows' hall, East Sixth and East Alder. Seats free.

Kelly's Family Liquor Store, Park and Morrison. High grade wines and liquors. One price to all. Free delivery. Tel. Main 28. Home, A-2802.

Clean lump coal, thoroughly screened, for furnace, range or stove, prompt delivery; weight guaranteed. Oregon Fuel Co., Main 65, A-1665.

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

Dr. Hagyard, veterinary surgeon. Office B. & O. Transfer stables. Phone Main 1077.

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

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

American Bank & Trust Co.—Sixth and Oak.

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

Dr. Haynes, optician, Salmon, near 5th.*

Buy a home and be your own landlord. See Gregory's ad., page 12.

Journal want ads 1c a word.

COMEDIAN WILL SUE RAILROAD

Brakeman's Stupidity Injures Richard Carle $10,000 Worth.

Richard Carle, as humorously as a comedian may, is viewing a serious situation. Because of an accident sustained while coming from Sacramento to Portland he is having great difficulty in filling his engagement in "Mary's Lamb" at the Heilig for the remaining nights of this week.

"I hope I may never drop into popularity so fast as I dropped from the Southern Pacific train," said the actor this morning. "And I hope, too, that if I ever drop thus again there will not be such a disagreeable bump at the end of the drop," he concluded.

Mr. Carle and his wife were taking dinner in a Sacramento restaurant when the first section of the Southern Pacific train started for Portland. They caught the second section, which was not provided with a sleeper. They were dozing in makeshift sleeping compartment when the train reached Marysville. Then the brakeman hustled in, woke the comedian and his wife rudely and told them that if they would hurry they could catch the first section which was standing directly in front. With sleep-filled eyes they stepped off the train, into the darkness and into vacancy until Mrs. Carle struck about half way down the bank and heard the voice of her husband from the bottom.

He was severely injured about the lower limbs, it proved, but the couple rose and hobbled to the place where the first section was supposed to be standing, only to find another vacancy there. They succeeded in catching the train upon which they had been riding as it went past.

Since arriving in Portland Mr. Carle has had the constant attendance of a physician, but has suffered greatly. His attorney, John F. Logan, will file suit in the United States district court this afternoon for damages in the sum of $10,000 against the Southern Pacific.

Taft Returns to Washington.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, April 16.—President Taft returned to the capital today. Mrs. Taft remained in New York, where she will shop for a few days before returning to the White House.

PERSONALS

Charles D. and M. S. Wingett, business men from Fergus Falls, Minn., are guests at the Cornelius.

E. E. Kenned-, editor and manager of the Baker City Herald, is in Portland on business. He is at the Imperial.

A. S. Esberg of the Esberg-Gunst Tobacco company of San Francisco is a guest at the Portland.

Observation Car.

Commencing Monday, April 19, 1909, the observation car will leave Second and Washington streets daily at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Don't miss this delightful trip. Time two and one half hours; fare 50 cents. Portland Railway, Light & Power company.

Acreage Deal Made.

James Sargent, owner of Greenoe Heights, has just purchased 30 acres adjoining the town site of Burlington and announced today that this would be sold through C. J. Owen & Co., at $50 per lot. C. J. Owen & Co. have sold over 700 lots in Greenoe Heights in the past 30 days.

Don't be a renter any longer. See Gregory's ad., page 12.

Musical Programme

By Stiles' Orchestra

Saturday Night

at New

Golden Eagle Store

March—"Peace on Earth" ..... Fred Faerber
Cake Walk—"Big Foot Lou" ..... Joseph Gearen
Waltz—"My Dream" ..... E. Waldteufel
Selection—"The Sho-Gun" ..... Gustave Luders
Flower Song—"Hearts and Flowers" ..... Theo. M. Tobani
Porto Rican Dance—"Rosita" ..... Jean M. Missud
March and Two Step—"Watermelon Club" ..... J. Bodewalt Lampe
Waltz—"Wedding of the Winds" ..... John T. Hall
Selection from "The Fortune Teller" ..... Victor Herbert
Trombone Solo—"If I Had a Thousand Lives to Live," rendered by C. M. Newman ..... Alfred Solman
S. R. Henry's "Barn Dance" ..... S. R. Henry
An Indian Intermezzo—"Rainbow" ..... Percy Wrench
Medley March—"Much Obliged to You" ..... Benj. Hapgood Burt
Waltz Song—"Sunbonnet Sue" ..... Gus Edwards
Medley—"Rain-Beau" ..... Arr. by Frank Saddler
Song Hits—"Broadway Echoes" ..... Frank Saddler

Second No-Profit Shoe Sale

Our First No-Profit Shoe Sale, last Saturday, was an expensive advertisement for us. Selling shoes at cost and less than cost cost us good money, but the advertising was well worth it. Hundreds of new customers crowded our store last Saturday and none of those that were able to get waited upon were disappointed. Tomorrow we are making another special offering. The skeptical will say, how can we do it? We tell you frankly we can't do it always, but for a short time, in order to introduce ourselves to new customers, we are sacrificing all thought of cost and giving big values for your money.

Read These Prices Carefully Then Come to Us

$2.35-Men's-$2.35

Men's Shoes and Oxfords, the most timely value-giving event of the season, will begin tomorrow. The values we offer defy competition. We are showing fifty new spring models, both high and low cut, black or tan leathers, all sizes, all widths, from the world's best makers. Make your selection early tomorrow at, pr.. **$2.35**

Men's Shoes, values up to $5.00, Saturday at **$2.50**

The Bates Special

John Miers, The Regent, John Mitchell and R. J. & R. Star Shoe and many other famous makes in gun metal, velour, patent vici kid. All have the genuine trade mark stamped on the bottom of every shoe. Values up to $5, Saturday.. **$2.50**

Women's $3.50 Oxfords at $1.35 Pair

1000 pairs of Women's Oxfords, patents, vici, gunmetal, velour calfskins, in blucher, button, Gibson and low-cut models, all new 1909 styles; Cuban, military and low heels, extension and light soles, all sizes and widths, best standard $3.50 values. On sale Saturday, pair.... **$1.35**

Women's $4 and $4.50 Shoes at $1.85 Pair

700 pairs Women's Shoes in kid, patents, gunmetal, lace and button, blucher cut, patent tip, extension or medium weight soles, good styles for street or dress wear. All sizes and widths, $4.00 and $4.50 values. Saturday at, pair ... **$1.85**

We propose maintaining our reputation of being the Lowest Priced House in Portland for Good Shoes.

The Popular Shoe Store

67 Third St., Bet. Oak and Pine

Two Blocks North of Washington St. Next to the United States National Bank. Store open daily to 8 p. m.—Saturdays until 10 p. m.

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Gold or enamel fillings	1.00
Silver fillings	.50
Inlay fillings of all kinds	3.50
Good rubber plates	5.00
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Celluloid plates	10.00
Painless extractions, with local	.50
Painless extractions with Somnoform	1.00

Painless extractions free when plates or bridge work is ordered.

Work guaranteed for 15 years.

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FREE, delivered to our West Side customers, with delivery of any other goods. Bring your jug and we will fill it with pure, unadulterated Bull Run water, and send it with your order.
YOU CAN ALWAYS DO BETTER ON THE EAST SIDE.

A Saturday and Monday Sale of Great Importance at the Leading East Side Department Store

A gathering of remarkable specials taken from the various departments, that clearly demonstrate the large value-giving ability of this "Big No-Rent Store."

Women's $4.00 Sweater Coats $2.98
Colors are red, white and gray; all-wool, fancy weave Sweater Coats, made in very newest semi-fitting styles; each garment has two pockets.

Ladies' $1.50 White Underskirts 98¢
Handsome white muslin Underskirts, made up full and generous to size and width; trimmed with lace or embroidery; large assortment to select from.

Genuine "Lonsdale" Muslin 8¢
The genuine Lonsdale, full bleached, yard-wide Muslin; a rare special at 8¢ yard; limit of 10 yards.

Boys' 25c Heavy Ribbed Hose 15¢
Extra heavy, seamless, fast black, ribbed Stockings for boys; all sizes, 6 to 9½.

The Celebrated "M" Underwaists for Children 9¢
Great special—The famous "M" knitted and taped Underwaists for boys and girls; never before sold at less than 15c; all sizes from 5 to 11 years.

Women's $2.50-$3.00 Values Tan and Black Oxfords $1.95
Extra special—Tan Blucher Oxfords, with suede trimming, extension soles, very newest toe; black kid Oxfords, Blucher style, hand turned soles; patent leather tips; in all sizes.

Mignonette 15c Dress Shields 8¢
Fine white nainsook, odorless, washable Dress Shields; a quality that always sell at 15c or 20c, and one of the best at that price.

A Guaranteed Nickel Watch Free With Boys' Knickerbocker Suits
On Saturday and Monday. Our assortment of suits is very large, styles very best, and the values are extraordinary. With every suit from $3 to $9 we will give a genuine stem-wind and set nickel watch.

Men's $15.00 Suit Values $10.00
A splendid offering—Men's light and medium weight Suits in excellent new patterns and styles; well tailored and good fitters; the lot includes new spring patterns in cassimeres and pure wool worsteds, in light, medium and dark colors.

Children's All-Wool Sweater Coats, $1.50 Grade, at 98¢
Pure wool Sweater Coats for either girls or boys; colors are plain and some are trimmed with different color; all made with two pockets.

Men's 75c Sateen Shirts 48¢
Tan and black heavy mercerized sateen Shirts, extra full cut, 36 inches long, splendidly double stitched throughout and trimmed with pearl buttons.

BARGAINS IN OUR BIG BARGAIN BASEMENT

THESE ON SATURDAY AND MONDAY ONLY and HUNDREDS of OTHERS on ANY OLD DAY

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Adjustable Curtain Stretchers—full size and most convenient kind.

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12 full-size bars of genuine "E. H. Savon" Laundry Soap for 25c, about half regular price.

65c Glass Berry Set 33¢
A handsome heavy glass Berry Set, comprising one large 9-inch berry bowl and six small berry dishes.

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Handsome new Pictures with heavy mats, size 10x20; large variety of scenes to select from. See window.

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4-piece set, consisting of butter dish, spoon holder, sugar bowl and creamer; dainty new design.

20c Earthen Cooking Dishes 10¢
9-inch heavy earthen cooking Crock, white enamel lined, blue enamel outside.

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20¢ EMBROIDERIES **10c Yd.** Insertions and Edges

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Boys under 12 free to Bleachers Wednesday.

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Seat Sale Opens Today

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