Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

Heilig ...."Wild Fire"
Baker ...."The Darkville Strollers"
Bungalow ...."The First Born"
Orpheum ....Vaudeville
Grand ....Vaudeville
Pantages ....Vaudeville

Two Notable Lectures—At the regular meeting of the Woman's club on Friday afternoon in Women of Woodcraft hall the subject will be one of especial interest. Mr. William J. Finley will give his lecture, "The Intelligence of Birds," and illustrate it with stereopticon views. This will be an open meeting to which the general public is cordially invited. The program begins at 2 o'clock and Mrs. John M. Scott will be the chairman of the day. Wednesday evening, April 28, Mr. Finley will deliver his famous lecture "The Trail of the Plume Hunter," also illustrated with stereopticon views, under the auspices of the Woman's club and the Oregon Audubon society, in the White Temple, on the corner of Twelfth and Taylor streets. This is the lecture which was such an artistic success and which aroused so much enthusiasm in New York and other eastern cities that Mr. Finley visited on his lecture tour last year. There will be no admission fee at either lecture.

Mrs. J. G. Garrow's Funeral—The funeral of Mrs. J. G. Garrow who died at St. Vincent's hospital Monday evening of heart disease, was held from the family residence, 237 Ainsworth avenue, at 8:30 o'clock this morning. The interment was made in Lone Fir cemetery. Mrs. Garrow was stricken Sunday afternoon while her husband and sons were on a fishing trip on the lower Columbia near Oak Point. The motor boat in which the party made the trip down the river broke down and after some delay Mr. Garrow secured a fast boat for the return trip and with his sons arrived in Portland only a few moments before his wife died. Mr. Garrow is an assistant in the office of the city engineer.

Meade Mission Circle.—The Florence Meade Mission Circle of the Universalist Church of Good Tidings will have an interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. C. A. Milliman, 226½ Occident street, near Holladay, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The paper of the day will be by Mrs. Ellis McLean on "The Prophets and Their Message." These modern studies of the Bible for their practical and spiritual meaning are open to the public and have been of great assistance to many who are puzzled and beset by doubts. The Ladies' Aid society of the Universalist church will hold its meetings at the residence of Mrs. E. E. Leonard, 6 Grand avenue north until the new church building is ready for occupancy.

Wash Walls With Acid—A large force of workmen are engaged in washing down with acid the terra cotta walls of the Meier & Frank annex, at Sixth and Alder streets; at the same time the joints are being pointed with white mortar, with the result that when this work is completed the walls will be perfectly white and the structure will present an unusually handsome appearance. The interior finish is proceeding with despatch and it is now confidently predicted by the contractors that the completed building will be turned over to the owners not later than July 1, and possibly by June 15.

Disturbs City Telephone — Charged with interfering with the city's telephone line to the Bull Run pipeline headgates, D. W. Metzger and Emma Metzger are defendants in a suit in the circuit court, filed by City Attorney Kavanaugh. Metzger is alleged to have removed a telephone pole from its right of way in Gresham and to have erected a warehouse on the right of way. It is complained that he intends to erect other buildings on the 33 foot strip owned by the city, and an injunction restraining him from further interference with the city's property is asked.

Reward for Reckless Chauffeur—Twenty-five dollars' reward has been offered for the arrest of the chauffeur driving the big machine which ran over and badly injured Charles M. Mower of 771 Belmont street, Sunday afternoon on the Base Line road. The Brotherhood of American Yeomen, Homestead No. 580, of which Mower is a member, offers the reward. If the chauffeur guilty of having run down Mower can be arrested, every effort will be made by members of the order to have him convicted.

Incorporation Articles Filed—Articles of incorporation of the Electric Development company have been filed with the county clerk by W. B. Cobb, Irving Nottingham and C. W. Klippel. Development of power by dams and flumes on the Sandy and Clackamas rivers is stated to be the object of the company, particularly for mining purposes. E. L. Fraley, J. W. Benson and Frank L. Waller have filed articles of the United Trust company. It has a capital of $10,000.

Give Dramatic Entertainment — The young ladies of the new Catholic Church of the Ascension will give a musical and dramatic entertainment tomorrow evening at the new church on East Seventy-sixth street, midway between the terminals of the Mount Tabor and the Montavilla carlines. An excellent program has been arranged, in which many performers will take part. Among these are Miss Lucia Barton, Miss Grace LaFollette, Jack Erquhart, E. J. Devin and J. A. Tauscher.

Housekeepers' Sale—McAllen & McDonnell are conducting an important sale of linens and other household necessities that is of special interest to housekeepers and hotel and restaurant proprietors. The cause of the big reduction sale is alterations and improvements to the store which necessitate a reduction of stock.

Queer Chimney Fire—A vegetable growth in a chimney caused a puzzling fire at the corner of Seventh and Mill streets last night. A house belonging to E. D. Rood was discovered to be on fire, comparatively early in the evening. Firemen worked for more than two hours before they discovered that the chimney itself was burning up.

Lecture at Library—A stereopticon lecture on "The Early Italian Renaissance" will be given in the public library this evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Alice Weister is giving this lecture for the Portland Woman's club art department. It will be open to all interested, and no admission will be charged.

Thursday Special Purity Liquor Co.—$1.50 grade port, sherry, Tokay, Medeira, Muscat, Angelica and Sauterne at $1 per gallon; Ell Wood, the pure food whiskey, regular $4, at $3 per gallon. Phone East 4427, B-1353. Free delivery. 303 East Morrison.

Estes Succeeds Hislop—Benjamin Estes, a Portland hotel man of considerable experience and broad acquaintance has assumed the duties of clerk at the Imperial hotel in the position left vacant through the resignation of John F. Hislop.

Dancing at Ringler hall every Tues., Thursday and Sat. eve. Refined dancing for patrons of the better class only. 5c per dance each couple. Dance as little or often as you wish. Montrose Ringler, manager.

Rate War.—Steamer Nome City sails direct for San Francisco and Los Angeles Friday afternoon. Cabin $10 and $19.50, berth and meals included. Frank Bollam, agent, 128 Third street. •

Kelly's Family Liquor Store, Park and Morrison. High grade wines and liquors. One price to all. Free delivery. Tel. Main 38. Home, A-1882.

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

Government Wants Draftsmen—Qualified persons are urged to take the federal civil service examination for architectural draftsman and junior architectural draftsman in the supervising architect's office at Washington, D. C. The examination will be held May 19-20. Applications should be made to Z. A. Leigh at the postoffice.

Dies Very Suddenly—W. S. Young died very suddenly at 492 Mississippi avenue this morning of heart failure. He was an employe of the Acme mills and had a family of grown children. No arrangements have been made as yet for the funeral.

Butter—The very best fresh creamery butter, full two pound squares, 55c. Read Smith's adv., back page. •

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Found on Streetcars—Eight umbrellas, pair glasses, 7 packages, book, 2 suitcases, handbag.

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

Shanafelt, commercial, view, flashlight photographer. C-1099, East 5336. •

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

Gasoline and Coal Oil—Telephone Red Tank Oil Co. 130 First street.

Acme Oil Co., fine oil and gasoline. Phone Main 1236, A-1236. •

American Bank & Trust Co.—Sixth and Oak.

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

PERSONALS

Miss Rosamand Wright, niece of Judge Hunt in Walla Walla, is a guest at the Portland. She expects to visit with Portland friends several days.

E. L. Shipherd, proprietor of the Shipherd Springs hotel, is a guest at the Cornelius today.

Mrs. C. W. Keene and Miss Fielda McClane of Silverton, are guests at the Cornelius.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cartman of Los Angeles wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Clara, to Lee Kemp of Portland. Reception will be held Sunday, April 25, at the residence of Mrs. L. Ruvensky, 541 Second street, from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

Friends of Miss Madeline Bruce will be pleased to know that the operation for an enlarged gland of the neck was successfully performed at the Good Samaritan hospital Monday. In a few days she will be able to return to her home at 148 East Sixteenth street.

Why Block the Aisles?

Portland, April 18.—To the Editor of The Journal—I wish to ask space in your paper to express my views in regard to incidents often seen on streetcars in this city.

For instance, why do all passengers in getting on the cars stop in the doorway or aisle, obstructing the passageway for others getting on, instead of moving forward as requested by the conductor?

On an east side car recently, when the seats were all full and the rear end of the aisle blocked, two ladies boarded the car, pushed their way through the rear door and stopped, blocking the aisle until even the conductor was unable to make his way forward. When asked to move forward they neither answered nor complied with the request.

In my opinion if the public would do by the streetcar conductors as they do by the public there would be less reports of unsatisfactory service turned in at the general office of the streetcar company. READER.

Journal want ads 1c a word.

A Statement

A statement having appeared in this morning's paper that "Secretary Ballinger would have no control over private power companies in the Deschutes river, and that the government had nothing to do with them"—

We desire to correct an erroneous impression in regard to this company's holdings on the Deschutes river. The power plant and dam of this company is to be constructed above Trout creek, and we were reliably informed, before undertaking this project, that the Harriman or any other road would leave the Deschutes canyon at Trout creek, the natural outlet to the interior of Oregon, and as government land lies on both sides of our water filings of 21 miles we submit the following:

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office

The Dalles, Or., April 8, 1909.
Serial No. 01682.
Wasco County Electric & Water Power Co.,
318 Marquam Bldg., Portland, Or.—

Sirs: In reference to articles of incorporation and proofs of organization of your company, filed with application for right of way, you are advised that under date of March 19, 1909, the department accepted the same for filing under the provisions of the act of March 3, 1875 (18 Stat., 482).

Very respectfully,
C. W. MOORE, Registrar.

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Every dollar you pay in rent is lost to yourself. You don't get bread and butter or meat for it. You don't get a pair of sox, or a hat. Your wife doesn't get even a pair of gloves for it. It merely gives you the privilege of spending 30 days under another man's roof.

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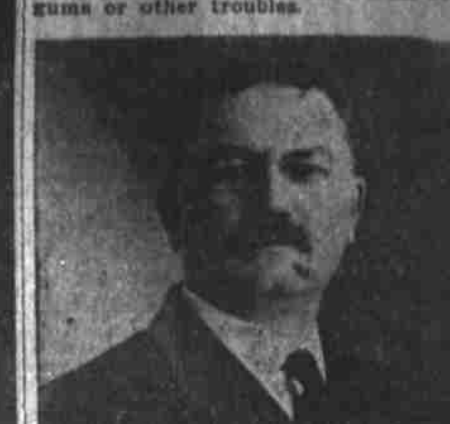

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