Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

Heilig.....Otis Skinner
"The Honor of the Family"
Bungalow..."The Education of Mr. Pipp"
Circus..(Sells-Floto) 26th and Quimby
Star ..... Moving Pictures
Orpheum ..... Vaudeville
Grand ..... Vaudeville
Pantages ..... Vaudeville
Baker ..... "The Mayor of Tokio"

Warns Against Measures—Rev. J. R. Knodell, president of the Anti-Saloon league, in an address delivered before the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday, warned his audience of the danger in attempts being made to have two measures regulating the liquor traffic placed on the ballot in 1910. These, he said, will be efforts on part of the liquor interests to stave off the defeat which they feel is rapidly nearing, and he pleaded with his audience not to allow for any regulating of the liquor traffic, but to do away with it altogether. Some of the inner workings of the Anti-Saloon league were explained by Mr. Knodell. The league was in debt to the extent of $6400 when he took hold of it, but is now free from all incumbrances.

Lets Circus Men Off Easy.—"These circus men have little enough pleasure anyway, and in their gambling games they were not disturbing the citizens of Portland in any way. They were apparently having a game for small stakes. I will fine the defendants $1 each." This was how Judge Van Zante took pity on the five members of the Sells-Floto shows in municipal court this morning. The men were arrested in a raid of a tent at the circus grounds by Officers Goltz, Smith, Hotterman, Teevin and Williams. The raid took place last evening and about 30 men were discovered playing poker and shooting craps. Five were arrested and all pleaded guilty this morning and escaped winth a minimum fine.

Series of Five Sermons—During the month of May Dr. Luther R. Dyott, pastor of the First Congregational church, will deliver a series of five sermons on Applied Religion. In mapping out this set of sermons Dr. Dyott has prepared the following schedule which he will present to his congregation: May 2, 7:45 p. m., "Reform Movements and Sins of the City;" May 9, 7:45 p. m., "A Square Deal Between the Church and All the People;" May 16, 7:45 p. m., "The Place of Religion in the Life of the City," May 23, 7:45 p. m., "The trial of the Church in the Court of Labor;" May 30, 7:45 p. m., "On Which Side of the Capital and Labor Question Should the Church Be?"

Select Frank Motter—Resolutions were passed at a meeting of the East Twenty-eighth Street improvement association last Saturday evening, asking the city council to choose Frank Motter as the new councilman to succeed Frank Bennett, should the latter be elected municipal judge. The proposal to change the Madison street bridge from its present location to Market street was also treated upon in a resolution passed, the club unanimously opposing such a change. Melvin Pugh, president; W. B. Hall, vice president; W. T. Gardner, secretary, and F. W. Ariss, treasurer, were new officers elected.

Dow Is Held for Hearing.—S. P. Dow, a resident of Hubbard, Oregon, was arrested there yesterday by Detectives Coleman and Price on complaint of Samuel Christie on a warrant charging Dow with obtaining money under false pretenses. Dow is charged with having traded a business in Portland, on which there was a lien, for a farm at Hubbard. The business here was a delicatessen store at 693 East Morrison street. Dow claims that he was the injured party in the transaction. He was held under $500 bail and the case set for hearing in municipal court for tomorrow.

Steel Bridge Push Club—The Steel Bridge Push club will hold its regular meeting tonight, when Captain Shaver, Samuel Connell and others will address the members, at their clubroom at 243 Holladay avenue on the probable damage which would result to the city should the steel bridge be moved from its present site. Captain Shaver will tell of the probable damage to the harbor, while the other speakers will dwell on the damage which might result to traffic in general should the more circuitous route be necessary. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock tonight.

Hiberinans Will Have Float—Following the lead of the other organizations, the Ancient Order of Hibernians yesterday decided to enter a float in one of the Rose Festival parades. It is to be symbolic of old Ireland, probably a replica of one of the old Irish monuments. A queen is to be chosen at a strawberry social given at the grounds of the Catholic Young Men's Athletic club next week. Each of the 32 counties on the island will be represented by a young girl appropriately gowned.

Expert to Inspect Scenic Track—In order to have the scenic railway on Council Crest in the best possible shape, an expert has been sent out from the New York headquarters of the L. A. Thompson Scenic Railway company to superintend the rebuilding of the track. The track is being put in good shape and will probably start Saturday. The expert will reach here Wednesday, and whatever changes he may make will be completed by the last of the week.

Thrown From Buggy—Mrs. Alfred J. Gantner of 604 Glisan street, who was severely injured in an accident Saturday afternoon, is very much better today. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gantner were thrown from their buggy near the Greenwood cemetery Saturday. Mrs. Gantner receiving severe internal injuries and breaking her hip. She was taken to the Good Samaritan hospital and is resting easily today.

Meet in Healy Building—The changing of the names of the east side streets to avenues and a number of other important business matters will come before the meeting of the United East Side Push clubs in the Healy building, corner of Grand avenue and East Morrison streets, Wednesday evening. Since losing its quarters in the Sargent hotel, the club has been forced to meet around with the various improvement clubs and this month will meet with the East Side Business Men's club.

Kicked Out of Shop.—Nick Klasakolpis, one of the proprietors of a shop at Union avenue and East Clay street, arrested on Saturday night on a charge of assault, was today rearraigned on a charge of threatening to kill. P. Zoualis, his partner in the shop, had a disagreement with Klasakopolis and claims that the man first kicked him out of the shop and later threatened to kill him, stating that if he came near the shop again he would beat his brains out with a hatchet. The cases were set for hearing for tomorrow.

Peter Makes No Defense.—Samantha Sheldon was granted the possession of a 30 by 100 foot strip of land on the south side of lot 4, block 326, by Judge Gatens this morning. The woman had brought suit against George Feter, alleging that she was the owner of the land, which had been withheld from her. The defendant admitted the charges as made, and agreed to the action of the court, only making the appearance of a contest in order to preserve certain insurance rights held by him on the property in question.

Hanawalt Gets Appointment—Clyde S. Hanawalt, of the general freight and passenger offices of the North Bank, was today appointed contracting freight and passenger agent for the Spokane, Portland & Seattle and for the Astoria & Columbia River railways. Although he will be the youngest contracting freight and passenger man on "Railroad row," Mr. Hanawalt is already well and favorably known among railroad men.

To Jail for Stealing Bread.—Nick Nalsosin, arrested last Friday on complaint of J. Shalngold of the Zion bakery for the theft of 16 loaves of bread from the bakery while in an intoxicated condition, was sentenced to 20 days in the county jail by Judge Van Zante this morning. The sentence was suspended after being passed, Nalsosin being warned to let liquor alone and to keep out of like trouble in the future.

Blaze in Dentist's Office—A small blaze broke out in the dental offices of Dr. Ausplund, in the Olive building, at Fifth and Washington streets at 2 p. m. yesterday, but was extinguished with but small loss. The fire was burning merrily when the department arrived in answer to a call from box 135.

Peninsula Band Serenades—The Peninsula Brass band spent much time yesterday afternoon serenading the various business houses along Killingsworth avenue. The band is under the direction of R. C. Beach, the leader, and J. Kenny, the drill master, and has made a great showing so far. Forty members are now enrolled.

Logger's Head Injured — William Stepf, a logger with the Eastern & Western Lumber company, was badly injured near Eufalia, Or., yesterday and was brought here in the afternoon and taken to the Good Samaritan hospital. He struck his head against a pile of logs and it is feared fractured his skull.

Gordon Granger Post, G. A. R.—Gordon Granger post, G. A. R., and Gordon Granger corps, G. A. R., of Woodlawn, will visit the Woodlawn school Friday, May 28, at 2 o'clock in a body. Sunday, May 30, the post and corps will attend the Woodlawn Methodist church at 10:30.

To Support McDaniel—The prohibition people will hold a rally in the M. E. church at Sunnyside tonight, in the interest of the election of T. S. McDaniel for mayor of the city of Portland. Several speakers will address the meeting.

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

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Vote yes on charter amendment against patent pavements.

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New Christian Church at Eugene.

Eugene, Or., May 24.—The First Christian church of this city will erect a $40,00 or $50,000 house of worship during the present year. Such was the decision of the membership at a business meeting yesterday. It was voted to purchase a lot back of the present house of wrship and move the old building there and erect the new building where the present one now stands at the corner of Eleventh and Willamette streets. The new church will be of brick or stone and it is planned to make it the largest and finest in the city.

Excursion to Metzger Acres

The Salem Electric will make a special rate, 25c round trip, to Metzger station Wednesday, May 26. Trains leave Front and Jefferson sts. at 9:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Be sure your ticket reads Metzger.

AT THE THEATRES

Orpheum Presents Good Bill.

The Orpheum presented another good bill which runs for the week. The feature act by the Ellis-Nowland company, "A Night at the Circus," made a big hit. There are 20 acrobats and comedians in the cast and their work is fast and furious in the old time one ring circus. Nothing missing, clowns, double jointed peanuts, red lemonade and all.

"The Mayor of Tokio."

The rattling farcical opera, "The Mayor of Tokio" opened Ferris Hartman's second week at the Baker yesterday to packed houses. Hartman is a scream as the manager of the opera troupe that gets into such mixups in Japan. The usual bargain matinee Wednesday should not be overlooked as well as the Saturday matinee this week.

"The Education of Mr. Pipp."

One of the best comedy offerings of the season is the Baker stock company's "The Education of Mr. Pipp" at the Bungalow this week. It opened yesterday to the usual packed houses. It is founded upon the celebrated cartoons by Charles Dana Gibson and is by Augustus Thomas, the great American playwright.

Pantages' New Program.

La Loie, the famous dramatic pantomime dancer, opened at the Pantages theatre today in conjunction with the following advanced vaudeville acts: Pedersen Bros., European acrobats, Scott and Whaley, colored comedians, the five musical Lovelands, the two dandies, singers and dancers, Walter Montague & Co., presenting "The Under Dog," Leo White and moving pictures.

Tolstoi Play at the Star.

Tolstoi's masterpiece, "Resurrection," has been adapted for a film subject and was seen at the Star yesterday by over 4000 people. The story is well told and, even if one was not familiar with this powerful drama, one could thoroughly enjoy and understand it.

"Last of the Regiment."

Six artists appear in "The Last of the Regiment," the leading act on the new program at the Grand, which starts today. Bert Sheppard, the Australian whip expert, will be on the bill and others who are to provide entertainment are Liebert Lindley & Co., Harry Bergoyne and Saona.

Otis Skinner at Heilig Tonight.

The favorite American actor Otis Skinner and his splendid company of players will begin an engagement of four nights at the Heilig theatre tonight at 8:15 o'clock. This famous artist will be presented by Charles Frohman in the romantic comedy "The Honor of the Family." Seats are now selling at theatre for the engagement.

Hood River to Celebrate.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Hood River, Or., May 24.—Under the auspices of the Commercial club and Merchants' association, Hood River will celebrate Independence day, July 5. The celebration will be participated in by the various organizations in the city and valley.

Vote for charter amendment requiring competition on street paving.

New Store at Nampa.

Nampa, Idaho, May 24.—The Falk Mercantile company of Boise and a number of local capitalists have organized a company for the purpose of establishing a large department store in Nampa. The capital stock of the concern is $100,000, fully subscribed and paid up.

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More Than Ten Years Ago (Feb. 12, '99,) the Following Announcement Appeared in the Sunday Oregonian

THE KIMBALL PIANO AND THE CHICAGO MUSICAL COLLEGE

A Change of Great Importance and Significance to the Western Artistic Fields

The announcement that the Chicago Musical College, which has heretofore used the Steinway piano, will hereafter exclusively use the Kimball piano, is a recognition of the wonderful artistic development of the West that merits more than passing notice.

A few years ago—a very few years at that—Chicago was totally unknown as an art center, either in the field of instruction or manufacture. Today it possesses the greatest orchestra in the country, many famous schools and conservatories, and a list of piano factories that produce nearly, if not quite, one third of the total output of pianos in the entire country.

These astonishing facts have frequently been dwelt on in these columns and do not need elaboration at this time, but they come to mind prominently in commenting upon the decision just made by the Chicago Musical College to equip its new and beautiful conservatory building with Kimball pianos — an equipment, by the way, that means 50 pianos, 15 of them being grands and one a full-sized concert grand for the recital hall.

The Chicago Musical College is the largest institution of its kind in the country, and under the personal care of Dr. Ziegfeld, the president, has so grown and developed that a building for its exclusive use became an imperative necessity. Accordingly the beautiful structure on Michigan Boulevard, near Van Buren street, was secured and completely remodeled, and has just been occupied. Here are the surroundings, the location and the room for the permanent home of the college that has done so much for the artistic life of the West.

The W. W. Kimball Company have so grown and developed in the manufacturing field, that today they own and operate the largest piano factories in the world. The institution has become a giant, not only in the music trade, but in the general industrial life of Chicago, and, therefore, of the country. Financially, it is as gigantic as in output—and in every way it is recognized as one of the great forces in the commercial history of Chicago.

What more natural, therefore, what more appropriate, than that these two great institutions, each representative of its kind, should recognize a common bond of sympathy—and that when it became necessary for Dr. Ziegfeld to permanently equip his new building he should select the Kimball piano, manufactured by an institution whose success is not temporary, whose standing is unquestioned, and whose future is assured?

This selection of the Kimball piano adds another to the many flattering and valuable testimonials that have so lavishly showered upon it. Headed by the peerless Patti, a long list of the most illustrious artists of the world have ordered for their personal use, and been pleased to enthusiastically indorse the Kimball piano, not only in mere verbal acknowledgement, but in deliberate judgment set forth in black and white.

These testimonials are naturally prized and greatly appreciated by the Kimball Company, and not less so, we imagine, is this latest order for 50 pianos from the greatest college of music in the country, coupled with the announcement that hereafter the Kimball piano will be used in the institution in educational work and in all recitals and concerts.

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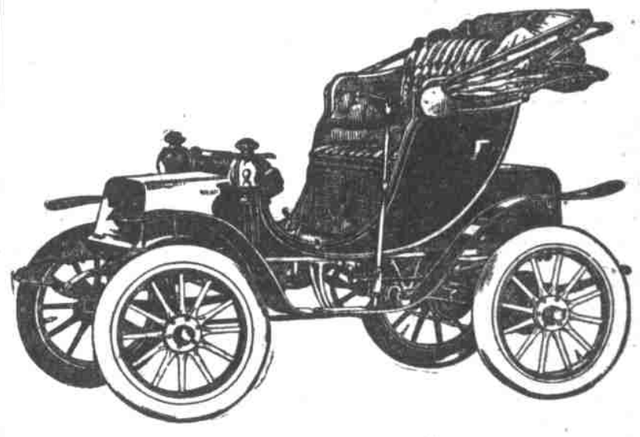

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