

Town Topics

Heilig... Otis Skinner... Bungalow... The Honor of the Family... The Education of Mr. Pipp...

Dependent Man's Suicide—J. H. Johnson of Colorado Springs, Colo., committed suicide at 4 p. m. yesterday...

Call to Prayers—The Woman's Christian Temperance union has recently requested all those in the city to unite with them in observing Wednesday, May 26, as a day of fasting and prayer...

Bishop's Title Changed—Bishop Charles E. Scadding of the diocese of Oregon has filed supplemental articles of incorporation changing the name of "The Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States in Oregon" to "Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Oregon"...

Wide and Child Missing—R. T. Dickinson of 515 Patton road reports his wife and 12-year-old daughter missing since last Saturday afternoon...

Suit Over Painting—The case of Sutcliffe & Billings v. the Oregon Real Estate company is on trial before Judge Cleland. The plaintiffs brought suit to recover \$104 for labor and material furnished in painting a house in Holladay addition...

Minnie Rayno Fined—Minnie Rayno was fined \$25 in police court this morning on a charge of conducting a disorderly house. The woman was displaced on September 5, 1908, which amount was brought into prominence by Expert J. W. Ferguson in his check of the books of the county clerk...

Fireboat Bonds Ordered—Chairman Rushlight of the council ways and means committee was directed yesterday to make a report to the council recommending the sale of \$75,000 worth of bonds for the construction of reinforcing means on the waterfront and a new steel fire boat...

Money Is Found—F. D. Hennessy cleared up the mystery of the supposedly missing \$400, half forfeited by Maude Newsome, on September 5, 1908, which amount was brought into prominence by Expert J. W. Ferguson in his check of the books of the county clerk...

Runs Auto Very Fast—Officer Vesey has reported to the police station that the son of City Engineer Taylor was operating an automobile, No. 1264, on Washington street, between Seventh and Park, yesterday afternoon at a speed of about 20 miles an hour...

Two New Deputies—City Building Inspector G. E. Johnson is to have two more deputies to help handle the growing business of the office. The ways and means committee of the council yesterday recommended that the deputies be provided for, one at a salary of \$125 and the other at \$100 a month...

Blaze Causes Excitement—A small blaze in the smelting stack at the Williams avenue planing mill at 831 Williams avenue, this city, yesterday afternoon at 9 p. m. yesterday, but did no damage. Engine No. 8 and chemical No. 4 responded to the alarm.

Grocers on the Way—Secretary C. B. Merrick of the Portland Retail Grocers' Association...

Habitual Constipation May be permanently overcome by proper personal efforts with the assistance of the one truly beneficial laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs & Laxative of Senna...

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GEORGE L. BAKER IS TO SAW WOOD

10 Theatrical Managers Will Revert to Juvenile Stunts for Carnival Benefit.

Twelve headliners, together with a wood-sawing contest between 10 managers of local theatres are being arranged for the big Rose Festival benefit to be given at the Heilig Thursday, June 3. These acts will be selected from the programs for that week at all the houses in the city and are expected to draw an immense crowd.

This wood-sawing contest is to be a hummer. Ten of the huskiest theatrical managers in the city are to be started at the job of sawing wood as they used to when they were kids, the one sawing three pieces quickest to be given a huge solid silver loving cup, the gift of Jaeger Bros. The cup will be placed on exhibition at Sweetland's tomorrow.

Rivalry over the possession of this cup is intense and everywhere in the theatres they are wondering who will be the champion wood-sawer of the profession. George L. Baker, because of his tremendous size and the reputation which he gained in the council chambers for sawing wood, is at present a favorite. He has no clinch, however.

Probably today or tomorrow the elements of war, namely the saw and saw-back to be used by each contestant, will be placed on exhibition in downtown windows.

One of the head liners is to be an original little comedy by Miss Louise Kent, the popular member of the Baker stock company. The playlet is called "Sold" and was written only recently by Miss Kent herself. She is to be assisted by Miss Donnie Benigno, late of the S. Miller-Kent Co., but now of this city and another member of the Baker stock company, yet to be selected.

Miss Marguerite Egbert, a monologist, and Leo Shapiro, in the comedy, both local people are billed for short stunts, while the rest of the program is to be made up from the local vaudeville houses.

Umbrella Jimmy IS IN TROUBLE Well Known Character Accused by Margaret Cosgrove of Assault.

Charged with pursuing and shooting at 14-year-old Margaret Cosgrove, of 559 Front street, a warrant has been issued for the arrest of "Umbrella Jim" Sheridan, a well known character of the south end of the city.

The little girl is a pupil at the Shattuck school. She states that she has seen Sheridan at the Southern Pacific bridge, where an unknown man jumped in Sheridan's way, knocked him down and then ran to the Southern Pacific bridge, where an unknown man jumped in Sheridan's way, knocked him down and then ran to the Southern Pacific bridge...

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

association received word from the secretary of the Ohio delegation in Denver telling him that 192 people made up the Ohio train and that they were having the time of their lives. They will add to that number 40 people from Denver before leaving that city and expect to have a great time on the rest of the trip. They are to be quartered at the Oregon hotel while here.

Christian Endeavor Chorus—All young people who can assist in the Christian Endeavor chorus at any or all of the meetings of the state rally are urged to be present at the Y. M. C. A. tonight (Tuesday) at 8 o'clock to rehearse. Dr. McMichael will direct the chorus. Full program of the meetings for Friday, Saturday and Sunday will be printed later.

License Is Refused—J. W. Mallett's application for a liquor license to serve liquor in his restaurant at the Oaks was refused yesterday by the liquor license committee of the city council. Councilman Rushlight is not in favor of allowing liquor to be sold at the big amusement park on account of the women and children who go there.

Probel Association Meets—Members of the Probel association are requested to meet Thursday afternoon at 8 o'clock at the corner of Third and Alder streets prepared to enjoy themselves on the annual picnic of the club. Each member is privileged to bring guests. The club will go for its outing to a point on the St. Johns carline.

Beginning May 1, we reduce the price of all our Australian coal to \$3.50 per ton delivered to your door, including five ton lots. Pacific Coast Coal Co., 249 Washington. Main 129; A-2293.



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BRITISHERS MEET ON EMPIRE DAY

Associated Bodies Hold Reunion and Give Program in Commemoration.

Loyal Britisners representing the Associated British societies of the city, celebrated Empire day, formerly observed as the birthday of Queen Victoria, with a concert and program of addresses at the Exposition building last night.

The principal address of the evening was made by James Laidlaw, British consul for Oregon, Washington and Idaho, who spoke of the debt that all British subjects owe to Queen Victoria, extolling her fine qualities and inspiring example which her life set off the responsibilities of British citizenship Mr. Laidlaw said:

"This world wide empire of ours can live in the past; it must be a living, breathing, working one and all must realize there are heavy responsibilities to British citizenship. If ever its people and rulers cease to recognize the rightness and even handed justice are its backbone, then it will fall to pieces as other have in the past."

William A. MacRae, who introduced the speaker, referred to Queen Victoria's reign of 63 years and the fact that she was a constitutional monarch and never attempted to override the limits of her authority or to interfere with her responsibilities. He spoke of her beautiful domestic life and said that it was because of her womanly qualities that she was loved throughout her world.

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In order to give those who work and cannot conveniently shop during the day an opportunity to take advantage of our great sale, our store will remain open this week up to 9 p. m.

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PLEASE REMEMBER, THE SALE ENDS SATURDAY EVENING AT 9:30 O'CLOCK.

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HAVE GRAZING for 2000 SHEEP from JUNE 1 to NOV. 1 at 7 CENTS a HEAD PER MONTH. If you have sheep and need good grazing write to...

SEIZURE OF OPIUM AT SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, May 25.—To Customs Inspectors Joseph Head and William Harrigan belong the honor of the first arrest here for violation of the law against the importation of opium. Joseph Alexander, a waterfront saloon-keeper, was found by Head last night with eight tins of the product in his possession.

La Grande Man Declared Insane. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) La Grande, Or., May 25.—J. E. Hough, a resident of this section for many years, was yesterday declared insane and committed to the asylum. He has been in the hospital for a week. He was justice of the peace at La Grande for several years.

New League Island Commandant. Philadelphia, Pa., May 25.—Rear Admiral Uriah R. Harris today assumed command of the League Island navy yard, succeeding Rear Admiral Pendleton, who is about to be retired for age. The new commandant is the junior admiral, having just been advanced to that grade. He is a native of Indiana, and entered the navy in 1865.

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