

Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

Heilig.....Otis Skinner
Bungalow.....The Honor of the Family
Star.....The Education of Mr. Pupp
Orpheum.....Moving Pictures
Grand.....Vaudeville
Pantages.....Vaudeville
Baker.....The Mayor of Tokio

Civil Service Examinations—Several examinations are to be given in the civil service during June. A 3 examination will be given for the position of electrical expert (wireless) in the navy department, the salary of \$2000 per annum. Examination will be held June 16 for the position of junior animal husbandman in the bureau of animal husbandry, at salary ranging from \$1200 to \$1600 per annum. On the same date examination for assistant steam engineer will be given with salary of \$2000 per annum. Applicants are wanted for the position of tailor, male, unmarried, at \$600 per annum. Examination will be held for the position of clerk qualified as translator of languages in the office of second assistant postmaster general, Washington, D. C., at \$1600 per annum. For all these examinations application should be made to Z. A. Leigh, at the postoffice.

Panoramic Scene of Woods—A wonderful panoramic scene lines the dome of the Oregon building during the exposition. It was designed by W. E. Benton and is composed entirely of Oregon seeds, grains and grasses. Not a particle of paint is used, and yet the colors are so blended as to give a life-like reproduction of nature. The forest in length and in height. The work is a masterpiece not only the ingenuity of the artist, but the resources of Oregon. The Columbia river, Mount Hood, grain fields, the forests, and other sources of Oregon's wealth are pictured. Over a ton of seeds and nearly \$5000 in expense money has gone into this wonderful picture. In many portions has relief effects have been secured by piling up many layers of seeds.

Loses His Automatic Gun—J. L. Sager, rooming in a hotel at Sixth and Davis streets, found himself in trouble last evening for the complaint of the theft of \$40 from his room. He phoned to the police station telling of the theft. Detectives Hellyer and Maloney were detailed on the case and found that Sager had been creating a disturbance in the hotel as the result of too many high balls and on searching him a big automatic revolver was found. A search of the room by the detectives resulted in the discovery of the \$40 tucked under the mattress. The gun was taken away from Sager on order of Judge Van Zante and the man dismissed this morning.

Death of Mrs. McKelison—Mrs. Anna McKelison of 329 Montana avenue, wife of Edward McKelison, died at her home Tuesday morning of a long illness. Mrs. McKelison was mother of four children, Raymond 17, Edwin 14, Floyd 6 and Blanche 4 years old. She was a devoted mother, a faithful wife and was held in the highest esteem by all who knew her. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Pilgrim Congregational church, corner of Shaver street and Missouri avenue. The funeral will be conducted by Rev. D. T. Thomas, pastor of the Pilgrim church.

Tried to Pawn Stolen Bicycle—George A. Meyers, a recent arrival from San Francisco, was sentenced to 60 days on the rock pile by Judge Van Zante this morning on a charge of larceny. He was arrested by Detective Smith on complaint of Fred Brooker, from whom he was charged to have stolen a bicycle from the porch at Mr. Brooker's residence at 1524 Alameda street. The bicycle had been repainted. Meyers was arrested as he was trying to pawn the wheel. He claimed that he had purchased it at Tualatin.

Permit Observation Cars—Instructions have been issued by the North Bank permitting sleeping car passengers on both their morning and evening trains the unrestricted use of observation cars, so that all trains on the North Bank now furnish observation car accommodations to Pullman passengers. The morning train carries a North Coast limited sleeper which connects at Spokane with the Northern Pacific while the night train carries a through sleeper to connect with the Northern Pacific at Spokane for Omaha.

Invited to Opening of Fair—Officials of the Portland Rose Festival have been formally invited by the management of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle to attend the opening on Tuesday next. It is stated in the invitations sent here that prominent places have been reserved for the festival officials, and Ralph Hoyt, George L. Hutchins and E. W. Rowe will represent the festival association at the opening of the exposition.

Afraid of Mysterious Poisoners—An old woman, apparently insane, and claiming that some one was trying to kill her by shooting poison through the walls and ceiling of her room, was found wandering near her home at Twenty-sixth and Vaughn streets by Officer Sims yesterday evening. She said she did not know who her would be poisoners and expressed great fear on being told to go home.

Sunnyside Citizens' Meeting—The citizens of Sunnyside will hold a meeting at the Methodist church Wednesday, May 26, at 8 p. m., to discuss various amendments to be voted on at the coming election. Men have been appointed to explain the different measures, and the discussion will be open to all. This is not in the interest of any party or faction, but to promote intelligent voting.

Mothers Meet at Sunnyside—The regular mothers' meeting of the Sunnyside W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Benedict, 1101 E. Morrison street, Thursday, May 27. Mrs. Lola Baldwin will be the speaker and will have something to say well worth hearing. At the close a social hour and refreshments will be in order. A special welcome to all mothers.

Sheridan Pleads Not Guilty—The charge of assault with a dangerous weapon against Jimmy Sheridan (Imbrella Jimmy), was called in police court and continued until tomorrow. Sheridan was arrested on complaint of Margaret Congrove by Officer Lytle yesterday evening. He entered a plea of not guilty on arraignment this morning.

Fire Starts in Rubbish—A fire which started in a pile of rubbish at the rear of 167 and 169 1/2 North Sixth street, did considerable damage to the back parts of both buildings at 11:30 last night, but was extinguished by the department before the interiors of the buildings were badly damaged. Two hundred dollars will cover the loss.

Friendly Tussle Over Rums—Pat Smith and H. Thatcher, accused of fighting for the possession of two hams at Second and Grant streets last night and arrested by Officer Lytle, were dismissed by Judge Van Zante this morning on showing that they were friends having a friendly tussle. Smith was in the employ of Thatcher.

Thursday Special—Purity Liquor Co., 21 1/2 and post sherry, Tokay, Muscat, Angelica and Burgundy, at \$1 per gallon; Ell Wood, the pure food whiskey, regular \$4 at \$2 per gallon. Phone East 4427, B-1353. Free delivery. 303 East Morrison.

Push Club Meeting—An important meeting of the United East Side Push clubs will be held this evening at the quarters of the East Side Business

Men's club at its invitation. Several important measures are to be discussed, among them the situation in regard to the new naming of west side streets running north and south, substituting avenue for street. Several prominent speakers are to address the meeting, including Dr. C. H. Rafferty, C. A. Bigelow, Francis Clarno, O. E. Hintz and L. E. Rice. A large attendance is expected.

Charged With Stealing Letter—C. P. Early, in San Jose, Cal., has been held by the federal authorities under a charge of purloining a letter from the Portland postoffice. The arrest was brought about by Postoffice Inspector Clement. Early will be given a hearing tomorrow.

Adjudged a Bankrupt—Guy O. Connerly, a local merchant, has been adjudged a bankrupt by the federal court. His chief assets consist in a stock of goods of uncertain value. His creditors are the Dwight Edwards company and others.

Just Arrived, Rose Festival window decorations—A collection of transfer pictures in wreaths, sprays and bouquets, all in roses, for sale by the East-Main transfer company, 30 Pacific street, corner Oak. Phone Main 1233. (Agents wanted.)

Federated Clubs' Meeting—Important business is to come up before the meeting of East Side Federated clubs to be held at 8 o'clock, corner Grant and East Main. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock.

Dr. J. L. Mohannon, the world's greatest cancer and tumor specialist, will arrive in Portland on his tour through Oregon and Washington about May 26. He is prepared to treat any cancer or tumor in from one to four minutes.

Refrigerator Is Robbed—Mrs. H. Bruhn reports to the police that yesterday afternoon some one had entered her back porch at 300 Park street and stolen from the refrigerator a ham, a bottle of wine and a dozen bottles of beer.

The Osteopathic Specialist, Dr. Arnold Lindsay, on rheumatism, stomach and all forms of diseases, has moved from Failing building to 206 Tiltford building, Tenth and Morrison streets. Phone Main 7350, A-4163.

Beginning May 1, we reduce the price of all our Australian coal to \$3.50 per ton delivered. 50 cents per ton reduction on five ton lots. Pacific Coast Coal Co., 249 Washington. Main 229, A-2293.

Rose cases, such as are ordered by fire departments for stores with basements, are for sale by the Columbia Wire and Iron Works, 121 East Washington street. Both phones.

George Rubenstein, the optician, makes the genuine toric lenses. They give the eyes solid comfort; perfect satisfaction, no fancy prices. 133 Third st., opposite Baker theatre.

Rate War Steamer Northland sails direct for San Francisco, Thursday, 5 p. m. Cabin \$10, berth and meals included. Frank Bollam, agent, 123 Third street.

Kelly's Family Liquor Store, Park and Morrison. High grade wines and liquors. One price to all. Free delivery. Tel. Main 23. Home, A-2302.

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

Woman's Exchange, 133 Tenth street, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch, 2 to 4.

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

American Bank & Trust Co.—Sixth and Oak, pays interest on deposits.

Vote yes on charter amendment against patent pavements.

Osteopathy—Dr. Smith, Swetland bldg.

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

DECISION GIVEN BY JUDGE CLELAND

The suit of Sutcliffe & Bled to recover \$110.50 from J. A. Buckley on a mechanics' lien, filed on a house in Holladay addition, was decided today by Judge Cleland. In favor of the plaintiff, judgment being rendered for the amount sued for less \$5.

Judge Cleland also decided the case of H. P. Love against George W. Watson, who sued for \$1200 damages for an alleged eviction from a Sixth street restaurant, which plaintiff had purchased from defendant, awarding \$45 damages, the amount of one month's rent paid by plaintiff. This was a stubbornly contested case and had been in court for several months.

In the divorce suit of Anna Lang against Emil Lang, Judge Cleland rendered judgment in favor of defendant, granting him a divorce on his cross bill. Attorney Ernest W. Humphreys represented the defendant in this case.

KANSAS TOWN WOULD HAVE ROSE FESTIVAL

The Peerless Prophets of Wichita, Kan., have their eyes on Portland's Rose Festival. The Prophets are planning to furnish Wichita with some amusement soon and having heard of the Rose Festival have decided that it would be well to pattern after the Portland show in presenting their own.

According to the Peerless Prophets have written to Ralph Hoyt, president of the Rose Festival association, asking for information relative to the floats and other features of the Portland show. They have asked for pictures and diagrams of the floats. The Rose Festival people will send them representations of the floats.

BABY DEAD; WIFE INSANE; SUICIDE

(United Press Special Wire.)
Seattle, May 26.—While two of his sisters were attempting to wrest from him his revolver, Charles Faulk, a Ballard carpenter, 41 years old, turned the weapon upon himself and ended his life in the kitchen of his father's home last evening. Despondency caused by the death of his child and the incarceration in the St. Helens insane asylum of his wife, he believed to have driven him to self destruction. Last December a baby was born to the Faulks and died within a short time. Mrs. Faulk lost her reason and was sent to the asylum.

PERSONALS

Watson Filbrook, who for the past four years has been teaching in the Philippine Islands, has returned to Oregon for his home. He is a native of Oregon and has many friends in the state who welcome his return. He is the guest of Portland of Deputy United States Circuit Clerk Marsh.

Cartwright Park.
Formerly Ben Holladay tract, at Holladay station, on Astoria & Columbia river R. R., lots \$75 to \$700.

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WORLD REBUILT
MADISON BRIDGE

Portland Republican Club Goes on Record at Meeting Last Night.

The Portland Republican club went on record as opposing the diversion of the Madison street bridge bonds to the erection of the proposed Market street bridge at a meeting held last night in the Columbia building. It was also decided to make a study of the various measures to come before the people at the June election and attempt to influence the result of the vote by public meetings for or against these measures. A committee of five consisting of H. A. Belding, C. E. Lockwood, Ben Rialand, M. S. Monteth and Charles Conroy, was appointed to make a study of the different measures and report to the club.

The resolutions adopted concerning the bridge bonds were as follows: "Whereas, \$150,000 now appropriated for the rebuilding of the Madison street bridge is to be diverted from its purpose, and the building of said bridge is to be delayed, and if possible defeated entirely; and

"Whereas, this is sought to be brought about by placing the question on the ballot by an initiative petition; and

"Whereas, the retarding and delaying of the building of this bridge is causing great loss to a large number of the people of Portland, and especially the residents of the southeast district; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that we, the members of the Portland Republican club, do oppose the diverting of the funds voted for the construction of the Madison street bridge, and the building at this time of a bridge at Market street; and be it further

"Resolved, that we will use our best efforts to hurry the construction of the new Madison street bridge at its present location.

DR. CORBY LECTURES ON WHITE SLAVE TRADE

"The White Slave Trade, Its Prevention and Cure" is the title of a lecture to be given by Rev. James D. Corby at Taylor Street Methodist church Wednesday evening, June 2, at 8 o'clock. The lecture will be given in the parlors of the Portland Commons and the Louise home, the two institutions maintained by the Pacific Coast Rescue and Protective society, homes for men and for women which seek to shelter the homeless and endeavor to turn them into days of usefulness.

Rev. Mr. Corby was for many years chaplain of the New York Training school for girls and is well posted on the problems of reform and training in wayward youth. His lecture has been given in several cities and has received most favorable notice. Mr. Corby advocates certain legal measures holding the owners of property responsible for the use to which it is put, which would radically change the situation in regard to restricted districts and the social evil.

Mr. Corby's wide experience peculiarly fits him to deal with this subject from the lecture platform and assure an awakening to his hearers.

CLUMSY PICKPOCKET CAUGHT IN THE ACT

Charles Hart, alias M. Newman, will break rock for one year on the rock pile for the theft of \$13 from H. Lobolissere, a laborer in the employ of the Eastern & Western lumber mill on an 8 car at Third and Washington streets last evening. Lobolissere could not well stay to prosecute Hart for the crime of larceny from the person, which would have to go through the grand jury and circuit court, so he signed a misdemeanor complaint this morning and charged Hart with larceny. Judge Van Zante giving him the maximum sentence of one year.

Hart, who is a confirmed opium fiend, confessed to the crime and said he was a member of a gang which was heading for the Seattle exposition. The quick capture last evening, it is thought, will cause this gang to give Portland a wide berth in the future. Hart made a bungling job of extracting the money from his victim's pocket and was caught in the act. He leaped from the car and was chased by a crowd and was about to escape when Detective Reed seized him and placed him under arrest. Patrolman Small also aided in the capture.

Competition on street paving saves money.

HAVE YOU SEEN IT?

We wonder if there is anyone in town who has failed to see the cereal food demonstrations now being carried on by The Quaker Oats Company in the local stores. Everyone should attend at least one of these demonstrations and learn some of the interesting and appetizing things about such foods as Quaker Oats, Quaker Puffed Rice, Quaker Puffed Wheat, etc. The demonstrators will be here only three more days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Crowds are listening with interest every day.

If you haven't attended, be sure to do so. Demonstrations are given at the stores of Messrs. Frank Dept. (Dept. store, grocery dept.), Kennard & Adams (Dept. store, grocery dept.), Dresser & Sealy, Mason Co., H. L. Stunberg & Son, Vancouver.

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