

Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

Baker.....Moving Pictures
Orpheum.....Vaudeville
Grand.....Vaudeville
Pantages.....Vaudeville
Lyria.....The Lion of Zaza
Coca.....Donatelli's Band

Moving Pictures at the White Temple
—Rev. Sumner A. Vinton, a brilliant young missionary from India, delivered a lecture on "Pagoda Land" at the White Temple yesterday morning. He illustrated his subject with the stereoscopic, using colored slides and moving pictures. He will give another lecture on the same subject tonight at the White Temple. No admission charge. This brilliant young lecturer has graphic powers of description, a close personal knowledge of all that he talks about and his views on the moving pictures are perfect in their life-like likeness. Mr. Vinton comes from a remarkable family. He and his ancestors for five generations have been missionaries and have covered a period of 532 years in that service.

"Ben Hur" in Picture and Story
The members of the Latter Day Saints Church, and their friends, are looking forward with pleasure to a production of General Lew Wallace's "Ben Hur" in the chapel at East Tenth and Sherman, next Thursday, June 17, at 8:15 p. m. The story is related in about 15,000 words by J. Frank Pickens, and is illustrated by 150 beautifully colored, historically correct pictures. Mr. Pickens is also a student of "alum" conditions in the large cities and a traveler of wide experience, and may render his lecture in a most interesting and instructive manner. The "Yellowstone Park," in some of the Portland churches.

Walked Four Days on Broken Leg
William Young of 345 First street, was found on the streets yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Lillis in an intoxicated condition, and upon investigation it was discovered that he had been injured. He was taken to police headquarters where an examination was made by Dr. J. Zeigler, who discovered that the man's leg was broken. He stated that it had been broken for four days, although he thought it had been merely bruised by a fall. After the fall he became intoxicated and a continued use of liquor deepened the pain so that he was unable to proceed with a broken leg until yesterday.

Says Assets Are Worthless—C. M. Idelman has filed in the circuit court his first account as receiver of the Bates-Wright company, giving a statement of assets and liabilities. The liabilities are \$5183, including \$2765 due the Merchants' National bank. The receiver pronounces the company's assets worthless, this sum representing the amount overdrawn by salesmen of the defunct concern on commissions. The stock of the company remaining on hand is to be sold by the receiver.

Civil Service Examinations—Civil service examinations are to be held by the government June 20 and 21, for the position of guard in the United States penitentiary, and for the position of elevator conductor in the Federal postoffice. July 8 and 9 examinations will be held for the positions of assistant clerk and translator in the office of the second assistant postmaster general. Applications should be made to Z. A. Leigh at the postoffice.

A Bookkeeper of this city was down with tuberculosis, so pronounced by three of Portland's excellent physicians, was completely healed by Rev. Green's rational faith methods in 11 weeks. Two years ago he had a bad case of appendicitis which was healed in two weeks. He cures cancer, tumors, constipation, the moon, and all the stomach and female troubles, without drugs. He can be seen at 545 East Twenty-sixth street afternoons. Phone Southwood 323.

Bus Automobile Owner—Claming that D. Hall, while driving a large red automobile, carelessly ran into a coupe he was driving on Yamhill street, on April 3, J. B. Stowell has begun suit in the circuit court for \$1000 damages. He says the machine came up from behind and hit him, but Hall bumped into his coupe and caused a runaway. Stowell was thrown out and says he sustained a fracture of two ribs, which he values at \$1000.

Examination for Computer—Secretary W. W. McIntosh, of the city civil service commission, announces that an examination will be held next Thursday morning at 9 o'clock for the purpose of securing eligibles for the position of computer in the city engineering department. The candidates will be examined in the committee room at the city hall.

"Down South in Dixie"—Rev. W. T. Jordan will lecture on "Down South in Dixie" tonight at the Central Baptist church, East Tenth and Washington streets. Among the entertaining features of Mr. Jordan's address will be the account of acoon hunt, a negro sermon, the adventures of a slave in the life before and after the war.

See the Earthquake—Otto Frey, apparently demented, was picked up last night by Officer Maddux at First and Mead streets and was taken to police headquarters. Frey is unable to tell much about himself, but seems to suffer from a belief that he is continually in a severe earthquake.

Boxcar Burns on Sliding—Southern Pacific boxcar 2785, carrying a fire while standing on a siding on First and Northrup streets yesterday afternoon. The car was empty at the time it was burned. Hobbs are supposed to have set fire to the car through carelessness.

Splashed with Hot Tar—J. Knight was severely burned while working on the roof of the new hotel and fire building yesterday. He was climbing a ladder with a pot of hot tar when his foot slipped, throwing the tar into his face and burning his face, hands and arms.

Dr. Keller Elected—At a special meeting of the board of officers of congregation Nevah Zedek Talmud Torah, held on Sunday, May 23, Rev. Dr. H. Keller was unanimously elected as rabbi of the congregation.

Eye Glasses That Fit—The kind that will give you solid comfort, perfect satisfaction is the sort we guarantee. Price reasonable here. Dr. J. Rubenstein, optician, 189 Third street, opposite Baker theatre.

Estate of John Sullivan—C. S. Palmer, of D. Dutton and G. W. Logan have filed their report as appraisers of the estate of John Sullivan, listing the value at \$9740. Of this amount \$5000 is in cash.

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

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Women's Exchange, 133 Tenth street, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch, 12 to 1.

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C. W. Henry Expires From Blood Poisoning After Operation.

Charles W. Henry, junior member of the well known realty firm of Charles K. Henry & Son, died at his residence, 380 Halley street, early Sunday morning, succumbing to blood poisoning following an operation for abscess of the tonsils. Mr. Henry was stricken early last week, and Tuesday morning Dr. D. Connell was called and performed the operation. Friday afternoon blood poisoning developed and Dr. Bear, Parrish and Rockey were called in consultation, but they were unable to arrest the progress of the disease.

Charles W. Henry was just past 23 years of age and was the only son of Charles K. Henry, the young wife, the father and the mother, Miss Lydia Seaman, have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement. Mr. Henry was born in Walla Walla, but came to Portland at an early age with his parents and was educated in the public schools of this city. He was married less than a year ago to Miss Etelle Smithson, of Portland.

Mr. Henry was one of the most promising young business men in the city. He possessed the faculty to an unusual degree of winning friends and no young man in Portland has held a higher position by so large a number of people. He was a member of the Multnomah club and took an active interest in the athletic affairs of that institution. The funeral was held at the residence, 380 Halley street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Dr. T. L. Lowie conducted the services. The pall bearers were: Sam B. Archer, Dr. Jean Cline, B. E. Eva, Otto Kramer, Adolph Weism and Paul de Haas.

NEW LAWS IN FORCE TOMORROW

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)
Salem, Or., June 14.—Tomorrow the laws of amendments to the laws of the regular session of the legislature will go into effect. The special session adjourned March 15 and the laws then enacted not carrying emergency clauses go into effect 90 days after adjournment. Today is the last upon which petitions may be filed for referring to the people any of the enactments of the special session.

Among the laws passed by the special session the most important were those requiring all hotels and lodging houses more than two stories high to be provided with fire escapes of iron or other noncombustible material, and providing that the doors of all public buildings open outward. Six months time is allowed by this act for making the necessary changes.

Game Code Corrupted.
Other enactments were corrections of the game code relating to elk, deer, ducks, and hunting and fishing by night. By and of the game code, the new game code will be in full force and its effect on Oregon's game, it is believed, will be to more fully protect it than has been the case heretofore. The bill appropriating for the asylum, for which the session was called, was passed, an appropriation of \$15,000 for the maintenance of the Eastern Oregon Agricultural Experimental station and for the purchase of land for the station and contingent expenses of the supreme court, which was bungled by the regular session, was passed.

An act to codify the laws and statutes of Oregon was enacted by the special session. This was an act to amend an act of the regular session which had omitted several essentials such as a provision for a copyright. It is expected that the supreme court will tomorrow appoint a code commissioner or possibly two, as the law provides, who will have supervision of this work.

GRADUATING CLASS CRIES WHEN TWO ARE DENIED DIPLOMAS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Centralia, Wash., June 14.—The graduating exercises of the Centralia high school in the Methodist Episcopal church Friday night were not an over joyous affair. Shortly before the exercises were to begin it was announced by a member of the board of education that two members of the class would not receive diplomas because they were behind in their studies. The two deficient ones had received many graduating gifts and their names were printed on the programs. The announcement caused the entire class to burst into tears. They were barely able to get themselves composed in time for the exercises to begin. When their diplomas were handed to them by a member of the board of education they withheld any smiles or thanks.

ROOMING HOUSES.

Hotels, restaurants, lodging houses and others made money the past week. Now is a good time to lay in a supply of table linen, napkins, towels, sheets, pillow cases, curtains, during great reduction sale. Come to the popular price dry goods store of McAllen & McDonnell, for the best goods at lowest prices.

Honors to Carroll D. Wright.

Worcester, Mass., June 14.—A large portrait of the late Col. Carroll D. Wright, president of Clark college, which was presented to the college a short time ago, was unveiled at the memorial services in his honor at the library building today. At the memorial exercises only the members of the faculty, the students and the trustees of the university and college were present. President G. Stanley Hall, of the university, Dean Rufus C. Bentley, of the college, and several others delivered eulogies of the late president. The music was furnished by the college glee club.

A Eugene man will have 100,000 bushels of wheat as his share of the crop oriented land in the Palouse.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Painters' Union has kept a man parading in front of our store for several days with a placard bearing a statement that we are unfair to the Painters' Union. In justice to our concern I wish to state we are not the owners of the building occupied by Henry Jennings & Sons, and did not suggest that the building should be painted, neither did we have anything to say in determining who should paint the building.

Like many other enterprising and appreciative property owners, Clara Kaufman, the owner, ordered the building painted in order to preserve the building and improve the looks of the corner for Rose Festival week. We are willing to leave it to any fair minded person if it is not unwarranted and unfair to direct opposition towards the tenant of a building under such circumstances.

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PLAN ADOPTION OF CONSTITUTION
Protestant Episcopal Church Begins Convention on Wednesday.

The twenty-first annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal church of Oregon will be held in Trinity parish house, this city, beginning Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. Business sessions will be held throughout Wednesday and Thursday, concluding with the annual meeting of the Women's auxiliary at 10:30 a. m. Friday.

Bishop Seading will present his annual report to the convention immediately after organization, Wednesday morning. One of the most important subjects to come before the convention is the adoption of the new constitution prepared by a committee which was appointed by the Bishop at the last annual convention. The following is the official program of the convention:

Tuesday, June 15—8:00 p. m.
Missionary meeting in St. David's, East Portland.

Wednesday, June 16—10:00 a. m.
Holy communion in Trinity church. Sermon by the Rev. William Horsfall. Convention organized in Trinity parish house.

Wednesday, June 16—9:00 p. m.
Commencement at St. Helen's hall.

Thursday, June 17.
Business of convention in Trinity parish house. Lunch will be served each day.

Thursday, June 17—8:00 p. m.
Reception in the parish house of Grace church, corner Seventeenth and Wedder streets. Take Broadway car to East Seventeenth and walk two blocks south.

Friday, June 18—10:30 a. m.
Annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary in St. David's church, East Portland.

Sermon by the Rev. H. Talbot.

BRADY RECOVERS BODIES OF BOTH

River Puts Out Second Life Within Two Days.

The body of C. E. Vaughn, the 18 year old boy, who was drowned while engaged in a swimming race with L. Heninger and C. E. Erickson in the Willamette river yesterday afternoon, was recovered last evening at about 7:30 by Hugh Brady. The body was recovered by means of grappling hooks at a point near where he sank. Vaughn was a deck hand on the dredge Beaver, the Northern Pacific railroad company's dredge here. He was swimming with two companions just opposite the North Pacific mills yesterday afternoon when he suddenly sank from sight and did not again appear at the surface. Neither of his companions was able to do anything toward getting him from the water. A

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JUNE 15, 16, 17, 18, 19.
Games begin week days 3:30 p. m.; Sunday, 2:30 p. m.

Admission—Bleachers, 25c; grandstand, 50c; box, 25c extra. Children: Bleachers, 10c; grandstand, 25c. Ladies' day Friday. Boys under 12 free to bleachers Wednesday.

theory of suicide was advanced to account for his death but this is regarded as impossible under the conditions. Vaughn had, it is true, received some bad news recently, but his friends say he was not despondent over this. No arrangements have been made as yet for the funeral.

Hugh Brady also recovered the body of Lona Rathbone, the boy drowned Saturday afternoon near the Morrison street bridge, through the capsizing of a canoe. This body was recovered at 9 yesterday morning. Young Rathbone was an employee of the Commercial club. The remains were interred this morning at Beth Israel cemetery, the funeral being held from Holman's undertaking establishment.

German Boy Accidentally Drowned.
Reeseburg, Or., June 14.—Stephen Haysan, the German boy who disappeared from this city Monday, May 31, was drowned. The body was found Sunday evening above the river dam. He had told his family he was going swimming. The body was clothed in bathing suit and showed accidental drowning.

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GROWTH OF COMMUNITIES AS AFFECTED BY CORPORATIONS.

(From the Manufacturers' Record)

Street railways greatly enhance the taxable values of cities. As an average example, assume that a company extends one of its lines a mile into undeveloped cow pastures adjacent to a city. This at once raises the price of 1000 acres of land from \$300 per acre to \$900, giving an increased assessable value of \$600,000 on land alone; with buildings, possibly a total of \$1,000,000, on which the state and city will receive annually \$15,000 in taxes. If this mile of track in two years after construction pays operating expenses, fixed charges and taxes, the average company would be satisfied. More than in any other industry, expenditures in extension and equipment of street railways reflect value to all other property in the community. It has been the universal experience that in cities where great expenditures on transportation systems have been made, every kind of business is correspondingly extended.

Every time a city curtails the borrowing power of its street railway company \$1,000,000 it reduces its income in taxes alone by at least \$10,000 per annum. In the average city the street railway company pays for and maintains one sixth of all the pavement within corporate limits. Allowing eight yards per capita, at \$3 per yard, amounts to an expenditure by the company in a city of 100,000 of \$400,000. Upon this amount the company pays interest of 6 per cent, taxes 2 per cent and maintenance 8 per cent, for which expenditure it receives practically nothing. This item amounts to 68 cents per capita per year. In addition, track and roadway construction suitable for pavement necessitates an expenditure over what is sufficient for car service equal to the pavement costs, upon which interest, taxes and maintenance as above must also be paid. This would amount to \$68,000 per year, or 68 cents per capita. The company carries, say one fourth of its passengers free, and it costs just as much to carry a transfer passenger as any other.

There are other forms of benefit, either in cash or service, such as free transportation of policemen and firemen and payment of court costs for pauper plaintiffs. In addition, there are damage payments in excess of just claims to the extent of possibly 50 cents per capita, or \$50,000 in a city of 100,000 population.

All business, whether conducted by individuals or corporations, should be regulated within such limits as will insure to the units of society the freedom of action possible up to the point of preventing encroachment upon the rights of other individual or corporate units.

Regulation, if at all, should be universal. It is unprofitable to a community to single out the street railway to bear the accumulated chastisement which should be shared by a thousand others. The average city is beginning to thoroughly appreciate this, as indicated by the small following of would-be demagogues who fail to discern that their meal has been eaten.

The prosperity of a country or city depends entirely upon its treatment of invested money. Some countries of the western hemisphere bursting with natural wealth are now, in large part, howling wildernesses, and will be for generations to come, because not one with a dollar to invest, even with a prospect of dividends of 100 per cent per annum, would chance its immediate confiscation. Bondholders want security and stockholders dividends. If either is made uncertain, development stops. Exclusive of returns on borrowed capital, which should be approximately 5 per cent per annum, agricultural, mining, manufacturing and mercantile businesses should and do yield, when efficiently operated, at least 15 per cent per annum on the money invested by equity holders. Ten per cent of this is for the hazard, labor and responsibility of management, which fall entirely upon the stockholder. If the city regulates plants manufacturing and selling gas, electricity and other public conveniences through extortionate taxation or reduction of rates to a point of less profit than suggested, it will result in the paralysis of the industry to which such regulation is directed. This is simply an application of the law under which money flows in the course of least interference to the safest harbor. If any state or city has ambitions to be great, let it seize the present opportune moment and announce to the world a fixed policy toward investments in which individual and corporate business, private or public, are treated absolutely on a parity in regulation, taxation and the general exercise of police power or other necessary interference.

Two recent decisions of the supreme court of the United States inspire confidence in corporate investment. A paragraph from the decision in the Knoxville water case is:

"Our social system rests largely upon sanctity of private property, and that state or community which seeks to invade it will soon discover the error in disaster which follows. The slight gain to the consumer which he would obtain from the reduction in the rates charged by the public service corporation is as nothing compared with his private property if the ruin which would be brought about by denying to his private property its just reward, thus unsettling values and destroying confidence."

In the same decision regarding regulation, we find: "It is a delicate and dangerous function and ought to be exercised with a keen sense of justice on the part of the regulating body, met by a frank disclosure on the part of the company to be regulated. The courts ought not to bear the whole burden of saving property from confiscation, though they will not be found wanting where the proof is clear. The legislatures and subordinate bodies to whom the legislative power has been delegated ought to do their part."

Stay away from courts; settle your difficulties at home among your own people. Be frank; state your full case and demand your rights, whether you are the buyer or seller, and you will be sustained.

We are trying to adjust the present surface turbulence. New men are also springing up who are locally and nationally turning the tide in another direction. The leader of the future will be the man who is the embodiment of justice. He will be intellectually unsurpassed and financially independent. He will come from the working class; will have experienced all the pangs of poverty, the struggles for cognition and the inspiration of wealth and independence. The wages he will receive will be an absolute unanimous approval of those he represents. His power will not rest on his having led the mob in plundering the rich, nor in guiding the rich in sapping the life of the poor. He will take up the existing order and advance it much as possible in his generation. He will believe in evolution and not revolution. In general, he will, to the extent of his ability, see that every person gets everything that is justly his. The day of the demagogue in this civilization is done. One-sided leaders have caused all the cataclysms of history. We want, and are going to get, balanced men into public life. The movement has started which will place in our city councils, our legislatures and the congress of our nation individuals who possess the intelligence, strength of purpose and the sense of justice which will force complete approval of every man, woman and child thus represented. Vested rights of corporate or incorporate interest, whether of the rich or poor, have not in the whole life of our nation been in danger, and are not now. The outlook, both in security and returns to labor and capital in any field, was never brighter or more certain.

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