

Town Topics

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS

Baker Moving Pictures
 Star Vaudeville
 Orpheum Vaudeville
 Grand Vaudeville
 Pantages Vaudeville
 Lyric Vaudeville
 O. W. P. Donatelli's band

Judgment for Defendant—Judgment for defendant was directed by Judge Cleland in the circuit court yesterday afternoon in the \$15,000 damages suit of Mrs. Lottis B. Almsco against J. W. Powell, N. K. Powell, Mrs. H. N. Weber and C. Kirkpatrick. Judge Cleland took the case away from the jury on a motion for non suit, holding that the testimony for plaintiff did not establish negligence of the defendants. Mrs. Almsco fell through the roof of a building at Russell and Delany streets while hanging out clothes, and sued the owners and lessees of the building, having been made a cripple by the accident.

In Honor of Judge Bean—The complimentary dinner given by the alumni of the University of the State of Oregon to Judge Robert S. Bean on his appointment to the federal bench will take place at the Commercial club at 7 o'clock. From the list of responses received, it is expected that between 70 and 80 people will participate. The following are the names of the guests: "Federal Judiciary," Judge Gilbert, "The University," President Campbell, "Alumni club," Judge Brounagh, "Law Alumni," Judge Brounagh, responses by Judge Bean.

New Asphalt Paving Firm—Howard Witting of the asphalt contract company, a new competitor in the paving field, announced this morning that his firm will install a permanent plant to cost \$15,000 at the foot of East Street. Machinery and equipment for this as well as for a portable plant to cost \$15,000 will arrive next week. The company has ordered 1000 tons of asphalt from California and its agents are beginning an active campaign to secure a share of the paving work to be let by the executive board during the coming year.

Four Go to Asylum—Yesterday was "insane day" at the courthouse, four persons being sent to the asylum after examination by experts. They were Otto Franz, John Clemens, Lucy Parenti and Joe Dwyer. The latter was violent. He was captured in a dwelling at Mississippi avenue and Knott streets, which he had partially barricaded. He had smashed the windows and furniture and bled profusely from wounds made by broken glass. Physicians were unable to bring anything concerning his history or relatives.

Wants Mayor's Signature—Application for writ of mandamus to compel Mayor Lane to sign the salary warrant of James McDonald for \$1040 as half of the municipal court has been filed in the circuit court. This is in payment of back salary allowed by the city council over the veto of the mayor. The city auditor issued a warrant, but it is alleged that the mayor has refused to attach his name. McDonald is now night watchman at the courthouse.

Spiritualistic Mass Meetings—Dr. George B. Warne of Chicago, Ill., and president of the National Spiritualists' association, will arrive in Portland, Saturday, June 12, and on the following Sunday, June 13, the State Spiritualists' association will hold several mass meetings, the local societies adjourning their meetings on that day to unite with the state association in honoring Dr. Warne and his visit to Portland.

Laterals for Brooklyn Sewer—City Engineer Taylor has completed the plans of laterals to connect with the Brooklyn sewer but bids for the construction of these cannot be invited until the city has accepted the bid and the executive board will not accept the work until the contractors repair a number of defects pointed out by the city engineer.

To Boost Improvements—The Rose City Improvement club moves to its new home, June 17, at 8 p. m., in Hartman & Thompson's office, Sandy Road and Cully avenue. All property owners and taxpayers in the adjoining wards are urged to come and help boost for a new school building and other needed improvements.

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Dr. Hayes, optician, Salmon near 5th.

Dr. E. G. Brown, Eye-Ear, Marquam.

Snyder's Crawlfish, 255 First street.

DISCUSS TAXATION AND EQUALIZATION

Discussing the question of taxation and the equalization of taxes, the Men's club of the First Congregational church held the last meeting of the year last evening at the church, on Park and Madison streets.

County Assessor Sigler addressed the club on the subject of "Taxation." He was followed by Judge M. C. George, Paulinus McDonald, George Arthur Brown and the Rev. L. R. Dyott, pastor of the church, who gave brief talks.

The Men's club includes on its roster the names of many prominent professional and business men of Portland. It is not a religious, but a social organization, and after the addresses of the evening a luncheon is served. Social intercourse is the chief purpose of the club, which usually meets the first Monday of every month. Its officers are: R. M. Gray, president; Herbert Raymond, vice president; A. J. Lyman, treasurer; W. C. Palmer, secretary.

Of all the Rocky mountain and Pacific coast states, California and Oregon alone increased their output of coal last year over the figures for 1907. Decreases were shown by all the others.

ASK FOR DIAMOND BRAND PORTLAND CEMENT CO.

GIVES MILWAUKEE BETTER SERVICE

O. W. P. Establishes New Stopping Place for Passengers.

Residents of Milwaukee are delighted over the action of the O. W. P. company in establishing a new station known as Scott's station, about a mile south of the present station at Milwaukee and just at the Milwaukee city limits. The only reason they can assign to the new station is that the railway company has at last decided to further fight the 5 cent fare case now in the state supreme court is useless, and are making arrangements to drop any passengers living in that end of the town at Scott's station.

It is a good long way from the present stopping place in Milwaukee, and the next station, Island, the latter station being also outside the city limits of Milwaukee, and therefore in the 15 cent fare limit, according to the ruling expected from the supreme court. With the new station in, passengers living in the southern end of the city would be deposited there, and much trouble thus done away with.

It was at first thought that some private interests had secured the placing of the new station, but inquiries reveal no such persons while the railway company absolutely refuses to tell the Milwaukee people their reason for putting in the new station. It was thought at first that it was put in for the accommodation of the shingle mill people near the new station.

The residents are not satisfied with the name of Scott's station, however, as a new train to be operated up in the northern end of the town known as Scott's addition, and will ask the railway company that it be known as Kellogg's station, after the latter which is near the station.

Other railway activities in Milwaukee are the prospect of the immediate construction of the Willamette cutoff, by the Southern Pacific. Accommodations have been arranged for by the Southern Pacific officials for a crew of men, and immediate construction is looked for. Most of the right of way has been purchased, but some condemnation proceedings will have to be instituted.

AT THE THEATRES

Clever Gymnasts, Pantages.

One of the cleverest gymnastic acts that the Pantages theater has ever offered is that of the four Bards, marvelous American gymnasts. The special added attraction is Professor Roberts' troupe of trained rats, cats and dogs.

"The Isle of Zaza."

There are 15 musical hits in "The Isle of Zaza," the farce the Imperial Musical Comedy company is giving this week at the Lyric. "I'm So Lonesome," is alone worth double the price of admission. Matinees today, Thursday and Saturday and two performances each evening, at 8 and 9:15 o'clock.

Eight Dancing Russians.

Eight dancing Russians are the headliners of the new program at the Grand and this collection of men and women brought down the house with their quick and energetic steps. Clara Thropp, the comedienne, has new songs and dancing, when several men broke a collection of ballads.

Burns-Johnson Fight Pictures.

The famous Burns-Johnson fight pictures will be the attraction at the Pantages theater every afternoon at 3 o'clock and every night at 8:30 o'clock this week. These are the original pictures taken in Australia December 26 and show accurately every move of this historic encounter. Seats sell at theatre for the entire week.

Big Show at Orpheum.

It is hardly worth while to talk about any one act this week at the Orpheum, for they are all great, and the theatergoers of Portland will miss one of the best and most entertaining bills ever presented at this popular show shop if they do not go. It is made up of dancing, singing, skating sketches.

"Snake Industry" at the Star.

In this interesting picture we get an idea of the industry of the snake and the snake in Java. Five other dramatic and comic pictures. Last week of baby contest. Change of program tomorrow.

Festival Week at the Oaks.

In the cooling breezes from old Willamette is a mighty comfortable place to enjoy good music. This week each night has a special program that is representative as a different school of music. A car a minute at Third and Yamhill.

W. C. Richards Leaves Pendleton.

Pendleton, Or., June 15.—W. C. Richards of the law firm of Riley, Richards & Raley, is to leave this city. He will move to North Yakima to reside and to practice his profession. With his family he intends to leave Pendleton Thursday.

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NEW Beautiful Large Natural Appearing Roses, all colors, 50c to **\$2.50**

SOMETHING NEW ALL THE TIME

FRALEY BROS.

Third and Salmon

WASTES NO TIME IN ENTERTAINING

Master Liddle Cliff alone would make the Orpheum show worth going to see this week.

While there are two or three other satisfactory acts, Master Cliff uses his time so economically and so effectively that he suggests a very different type of variety performance than the slow surfeited performances to which we of the west must accustom ourselves.

Liddle Cliff sings, dances, mimics with a skill and cleverness seldom ever found among American vaudeville comedians. He works fast and furiously, and his efforts never miscarry. The audience is his from the moment he comes on the stage. To understand the real meaning of "advanced vaudeville," one should see Liddle Cliff.

The eight "Famous Original Madcaps" are also swift, agile and nimble in their dancing. The ensemble work of these eight girls is successful for the type of dancing it represents, although it has a tendency to become monotonous.

While they had the misfortune to follow Liddle Cliff, Ollie Young and his brothers nevertheless made good with their hooprolling and diabolo playing. The audience was interested throughout the time they were on the stage.

The three Leightons are still successfully using an act they have been successful in for the past three years at least, and with very few changes. Perhaps because they are original in technique, are not in the least afraid of horseplay, and are clever as vaudeville comedians, the audience will remember them when they have forgotten other turns.

Others on the program are Max Witt's "Singing Colossus," Evans and Lloyd in a sketch, entitled "Turning the Tables," and the Gattelle brothers in a song and dance which they call "Skatolism."

Chinook Jail Stormed.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Chinook, Wash., June 15.—Ole Carlson, who was arrested and placed in jail here Sunday on a drunk and disorderly charge, was given his liberty Monday morning, when several men broke the locks on the city jail and released him.

Something That Will Interest You

"Coming events cast their shadows before them." The Alaska Exposition and the "North Bank" Railroad will draw the east nearer to the North Pacific coast.

The Burlington, Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads have felt the stimulating motion of this advance, and have arranged, effective May 23, for all kinds of new and elaborate through train service, both via St. Paul and Billings, Montana, between Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Denver, the Lakes and the Mississippi Valley on the east, and Puget Sound and Portland.

When planning an Eastern trip, look at the map, and note the choice of attractive routes this new through service offers. Does not continuity of service to these important Eastern cities mean a great deal to you? Consult any agent of the Burlington, Northern Pacific or Great Northern roads in the northwest, or the undersigned.

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