

Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

Bungalow....."Girl From Rector's"
Orpheum.....Vaudeville
Grand.....Vaudeville
Pantages.....Moving Pictures
Star.....Moving Pictures
Oaks.....Donatelli's Band
Lyric.....The Frangere
Circus.....The Frangere and Raleigh

Blacks Life to See Circus.—Blacking his life to see the circus, Eugene Dunsmore, 28-year-old Porter, Wash. youth, after fainting three times and receiving medical attention at police headquarters, yesterday afternoon demanded to be released. Dunsmore got up from a sick bed to come to Portland to see the circus. Going to a store at Fourth and Morrison streets to purchase clothing, he fainted twice while in the establishment. Patrolmen Graves and Stone took the boy to the police station, where he again fainted. City Physician Fred Seligler attended the boy and ordered him to keep quiet. The youth insisted upon being allowed to take in the circus, but the physician on his own responsibility consented to let officers take him to the Perkins Hotel, where he is stopping.

Moneyman in Mop Fields.—Mrs. Maggie Marovich did not relish a honeymoon in the mop fields, judging from a divorce complaint against Samuel Marovich in the circuit court, especially since he assumed a role of command and told her to "shut up." The blank spaces he filled in with choice expressions that cannot be printed in the dictionary, she says. From the first day of their marriage, according to the complaint, Marovich bestowed vile names on his wife. She says he also sent a forged telegram to her father, in which the latter was implored to send for her. She received several incidents in which Marovich is alleged to have struck her, the last being on August 8. They were married in Croatia in 1907. Mrs. Marovich wants \$40 per month alimony.

Seedlings of Most Varieties of fruit as a rule are not expected to reach a high state of perfection, but a most remarkable exception has been found in a peach tree seven years old in the yard of F. W. Ripperton, Third and Hall streets. This tree is this summer weighted down with fruit, and the seedlings are of the size of a peach, 3 1/2 inches in diameter. The owner says he expects to harvest about two bushels of the fruit. The tree stands about 10 feet high and laden with the beautifully colored fruit, attracts a great deal of attention from passers by.

Boys Go to Detention School.—Charles Cross and Edward Krauscheck, the mischievous 15-year-olds who greeted the street railway tracks on Portland Heights about 10 days ago, were sent to the detention home by Judge Bronaugh after the juvenile court yesterday. The evidence was heard last Friday. In the absence of any positive showing of malicious intent the court thought it unwise to send the youngsters to the reform school, but because of the peril to the public he decided that they should be put under restraint. This was the first time the boys have been in trouble.

Typographical Bros.—In the advertisement of the Popular Shoe company yesterday it was inadvertently printed, men's velvet calf Blucher shoes, \$3.00 values, \$1.95. This should have read, men's velvet calf Blucher shoes, \$3.00 values, \$1.95. Although this was clearly a mistake on the part of the composing room the management of the Popular Shoe company made good to all their Wednesday customers by selling the above shoes for \$1.95 as advertised. The Popular Shoe company is located at 87 Third street, between Oak and Pine.

Blown Up at Milwaukee.—John Stubbs and Sam Valdemar, laborers, lie at St. Vincent's hospital, the former dead, as the result of a premature explosion of giant powder near Milwaukee yesterday afternoon. Stubbs is suffering from a fractured skull and a broken shoulder and arm. Valdemar will recover. The two were taken to the hospital last night in the Holman ambulance.

Fire Chiefs to Meet.—H. W. Brinkhurst, secretary of the Pacific Coast Association of Fire Chiefs, in a written communication to the city council this morning asked that body to send Fire Chief David Campbell to the annual convention of fire chiefs to be held in Seattle next month. The communication was referred to the committee on fire of the executive board.

Jews Among the Nations.—Rev. Mark Lay of New York, a converted Jewish rabbi and author and lecturer of wide distinction, will deliver an interesting address in the First United Presbyterian church, Sixth and Montgomery, Thursday evening at 7:45. He will discuss questions relating to the coming place the Jews are destined to hold among the nations of the world.

Cigarette Smoker Starts Fire.—When J. L. Page, who rooms at the Arlington hotel, went to bed last night he decided to smoke a cigarette. He fell asleep with the tobacco still burning. In a few moments bedclothing, mattress and carpet were afire. Smoking smoke, Night Clerk Nagel broke open Page's door. The blaze was extinguished by the fire department. Page was not burned.

Churches Well Under Way.—The Tremont United Brethren church is nearly ready for the roof and services will be held in the new church within a few weeks. The South Mount Tabor church is also under way. Rev. H. S. Shaffner, superintendent of Portland district, has charge of both churches for the present.

Granted Leave of Absence.—Councilman Gay Lombard was granted 30 days leave of absence by the city council this morning. Mr. Lombard is in Los Angeles, where he was called by the serious illness of his father.

Dentistry and Pharmacy.—The annual session of North Pacific College begins October 1. For an illustrated catalogue of either course address the dean, Dr. Herbert C. Miller, corner Fifteenth and Couch streets.

Attractive Looking and Perfect Fitting eye glasses fitted to your eyes by an expert. Prices reasonable here. Dr. George Rubenstein, optician, 189 Third street, opposite Baker theatre.

Safe Was Stolen Northland calls direct for San Francisco Thursday at 3 p. m. Cabin, 410; berth and meals included. Frank Bolam, agent, 123 Third street.

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Fire Destroyed Auto.—Fire, which started in the exhaust pipe, destroyed

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RESULT OF TRYING TO WATCH 3 RINGS AT CIRCUS

"Did you ever see so many wonderful things in your life?" queried an excited lady witnessing Ringling's circus last night. She spoke so loudly that at least a hundred others turned, and with as much solemnity as the occasion allowed assured her, "We never did!" First and foremost, the big point of attraction about Ringling's circus is their promise keeping disposition. The thousands entertained yesterday afternoon and evening, the thousands turned away for lack of room, in response to promises made them. Little enough is it to say that every promise made was even better and more complete than the spectators had been led to believe it was.

As an entertainment institution Ringling Bros. command admiration and respect. Everything is high class, and every turn indicates the quality of excellence, as well as training par excellence. But before going farther in delineation upon the manifold good qualities of this circus, let us first consider the thrill a Portland crowd, it is only just to say something about the animals. They are presented in a varied assortment, and the individuals denote by their unusual spirit some quality of careful treatment, foreign to the hopeless, caged beasts carried by the ordinary show. The person who goes to see Ringling Bros. exhibition and fails to make the tour of the animal tent will be making a mistake.

And coming back to the performance proper, it does not hurt the eyes and ears to try to follow everything at once. Saxton Brothers demonstrate the extremes of purely human strength and endurance, the trained elephants man with the clowns as laugh producers, and the trick horses bring wonder that the domestication of animal minds under their trainer could under any circumstances be so complete.

Some people might shiver ever so slightly seeing a man walk on his head, but this unquestionably happens at Ringling's show, and the feat is almost as interesting in its way as the double somersault of the flying automobile.

Pigs are undoubtedly, but the particular pigs that travel with Ringling's, be they black or white, or spotted, as some of them are, seem to have a great deal more sense than the ordinary squealer. This would be described as a real circus excellence hasn't laughed so spontaneously in a long time as at the stunts of those pigs. Perhaps it is the novelty of the turn, perhaps it is the surprise that pigs should be able to couple clownish minds with their clownish bodies, and still more clownish squeals.

It would not be justice to give unlimited praise to any one feature of the rest. Each one is the best of its kind. Portland people never met better. But to make a long story short, let the reader accept and act upon an unqualified recommendation to go and see for himself, or herself, just the ensemble that makes Ringling Bros. circus an institution of entertainment.

The touring car of R. Becker, 854 Savier street, yesterday afternoon. The fire took place at the Becker home. The machine was valued at about \$4000.

Out of Our Temporary Quarters.—We will be open for business Monday, August 9, at 411 Washington street, three blocks west from our temporary place, E. H. Moorhouse & Company.

Steamer Jessie Martins, for Camas, Washougal and way landings, daily, except Sunday. Leaves Washington street dock at 3 p. m.

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PERSONAL
United States Marshal C. J. Reed has returned from San Francisco, and the big "jinks" of the Bohemian club, Marshal Reed stated that there were 401 at the jinks in the famous Bohemian grove, and that the dramatic and musical performances were especially fine. Mr. Reed hasn't missed a Bohemian club jinks in 19 years.

Frank Donnelly, of the Swift packing plant from Chicago, is a guest at the Seward.

Robert A. Boyce, assistant superintendent of the Prudential insurance company, from San Francisco, is at the Cornhill.

Nakaya, San Francisco representative of the Mitsui company, has offices in Portland. He is a guest at the Hotel Portland. He expects to make a trip to India in the interests of his firm.

Men Under Suspicion Released. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 24.—Charles Wilson and Henry Stapleton, young Tukwila ranchers, whose arrest for alleged horse stealing caused a sensation three weeks ago, were released yesterday in Justice Holman's court.

Last Trip Steamer Potter
The O. R. & S. steamer T. J. Potter from North Beach will make her last trip, leaving Monday 2 o'clock p. m. Monday, September 6, Labor Day.

AT THE THEATRES

"Girl From Rector's" Tonight.

Tonight at 8:15 o'clock and continuing every night at the Bungalow show, with a special price matinee Saturday afternoon, will be the sensational New York comedy success, "The Girl From Rector's." The charming actress, Carrie Webber, will be seen in the title role. Seats are now selling at the theatre for the entire engagement.

The Oaks.

Never has the Oaks been more beautiful than at present. The musical program has had an important addition to its repertoire. It is the leading tenors of the world. Beginning Sunday, there will be another musical feature added when the great Tyrolean quartet enters the stage. "The Desperado" is also announced for Sunday. This act was the most thrilling ever seen in Europe.

Lyric Makes Record.

The Lyric stood 'em up yesterday at the matinee, the first time such a thing has been done in Portland in years at any theatre. Why? "Cause the Lyric stock company is playing 'The Lyric'." The great frenzied finance drama, Matinee Thursday and Saturday, every night this week. Seats selling one week in advance.

Grand Feature.

There is a feature at the Grand this week which is alone worth the price of admission. It is Hugh Lloyd, the king of the cord elastic. The rest of the bill is composed of bright and snappy songs, dances and novelties with something cheerful every instant.

Oregon Girl Scores Hit.

Miss Marguerite Fischer, of the Polard-Fischer company, which is playing at Pantages this week in the delightful comedietta, "Heart's Are Trumps," will be remembered by Portland theatregoers as the Oregon girl who appeared here several times at the head of her own company and in support of well known stars.

Splendid Comedy at Orpheum.

This week at the Orpheum, Dick Gardner and Anna Revere present an act they call "Real Variety," and it is just that, and no more. They are a clever pair, well known to vaudeville audiences, and each year they provide an abundance of new entertainment.

Y. M. C. A. BUILDING HAS BEEN LEASED

The building now occupied by the Y. M. C. A. on the corner of Fourth and Yamhill streets was leased yesterday at Pantages this week by Joseph M. Healy. The lease is for a term of 15 years and Mr. Nelson is to take possession of the building October 1. It is understood that the building will be remodeled, the lower part be-

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Carnation Condensed Milk, per dozen...\$1.00
Broken Rice, 5 lbs. for...25c
Corn Starch, 2 lbs. for...15c
Gloss Starch, 2 lbs. for...15c
Royal Soap, 12 cakes for...25c

The Brotherhood of Electric Railway Employees will decide the ownership of the piano given by the carmen's picnic committee at the Oaks, July 21, at Eilers Hall, on Thursday evening, August 26, at 8:30 p. m.

OSCAR D. STANLEY,
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ing arranged for use as a storeroom or storeroom, while the upper floors will be fitted up as offices.

According to the terms of the lease, the rent paid by Nelson is to be divided into three periods. For the first five years he is to pay \$90,000 for the building, the second five years he will pay \$150,000 and for the third five years the same sum making a total of \$390,000.

H. L. Nelson came to Portland a few months ago and has invested heavily in the Kamm property at First and Washington streets, the site of the new Washington street market. It is said that those interested with Nelson have decided to make other large investments, having been convinced through a recent visit to the city that Portland is a better field for real estate investment than any other city on the coast.

STOPS BURIAL OF SON AT PRESIDIO

(United Press Special Wire.)

San Francisco, Aug. 25.—A two year search by a heart broken father for his offspring has ended at Camp Sequoia in the Yosemite by Charles A. O'Brien, city solicitor of Pittsburg, receiving notification of his son John's death, from the military authorities there.

Filled with the wanderlust, O'Brien left his Pittsburg home three years ago in search of adventure abroad. He had been the favorite of the household and his departure caused much grief to the family. He kept in communication with his father for a year and then suddenly his letters stopped and the father began the search.

In the meantime young O'Brien entered the service of Uncle Sam as a private soldier. Just before his death he requested that his body be buried in the Presidio cemetery and he gave his home address.

Yesterday Attorney O'Brien received a telegram at Atlantic City acquainting him with his father for a year and he sent a message requesting that the body be sent to Pittsburg for burial. The telegram was received by the officers just as the body was being lowered in its grave.

Interment was stopped. Whether the young soldier will lie in the national cemetery or in the O'Brien family plot in Pittsburg will be settled today.

Three Arrested for Gambling.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Vale, Or., Aug. 25.—William Gibson, J. Blanton and Jack Davidson have been arrested on a charge of gambling in Vale. It has been known to the marshal for several days that gambling was in progress, but no show were the gamblers that they have been able to take.

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clude the officers. Marshal Eno discovered a light in an upper room of the old Yale hotel. Following the clue, he saw the trio in a hot poker game. He immediately raided the house.

AGED WOMAN MAY ESCAPE PRISON CELL

Sacramento, Cal., Aug. 25.—Legal technicalities may free Mrs. Gertrude Driggs, the aged woman recently convicted and sentenced to five years in the San Quentin penitentiary for forging the signature to a 50 year lease upon property valued at more than \$100,000 in the name of the late John Charnock of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Driggs was convicted in Los Angeles after a sensational trial. Her attorney, Paul Schenk, soon after came to this city and yesterday was closeted with E. C. Cooper, secretary to Governor Gillett. As a result of this conference it was announced that failure to comply with an act passed by the recent legislature, compelling sentence to be passed within five days after conviction, may render void the sentence passed in Los Angeles. Mrs. Driggs followed her conviction 28 days. Schenk is in San Francisco conferring with Attorney General Webb.

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The crow flies over the field and perches himself upon a fence, and he is not watched; the rabbit and the field mouse hunt their holes, and it is not strange—but when a finished and beautiful example of the work of man intrudes itself in the heart of a hay field it is more than passing strange.

One week ago six homes were seen in the midst of hay cocks which dotted the whole of WESTMORELAND. Very shortly the improvement work will be started that will transform WESTMORELAND into a finished addition—a valuable and rapidly advancing piece of property.

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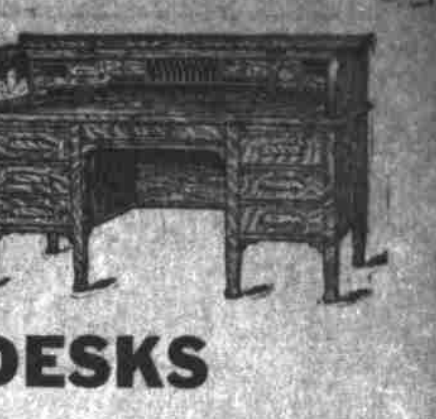
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