TOWN TOPICS

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

Baker ..Dills in "The Man From Mexico"
Portland ....."Around the Town"
Orpheum ..... Vaudeville
Grand ..... Vaudeville
Pantages ..... Vaudeville
Star .....Moving Pictures

Seamen's Friend Society. — Mme. d'Auria has arranged the following program for the concert to be given at the Seamen's Friend society, Third and Flanders streets, tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock: Chorus, "Blessed Be the God and Father," St. David's choir; solos, Miss Fowler and Mr. Thomas; "Flower Song," Miss Olga Golberg; "The Thistledown," Woman's club chorus; chorus, "From Thy Love as a Father," St. David's choir; solo, Miss Suza Jones; "I Love You Truly," Mrs. Charles Heft; "The Glow Worm," Highland Glee club; solo, Miss Ila Davis; solo, Mr. Wilmot; "I Arise From Dreams of Thee," solo, Margherita d'Auria; "Hallelujah Chorus," St. David's choir; songs, selected, Mme. d'Auria. This concert will be given as a farewell to the British ship Brabiock. All friends of the institute are cordially invited.

Industrial Peace Sunday.—After an absence of two years in the east and California, P. H. Scullin, organizer of the industrial peace movement, has returned to Portland, and will remain here two or three weeks, during which he will endeavor to enlist the sympathy of the local clergy in a movement to set apart the third Sunday in January of each year as "industrial peace Sunday." The idea is to have the services on that date in all churches devoted to the cause of industrial peace. Throughout California the clergy, irrespective of denomination, has taken up with the idea, and will preach industrial peace from the pulpit on that date. After organizing Portland along these lines Mr. Scullin will leave for the sound cities in the interest of the same movement.

Charged With Speeding—C. A. Millman, 800 Gantenbein avenue, and B. Holbrook, 1166 Thurman street, pleaded guilty this morning in the municipal court to a charge of speeding, and were each fined $10. A. J. Winters, 672 Weidler street; A. C. Emery, 1015 Columbia street, and Everett Almeter, 669 Northrup street, were also arrested for speeding. Their cases were set for Saturday. The arrests were made last night as the result of a crusade started by Chief of Police Cox. Officers are sent out each afternoon to different parts of the city, where they measure off a certain distance and time the speeders.

Improvements Are Promised.—A number of improvements were announced at the meeting of the Killingsworth Avenue Improvement association Wednesday evening. It was announced that the Killingsworth avenue extension is not going to stop at Forty-second street, but will be continued on through to the Sandy Road by the county commissioners. The letting of the contract for the paving of this street will be announced soon. Several matters of importance including the changing of the routing of the Alberta car, opening of several streets and other improvement work was talked over.

The Revival at the Epworth church, Twenty-sixth and Savier streets, is nearing the close of the first three weeks. Great good has been done. The pastor, the Rev. Charles T. McPherson, has been ably assisted by R. C. Lee. More than 30 persons have been converted. About the same number have united with the church. Mr. Lee will speak tonight on "The Second Coming of Christ." He will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. It will be announced Sunday whether the revival will continue.

Medical Interns Wanted.—Applicants for the position of medical interne in the government hospital for the insane are being asked for by the United States Civil Service commission and an examination to determine who will secure the position is to be held June 15, 1910. The commission urges all persons with experience to enter for this examination as it has been found especially difficult to secure the necessary help. For further information application should be made to Z. A. Leigh at the postoffice.

Fair Benefit Successful—The fair for the benefit of St. Francis church is proving a grand success. The attendance last night was about 900. The program for Saturday evening will include a piano solo by Mrs. Holloran; recitation, Mr. F. E. Foote; soprano solo, Miss Mae Gleason; baritone solo, Mr. F. D. Hennessy; sketch, Messrs. Urquhart and Heitkemper. The program for Friday evening includes a grand concert by Webber's juvenile orchestra and solos by Miss Francisca Bliss and Mr. Norby.

In Memory of Judge Williams.—Mayor Simon this morning appointed a committee of city councilmen to draw up resolutions expressing the sympathy of the city officials for the family of "the late George H. Williams, Oregon's most distinguished citizen and Portland's former mayor." The councilmen will report to the city council at the next session when the resolutions drafted by them will be adopted. Councilmen Devlin, Watkins, Ellis, Cellars and Baker are on the committee.

Masher Arrested—Joseph Conrad was arrested last night for violating the "masher's" ordinance. He is accused of attempting to entice a 14-year-old girl to meet him. The girl was Helene Toews. Conrad had written a note to her to meet him in the postoffice. He gave bail of $25, and the case will be called in the municipal court Saturday morning.

Public Hearing on Petition.—A public hearing on the petition of the O. R. & N. Co. for the vacation of Adams and Oregon streets will be given by the street committee of the city council tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. A committee from the United East Side Push clubs, one from the East Side Business Men's club and a large delegation of leading business men of the city will appear before the committee to urge that the petition for the street vacations be denied.

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MAN REARRESTED IN KANSAS CITY

Edw. Patterson, Wanted Here, and Who Was Released in Denver, Again in Jail.

Edward Patterson, who was arrested in Denver, Col., and released before Fred Rennick, deputy constable from Portland, arrived, has been rearrested at Kansas City, Mo., and will be returned to this city for prosecution on a charge of larceny. He is accused of keeping $600 belonging to Thomas Murphy of the Old Central livery stables.

A serious question centers around the release of Patterson by Chief Armstrong at Denver, as that official had been advised by Constable Wagner of Portland to hold the man, as he had been indicted by the local grand jury, and an officer was on the way for the prisoner. When Rennick arrived he found the man had been released, and had gone to Kansas City, where he joined his wife, who left Portland a few days before the deputy constable left for Denver.

The reason given by Chief Armstrong, at Denver for releasing the man was that he had been advised that Patterson could get out of the trouble by settling the matter by paying $600. The chief of police considered this a plan to extort money from Patterson, or to use the Denver police department as a collection agency. It was learned by Constable Wagner that Patterson's wife sent the wire that caused the man's release, and she did this upon her own liability.

When Deputy Constable Rennick found his prisoner had been released, he immediately traced him to Kansas City, where he caused his rearrest. The police at the latter city have been notified to hold him until the deputy can arrive there and present the extradition papers to the governor of Missouri. The papers were sent at noon today.

County Leases Roller—Multnomah county has leased a gasoline road roller of 10 tons weight from John S. Beals for use on the roads. The lease runs to the end of the year, with the understanding that the money may be applied on the purchase price of $3150 if the county then decides to buy it. The members of the county court believe there will be a saving of $2 or $3 a day on a gasoline roller in operating expenses.

Postpone Meeting.—The failure of the city council to take immediate action on the proposed vacation of streets on the east side to the O. R. & N., caused the postponement of the meeting to have been held last night by the members of the East Side Improvement association to take action on the matter. If the vacation had been ordered, steps to recall the councilmen who voted for it would be taken.

Services Tonight.—Services will be held in Congregation Ahavai Sholom synagogue, Park and Clay streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. Music by the choir and a solo by A. B. Caughey. Tomorrow morning services begin at 9:30 o'clock, when Phillip, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Chaimov, will be confirmed. Rev. R. Abrahamson will officiate.

Waverly-Richmond Meeting.—Matters of importance to the suburb of Waverly-Richmond are to be taken up at the next meeting of the Waverly-Richmond Improvement club to be held in Waverly hall, corner of East Twenty-sixth and Clinton streets. Everyone interested in the improvement of the district is invited to attend.

Lecture on Comet.—Rev. D. A. Thompson will deliver a free lecture on "The Comets" tonight at 8 o'clock, at the Sellwood library. Anyone interested in the approaching visit of Halley's comet will be interested in this lecture. Everybody is invited. No children under the eighth grade will be admitted.

Mrs. Brodbeck to Talk.—Mrs. Brodbeck, of New York City, will speak Sunday, at Christensen hall, Eleventh and Yamhill, at the hours of 11, 3 and 8. Subjects: Life, Mind, Spirit or the inner meanings of Christ Jesus' teachings. Come! bring sick. Admission free.

Important Business.—The North East Side Improvement association will hold a meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at Woodmen's hall, Rodney and Russell streets. As business of importance will be transacted, a large attendance is requested.

Henry Files Report—Charles K. Henry has filed his final report as administrator of the estate of Charles W. Henry. This shows the total receipts of the personal and real property have been $12,420 and the disbursements $1187.

Arm Injured by Saw—M. F. Mills, employed at the St. Johns Lumber company mill, had his left arm badly mangled by a saw this morning. The Red Cross ambulance took the man to the Good Samaritan hospital.

Land Sale! Land Sale!—Saturday, April 16, at Kusa, 20 minutes' ride, Oregon Electric railway, Jefferson street station. Trains leave at 2:10 p. m. Free tickets at 411 Corbett bldg., or our agent at depot.

Pit Goes for $1151—The county gravel pit on the Powell valley road was sold by the county commissioners yesterday to J. H. McMahon for $1151. The pit is now surrounded by residences.

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New Company Incorporates.—J. A. Harbke, J. T. Ennis and H. A. Moore have incorporated the Harbke-Ennis Building Investment company, capital stock $10,000.

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MINE EXPLODES IN FRONT YARD AFTER MAN GOES TO BED

(Continued from Page One.)

threatened with vengeance, one man telling him only last week that he "would get him" because of his interference with the old established and easy going customs of the place.

Allen is a man who has opinions, and expresses them. In this way he has crossed the village philosophers. A year ago the people passed a law providing a fine for any one who allowed cattle to run at large. Beaverton generally is not in sympathy with this law. Allen is.

Wants Law Enforced.

Allen has been herding his neighbors' cows off his land for some time, and growing tired of it, went to District Attorney E. B. Tongue and asked that the district attorney and the sheriff of Washington county inforce the law. Tongue refused, so did the sheriff. Tongue said he did not intend to meddle with the matter and that if the people wanted their cows to be kept in they could settle their little differences among themselves.

Allen asked for complaints, at least, as his neighbors' cows were bothering him, and he did not get them. By this time the neighbors were taking a hand in the feud and were showing their hostility in different ways.

Last night, early, Allen made his usual trip to Beaverton for his daily mail. He returned to his home about half a mile from the town a short time before 9 o'clock and went at once to bed. Very close to 9 o'clock the explosion occurred.

Gate Blown Off.

At the time Mr. Allen did not comprehend what had happened, thinking that some one might have set off a belated blast, as stumping work is being done in the vicinity.

This morning, however, the facts were made plain. A gaping hole, big enough to bury a man, was found between the two gateposts. The gate was blown from its hinges and hurled a shattered bunch of splinters in every direction. The pickets were torn and twisted and the posts scarred by the force of the explosion, while a luxuriant bed of jonquils flanking either side of the walk next to the gate was flattened out on the ground as though it had been hammered with a board, the budding flowers being scorched and blackened by the flare of the charge.

Fragments of the fence had been blown for 100 yards in every direction, some of them breaking the window in the front of the house and driving the glass into the room.

Investigation Starts.

Allen at once appealed to W. S. Dessinger, deputy sheriff at Beaverton, and investigations were commenced. Bloodhounds were sent for at the penitentiary and are expected to reach Beaverton this afternoon, when an attempt will be made to track down the man who set off the mine.

From people living in the vicinity it is apparent that there were two men implicated in the attempted assassination, though only one set the mine. Robert Hawkins, who lives on an adjoining farm between the Allen place and Beaverton, heard a man running through his field just after the explosion. He is confident that this man was the one who placed the mine and exploded it.

William Davis, who lives in a house at the cross roads, down which anyone must pass in going to or from the Allen place, heard a man giving a peculiar whistle several times at just about the time of the explosion.

Watched Cross Roads.

He believes that this man was watching at the cross roads in order to warn the man setting the mine of any approaching man or team.

J. S. Clemmons is the man who heard one of the Beaverton residents threaten "to get" Allen a week ago. This man is a teamster whose cow has been giving Allen trouble and he is under suspicion of being one of the men.

About a year ago Allen had 23 head of fine hogs poisoned by some one putting ground glass in their feed. He has never been able to discover who did this, or what was the reason for it. Allen is determined to see that he is molested no further and is therefore, planning to go to the bottom of the attempted murder of last night. Should the bloodhounds not be able to track down the guilty persons, he will put the matter in the hands of detectives and prosecute to the limit of the law.

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