TOWN TOPICS

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

BAKER—John Sainpolis, supported by stock company, in "A Parisian Romance."
ORPHEUM — Orpheum Circuit Vaudeville.
PANTAGES—Vaudeville.
GRAND—Sullivan & Considine, vaudeville.
OAKS PARK—Band concert; grand opera quartet, afternoon and evening.
STAR, ARCADE, OH JOY, TIVOLI—First run pictures, 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

Weather Conditions.

The pressure is increasing over the inter-mountain states, but the area of high pressure still continues off the north Pacific coast. A ridge of nearly normal pressure overlies the plains states. The lakes' storm has made a slight eastward movement and is central this morning over western Lake Ontario, but it still continues with no marked change of energy. Light rain has fallen in southwestern Idaho, southwestern Oregon, southwestern Utah, Wyoming, Alberta, Saskatchewan, and in the south Atlantic states, and light to moderately heavy rain has fallen in southeastern Washington, northeastern Oregon and in the north Atlantic states. Thunderstorms were reported from Walla Walla, Baker and Sheridan. The weather is cooler in Washington, northern Oregon, northern Idaho, western Montana, northern California, in the central Mississippi valley and eastward and northeastward to the Atlantic coast, and it is warmer in the great Salt lake basin and plateau states, and near Lake Michigan. From the Cascade and Sierra Nevada mountains to the plains states temperatures in general are much above normal.

Conditions are favorable for fair weather tonight and Wednesday in this district, except that showers are expected for tonight in eastern Oregon and Idaho. Cooler weather will obtain tonight east of the Cascade mountains.

FORECAST.

Portland and vicinity—Fair tonight and Wednesday; northeasterly winds.
Oregon—Fair west, showers and cooler east portion tonight; Wednesday fair; northwesterly winds.
Washington—Fair tonight and Wednesday; cooler east portion tonight; westerly winds.
Idaho—Showers and cooler tonight. Wednesday probably fair.

Government Examinations—Civil service examinations under the United States civil service commission will be held July 1 for the position of quarry technologist at a salary of $3000 to fill a vacancy in the bureau of mines, Pittsburg, Pa.; July 5, for an assistant chemist in forest products at Madison, Wis., $1200 to $1500 and laboratory aid in the bureau of plant industry, $55 a month; July 8, horticulturist in the bureau of plant industry, $2000 to $2500, entomological draftsman in the bureau of entomology, $1080 and an assistant agriculturist in the office of Farm Management, bureau of plant industry $1800. With the exception of the entomological draftsman these positions are open to men only. Further information will be given by applying to Z. A. Leigh, postoffice department, Portland.

For Lovers of Art—The art department of the Woman's club will hold its last meeting today when arrangements will be made for next season's work. Mrs. Charles Dodd will entertain the department at her residence, 581 First street, corner of Grant, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Dodd will have several hundred pictures, collected on her recent trip abroad, to show her guests. One work of art by an American artist, one by an Italian and one by a French artist will be explained by Mrs. Weister showing why they are beautiful. All lovers of pictures invited.

Portland Ad Club—The regular weekly luncheon and talkfest of the Portland Ad club will take place at Richards' hotel at 12:30 o'clock tomorrow, Wednesday, June 14. Frank B. Riley and Clyde B. Atchison are to do the talking. Mr. Riley will discuss clean titles and Mr. Aitchison will undertake to explain in detail the relationship of the railroads and the public. There will be other speakers whose names will be announced upon the assembling of the lunchers. George N. Davis has been designated as chairman of the day.

Rose Show at Beaverton—W. A. Storey of this city spoke Saturday at the Rose show at Beaverton, giving a very interesting talk on how to obtain the best results in rose culture. Mr. Storey is a grower of some of the finest roses in this city and has given the subject deep study. The show was under the auspices of the Beaverton grange and in connection with it were literary and musical exercises by the Beaverton school children. Among the roses on display were many that Mr. Storey pronounced as fine as he has ever seen.

New York State Society—At the meeting of the New York State society of Oregon this evening at Christensen's hall, Eleventh and Yamhill streets, the following will be the program: Piano solo, Miss Eugenia Patten; vocal solo, Albert Brown; reading, Mrs. Sylvia McGuire; vocal solo, Mrs. Jennie Simmons Clow; duet, violin and piano. After the program a short business session will be held and light refreshments will be served. Visiting New Yorkers as well as former residents of that state and now of Oregon are invited.

Young Will Filed—The will of Milton Young, who died two weeks ago, was filed for probate this morning in the county court. The estate is valued at $16,000, and is left to the children, William E. and Z. M. Young are named administrators of the property.

Annual Meeting Tomorrow—The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions will be held at the Pro-Cathedral of St. Stephens, Thirteenth and Clay, tomorrow, beginning with the celebration of holy communion at 10 a. m. Rev. C. W. Robinson of Oregon City will preach the sermon. Luncheon will be served by the women of St. Stephens. The business session will begin at 1:30 p. m. John W. Wood of New York will address the meeting.

Goes to Bremerton—Deputy District Attorney C. J. Michelet will be one of the detachment of the naval militia leaving for Bremerton navy yard tonight to bring the cruiser Boston to Portland. This will reduce the district attorney's working office force by two men until Saturday, when Michelet will return, as Deputy Frank T. Collier has been called to Quebec, Canada, by the death of his mother.

Papers on Mrs. Howe—The Unitarian women will give a Julia Ward Howe afternoon in the chapel of the Unitarian church, Seventh and Yamhill streets, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. On the program will be papers by Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. J. W. Thatcher and Miss Barlow, relative to the work of the noted authoress. Vocal numbers will be given by Miss Verna Smith.

Presents Petition to Taft—The county court received word today from Congressman Lafferty at Washington that he had presented the bridge draw petition to President Taft June 7. The petition will also be presented to the secretary of war. It was circulated by the county court and asks that an evening period be allowed for closed draws.

Vernon School Meeting—The Parent Teacher association of the Vernon school will hold an entertainment and reception to the mothers and teachers tomorrow from 2:30 until 4:30. Bring your friends with you.

Parents and Teachers Meet—The Parents and Teachers association of Woodlawn will hold its regular meeting at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon and Mrs. W. J. Hawkins will address the meeting.

POCKET FOLDER ISSUED BY WESTERN PACIFIC

A world of valuable information regarding the mineral, agricultural and horticultural wealth of the Rocky mountain region, its climatic advantages and scenic attractions as well as an up-to-date map of the territory from the Rocky mountains to the Pacific coast in which the new Western Pacific railway is featured, are contained in a pocket folder entitled "The Natural Resources of Colorado and Utah," just off the press and being distributed by the Denver & Rio Grande railroad.

GARMENT WORKERS PICNIC

Bonneville, Sunday, June 18.

A special round trip fare of $1 has been made by the O.-W. R. & N. for the Garment Workers' picnic to be held next Sunday, June 18, at Bonneville. Special excursion train leaves Union depot at 9 a. m. Tickets on sale at city ticket office, Third and Washington streets, and Union depot. *

JOURNAL CARRIERS' PICNIC IS SUCCESS

100 Lads Have Glorious Time at Sauvies' Island; Plenty to Eat.

If your carrier looks unusually tanned and healthy when he delivers your Journal tonight it's because he and 100 of his fellow members in The Journal Carriers' association had the time of their young lives last Sunday when they spent the day picnicking at Sauvie's island. Swimming, eating, field sports, practically everything that appeals to a healthy boy on a June day helped to make this year's excursion the best the association has ever held.

The good launch Eva, in charge of Captain Amos, made two round trips from the city to Sauvie's island carrying the members of the association, the first boat leaving Portland at 8:30 in the morning and the last one getting back at 9:30 in the evening.

Sunday was the ideal day for the excursion and every minute of it, from the trip down river in the cool of the morning to the moonlight ride back to town after dark was worth going through a rainy winter to enjoy.

Once on the island the fun began. The water was warm, there was plenty of chance for games, sports and fresh air and when dinner time finally came—it seemed as though it never would—there was more to eat than even something over 100 record breaking appetites could get away with. Eating wasn't all, either. Imagine taking a soda fountain with you on a picnic! That was about what happened, through the thoughtfulness of the Coca Cola Manufacturing company and the Western Soda Works, those two companies uniting to furnish enough fizz water to cool off the crowd when it got thirsty.

The carriers were especially happy over their treatment by Captain Amos. The affair was engineered and the details were carried out largely through the efforts of D. H. Smith, circulation manager of The Journal, and the originator of the various celebrations that have made The Journal Carriers' association the most popular boys' club in Portland.

MAY USE BRIDGE FUND RESIDUE AS "NEST EGG"

The Greater South Portland Bridge committee has called a special meeting for next Saturday evening at the city hall. President Dav Raffety of the committee wishes every contributor to the publicity fund of the committee to appear at the meeting, as the disposition of more than $100 remaining in the fund over and above expenses yet to be met will come up. It is being urged by members of the committee that the money can be used as a nucleus for another campaign for a high bridge in South Portland.

CITY SCHOOLS WILL NOT OBSERVE "FLAG DAY"

Because examinations are being held in all of the public schools Wednesday, June 14, known as "Flag Day," there will be no observation of the day in Portland, save the running up of flags on the school buildings and other public buildings.

Over the state flags will be displayed by all public institutions, and the Portland Elks will hold a celebration at their temple, to which the public has been invited.

MUSICAL WONDER IS HIT AT THE PANTAGES

If the audience at Pantages last night had its own way, Fitch Cooper would, perhaps, be still giving his irresistible imitations and his musical selections on various instruments. Cooper was the biggest hit of the new bill that opened at the Fourth street playhouse yesterday afternoon. Not only is he an artistic musician, but he has a good flow of comedy. The best part of Cooper's work is done on an ordinary handsaw on which he plays several selections.

The Three Kratons, colored hoop rollers, are toplined on the bill and if it was not for Cooper they would be entitled to that exalted position. Their feats with the hoops are remarkable. The hoops are put through startling paces and the Kratons keep their audience admirably entertained.

In an adaptation from the Danish "The Iceman" Thomas P. Hoier and his clever company are seen and as a comedy, "The Iceman" is a success. The plot has to do with the adventures of a newly married couple, the husband being insanely jealous. Mr. Hoier is seen as the supposed interloper while Miss Esther Boggs gives a satisfactory performance of the servant girl.

The Garden City Trio make good with a lot of nonsense and several happily selected songs. The Billy Eldid troupe of cyclists give a good exhibition, while Lyndon and Dorman, billed as the Yankee Girl and the English Boy, have an act of little merit. Animated events close the bill.

DOCTOR GIVES HOT WEATHER HINTS

"Muzzle the Dog and Swat the Fly," Good Advice for Portland.

Hot weather hints, just issued by the Chicago health department, might well be accepted in part in Portland, says Dr. C. H. Wheeler, city health officer. Among the hot weather health hints are:

"Muzzle the dog; swat the fly.

"If you are not hungry, wait a while.

"Where the flies multiply, there the babies die.

"Pure, cool water is the only summer drink.

"Fruits, fresh vegetables and cereals are the proper hot weather diet.

"Let the price of meat soar. Heat-producing diets are not needed, and the meat ration can be cut in two."

Some advice is included for the care of babies, which reads:

"A baby that gains a little weight each week is a well baby. It should nurse every four hours. Irregular nursing kills many babies. No solid food should be given a nursing baby without such diet being prescribed by the family physician. Above all, do not give the baby narcotics.

"The outer clothing of an infant should be light in warm weather. A good scheme is to keep the feet warm and the head cool. Babies should be bathed at least once a day during warm weather."

The family cat also "gets hers," as follows:

"The family cat, on account of its nomadic habits, is the most dangerous carrier of disease. Diphtheria and other dangerous diseases, are spread like wildfire by cats and other pets."

Card of Thanks—I take this means of expressing my appreciation for the many generous deeds and expressions of sympathy following the loss of my wife, Mrs. Lula Stokes.

D. D. STOKES.

AMUSEMENTS.