

Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

HEILIG—Max Figgan, in "The Substitute." **ORPHEUM**—Orpheum Circuit Vaudeville. **BAKER**—Richards & Prince's Minstrels. **VAUDEVILLE**—Vaudeville. **EMPIRE**—Sullivan & Considine, vaudeville. **OAKS PARK**—Pals Oaks Park band and Metropolitan Opera quartet, afternoon and evening. Balloon ascension at 8 p. m. **STAR ARCADE**, OH JOY, STIVOLI, MAJESTIC—First run pictures, 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

THE JOURNAL AT RESORTS

The following Journal agents will supply Journal subscribers at regular city rates. Have The Journal follow you during your vacation. **Breakers, Wash.**—Breakers hotel, agent. **Columbia Beach, Or.**—E. D. Landon, agent. **Collins Hot Springs, Wash.**—F. A. Young, agent. **Gearhart, Or.**—Horace A. Wilson, agent, headquarters at Seaside. **Hot Lake, Or.**—Hot Lake sanatorium, agent. **Long Beach, Wash.**—Seaview. **Long Beach, Toga, Breakers.**—Ocean Park, Naboota and all points on North beach. Lawrence Dinneen, agent, headquarters. **Hackney Cottage, Seaview, Wash.**—Newport, Or.—Fred Young, agent. **Seaside, Or.**—Horace A. Wilson, agent, box 577, or Lewis' drug store. **Shipsherd Springs, Wash.**—Mineral Springs hotel, agent. **Wenatchee Springs—Wenatchee Springs hotel, agent.** **Willhoit Springs, Or.**—F. W. McLernan, agent.

Weather Conditions.

A low pressure area of slight intensity is central this evening over British Columbia and the barometric pressure is high along the Oregon-Washington coast. A large and sluggish high pressure area overlies the eastern Pacific slope, but showers and thunderstorms have occurred in Montana, Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska, Iowa and widely separated places in the states east of the Mississippi river. It is warmer in the middle Missouri valley than in the lower Mississippi valley. Elsewhere the changes in temperature have been unimportant.

Conditions are favorable for fair weather in this district Sunday, with nearly stationary temperature.

FORECASTS.

Portland and vicinity: Sunday, fair. Western winds. Oregon and Washington: Sunday, fair. Western winds. Idaho: Sunday, fair. **EDWARD A. BEALS,** District Forecaster.

Aids Road Fund.—The gift of \$50 by John B. Yeon, owner of the Yeon building, for the improvement fund of the Rex-Triadville road is encouraging to the Rotary and Ad club committees which will begin a systematic campaign tomorrow to raise funds from Portland business interests. Mr. Yeon said he considered this road the most important thoroughfare leading in or out of Portland, as it is the connecting highway between Portland and the roads of the Willamette valley. This is also the belief of many of the prominent business men of Portland, who, no doubt, will join in subscribing a fund to be used in improving the road.

Would Work Out Taxes.—Sheriff Stevens has received another letter from G. A. Pletzdorf, 703 East Thirtieth street, explaining why he does not pay his taxes. Pletzdorf's last letter was received yesterday and he is still willing to work for the county to pay his amount assessed against his property, but does not have the money. He says the bank issue clearing his taxes indicates when they have no money, and he should have the same privilege. One of his own certificates was sent Sheriff Stevens, but this is not worth the paper upon which it is written. His taxes have not been paid for two years and now amount to \$35.31.

Alleged Absconder Taken.—Word was received by the police last night that Max Schneiderman, wanted in Portland for larceny by embezzlement, had been arrested in Worcester, Mass. Schneiderman is accused by the Standard Jewelry company of 141 1/2 Third street with purchasing a diamond ring valued at \$200, on which he made but a small payment. He is said to have made the same deal with several other jewelry firms in the city. Detectives Carpenter and Price have been working on the case. They trailed the man to Seattle, Everett and then to Spokane, where he is also wanted.

Oregon Law School.—Established 1888. Samuel T. Richardson, dean. Schools Salem and Portland. Term opens October 1. A thorough, practical course in law. Recitations evenings. No time lost from regular occupation. Address all inquiries to M. Mowand, 316-17-18 Commonwealth bldg., Portland, M. 1814.

Slover Has First Claim.—A choice will have to be made between three men for the position of police captain, although it is understood that when a new captain is selected the appointment will be only temporary, as Acting Chief Glover has first claim on the position, should he wish to retire to it when a permanent chief is appointed. The three men were the highest in the class that took the civil service examination for the position. They are Sergeant Riley, who received markings of 87.38 out of a possible 100 per cent; C. A. Inskeep, a patrolman, who received a mark of 85.45, and Patrolman Harry A. Circle, who received a mark of 85.30.

Band to Serenade Gompers.—Without doubt Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, will address one of the largest labor meetings held in Portland for many a day when he visits this city August 31. The meeting will be held at the Armory, the largest hall in the city. The Central Labor Council committee, which has charge of the preparations for the noted labor leader's visit, is arranging to have a band serenade Mr. Gompers' hotel from 6 to 8 o'clock on the evening he is here.

Dewberries Attract.—E. M. Calf has raised a variety of fruit little known in this country yet as delicious as any kind of fruit obtainable, known as the dewberry. Mr. Calf and J. S. McNair of Portland own a 30 acre fruit farm in Washington county, where these berries are grown. They have little trouble in disposing of them at 25 per crate, many stopping in automobiles to admire them and take some along. The farm is one of the show places in Washington county and beside almost every variety of small fruit is set out in cherry trees.

Went to Wrong Depot.—J. D. McPherson, a "runner" for the Grand Central hotel, and L. F. Moses, "runner" for the Victoria hotel, were arrested last night at Eleventh and Hoyt streets for disorderly conduct, on complaint of R. W. Tucker and Allen Sprague, visitors in the city. The complainants allege that they were compelled to pay 50 cents for a trip from the hotel to the North Bank depot, when they intended to go to the Oregon Electric depot.

Sawyer Loses Hand.—L. Cooper, helper on a gasoline wood saw owned by John Tice, lost his hand accidentally about noon yesterday at Corbett and Bancroft streets when he caught it on the rapidly revolving saw. He was taken to the St. Vincent's hospital where the wound was dressed. The ambulance was delayed owing to the automobile accident which injured two boys on the east side and he was weak from loss of blood when he reached the hospital.

Position of Colorist.—An examination will be held August 23-24 to secure eligibles from which to fill vacancies in the position of colorist, as they may occur in any branch of the service, at salaries ranging from \$900 to \$1200 per annum. Only practical knowledge of the given, including lantern slides, transparencies and bromide enlargements, and they are open to both sexes. Further information may be had from Z. A. Leigh at the postoffice.

Museum of Art.—In addition to the exhibition of paintings there are now shown for a few days only a series of etchings and wood-block prints in color by Miss Ruth S. Clements, of New York. The museum hours are: Wednesday, 9 to 5 o'clock; Sundays, 2 to 5; free the afternoons of Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Personal Liberty.—What is Personal Liberty? How Shall We Observe It? will be the theme for discussion at the meeting of the Portland branch of the International Ethical Educational society, at 601 Yamhill street, Tuesday night, August 15, at 8 o'clock.

Church of Our Father (Unitarian).—Seventh and Yamhill. Rev. T. L. Elliot, D. D., minister emeritus; Rev. W. G. Elliot, Jr., minister. Service at 11 a. m. Rev. James Villa Blake of Chicago will preach. Evening services are intermittent.

We sell hair mattresses retail at wholesale prices for 30 pounds bed from \$7.50 and up. We renovate mattresses and return them the same day. Portland Hair Mattress Factory, 225-227 Main 474, A-1874.

Public Library.—The reference room has prepared a list of the books and all the books in the library are now on file in the public library, which may prove of interest to many at this time on account of the Astoria Centennial.

45 rooms, new building being completed, strictly modern, first and Madison streets, suitable for hotel or rooming house, to lease for long term. Apply Goodman's, 88 Third street.

Free—We sponge and press your clothes for \$1.50 per month. Bring this ad and we will give you one month's service free. Unique Tailoring Co., 303 Stark. Main 514, A-4314.

Oregon City Boat.—Delightful river trips leave Taylor street dock Sunday 9 a. m., 12 m., 3 p. m. Week days, 9 a. m., 2 p. m. Round trip 46 cents.

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

Will sacrifice 30 horsepower, 8 speed, runabout in fine condition. Owner leaving the city. D-314, Journal.

\$1 Fare, Steamer Lurline—Astoria and way points. Leaves Taylor street dock 7 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Mount Hood Daily Auto to Mount Hood. I will call at your door. \$3.50 each way. Call East 162.

Stoddard's Lectures, 14 volumes, \$35 at 168 Fifth street.

Diamond White and Orange Shellac, \$1.75 per gallon; Murphy varnish, \$2. Portland Sash & Door Co., 230 Front.

Midnight Excursion, Balley Gatzert, Sunday, 8 p. m. Music, dancing; 50c. Foot Alder street.

Mount Hood daily auto stages. Leave 445 Hawthorne avenue at 8 a. m. Round trip, \$7. Phone East 162.

F. E. Beach & Co., the Pioneer Paint company, 136 First street. Phones M 1894, A-1894.

W. A. Wise and associates, painless dentists, Third and Washington.

Medical Book and Law Books 25 cents each at 168 Fifth street.

The Builders' Exchange, 131 1/2 Second street. Main 4907, A-3148.

Attorney John O. Shillock has returned.

A New Trunk Store.

Mr. J. B. Wilson opens a new trunk and suit store at 251 Washington street near Third, tomorrow morning. On opening day the quality of his goods and the prices, Mr. Wilson anticipates an excellent business in his central location. He says further: "If I haven't in stock what you want, I'll make it, and do it quick too."

Where to Dine.

Turkey and chicken dinner at Peckless Cafeteria, 164 Fifth street.

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