

# Town Topics

## TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

**HELLIG**—"The Fortune Hunter."  
**BAKER**—"Polly of the Circus."  
**LYRIC**—"The Henpeck Family."  
**ORPHEUM**—Orpheum circuit vaudeville.  
**PANTAGES**—Vaudeville.  
**EMPRESS**—Sullivan & Considine vaudeville.  
**PEOPLES**—Motion pictures.  
**MAJESTIC**—Motion pictures.

## Weather Conditions.

Portland and vicinity—Occasional rain tonight and Thursday. Northeast shifting to southwest winds.  
 Oregon—Fair east, rain west portion tonight. Thursday rain west, rain or snow east portion. East to southeast winds, becoming brisk along the coast.  
 Washington—Rain west, rain or snow northeast, fair southeast portion tonight. Thursday rain west, rain or snow east portion. Cobler southeast portion tonight. Southeasterly winds, brisk to high along the coast.  
 Idaho—Fair south, snow flurries north portion tonight. Thursday occasional snow. **THEODORE F. DRAKE**, Acting District Forecaster.

**Holdup Tale Disbelieved**—A report of a holdup that is not given credit by the police was made this morning by George Masson of 141 Shaver street, who declared that two men had accosted him at the corner of Larabee and Montgomery streets at 5 o'clock and relieved him of \$5 in gold and a woman's gold watch engraved with initials "R. L. Masson" says one of the hold-up men had very light hair and a prominent gold tooth in the front of his mouth. Motorcyclist Patrolman Cliff Maddux was sent to the corner where the holdup was said to have taken place and reports that the corner is very dark, especially at that hour in the morning, which would make it almost impossible for the man to see whether or not the holdup had a gold tooth or light hair. The boy also reported that he had been all night with his uncle, "just gassing around," but this is believed to be false.

**Losses Damage Suit**—A verdict for the defendant in the case of Nicholas Angelica against the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, was returned by a jury yesterday evening in the circuit court. Angelica alleged he received injuries to his head and neck while boarding a street car last July at Second and Gibbs streets. The company claimed he attempted to get on the car while it was in motion. The jury was out two hours, and then returned the verdict in favor of the defendant company. Attorneys Giltner & Sewell appeared for Angelica, while Attorney Arthur Dibble represented the company.

**House Robbed**—Mrs. A. G. Richardson of 395 Halsey street reported to the police yesterday that her home had been ransacked while she was calling on a neighbor, and that \$7 and a few valuables had been taken. While calling on the neighbor, a deaf mute called and begged for money, and the woman announced to the police that she suspected him of the robbery. Shortly after the robbery, Patrolman Hellyer arrested Charles Steele for begging, and he is being examined and questioned to determine whether or not he is the man.

**Arrested for Non-Support**—A warrant charging non-support issued for Asa Johnson last June was served upon him yesterday when he made his first visit to Portland since that time. Johnson has been working at Salem and kept his location quiet. He came to Portland yesterday morning and was met on the street by Deputy Sheriff Robert Phillips, who remembered the warrant that was issued last June. He was arrested and taken before County Judge Cleston. The judge ordered him to pay \$12 a month for the support of the minor child which was born a few days before he left home. Johnson is a cook.

**Ran Down by Auto**—E. Royce of the Royce Auto company, while driving his car at Second and Pine streets last night, ran down Elmer E. Earl, by being and scratching the man considerably. Royce took Earl in his auto, drove to police headquarters where he reported the accident and then drove Earl to the office of Dr. Ziegler, where his injuries were dressed. After this was done, Royce drove the patient to his home. No bones were broken and the injuries were not serious. No arrest was made.

**Why Suffer With Rheumatism**, lumbago or kidney trouble when you can quickly find relief by taking two ounces salgrene mixed with four ounces olive oil in two teaspoonful doses every three hours? Salgrene contains no alcohol—alcohol is an irritant to the kidneys. Salgrene leaves no harmful effects, therefore can be taken under all conditions. For sale at all drug stores.

**Small Fire Damage**—A fire which is believed to have been caused by defective wiring broke out last night at 232 1/2 Alder street and before being extinguished did about \$100 damage to the building and to the stock of J. Weinstein, a clothier. Four fire companies responded to this alarm, which was turned in about 10 o'clock.

**\$200 Fine Imposed**—Sam Wolf of 107 1/2 Fourth street, who was arrested last Sunday by Patrolmen Griffith and Gill for selling liquor without a license, was fined \$200 by Judge Taxwell yesterday after he had been found guilty. Wolf had been arrested on the same charge before. An appeal will be taken.

**Woodstock School Meeting**—The Mothers' and Teachers' circle of the Woodstock school will hold its regular meeting Friday, December 15, at 8 o'clock. Social hygiene is the subject for discussion.

**Send Out Convention Bulletins**—The first of a series of bulletins to be issued by the publicity committee of the

## QUOTH THE PESSIMIST



"Bet th' small boy wishes his school term was scheduled like that o' congress, which body convened December 4, an' will adjourn for th' Christmas holidays December 23."

Elks in regard to the 1912 reunion which is to be held here next July, is being sent out by Secretary Harry C. McAllister of the 1912 commission to the lodges and all papers of the United States which are backing the reunion. The bulletin contains a great deal of information regarding the reunion, as well as the city of Portland.

**Owner of Dog Fined**—J. L. Augustin of 651 East Salmon street was fined \$15 yesterday by Judge Taxwell for having a vicious dog in his possession, although considerable testimony was introduced to show that the dog was gentle and would not bite. F. Wagner of 654 East Taylor street made the complaint.

**Woman's Club**—The Dramatic Art department of the Woman's club will meet tomorrow at 1:30 o'clock in the committee room of the Women of Woodcraft.

**Have Your Doctor's Prescription** filled by Albert Barr, the druggist, 223 Washington, near Second. \$3 years' drug experience in Portland.

**The O. E. Barber Shop** has opened a new 15 chair barber shop in the basement of the Wilcox building, Sixth and Washington streets.

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

**The Sunnyside W. C. T. U.** will hold its regular meeting December 14, in the Friends church, Thirty-fifth and Main streets.

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**Dr. Scott**, 913 Selling Bldg., has a cure for piles, fissure, and fistula.

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

**Fred D. Flora**, jeweler, moved to 203 Morrison. St. Charles hotel.

**Head Bros.**, Tailors, have moved to Wilcox building, 2d floor.

**Christmas Photos**, 525 Abington bldg.

**Acme Studio Photos**, 352 1/2 Wash. st.

**Ladies!** Buy him a warm, comfortable overcoat for Christmas. My \$22.50 to \$25.00 overcoats marked \$14.75 make handsome presents. If you buy, you deduct \$2.00, which is my Christmas gift to each of my customers. Jimmy Dunn, room 215, Oregonian building. Take elevator.

**Journal Want Ads** bring results.

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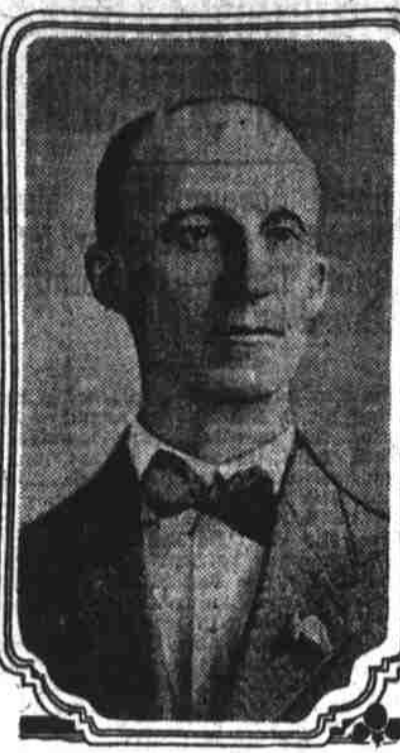
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## AD CLUB CHOOSES ANNUAL OFFICERS



A. G. Clark.

A. G. Clark was elected today to serve as president of the Portland Ad club during the coming year. Mr. Clark's election was a foregone conclusion because, when the present president, David N. Moesseloh, refused to accept the nomination for a second term, it left Mr. Clark as the unanimous choice of the club. During the past year Mr. Clark served as second vice president and chairman of the membership committee.

The election commenced at 11 o'clock today in the Ad club quarters at the Hotel Portland. Competition for the offices of secretary-treasurer, first and second vice president, and the three places to be filled on the executive board was very keen.

President Moesseloh announced that the annual banquet will be held Thursday, January 11, and that it will be made one of the most distinctive events in Portland club history. The following committee was appointed to make arrangements: Louis A. Colton, Charles F. Berg, J. Fred Larson, M. Moesseloh, Arthur A. Schell, Julius L. Meier, W. T. Buchanan, George L. Baker, George M. Hyland, D. O. Lively, A. C. Black, M. W. Hard.

**Smoke Queen** Quality tobacco. Save the labels. See 167 3rd.

## COLLECTORS OF FUND FOR "NEWSIES" DINNER BRANDED AS FAKERS

A number of men and boys representing that they are raising a fund to provide the newsboys of the city with a Christmas dinner are "working" the residents of Portland for small amounts. They are said to be "fakers," and the "newsies" ask the public not to support them. They have been hanging around the city without jobs for a time, and have no connection with the newsboys. Neither The Journal nor the newsboys know anything about the dinner proposed, nor are they behind the movement. The sums being collected range from 5 cents up.

## Knights Elect Officers.

Albank, Or., Dec. 12.—The Knights of Columbus lodge has elected the following officers for the coming year: W. A. Barrett, grand knight; Wm. Eagle, deputy knight; A. A. Mickel, chancellor; J. R. Flynn, advocate; D. McNeil, warden; C. Meyer Jr., recording secretary; Dr. H. J. Kavanaugh, treasurer; J. F. Dooley, financial secretary; Frank Horsky, inner guard; J. Tauscher, outer guard.

## Tonight's Remarkable Concert

Mr. Hutchison's program of noble music, old and new, commences punctually at 8:15 p. m. White Temple auditorium (under committee's auspices).

## Seats, 50 cents and \$1, on sale at main entrance after 7:45 p. m. Carriages at 10.

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 Crash Bureau Scarfs, to be embroidered in colors, special 39¢  
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**Portland Symphony Orchestra**

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