Town Topics

TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

HEILIG—Louise Gunning, in "The Balkan Princess."
BAKER—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
LYRIC—"The Merry Whirl."
ORPHEUM—Orpheum circuit vaudeville.
PANTAGES—Vaudeville.
EMPRESS—Sullivan & Considine vaudeville.
PEOPLES—Motion pictures.

Weather Conditions.

Portland and vicinity: Fair tonight with heavy frost. Friday fair. Easterly winds.

Oregon and Washington: Fair tonight with light frost near the coast and heavy frost in interior. Friday fair. Easterly winds.

Idaho: Fair tonight with freezing temperatures. Friday fair.

THEODORE F. DRAKE,
Acting District Forecaster.

Chinese Successful Sleuths—Had Dr. R. M. Corrigan selected empty Chinese dishes to confiscate at the Yin Kin Tun company restaurant at Fourth and Everett streets at 1:30 o'clock this morning, instead of a dish that contained a sauce, he and his companion, George E. Way, might have escaped detection by the Chinese. But instead, the doctor, in collecting souvenirs, selected one brimming full. This he stuck in his pocket, and when he left the restaurant the sauce trickled down, making a tell-tale trail. When the Chinese saw that the dish was missing and noticed the trail they immediately took up the clue and tracked the men several blocks. Just as they encountered the men, Patrolman Morelock and Hutchings appeared. They placed both the doctor and Way under arrest on a disorderly conduct charge. When the man was searched a bowl was found in his back pocket, but this was empty.

Family Row—L. Olcott and his wife, who conduct a restaurant at 94 North Sixth street, engaged in a family quarrel this morning because the woman, it is said, declared her husband did not know how to run a restaurant. According to the claims made to Patrolman Vessey, who was sent to the place to stop the riot, Mrs. Olcott attacked her husband with a butcher knife and he retaliated by attempting to throw her into the street. By the time Vessey arrived the man had possession of the knife. The patrolman advised the couple to get warrants for the arrest of each other, and no arrests were made.

Man Put Under Bonds—The threats of Dan McCarthy, a hobo, to kill a 3-months-old baby with a broad ax because it cried, and then kill the parents, led to his arrest yesterday on complaint of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Parker of Farragut and Vancouver avenues. This morning in court the man created a scene by claiming that he had been in insane asylums in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and a half dozen other eastern cities. Judge Taswell held the man under $500 bonds to keep the peace and he will be tried before the county examiners for his sanity.

Removing Switchboard—The Home Telephone company cannot be required to bear the expense of removing its switchboard from the old police headquarters at Fifth and Oak streets to the temporary quarters on Everett between Fifth and Sixth, according to an opinion filed by City Attorney Grant. The company, however, can be required to continue giving its service at the temporary location and when the new permanent police station has been erected the company will have to install an exchange at its own expense.

Railroad Track Worries.—A railroad track on Front street between the foot of Fourteenth street and Nicolai street is the object of attention just now on the part of the public dock commission. In a communication addressed to the mayor and city council Chairman F. W. Mulkey of the commission says he has been informed the track was laid and is being maintained without proper authority. Mr. Mulkey asks the council, if this is the case, to take immediate steps to cause the removal of the track. The matter has been referred to City Attorney Grant for an opinion.

Penney Bros., Friday Special—Our $3 grade of Wines at $1 per gallon. Our $1.50 grade of Wines at 75c per gallon. Straight Kentucky Whiskey, 7 years old, regular $4.50, at $3.50 per gallon. Kentucky Whiskey, regular $3.50, at $2.50 per gallon. Our $3 grades of Whiskey, Rum, Gin and Brandy, $2.10 per gallon. Friday only. 379-381 E. Morrison st. Phones—East 287, B-2426. Free delivery. *

First Suffrage Tea.—The first suffrage tea for the women of that precinct will be given at the home of Mrs. Albert Ehrgott of the College Equal Suffrage league, 439 East Thirty-seventh street north, tomorrow afternoon. Short talks will be made by Mrs. Cummerford and Miss Emma Wold. It is expected that plans will be made for similar work in different districts of the city.

Special Friday Only—Don't be deceived. We sell absolutely pure wines and liquors, $1.50 quality port, sherry, angelica and muscatel wine, 75c per gallon; $4 rye and Bourbon whiskey, $2.75 per gallon; $4 brandy, $2.75 per gallon; $4 rum, $2.75 per gallon. National Wine Co., Fifth and Stark. Phone Main 6499. Home A-4499. Delivered. *

New Republic Grille.—Located at 347½ Morrison, between Seventh and Park streets, opens today. Delicious American dishes. Chinese mandarin style chop suey and noodles. Beautiful high class ladies' tea parlor. Best service, new, clean, sanitary. Excellent merchants' lunch. Apartments for parties. *

Detectives Find Lost Hog—Work on the part of Detectives Day and Hyde yesterday who were assigned to the task of finding a dressed hog weighing 264 pounds, which was reported stolen from the Corbett station on the Oregon Electric line, disclosed the fact that John A. Keller, the party who lost the hog, is an uncle of Detective Pat Maloney. When this discovery was made Maloney was accused of having inside information on the whereabouts of the hog and was told that he must either find it or stand responsible. After careful search, it was found that the hog had been taken by the car crew and it was found at the Jefferson street station last night.

Germany Wants Literature—Emphasis on the far reaching affect of the literature of the chamber of commerce descriptive of Portland and Oregon is again made in a letter received by the secretary from Dr. A. E. Rockey of this city, who writes from Munich, Germany, asking that the chamber send some of its Portland books to Herr Karl Springer, inspector of the Government railroads of the Austro-Hungarian empire. The request was complied with this morning. In his letter Dr. Rockey also asks for German literature reciting Portland's advantages be sent to Herr Springer. This request, however, cannot be complied with, as there is no literature in foreign languages to be had. However, the chamber intends printing literature in some of the foreign languages very shortly. In concluding his letter, Dr. Rockey says: "We are having a good time and seeing a lot of mighty interesting things, but look forward with the greatest pleasure to getting home in May."

Japan Wants Portland Goods—The efforts of the Portland chamber of commerce in behalf of securing oriental trade for Portland is said to be bearing fruit. The chamber has received a request from the Osaka chamber of commerce requesting this organization to send the Japanese body catalogues of the manufacturers and producers in this section. This will be done immediately, and it is desired that all firms in Portland and vicinity manufacturing or producing articles which can be exported to Japan communicate with the chamber at once. For the year ending June 30, 1911, there was exported from this port to Japan goods amounting to $1,386,883. The imports from that country for the same period amounted to $494,147. Both of these amounts can be increased with mutual benefit, and it is in the hope of securing for Portland more of the oriental trade that the Portland chamber of commerce will use a great deal of its time to the extension of trade with Japan.

To Gather Steelhead Trout—Racks will soon be constructed in the Santiam river, near Niagara, Or., for the purpose of gathering steelhead trout, which are in great numbers in this river. Along with this improvement, the state of Oregon will maintain an eyeing station, for the holding of spawn until they are old enough to ship to the different hatcheries in the state. For some time Fish Warden Clanton has been trying to locate a station of this kind, but not until a few days ago was permission gained from the owners of a large power plant dam near Niagara, so that the state could begin operations. The racks will be placed in the river on the dam, and will be held securely in place.

New Women's Club to Meet.—The Woman's Political Science club, an organization studying the fundamental principles of parliamentary law, politics without reference to party, civics, economics and current topics, cordially invites all those interested to meet with it at 8 o'clock tomorrow, in the committee room of the Hotel Multnomah. Colonel Robert A. Miller will address those present on "What Women Can Do in Politics." "The Object of the Club," will be Benjamin E. Hayman's topic. The president of the club, Mrs. Walter S. Fortener, will preside.

139,000 Get Warrants; 10 Years.—County warrants to the number of 139,000 have passed through the hands of County Treasurer Lewis and County Clerk Fields during the last 10 years without an error or correction. The money involved in this number of warrants amounts to several million dollars. Treasurer Lewis yesterday submitted a statement to the county clerk showing this record. It was originally stated the 139,000 represented dollars, but it should have been warrants.

Service Stripes for Firemen—Service stripes similar to those in use by the police department will probably be ordered by the executive board for firemen. The suggestion that the firefighters wear stripes to denote the length of their service with the city was made by A. J. Capron, who asked that the council pass an ordinance to that effect. In an opinion filed today the city attorney says an ordinance is unnecessary.

Sounds Funny, Don't It?—Ladies' $10 skirts, samples, $2.95; ladies' $15 spring jackets, $3.87; misses' $10 capes, $2.45; men's $30 full dress coat and vest, $3.95; men's $15 suits, $7.45; men's $3 hats, $1.50; men's 75c brushes, 20c; $1.50 to $3 breastpins, 45c; $2 belt buckles, 25c; $3 small size ladies' shoes, 70c; $1.25 children's shoes, 45c.—Fertig's Sample Store, 271 Front street, between Madison and Jefferson streets. Mail orders filled. *

Hold Smoker Tonight.—The South Portland Boosters' club will hold a smoker this evening in the club rooms at St. Laurence hall, Third and Sherman streets. The subjects for discussion will be the request recently made by the club to Mayor Rushlight to appoint a new public auditorium commission, the cleaning up of the debris on the market block, and a proposed site for the proposed public auditorium.

Autos Collide—Two automobiles, one owned by W. C. Calder, 569 Sixteenth street, and the other by D. K. Edwards of 1169 Moore street, collided yesterday afternoon at East Twenty-fourth street and Broadway, resulting in serious damage to both autos. Two wheels on each auto were smashed, but no one was injured.

Board of Examiners Meet. — The naturopathic board of examiners held a special meeting yesterday to pass upon the qualifications of eight applicants for certificates. Dr. J. D. Dunn presided. The next regular meeting of the State Association of Naturopaths will be held at 312 Rothchild building April 1.

Bids Rejected—All bids for the proposed contagious ward at the Multnomah farm were rejected this morning by the county board of commissioners on the ground that the bids were too high. The lowest bid was for $3240. The county clerk was directed to call for other bids.

Acting Mayor Invites.—Acting Mayor Baker yesterday telegraphed to the secretary of the National Electric Light association asking that the delegates to the national convention to be held at Seattle in June be routed home via Portland.

George S. Shepherd to Speak.—George S. Shepherd, candidate for the Republican nomination for congress, will address the voters of the southeastern section of the city tomorrow, Friday night, at Strahlman's hall in Sellwood.

Lowlands Filled From River.—Filling of the lowlands upon which is to stand the east side freight depot of the Southern Pacific and the O.-W. R. & N. companies, is progressing splendidly by dredging the material from the river and conveying it through pipes across the two blocks between the site and the river. General Superintendent Campbell states that three blocks will be filled to the street level, one of them to be the site for the freight house and two for tracks and yards. It is expected to have the project completed early this summer.

Rev. A. A. Morrison to Talk—Rev. A. A. Morrison will speak on "Mind in Relation to Health and Disease" at the open meeting of the Health Defense league Friday night at 8 o'clock, 409 Commonwealth building. Dramatic readings by Miss Christine Anderson; singing by Professor McKee; free phrenological readings and other entertaining features, are on the program. No charge for admission.

Owner Wants to Borrow $2500, $2250, $2250 and $3850 at 7 per cent on high class unincumbered Irvington homes. No agents. Phone Main 6594 or address 294 Graham ave. *

Talk on Commission Form.—Dr. Harry Lane and W. C. Benbow will talk tonight at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. hall, Montavilla, on the commission form of government charter.

Crawfish in Season Again—Spiced and cooked in wine, always fresh at Levens Grille. French dinner from 4 to 8. 248 Ash street, opposite Multnomah hotel. *

Kellaher Sworn In—Dan Kellaher, the newly appointed member of the public docks commission, was sworn in this morning by City Auditor A. L. Barbur.

Regan Visits Baker.—James J. Regan, national president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, paid an official visit to Acting Mayor Baker this morning.

Two Used Upright Pianos, $80 and $95. Large Kimball upright (used), $110 payment. 127 11th st., near Washington. Open evenings. *

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

Trunks Delivered 25c each 1 mile to or from depots. Phone rates of city delivery. Union Trans. Co., 129 N. 11th. *

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FORMER CHORUS GIRL WELCOMED AT PEOPLE'S

Marjorie Mahr came into her own again at the People's theatre yesterday, the pretty little former chorus girl, both of whose legs were severed by a Southern Pacific train, being given a magnificent ovation in which flowers and recall after recall participated.

It was "Smiling, Just Smiling" that Miss Mahr gave as an encore and none could doubt the place she occupies in the hearts of Portland people.

Then there were pictures of the Oregon excursionists in San Francisco, showing them doing everything they did. "The Black Wall" is a thrilling drama of life around the pit mouth, in which a terrible mine explosion is depicted with actual scenes. "Root of Evil" is a touching drama, and "The New Constable" gives just a touch of humor necessary. "Trip to Gibraltar" depicts the Kalem company in and around the British fortress. That trio ends an admirable bill.

At the Star "The Two Penitents," one of the Vitagraph company's finest pieces of work, is the feature. "Price of Gratitude" is a typical American drama while delicious humor is injected by "Epidemic in Paradise Gulch" and "Reconciled by Burglars," Bohman Johnson and the Temple quartet aid in rounding out the bill.

Miss Florence E. Turner will pay a final visit to the People's Saturday, when she will sell autographed photographs and devote the whole proceeds to the Prison Aid society.

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Can't Afford to Rent.

It surely does not pay for anyone permanently located to rent a piano, when they are obtainable on such easy terms and at less than wholesale, as announced by Eilers Music House on page 10 this issue. *

Suffragette Meeting?

"Oh no," they are going to the National, second floor of the Swetland Bldg., Fifth and Washington, after one of those Beautiful

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SAME OLD LOCATION

212-214 Third St. at Salmon

143 6th St. 143 6th St.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Entire stock must be sold before April 1. Trustee orders every shoe sold and keys to the store turned over before the last of this month. In 10 days your chance to buy new stylish snappy shoes for Easter at prices below cost of manufacturer will be gone.

A Few Ideas of Prices

$3.50 Men's gun metal and patents, button and black shoes and Oxfords $2.49

$4.00 Men's gun metal, patents, button and lace Shoes and Oxfords $2.89

$5.00 Men's gunmetals, patents, button and lace, black and tans, Shoes and Oxfords $3.49

ALL PUMPS AND OXFORDS INCLUDED

This store will positively be vacated before April 1st, and this is your last chance to purchase goods which through the trustee have been settled for with the creditors at 33 1-3 cents on the dollar

Ladies' $5.00 satin, patent and suede evening Slippers in black and colors $2.49

Ladies' patent, gun metal and tan $4.50 Shoes $2.49

Ladies' patent, tan and gun metal $4.50 Shoes $2.89

Ladies' $6.00 patent, tan and gun metal Shoes $3.49

Ladies' $3.50 patent, tan and gun metal Shoes $1.89

Ladies' $3.00 patent, tan and gunmetal and Buckskin Shoes $1.49

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SEAT SALE OPENS TOMORROW 10 A. M.
HEILIG THEATRE
4 NIGHTS BEGINNING **Sunday, Mar. 24**
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Henry W. Savage Offers
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Willis Sweatnam, Ann Murdock, Chas. Merkins and Splendid Cast.
Evenings: Lower floor, 11 rows, $2; 7 rows, $1.50; balcony, $1, 75c, 50c. Gallery, 50c. Wednesday Matinee: Lower floor, $1.50, $1. Balcony, $1, 75c, 50c. Gallery, 35c, 25c.

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Matinee Daily
WEEK MARCH 18—The Ellis-Nowlin Troupe Acrobats, Keros Bros., Skinner & Woods, Early, Pantagescope. Popular prices. Box open from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Boxes and first row balcony reserved. Curtain 2:30, 7:15 and 9. Phones—A-2236; Main 4636.

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WEEK MARCH 18—Farewell of present Keating & Flood Musical Comedy Co. in "WHIRLEY-GIRLEY"
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