

Town Topics

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TONIGHT'S AMUSEMENTS

HEILIG—Catherine Countess in "Her Own Way."
COUNCIL CREST—High class attractions.
LYRIC—Armstrong Folies company in "The High Life."
ORPHEUM—Orpheum circuit vaudeville.
THE EMPRESS—Vaudeville.
THE OAKS—Amusement park.

Weather Conditions.

Portland and vicinity—Showers to night or Friday. Southwesterly winds. Oregon—Fair tonight and Friday, except showers tonight or Friday northwestern portion. South to west winds. Washington—Fair east tonight and Friday, showers west portion tonight or Friday. South to west winds. Idaho—Fair tonight and Friday. E. W. A. BEALS, District Forecaster.

Guard Against Loan Sharks—To do away with their employees giving assignments on their salary checks to loan sharks, as many of them have been doing in the past, the Portland Gas & Coke company has issued a new order, which will likely be followed by other large Portland concerns. Beginning on September 1, all employees of the company with the exception of the office force, are to be paid twice a month. "We have found that many of our employees have been visiting loan sharks," said S. C. Bratton of the commercial department of the gas company this morning. "In many cases, the employee has entered our employ and before the month was up they have asked for part of their salary. This caused a great deal of extra work and inconvenience. In many other cases men have mortgaged their homes to pay their debts. To do away with this, H. N. Papp, general manager, after a conference with the other officials, issued the new order."

Fast Rider Loses Diamond Ring—When Miles Elliott Russell of 646 East Twenty-seventh street this morning dropped a diamond ring valued at \$750 belonging to Frank Dougherty of Seattle out of the taxicab, while the couple and two others were returning from a Linnton road house, Dougherty became angry and ordered his companions out of the taxi. The trouble resulted in a police call and Captain Keller with two patrolmen went to the place where they arrested Dougherty on a disorderly charge and held the other man as a witness. This morning, Judge Taxwell decided that Dougherty had been sufficiently punished by the loss of the ring and the case against him was continued indefinitely. A search is being made for the ring.

Cigarette Canases Fire—A lighted cigarette thrown in the washroom of the Neppach rooming house at 214 North Third street, started a fire in that establishment that did about \$250 damage there. Patrolman H. B. Woodruff, while going through the house to warn the tenants of the danger pulled a paralytic out of his room to a place of safety from the danger zone, probably saving the man's life. Fire which started shortly before 12 o'clock in a Japanese rooming house at 207 Burnside street, resulted in another call, but little damage was done there. A fire earlier in the evening broke out in a Chinese noodle restaurant at 634 Second street, but the damage there was nil.

Boy Hurt by Auto—Leo Miller, an auto driver of East Third and Hawthorne avenue, yesterday afternoon ran down and severely injured Isadore Couplin, aged 14 years, when the boy ran in front of the auto. One leg was badly cut and bruised. The boy is at St. Vincent's hospital. The accident occurred at Third and Stark streets. West Platsbury, a hostler at the C. O. Pick stables at Eighteenth and Pettygrove streets, was severely injured this morning when a horse, which he was working, kicked him on the leg. The man was taken in the Red Cross ambulance to the Good Samaritan hospital.

Assaults Mate Threatened Her—Drink is the chief reason why Mrs. Flora Schaefer in her complaint for a divorce from Henry O. Schaefer. He is a barber. The couple lived at 373 East Seventh street. Many threats against her life have been made, alleged the woman. She accused Schaefer with threatening her life if she attended the G. A. R. meeting last year at St. Paul, Minn. They were married in 1903 at Fort Dodge, Iowa. Ellen Nelson started suit against Nels Nelson for divorce. They were married July 8, 1910, at Latourelle. She charges he drove her from the home.

Six Fines Assessed—The clean up campaign that has been waged recently by the police resulted in the conviction of six persons this morning, all of whom were fined \$20 each, with one exception. Walter Kinney and Mrs. Emma Green were arrested by Sergeant Kay and Patrolman Stewart at Second and Jefferson streets last night. William Keel and Sadie Kinney were arrested at Fifth and Madison streets last night. The man was fined \$10 and the woman \$20. Lew Amuck and Emily Connolly, who were arrested Tuesday night in the Gilsen hotel, were each fined \$20.

Docket Day With Judge Morrow—Presiding Judge Morrow of the circuit court announced this morning that the docket would be called Friday morning instead of Saturday. There are about 150 cases to be set for trial. The fall term of court begins Tuesday morning and the assigning of cases will be cleared for work before that date.

Arrested on Wife's Complaint—Trouble between Charles Williams and his wife, negroes, Tuesday night resulted in

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Mt. Hood Auto-Stage
Leaves daily 8:00 a. m. Saturday 6 a. m. 2:30 p. m. for Welches, Maund, Rhododendron. Fare \$3.50. Round trip \$6.50.

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Go out Saturday and spend Sunday and Monday (Labor day) in the mountains. Extra trips this Saturday. Phone Main 5956, A-3811, or call.

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the arrest last night of the husband on complaint of the wife who charges him with an assault with a dangerous weapon. The wife claims that her husband attacked her with a knife and ripped her clothes into ribbons, and cut her about the body. They live at 146 North Fourteenth street. The arrest was made last night by Detectives Vaughn and Litherland at Third and Stark streets. The case will be heard tomorrow.

Rockpile Sentence for Wifebeater—A fine of \$200 and a sentence of 120 days on the rock pile was yesterday morning imposed by Judge Taxwell on W. Hopter, 627 Shaver street, arrested several days ago by Patrolman Ole Nelson, on a disorderly conduct charge, after he had beaten his wife and attempted to assault the patrolman with an ice pick. After Judge Taxwell had scored the man severely he suspended the sentence on his promise to make his conduct exemplary.

Labor Day Excursion to Estacada—Train from First and Alder streets every hour to Estacada, Monday, September 2. Round trip fare 75 cents. Delightful trolley trip to the country. Scenery unsurpassed. Park superb for large picnic parties. Excellent spring water. Good fishing. Week end ticket for \$1 for round trip good going Saturday and returning Monday. Break away from the grind and get some pure ozone.

Elliott to Have Hearing—The case against C. E. Elliott, arrested Tuesday at 1273 Taylor street on complaint of Sealer of Weights and Measures Buchtel, for selling short weight fish, will be heard in municipal court Friday. B. E. Bellamy, an east side grocer who was arrested on complaint of Market Inspector J. F. Singer yesterday morning promised to keep his fruit properly covered hereafter, and the charges against him were dismissed.

Reports Brother Missing—Paul Harden of 835 East Twenty-sixth street, reported to the police yesterday that his brother, William Harden has disappeared from his home and he fears the man has committed suicide. He has been despondent for some time and last Tuesday left \$10 with his brother to be sent to their mother and then left and has not been seen since. The man is 29 years of age, five feet seven inches tall and weighs 160 pounds.

Fig Trees Bearing Heavily—Dr. F. G. Haas, 830 Gantenbein avenue, has three fig trees in the yard at his home which are bearing heavily this season, and which with a warm September, Dr. Haas says, will give a big yield. Dr. Haas says that he cured plenty of figs for his own family use last winter. The trees were brought from California and are said to flourish here, providing the fall is not too severe.

Pennsey Bros. Friday Special—Our \$2 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 \$7.50, at \$5.50 per gallon. Our \$2 grade of Whiskey, Rum, Gin and Brandy, \$2.10 per gallon. Friday only. 379-381 E. Morrison st. Phones—East 287, B-2426. Free delivery.

Excursion Labor Day to Bull Run Park—Monday, September 2, excursion train leaves Montavilla (Mount Hood depot) at 9 a. m., take M-V car to that point. Returning leave Bull Run Park 6 p. m. Finest scenery on Pacific coast. Good fishing, music and dancing; ideal place for picnic. Round trip 50c. Tickets at the depot.

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.

At the New Grand Theatre, 105 Sixth street, between Washington and Stark, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, a spectacular and thrilling production 101 Billion feature entitled "The Bugle Call." Miss Florence Lawrence in the laughable comedy, "The Winning Punch," and other good pictures. A 10 cent show for 5 cents.

Mrs. Gudden's Will Filed—The will of Mrs. Anna Gudden has been filed in the county court for probate. Each of the six surviving children are given \$500, the odd fellows home is given \$500, and the balance to Chris Zweifel. The latter is named administrator of the estate, which is valued at \$3000.

Hughes to Salt Lake City—Felix Hughes, carman, arrested several days ago for Salt Lake officials by Detectives Litherland and Vaughn, will be taken back to face the charges against him. Deputy Sheriff G. W. Leatham arrived here yesterday. Hughes is charged with a statutory offense.

New Louise Home—Notice: All ladies who registered to sell tags for the Louise Home, or those who desire to register, call at headquarters, 333 1/2 Sixth street, headquarters open from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. Telephone Marshall 2489. Sincerely, W. G. MacLaren, superintendent.

Fined for Speeding—A. E. Gantenbein, of the Independent "Crack" company, was this morning fined \$25 by Judge Taxwell for speeding following his arrest by Patrolmen Coulter and Evans at Grand avenue and East Davis streets yesterday.

Steamer Jessie Parkins for Camas, Washougal and Ray Island, daily except Sunday. Leaves Washington street dock at 2 p. m.

Will Settle Estate—In the county court this morning Dr. J. D. Denton was appointed administrator of the estate of

Sadie Costello, widow of the man who was killed on Union avenue by the police automobile. The woman died from ptomaine poisoning the first week of this month, thereby allowing the combined estates to revert to her father. There were no children in the Costello family, and her father is next closest heir. The estate is valued at \$18,000.

Mount Wood Auto Stage leaves Bellamy's store, Second and Alder, 8 a. m. daily. Main 3074, res. phone Bell. 1484.

San Marco Hotel, Eleventh and Washington, most attractive place in city for permanent room. Look it over.

Drs. Gustave E. Bruce and Frank B. Kistner removed from Electric building to tenth floor Journal building.

Grand Ball Labor Day Eve, Minuet club, Ringler's hall. Handsome, door prizes.

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Go to Shipherd's Springs, E. L. Shipherd, manager.

Dr. A. X. Higgs returned, Selling building.

New Kratz Buffet, 3d and Alder sts.

SERVANT GIRLS VICTIMS OF PICTURE SWINDLERS

With servant girls of foreign birth as their special prey, a gang of bunco men, using the old picture enlargement game, has been working in Portland for several days. Unsophisticated working girls are persuaded to part with photographs of their parents or others dear to them, on promise made by the picture men that they will enlarge the photographs for a certain reasonable price. Having the photographs in their possession, the operators refuse to return them or deliver the enlargement until the victim promises to buy a high priced frame from them. Usually desirous of getting back the photograph, which they treasure dearly, the girls are not produced, then workers have produced wealth they have not received. The socialists point to previous methods of exploiting labor. Under slavery the worker was absolutely the property of the master; during feudalism the master exploited the serf through ownership of the land to which the serf was attached. In spite of this he was possessed of an amount of personal freedom, that did not exist for the slave. Under the present capitalist system the workers, theoretically, are absolutely free, but as far as they are dependent on the machinery for work on terms giving them a bare subsistence while maintaining this parasitic owning class.

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Letters From the People

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Parties of 1912 Compared.

Portland, Or., Aug. 27.—To the Editor of The Journal.—In these days of low wages and high cost of living, trusts and party machines, conservatives and progressives, it is cheering to find that great numbers of the people are resolutely thinking along lines that will ultimately mean the solving of the economic problem. Time-worn political dogmas do not suffice for these new radicals. They are determined to find the cause of our troubles and there apply the remedy, rather than spend their energies doctoring symptoms.

We find the Republican party and the president standing consistently for the capitalist system as such. The Democratic party, though by such pure and upright souls as Taggart, Sullivan, Murphy, Belmont and Ryan, has headed its ticket with a man of good reputation, who believes in the capitalist system's obeying its own formulated rules of fair play. The Bull party, headed by a self-proclaimed reformer, who professes sincerity, represents an element that realizes that the present system must make certain concessions to the working class, for present conditions bear too heavily on the useful people of the nation. An improvement is essential to the very existence of the nation.

Then we have a working class party, headed by a veteran of labor struggles. This party contends that the only necessary people are those who live by useful work; that wealth is produced by labor of hand and brain, and that if idleness receives wealth they have not produced, then workers have produced wealth they have not received. The socialists point to previous methods of exploiting labor. Under slavery the worker was absolutely the property of the master; during feudalism the master exploited the serf through ownership of the land to which the serf was attached. In spite of this he was possessed of an amount of personal freedom, that did not exist for the slave. Under the present capitalist system the workers, theoretically, are absolutely free, but as far as they are dependent on the machinery for work on terms giving them a bare subsistence while maintaining this parasitic owning class.

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reward is an incentive to the manhunters, and the original crime against the law may be added a series of crimes by officers of the law against innocent parties.

A negro may have committed the crime at Eugene. If so, then society is to blame for the presence of the gentleman there without visible means of support. All citizens should have homes, and would have them if they were not prevented by idiotic laws. A homeless person is not properly a citizen, and is properly a vagrant.

When society reduces its members to the status of criminals, why should it expect them to be virtuous? They naturally reason that they may as well have the game as the name.

J. L. JONES.

That Standard Oil Money.

Portland, Aug. 26.—To the Editor of The Journal.—Referring to M. L. Holbrook's defense of Theodore Roosevelt in this evening's Journal, a few pertinent questions suggest themselves. Is it at all credible that Mr. Roosevelt had "just been informed that the Standard Oil people have contributed \$100,000 to our campaign fund" when he wrote that first letter to Mr. Cortelyou on Friday, October 26, 1904, a few days before the election?

Was he ignorant of the fact that the money had been contributed months before—had been all spent "where it would do the most good"—and that another \$100,000 had been solicited? The election being only about a week off and the money being spent, did Mr. Roosevelt expect Mr. Cortelyou to pay it out of his own pocket when he directed him "that the money be returned forthwith," or if spent in his campaign did he expect to pay it back himself? Did he ever make any effort to find out whether it had been returned and if not, what use had been made of it?

In view of these facts is it not perfectly obvious that Mr. Roosevelt's sudden conscientious scruples at that late hour arose from the fear of possible damage to his prospects? He wrote to Mr. Cortelyou on Friday, October 26, 1904. Without waiting for an answer he wrote again on Saturday, October 27, and still without an answer he telegraphed on Monday, October 29, just a week before election eve, in plenty of time to be heralded far and wide among the voters, but weeks too late for the "return of the money to the Standard Oil people."

When the returns began to pour in on the night of November 6, 1904, it is not difficult to conjecture that the jubilant T. R. winking at his campaign manager exclaimed, "By the way, Cortelyou, did you return that \$100,000 to the Standard Oil people as I directed?"

Mr. M. L. Holbrook, who rushes now to the defense of Theodore Roosevelt, is an old-time Democrat, but is now vice-president of the Merchants' National bank of Portland, and consequently sees everything through Morgan-Ryan-Rockefeller spectacles. It is precisely that kind of support, together with the third-term impost, and the undignified and humiliating squabble between an ex-president and a vice-president, that has brought us to this.

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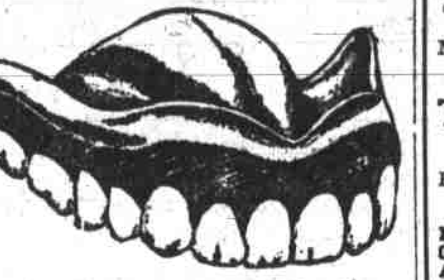
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