

TOWN TOPICS

(122nd DAY OF 1915.)

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE—Broadway at Taylor. Curtains 2:15 and 8:15. Wednesday and Saturday matinees. John Drew in "The Sign of the Cross".

Today's Events.

National Congress of Mothers, May 12-13. Coming Events. Progressive Business Men's luncheon at Multnomah hotel May 13.

Port Information Supplied.

Information regarding this port may be obtained from the Portland Chamber of Commerce, 69 Fifth street. Telephone Main 993 or A-1202.

Fire and Police.

Fire department—Main 7700, A-1222. Police department—Main 7700, A-1211.

Today's Forecast.

Portland and vicinity—Probably fair tonight and Thursday; westerly winds.

Weather Conditions.

The barometer is relatively low over the Pacific states and relatively high over the Atlantic states.

Observations.

Table with columns: STATIONS, Max. in 24 hours, Min. in 24 hours, Highest in year, Lowest in year, Daily range, Wind velocity, Direction, Precipitation in 24 hours.

Conductor Burch Buried.

Relatives, friends and fellow members of the Conductors' Union yesterday paid their last respects to the late Charles H. Burch, conductor on the North Beach branch of the O-W. R. & N. company, who died at Astoria yesterday morning after a brief illness.

S. P. Engineer Dead.

—Fred A. Roth, who died in this city Monday, May 10, was an employe of the Southern Pacific as an engineer, and had been in that service about five years.

Was Native of Poland.

—Samuel Freedman, who died in his rooms in the Carlton hotel Sunday, was born in Poland in 1843. He came to Portland in 1865, and has been engaged in business with his brother, Louis, here since.

Order of United Artisans.

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As an advertisement the satisfied customer is the best place. We will satisfy you by giving you relief from eye troubles on this eye glass plan. Let us attend to your eye needs. We will treat you fairly and honorably.

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since. He was an enthusiastic horse breeder, and an excellent judge of horses. He leaves four daughters—Mrs. Lena Brody and Mrs. Gertrude Brody of Des Moines, Iowa, and Mrs. Rachel Holberg and Mrs. Anna Harris of Chicago. His only son is H. S. Freedman, a graduate of McChord military academy, Chicago, to the gospel ministry by the laying on of hands, in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church, at 8 o'clock this evening. Mr. Everett will preach his trial sermon at that time and the public is invited to attend. The subject assigned will be "Christ Our Way." Dr. A. L. Hutchinson, the moderator, will preside. Rev. A. J. Montgomery will offer the ordination prayer and Rev. L. Johnson, father of Mrs. Everett, will deliver the charge to the young minister.

Minister Will Be Ordained.

The Presbytery of Portland at a meeting this afternoon voted to ordain Monroe G. Everett, a graduate of McChord military academy, Chicago, to the gospel ministry by the laying on of hands, in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church, at 8 o'clock this evening. Mr. Everett will preach his trial sermon at that time and the public is invited to attend. The subject assigned will be "Christ Our Way." Dr. A. L. Hutchinson, the moderator, will preside. Rev. A. J. Montgomery will offer the ordination prayer and Rev. L. Johnson, father of Mrs. Everett, will deliver the charge to the young minister.

At Immanuel Church Tonight.

A grand concert will be given tonight at the Immanuel Lutheran church, Ninth and Irving streets, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society and assisted by the pastor, Rev. J. Richard Olson. The Treble Clef club, under the direction of Mrs. Rosa Courteney-Reed, is first on the program.

Seattleite Reports.

—Circuit Judge Morrow yesterday received a letter postmarked at Seattle, Wash., May 11, order for \$250. Nothing to show the identity of the sender was within and the letter accompanying gave the information that several years ago the sender stole either money or some property belonging to the judge that the sender wanted to return. The letter closed with this superscription, "Yours in Jesus."

Mother and Baby Buried.

Mrs. Mary Niedermark, who died May 8, was the wife of George Niedermark of 511 East Alder street, was buried today with her infant babe in her arms. The baby died yesterday. Services were held in the Dunning chapel. Interment was in Rose City Park cemetery. Mrs. Niedermark was 28 years of age and the daughter of Mr. S. J. Murphy, and the sister of Mrs. R. W. Reynolds and Albert J. Murphy.

Will Talk on Farm Development.

J. W. Brewer, of the Oregon development bureau of the Chamber of Commerce, is preparing to make a lecturing trip into eastern Oregon. He will give an illustrated talk on farm development. His itinerary is as follows: Redmond, May 15; Maupin, May 17; The Dalles, May 18; Warrenton, May 19; Condon, May 20; Fossil, May 21; Hood River, May 22.

Investigating Highways Here.

C. H. Williams, of Puyallup, and W. H. Reed, of Tacoma, members of the Pierce county board of commissioners, are in Portland investigating highways and the various kinds of pavement on the city streets. Pierce county is now advertising for bids on different kinds of pavement and it is a question as to which type will be selected.

Flashlight Starts Excitement.

The heavy vaporous smoke from a photographic flashlight, drifting up past the windows of the Seward hotel about 10 o'clock last night, caught the eye of a nervous guest. He notified the night clerk, who in turn summoned the fire department. The flashlight was taken in front of a show window of the Olds, Wortman & King store, across the street.

First Hebrew Benevolent Association.

The annual meeting of the association will be held this evening, Wednesday, May 12, 1915, 8 p. m., at the Concordia club rooms. Your attendance is earnestly requested. By order of the president, Sol Blumauer, secretary, 105 12th st. (Adv.)

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Sunday side W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kincken, 509 1/2 Marquette avenue. Mrs. C. P. Blanchard, the county superintendent of temperance work in Sunday school, will be present to speak.

Torch Burns Through Steel.

An oxy-acetylene torch for use in burning through steel and other metals is to be purchased by the fire bureau and will become part of the regular fire fighting apparatus. Chief Dowell expects to purchase the machine at once and it will be used to aid firemen in getting to fire where holes will have to be cut through steel doors or walls.

Will Be Buried at Silver Lake.

Margaret McDonald Walls, who died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Sanford, Ventura Park, was 59 years of age. She is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Nora Hilgert and Mrs. Mary Schultz of Silver Lake, Wash.; Mrs. Malcolm McPhie and Mrs. Dan McDonald of Seattle, Mrs. Wilena Sanford of Ventura Park, and one son, Daniel B. McDonald of Silver Lake. The remains are at the chapel of W. H. Hamilton, East Glisan and Eighth streets. Services will be held at Silver Lake cemetery Thursday, May 13, at 3 p. m.

Church Will Call Pastor.

The question of calling a pastor will be the important business to come before the members of the Pilgrim Congregation, at Mrs. Everett, will attend at Mission avenue, at a meeting to be held tomorrow night. The call may be extended to Rev. A. J. McKenzie, who has been supporting the resignation of Rev. D. V. Polling, who joined the "Flying National Temperance Squad." It is understood Rev. D. V. Polling made a proposition to the church.

Singers Visit Camp Meeting.

Colorful singers at Boise and Missoula, visited the inside camp meeting at Boise and Fifteenth streets. The songs were greatly appreciated, and Rev. Mr. Maggart, awaiting word from her son in California, as to the time of the funeral.

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Lecture Is Available.

—"The Use of Our National Forests" was the topic

of an illustrated lecture delivered at the Marshall Street Presbyterian church last night by Albert Wiessendanger of the United States Forest service. Clubs desiring this lecture should write Mr. Wiessendanger, as it will be given free upon application. As the government has no lanterns or curtain, it is necessary that one be supplied by those desiring the lecture.

Henry B. Lensch Dies.

—Henry B. Lensch, of the firm of Lensch Brothers, 241 Front street, died last night at his residence, 1277 Hawthorne avenue. He was 68 years of age and a native of Germany. He had been in Portland 26 years. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Doretha Lensch; a son, William, and three daughters, Marie and Elvina Lensch and Mrs. J. Wetman; two brothers, J. H. and Amos Lensch, all of this city. The funeral services will be held from the residence chapel of J. P. Finley & Son at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, May 15, and the interment will be in Lone Fir cemetery.

Was Native of Ohio.

Mrs. Elizabeth Barker, who died at her residence, 260 East Fifth street, last night, was the wife of A. D. Barker and was born in Ohio 72 years ago. She came to Oregon 46 years ago, and lived in Albany until three years ago. She is survived by her husband, one daughter and two sons, J. A. Barker of Cordelia, California, and J. B. Barker of Portland. Her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Gilchrist, of this city, resided with her. Five grandchildren survive her. The remains are at the establishment of J. P. Finley & Son, awaiting word from her son in California, as to the time of the funeral.

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Botanians Extend Sympathies.

Resolutions of sympathy and love for the late Mrs. Boyd were adopted by the Rotary club yesterday, the members standing. Dr. Boyd is one of the most active members of the Rotary club. The action was suggested by Nelson G. Pike, and in seconding the motion, Estes Snedecor suggested that each member write an individual expression of sympathy in addition to the resolutions which will be engrossed.

Oregon Will Be Represented.

At a meeting of the general staff of the Oregon National Guard held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to send a rifle team of 15 expert rifle men to the international sport at Jacksonville, Fla.

Steamer Jesse Harkins for Camas.

Washougal and way landings, daily except Sunday. Oregonian bid. Elevator to 3d floor. (Adv.)

Printed Stationery, Books, Posters.

F. W. Bailes & Co., Main 165, A-1165, Ad.

Shoemaker's, 327 Stark.

Shoe repairs called for and delivered. Main 4708. (Adv.)

Dr. E. C. Brown, Eye, Ear, Mohawk bldg.

(Adv.)

Visit of Frank A. Carlo.

—Frank A. Carlo, former managing editor of the

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