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AMUSEMENTS. MARQUAN GRAND THEATER-Tonight at 8:15 o'clock, Thomas A. Wise and John C. Rice, in "The New York." THE BAKER THEATER-Tonight at 8:15, Mr. Ralph Stuart in "Princess Olga." CORLEY'S THEATER-Tonight at 8:15, "The Clown."

BASEBALL TODAY. 2:30- Doors open daily games, 2 P. M.; Sunday, 1 P. M. Grounds, 24th and Vaughn.

DAIRYMEN FAIL IN COMMISSION BUSINESS. A dairyman was yesterday asking a commission man what went wrong with another dairyman who opened a place in town for the purpose of selling his own butter, and so saving the commission. "His butter was all right," said the commission man, "as good as any on the market, but, in order to push his business, he lowered the price 5 cents, and so his product was rated as second class at once, and the demand fell off, and he had to go out of business. Buyers are not used to seeing the price of first-class goods cut below the market rate, and imagined there must be something wrong with his butter. The commission man said that he handled a great deal of cheese for a maker, and first-class cheese, too. A few days ago this maker came in just as he was taking an order from a shipper for a large lot. He said to the shipper: 'I have tried to deal with you direct several times, and would have been willing to divide the commission saved with you, but could never make a sale. Now, however, I have marked. The commission man knows how to do this, and you do not; therefore, I prefer to deal with him. He has to make a living as well as you, and every one to his own business, as the peddler mouse traps.' Farmers who, in addition to running their farms or dairies, undertake to do a commission business seldom make a success of it. The commission business requires all their time and attention to produce the best results, and they cannot carry on successfully two classes of business, one in the country and one in town.

BUILT FACTORY IN SPIRIT OF STRIKE. Operations of the American Tin Can Company, which is building a factory at the lower end of town on the river front, which is to cover a space about 200 feet square, are not interfered with in any way by the strike. A large part of the lower story is up, and work on the second story is going right ahead. The company has no trouble in getting all the material it wants or all the men needed. It has a good superintendent and a good class of men employed, both bridge and house carpenters, and there are always plenty ready to go to work when wanted. The unions have nothing against the company. The men who constructed the foundation, which is on piling, were bridge carpenters, and they are entitled to go ahead and complete the upper structure, and can take in as many house carpenters on this work as they want. They have men belonging to both unions on the work. Such is the statement of one of the men employed on the work, from which it appears that there are ways of securing lumber and workmen if one only knows how.

FRANK ROBIN RETURNS. The superintendent of Lone Fir cemetery reports that a robin peculiarly marked or spotted with white feathers, which nested in the cemetery last year, has returned and is building a nest near where it had one last year. It is the general opinion that many robins return to their old haunts year after year to nest, but as no one knows how long robins live, and all robins, like all crows, look alike to most people, there is no way of telling whether the robins nesting on one's grounds year after year are the same ones or not. From the fact that some robins return to their old haunts to have no fear of children or dogs who have been kind to them or other robins, many are certain that the same birds return to the same place year after year. As the bird at the cemetery is peculiarly marked, the superintendent proposes to keep a tab on it and see how many years it comes back. Many who have pet robins on their places will be glad to learn the result.

TO CLEAN UP SLABWOOD REBBER. And now the Civic Improvement Association is looking after the men who deliver slabwood and leave piles of bark and the river banks all over town. It is a wonder that they have not been attended to before, for, although slabwood may be one of the necessities of life, it is not necessary for those who deliver it to leave a pile of rubbish behind each load. Special Officer Caswell is now attending to this matter, and has given orders that drivers of slabwood wagons to throw rubbish down into basements after their work. All the slabwood does not go into basements, however, but it always leaves a lot of rubbish after it, so it will probably be necessary when summer comes to make the drivers clean up the rubbish and sweep up the sawdust from their wagons and carry it back to the mills in their wagons.

WILL NOT START BASH AND DOOR FACTORY. It was rumored on the street yesterday that, on account of the millmen refusing to sell doors and sashes to dealers in glass, W. P. Fuller & Co. had purchased a piece of land on the river front, at the lower end of town, and were going to build a sash and door factory thereon. A representative of Fuller & Co., on being asked for information on this matter, said that the idea of buying the property mentioned, which is owned by Pierce Mays, but they had not bought it yet. They did not want it for a site for a sash and door factory, he said, and he was not prepared to say what they did want it for. He added, "The firm have a sash and door factory at Rainier, down the Columbia, but the output is not for the city trade."

BASEBALL TODAY. 2:30. PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL TODAY, 2:30. CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES-SEASON 1902. SEE THE "ANGELS" PLAY BALL TODAY. SEE THE "BROWNS" PLAY BALL TODAY. GO WHERE THE CROWD GOES TODAY. ALL GAMES PLAYED ON THEIR MERITS. LOS ANGELES-"ANGELS."

PORTLAND-"BROWNS." BEST BASEBALL OF THE SEASON. A PLEASANT AFTERNOON'S SPORT. GOOD PLACE TO TAKE YOUR FRIENDS. THE FAIR BROTHERS WILL BE TODAY. PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE. CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES-SEASON 1902. PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL TODAY, 2:30. BASEBALL TODAY, 2:30.

REMOVAL NOTICE. Owing to our inability to secure large enough permanent quarters, we have removed our stores temporarily to our factory, the ground floor of the Barber block, corner Grand avenue and East Washington street. In phoning kindly use factory phone. E. H. Moorehouse & Company.

FOR RENT. Three rooms will be vacant May 15, best in building. For particulars see the Superintendent, room 201 Oregonian Building. FINE DAY! Buy Meredith's umbrellas. Repairing, recovering. Wash, and 6th. F. W. BILLY & Co. Photographers, printers. FROES, two years old, six carriages & 40 dollars. Ice, parsley, etc. verbasca, 3c. lobes. Has 1c. aster, 1c. sylvia, 1c. Burkhardt's. DR. GURLEY BAAR has returned, 807-808 Oregonian building. Hours from 11 A. M. to 5 P. M. and 2 to 5 P. M. DR. CONNELL, office 431-434 Oregonian bldg. FRENCH RUSSIAN BATHS. See Massage. W. E. KNAPP, dentist, 10-11 Hamilton B.

TAMPERS WITH CALL-BOX WIRES. Jeff Hayes, of the Hasty Messenger Service, complains that of late some mischievous fellow who has a knowledge of the workings of call boxes and electric wires, has been going about town and, either in a spirit of wanton devilry or malicious mischief, has been causing him a great deal of trouble by tampering with the system of wires with the telephone wires by which the telephone people have also been much annoyed. The manner in which the work is tampered with is shown by this mischief-maker thoroughly understands his business and renders it very difficult to locate the little piece of wire which causes the trouble. Mr. Hayes is willing to reward any one who will give him a clue to the ill-advised person who is causing him so much annoyance. If all decent people will make a note of any one they see tampering with call boxes or wires and report to him the rascal will soon be detected and properly punished, which will be a benefit to the entire community.

DEPRAVED CHINAMAN AT WORK. The wretched wreck of a depraved Chinaman was at work most of the day yesterday, diligently cutting grass along the curb of the sidewalk at the south end of the County Court-House. He is an inmate of the County Jail, and is a member of the time. As he is always in for stealing an ax—he never steals anything else—he is known to the jail force as "Axle," and can sit on his heels and pull a cigar and snipe and cut grass all day long, and say nothing to any one. He is about on a par with the white morphine fiends who make their home in the jail most of the time, and are a disgrace to the jail and a hindrance in a leash for exercise for the dogs.

STRAWBERRY SEASON LATE. A citizen who arrived home from the East yesterday is of opinion that the season is very late here. It is very probable, at least, he says that at St. Paul strawberries were brought on board the train to sell at 15 cents a basket, and very fine ones, while here he finds them 25 cents a basket, and green vegetables of all kinds very scarce. He had an idea that the strawberries he saw at St. Paul were raised in the neighborhood of that city, but this is probably a mistake, as they doubtless came from the State of Washington. When Oregon strawberries are a month later than in the country around St. Paul, the season here must be a late one.

MASCOT FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT. Yesterday Fire Chief Campbell presented a silver badge of the Portland Fire Department to Edward S. Sawyer, the son of a well-known newspaper man. The badge is a small silver badge, and is inscribed with the letters "P. F. D." and the word "Mascot." On the reverse side is the lad's name, Edward Stewart Sawyer. The young man is very proud of his new distinction, and announces that when he reaches the requisite age he will be a candidate for a sure-enough place in the department. The occasion of the presentation was the birthday of the chief. W. A. THOMPSON UNDER BOND. W. A. Thompson was arraigned in the Municipal Court yesterday morning, charged with threatening to kill his sweetheart, Myrtle, and with carrying a dangerous weapon. He is a month later than in the country around St. Paul, the season here must be a late one.

LANDSLIDE KILLS FOUR HORSES. At 11:30 Wednesday night a barn belonging to James Frayne, located one mile west of the Gambrian brewery, was precipitated by a landslide, and a steep embankment by a landslide and four valuable horses were killed. William Miller, a hostler, who was asleep in the barn at the time, was buried in a mass of earth at the bottom of the slide, but miraculously escaped injury. Recent rains had softened the earth under the barn and permitted it to slip out from under the building. The total loss will reach \$1000.

DELIVERING PIPE ON EAST SIDE. The Oregon Iron & Steel Company has commenced delivering 16-inch pipe at Holladay and East streets, and the street for further extension of the main running down Division street, which supplies the East Side with water. This extension will increase the water supply of Albina very materially. It is supposed to be laid on an old ground, and the work of laying it will be commenced at once. The extension will reach the junction of Union avenue and Hancock street, where it will connect with mains already laid.

SMALL FIRE IN FURNITURE FACTORY. A small blaze occurred just before noon yesterday in the upholstery department of the Peters & Roberts furniture factory, at 18 Front street. No alarm was turned in, the employees succeeding in getting the fire out without calling upon the department. The fire occurred in the room in which a shoddy mill is run, and it is supposed a button was fed into the machine with a mass of rags and that sparks caused by the friction set the inflammable material on fire. The loss was under \$100.

TO PAY TEACHERS TODAY. School Clerk Allen has plenty of money on hand and will be ready to pay all the teachers in the public schools their salaries this afternoon at 3 o'clock, if they will present themselves. He does not imagine that it will be possible to get the whole 350 of the force there, but desires to pay as many as possible on Friday, so as to avoid a rush on Saturday, the short banking day.

LAW GOES INTO EFFECT MAY 1. The Child Labor Commission, in answer to many inquiries, has made the announcement that the child labor law does not go into effect until May 1. Mrs. B. H. Trumbull, one of the Commissioners, leaves this evening for Atlanta, Ga. She will be accompanied as far as Granger, Wyo., by her husband. COMPANY WILL GIVE ITS LAST DANCE this evening, May 1.

DENTISTS TO MEET. State Association Will Hold Annual Conference Today. At 10 o'clock this morning the State Dental Association will open their annual meeting, and indications are good for a large attendance from various sections of the state. The morning session will be devoted to the consideration of such business as the admission of new members, payment of annual dues, and a conference of the executive committee. A discussion, presided over by F. E. Ferris and John Welch, will occupy the afternoon. The subjects to be considered will be of general interest to the dental profession. Saturday afternoon a clinic will be held, in which Drs. Lambertson, Cox, O'Connell, Hurd and Nelson will participate. The officers of the association are: Dr. Norris R. Cox, president, and Dr. C. R. Templeton, secretary.

WHERE TO DINE. The Portland Restaurant is known by the people who patronize it, 306 Wash. Imperial Hotel restaurant, 2nd floor, take elevator; first class service, a la carte, 4:30 A. M. to 8 P. M.

Next week, commencing Sunday afternoon, at Cordey's, Edward Shields' continuous vaudeville will inaugurate a Summer season of vaudeville at exceedingly low prices. The management of Cordey's will be as in the past. Mr. Shields traveling organization, and Messrs. Cordey and Russell continuing to manage the theater as usual. The opening attraction next Sunday for the first week will consist of the Powers Brothers, premier acrobats and dancers, North and South, and the singing dog Dixie, who are billed as the monarchs of musical comedy; Harvey and Deana, the phenomenal duo; Lyndon and Wrenn, Australian comedians; and the comedians, Sam Hill, Norway Brothers, comedy horizontal bar artists, and Edward Jerome.

There will be three performances every day, the first one commencing at 8 o'clock, the second at 10 o'clock, which will be continuous until 11 o'clock. They Like "Prince Otto." Crowded houses are the rule at the Baker Theater these days, where Ralph Baker and his company are producing the charming romantic drama, "Prince Otto." The matinee Saturday promises to be the largest in the history of the theater. SENATOR TO GO ON STUMP. C. W. Fulton Will Speak for Herndon in First District. Senator C. W. Fulton will go on the stump in aid of Herndon, the Republican candidate for Congress in the First District. He gave out this announcement last night. "I shall take up this work after the President's visit here," said the Senator, "and shall engage in the campaign during the week preceding the election." The Senator was asked on what issues he would speak, and replied: "On National taxation, I shall appeal to the voters of the First District to uphold the Republican Administration by sending a Republican to Congress. The Republican party has certainly demonstrated that it deserves the confidence of the country. It has brought a full measure of prosperity, and I believe that the people desire to continue that prosperity. I do not think that the country needs tariff revision at this time. I cannot see anything in the business conditions to warrant changes in the tariff right now. I believe that the industries of the country never have been under a fuller sail than they are at present. I do not see how disturbances in the tariff could bring about any such changes. It is certainly demonstrated that it is in the country's future time to alter the tariff; in fact, if we were making a tariff now we might have it different in some respects than the tariff now in force. This does not, however, invalidate my argument that we should let well enough alone. "As to trusts, I think that the Republican policy as to them is defined to the satisfaction of the Nation. President Roosevelt has defined it in his recent speeches. The decision of the Court of Appeals in the case of the Northern Securities Company shows that the Nation has effectively nullified trusts. That legislation was enacted by a Republican Congress. It gives to the Government a potent weapon against the trusts. Senator Fulton will return to Astoria tonight.

AT THE THEATERS

"Are You a Mason?" Frank Perry, John C. Rice, Anna Wood, Thomas A. Wise, George Fisher, Edward Ables, John Halton, George Richards, Hamilton Travers, Charles J. Green, Ernest Morrison, Ralph Teese, F. W. B. Bilby, Jack Ramsey, Mrs. Carville Bloodgood, Gertrude Whitty, Eva, Amy Muller, Annie, Margaret Evans, Lulu, Hazel Chapple, Mrs. H. H. Florence Earle, Fanchon Armstrong, Maude Travers, Lottie, Sally Cohen.

It is a welcome change to attend such a clean, sparkling comedy of fun as John C. Rice and Thomas A. Wise in "Are You a Mason?" presented last night at the Marquam to a fair audience. After a season of highly seasoned emotional-problem plays where one woman is in continual trouble because she has fallen in love with the wrong man, "Are You a Mason?" is bubbling over with fun, and is adapted from the German of Laufs and Kratz by Leo Diltzschstein, the popular author of "The Last Appeal" and "All on Account of Elias." It has played to big business for two seasons, and now visits the Pacific Coast for the first time. Recently it was a winner at San Francisco, where it played for two weeks. Strange as it may seem, there is neither a song nor a dance in it. The language used is clean as snow. John C. Rice has been seen here before with May Irwin, and his partner in the comedy is certainly one of the famous kissing scene with May Irwin—a scene which has been illustrated at biograph shows, and has caused merit all over the country. "Are You a Mason?" is a cast of 14 people, and, as no heavy scenery is carried or expensive specialties, the managers can afford to surround themselves with first-class talent. The comedy opens with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry, of New York, a newly married couple, expecting a visit from Mr. Perry's parents. Perry (John C. Rice) is alarmed because his wife has been seen to see a man late at night, he told his wife that he had become a member of the Masonic fraternity, and he has been told that his father-in-law, Amos Bloodgood (Thomas A. Wise), is also a Mason. But it so happens that Bloodgood is also a bogus Mason, so served as an excuse for his remaining out nights playing poker. When Perry's father-in-law, Amos Bloodgood, comes to the city, he is afraid of the other, and the effect is ludicrous. To add to the complications, George Fisher, excellently played by Edward Ables, is a Mason, and is also a Mason, as a clock model from Madam Jolivet's, and to say that he really is Bloodgood's only daughter by his divorced wife, Angelina. Mr. Ables does his part with consummate skill, especially where he poses as an expert on the subject of women's clothes. Amy Muller, as Mrs. Perry, and Margaret Evans and Hazel Chapple, as the visiting daughters, married daughters, acted admirably. Of course, Mr. Rice and Mr. Wise were the whole show in the laughter-making department, and they acted with that naturalness and ease that comes with long years of experience. "Are You a Mason?" is certainly worth seeing, and will be the attraction at the Marquam this and tomorrow evening and tomorrow afternoon.

Amateur Stage "Emeralda." The quaint old play of "Emeralda," written by Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, played at Arion Hall last night by a clever company of amateurs, the young people of St. Stephens' choir. The scenes of the play are laid in the cabin home of the Rogers family, in the North Carolina mountains, where a valuable mine is discovered on the farm of old man Rogers, or, rather, on the land of Emeralda's lover, Dave Hardy, as it afterwards turns out, and the Rogers family goes to Europe, where it is followed by Dave Emeralda's mother, who strangely objects to Dave's suit, on account of his poverty, but the kind old father, in addition to his own money, is able to give her a large sum of money, and she is able to marry him. The play is a very good one, and is well acted by the young people, and is well worth seeing. The play is a very good one, and is well acted by the young people, and is well worth seeing.

ELKS' LODGE TO BUILD. Six-Story Structure to Be Erected at Cost of \$100,000. The Elks' Lodge, at an enthusiastic meeting last night, decided to erect a six-story building on its 100x100 lot at Seventh and Stark streets. The cost will be \$100,000, and the building will be immediately one of the handsome structures in the city. The building will be the home of the lodge, with a hall and anteroom sufficient large to accommodate the membership of 600 and the future accessions for years to come. At last night's meeting over 400 members were present, and the building project was received with enthusiasm. The Elks expressed their confidence that such a building would be not only a credit to the city, but would also be a good investment, as the floors not used for lodges would be rented for business purposes. Several prominent members made speeches in which was set forth the need of a modern home for the Elks in 1903, and the thousands of visitors who would pour into the city, and also commenting upon the great demand that exists in Portland at the present time for modern and well-constructed business blocks. The lot was divided into four lots, and the site, which cost about \$20,000, has been fully paid for, and the treasury is comfortably off for funds. The money that was put into the lot was realized from two Elks' Carnivals successfully conducted by the lodge, and it was the consensus of opinion that the funds could be raised in a very few weeks more than to erect a structure that would reflect credit upon the public spirit of the members. After a thorough discussion the following committee was appointed to have charge of the project: George H. Chamberlain, D. Sells Cohen, John Law, Ralph W. Hoyt, Alex. Sweek, E. W. Rowe, M. J. Malley and W. J. Riley.

MAY DAY FLOWER SALE. The Largest Collection of Blooming Plants Ever Shown on Front St. Mann, the Seedman, is always enterprising. Friday, Saturday of this week, May 1 and 2, he starts his beautiful flower and plant street market sale at his store, 188 Front street. This is a new thing in the city. Florists will join, selling from their wagons, and thus customers will have the largest assortment to select from ever offered in one place in this city. For out-of-town customers orders will be filled in rotation. It will bring you postpaid a good assortment of fine plants. A child's set of small garden tools given away with the first 50 orders of 10 or more. This beautiful exhibition of blooming plants is well worth going to see, whether you want to buy anything or not.

HOWARD IS CONVICTED. Punishment is Fixed at Imprisonment for Life. FRANKFORD, Ky., April 30.—No jury in the case of James Howard, on trial for the murder of William Grebe, has just found the defendant guilty and fixed the punishment at life imprisonment. After a disagreement at 10 o'clock the Judge ordered them to return to their room for further deliberation. They returned, reporting finally at 11 o'clock. Howard was not visibly affected by the verdict. The jurors took only one ballot on the question of guilt or innocence, all 11 voting for a verdict of life imprisonment. The disagreement was as to the extent of punishment. This was Howard's third trial.

PERSONAL MENTION. B. S. Grosscup, attorney for the Northern Pacific at Tacoma, is at the Portland. N. B. Gardner, of Toule, Wash., merchant and timber man, is a guest of the St. Charles. P. C. Clark and B. C. Kingsbury, two well-known mining men of Spokane, are registered at the Portland. Frank Waters, an shipping agent of Seattle, is the guest of the Portland. Mr. Watershouse and child accompany him. G. W. Bever, of Hillsboro, Or., is at the St. Charles. Mr. Bever is a promoter and builder of an irrigating ditch which will supply water for not less than 10,000 acres of land. James F. Baker, who for many years has been agent at the Union Depot for Wells, Fargo & Co. and the Pacific Express Company, comes, on May 1, as route agent of Wells, Fargo & Co. with headquarters at Ashland, Or. His promotion is no doubt the result of the interest Mr. Baker has always displayed in his work, and is regarded as a just recognition. He will be succeeded at the Union Depot by F. J. Jackson, who is a well-known employe of the companies named.

MUSIC SALE TODAY. 10 and 15 cents for the latest popular pieces. Two hundred and fifty Hiawatha just received. Wright's Music House, 249 Washington. Rock Springs Coal delivered, \$5.50. Benton Lumps Coal delivered, \$7.00. Charcoal, Coke, Blacksmith Coal. Both phones. VULCAN COAL CO.

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Building Company, the following trustees were elected: E. T. Stolebury, of Drax & Co.; Richard H. Rushton, president of the Fourth-Street National Bank of this city, and G. P. Baker, president of the First National Bank of New York. The directors finally approved the \$5,000,000 loan and the \$1,000,000 additional stock issue. It is asserted on good authority that all the directors resigned and that no action was taken on the resignations. The board did not reorganize. The resignation of the directors was for the purpose of allowing representation for the interests which have supplied the \$5,000,000 loan. The loan, it is said, will not increase the debt of the company, but means the funding of the debt for a period of 20 years.

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