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AMUSEMENTS

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER—Tonight at 8:15 o'clock—Haverly's Mastodon Minstrel with 250.
EMPIRE THEATER—Twelfth and Morrison—Matinee, 2:15; evening, 8:15, vaudeville.
ARCADE THEATER, Seventh and Washington—Continuous vaudeville daily, 1:30 to 4:30; evening, 7:30 to 10:30.

THE BAKER THEATER—Matinee, 2:15; evening, 8:15. Noll-Crowson company in "Hearts Aflame."
CORDRAY'S THEATER, Washington St.—Evening, 8:15. Mr. Jolly of Joliet.

BASEBALL TODAY, 3 P. M.—Professional grounds, 24th and Vaughn, Portland vs. Los Angeles.

MEASURER BOY ACTS THE TOUGH.—Harry Thomas, a messenger boy in the employ of the Western Union, yesterday made an exhibition of his strength and agility by butting into W. A. Buchanan, man Hardware Company, with his bicycle and knocking him down on the muddy pavement. Mr. Buchanan gave the lad a smack with his umbrella, when the young ruffian seized the umbrella and stamped it to pieces. A bystander seized the boy and took him into the Western Union office, where he broke away, rushing out and attacking Mr. Buchanan, striking him savagely in the chest. Police man Quinton tried to arrest him, when he broke through the crowd and ran for the front entrance of the Chamber of Commerce and escaped from the officer, being a sturdy fellow and swift of foot. The other messenger boys acted as if pleased with the outcome of the affair and Officer Quinton read them a lecture, telling them that he should be more strict with them in future and would soon put the laugh on the other side of their faces. Thomas has since been arrested by a bad boy and is said to be vicious and intractable.

CONTEST FOR OREGON CITY METEOR.—A. W. Miller, who went up to Oregon City Sunday to examine the alleged meteor being exhumed on a farm a few miles from that town, was not able to secure much information of value. The "meteor" is covered with black and white wraps and he did not feel at liberty to disturb it much. There is some dispute as to the proprietorship of the mass. The land in which it was found by Mr. Miller is claimed by another and an effort is being made to move it into the ground of Mr. Hughes, so it may be imagined that the situation is strained. Mr. Miller says the mass is oval and about six or seven feet in length and width and consists apparently of iron and nickel and may be a meteor. It appears to have been buried about five feet below the surface of the ground. As to its value, iron is worth about 1 cent a pound and nickel about 1 cent, but as a meteor its value depends upon what one wants it and how badly it is wanted.

STEALING THE CARBONARY'S PLUMAGE.—The mounted specimen of that rare bird, the carbonary, lately added to the free museum, attracts general attention and some of the visitors are endeavoring to not forbear handling the "plumage," which really looks more like coarse hair than feathers. Not a few are so interested that they attempt to pick a feather or two for a relic, and already a small bare spot is visible at the base of the bird's neck. These curiosity collectors overlook the placard "hands off," but know they are doing wrong to meddle with the exhibits, and some of them look quite shocked when they see the placard. Colonel Hawkins will have to protect his carbonary and earn from pliffers, but it will require a large case to hold them. They are, however, worth insuring this expense, for such specimens are now very rare.

GOOD MINES AT JUMP-OFF JOE'S.—Chase, the well-known mining man, who has located in the Jump-Off Joe mining district in Joseph, Ore., for several years, attending to his interests there, is in the city on business for a day or two. He says there are a number of mines on Jump-Off Joe, some producing fine milling ore near the surface, but sulphurets in the lower levels. A number of the mines have worked hands lately and development work is being pushed energetically. The Chicago company has taken hold of the Granite Hill mine and is putting in a whole lot of machinery and a California mine has taken hold of the Baby mine and proposes to make a grown-up mine of it. Much gold has been taken from the earth in this section, Mr. Chase says, and there is plenty left if one can only get hold of it.

PYTHIANS WELCOME GRAND CHANCELLOR.—The visit to this city of Grand Chancellor Emil Waldman, of the Knights of Pythias, was celebrated last night by a banquet in the Pythian Hall in the Marquam building. Members of all the local lodges were present and an enjoyable evening was celebrated last night. The banquet was an elaborate affair, but a tempting repast was served and enjoyed. James D. Asher was toastmaster and toasts were responded to by Grand Chancellor Emil Waldman, Robert Morrow, E. J. Curtis, Judge W. M. Calk, D. E. Buchanan, M. E. Sargent, G. E. Mosier.

MORE TEACHERS AT NIGHT SCHOOLS.—The increase in the attendance of the night schools of the city has been so marked during the past few days that the appointment of two additional teachers was made necessary yesterday. Miss Alma McDowell was appointed to teach at the night sessions of the Williams Avenue school, and Miss Edith Ogden to the night high school. There is now a membership of 250 pupils at the three night schools, which is the largest attendance ever recorded. A force of eight teachers is required.

GAMBLING FINEST TAKER RAIL.—Gambling collections consisting of forfeitures amounting to \$100 were made yesterday in the Municipal Court from Fred Frit, Geo. Fuller, C. Hazler, C. Burley, Jas. Smith, A. Shapiro and John Thomas. When the names of the defendants were called there were no responses and the bail was declared forfeited in the usual way.

STRUCK BY A TROLLEY CAR.—John Fred was struck by a Montville trolley car last night at East Morrison and Water streets and was painfully but not fatally injured about the head and face. Dr. Slocum was on the car and he dressed the injured man's wounds and accompanied him to St. Vincent's Hospital.

25 CENTS TO ANY POINT.—Take steamer Dalles City or Bailey Gatzert for points between Portland and the Dalles, leaving 6:30 A. M. and 7 A. M. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Alder-street dock. Fare to any point 25 cents. Phone Main 514.

CONGREGATION BETS ISRAEL.—Members are earnestly requested to attend the annual meeting for election of officers, to be held in the assembly-room of the temple on Thursday evening, October 22, 1903, at 7:30 sharp.

REMEMBER THE GOLDENDALE excursion next Saturday, returning Monday, Steamer Bailey Gatzert will leave at 7 A. M. Round-trip tickets, good for three days, \$2.00. Landing foot of Alder street. Phone Main 514.

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LOCKER BOY MISSING.—M. E. Freeman has just returned from a visit to the Blue River mining district, 4 miles from Eugene. He looked over the celebrated Lucky Boy mine, in which Congressman L. Zimmerman, of this city, is interested, and which has been producing for several years about \$10,000 per month. The 10-stamp mill is to be moved down about 100 feet to where a better water supply is available and 40 more stamps will be added to it. An electric plant is to be installed on Blue River about a mile above where it enters the Mackenzie which is to cost \$200,000 and will furnish power to operate not only the Lucky Boy mill but a number of mines in the district. The mines in this district all produce free milling ore. Mr. Freeman says, and all have an appearance of prosperity.

BUGS' BARBER SCHOOL IN COURT.—The ways of the Portland Barber School, H. L. Briggs, conductor, 233 Everett street, were up for review before Municipal Judge Hogue yesterday and he was asked by the prosecution to declare that the school was illegal. A large number of witnesses were called, but the decision was not reached until Saturday.

POPULAR ACTRESS TO WED ROBERT MORRIS.—Some time within the next two weeks Elsie Edmond, the ingenue of the Neill-Morseco company, is going to marry Robert Morris, manager of the Neill-Morseco company, who is a resident of this city. Mr. Morris will not admit this exactly, but, on the other hand, she will not deny it at all, and it may be freely stated as an unadmitted fact.

DOWN AT THE BAKER THEATER.—Other members of the Neill-Morseco company are wondering with what grace Robert Siddle, of the Neill company, now playing on Puget Sound, will receive the news. For many weeks it has been supposed that Miss Edmond was engaged to Mr. Siddle, and the heavy man of the Neill company made no attempt to deny his infatuation with the attractive young actress, who played Emma in "Arizona" at the Marquam Grand two years ago. The fact that Morris and Siddle are at the present time with the same show on Puget Sound will lend additional interest to any duel or murder scenes in which they may take part.

MISS EDMOND FIRST MET MORRIS in San Francisco about a year and a half ago, when she joined the Neill company. She is well known in Portland theater-going circles, and her spirited acting has made her a favorite with the Baker Theater audiences.

There are several notable vaudeville stars in this company, that in the language of the stage, are high notch, top liners, and the entertainment that they give is of a high order in the musical comedy line. The singing is particularly good, and the dancing is artistic and pleasant to behold.

"Mr. Jolly of Joliet," is doing a generously large business at the Marquam, and the sale for the last performance is already large.

TO DRIVE DULL CARE AWAY.—Dull days and drizzling rain only make the cozy comfort of the Arcade Theater more appreciated by the theatrical-going public. Six lively acts given five times daily drive dull care away from all the minds attracted by the cheery appearance of this house of mirth and the frolic and fun of its stage.

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who, by the way, is one of the cleverest comedians before the public, is a heavyweight comedian, that is to say, he weighs about 250 pounds, yet he is the most active of the clever company which Broadbent & Curry have secured for their performance in "Mr. Jolly of Joliet," one would imagine he had not yet reached his two score

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