DRAMATIC EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Twelve Principals in "Coming Thro' the Rye."

Grand Opera House.

Monday, March 16—Lee Willard, in "The Country Squire."

Thursday, March 19—"No Mother to Guide Her."

Saturday, March 21—"Coming Thro' the Rye."

Tuesday, March 17—U'Ren on the Direct Primary.

Friday, March 27—"The Burgomaster."

Auditorium Roller Rink.

Morning, afternoon and evening sessions.

The Vaudette.

Moving pictures and illustrated songs, every afternoon and evening except Sunday and Monday afternoons.

The Nickelodion.

Moving pictures and illustrated songs afternoons and evenings.

"Black Crook" Pleased All.

Gayety and fun in plentitude were had at the presentation of "The Black Crook." The play is a cross between "The Devil's Austion," a burlesque on "Faust," and an up-to-date ballet play. Added to this several vaudeville acts were introduced during the evening. The scope of the play was apparently without limit, gymnastics, buffoonery and gayety sketches of all kinds being well performed during intermissions of the play proper.

"The Black Crook" was the story of the sorcerer, who sells himself to the devil in order to accomplish his revenge against a prince, but is defeated in his attempts by the queen of the fairies, whose power is proved to be the stronger. The trips into the lower regions, enchanted dells and fairyland give an opportunity for suporb scenic effects. Those who went to see the play did not return home disappointed.

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Good Old-Fashioned Comedy.

At the Grand opera house tonight that eminent young American star, Lee Willard presents his newest success, "The County Squire," and his engagement is destined to be one of the most important theatrical events of the season. Mr. Williard has a wide reputation on the coast as an interpreter of character roles, and his work in his new play is the best he has ever done.

Mr. Williard's portrayal of the leading role is a wonderful piece of character acting. "The Country Squire" is an old-fashioned comedy, permeated with the most delightful and refreshing humor. He is ably supported by his clever company of some 15 eastern actors.

The author of "The Country Squire" is James A. Kent, a newspaper writer of San Francisico. It is refreshing in this day of imported problem plays to be able to listen to an American play by an American author, a play mostly of plain folk within the mountains of Vermont. The theater-going public is promised a rare performance Mr. Willard has entire charge of the staging of the production, and it will receive the sam artistic treatment that characterizes all of his work.

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Skating Rink Party.

One of the most amusing skating parties of the season will take place at the Auditorium rink in this city on Monday the 23rd, which will be conducted by the Fairmount Basball club, of South Salem, for the purpose of raising funds for the improvement of their ball field and other expenses which will be incurred in making preparations for the coming ball season.

The party will no doubt be well attended owing to the cause for which it is intended, will be in session from 7:30 until 11 o'clock, with McElroy's rink band to furnish the music, and two able skaters to help those who have the mistfortune to fall, or assist unexperienced ones. Races will be pulled off by several

Lee Willard, in the "County Squire," at the Opera House Tomorrow Night

well known youngsters in the city, and instead of the ordinary time and speed races which have been witnessed heretofore, there will be numerous stunts, such as potato race, egg and spoon race and various other forms of racing all specially arranged for the purpose of exciteing some real amusement. Prizes will be awarded to the racers, also to the one who obtained the lucky number at the door.

The Fairmount boys deserve assistance from the Salem people, owing to the fact they were practically the only baseball nine in the city that afforded the busy week-day fans a chance to witness good snappy games on Sunday last season, notwithstanding the willing manner in which they helped to make the city league interesting, and they are collecting an excellent nine this season which, as predicted, will put the clinchers on most anything in their class around the valley.

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SWEET SUNNY FACED CHORUS GIRLS COMING

"Coming Thro' the Rye," the greatest musical comedy success that has ever been brought forward in this country, will be presented at the Grand opera house next Saturday night. It comes with the big original company of 80 comedians, singers and dancers and with all of the scenery, costumes and other effects which have made this production conspicuous among its contemporaries. The comedy element of the piece is said to be exceptionally bright and to keep an audience immoderately laughing from the beginning to the end of the performance. It was written by George V. Hobart, one of America's distinguished humorists, and this talented author is said to have evolved a story and to have devised scenes and incidents which excel any that have been accomplished by a writer of musical comedy. The musical score, which was contributed by A. Baldwin Sloane, is not only delightfully tuneful, but it is jingling and catchy—just the kind of music which is so popular nowadays. The chorus and dancing ballet in this organization is said to be one of its most attractive features. It includes upwards of 60 sweet-faced, graceful girls, Mr. FrankLalor is the principal comedian of the company and the success he has achieved in this piece has given him a place among the foremost comedians of the day. There is no doubt whatever that the forthcoming presentation of "Coming Thro' the Rye" will pass in the history of amusements in this city as one of the most delightful events that have ever occurred here, and it is to be hoped that it will be greeted by an audience commensurate with its undoubted merits.

To-night To-night

Mr. Lee Willard

IN

The Country Squire

Manager Frank Meredith guarantees this attraction

The Press says:

A large and appreciative audience at the Marquam Grand last night enjoyed a real privilege in witnessing Lee Willard's beautiful characterization of the title role in "The Country Squire." We have long been looking for a successor to Sol Smith Russell, and I believe he has arrived in the person of Lee Willard.—Portland Oregonian February 3.

When an attraction comes into a local theater for one night it is almost a certainty that the performance is so bad that it wouldn't stand a longer engagement. There are exceptions, and Lee Willard at the Marquam yesterday in "The Country Squire" was one of the exceptions."—Portland Telegram, February 3.

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A Comedy

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The School and Home Publishing Company; principal office, Portland, Oregon; capital stock, $5000; incorporators, Timothy Brownhill, H. I. Brownhill and N. C. Rogers.

Call for City Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds on hand applicable to the payment of all warrants of the City of Salem endorsed "Not paid for want of funds." Holders of said warrants will please present them for payment at the office of the undersigned, No. 129 South Commercial street, as interest will cease from and after this date.

FRANK MEREDITH,
City Treasurer.

Salem, Oregon, March 4, 1908.

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I hereby announce myself as a... didate for the Republican nom... tion for representative at the... maries, April 17.

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I hereby announce myself a... candidate for nomination at the... publican primaries for county... perintendent of schools.

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I hereby announce myself... candidate for nomination at the... publican primaries for commi... er.

B. E. ROBERTSO...
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I desire to place my name b... the Republican primaries for ... nomination for County recorder.

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I wish to announce to my fri... that I am a candidate for co... treasurer, subject to the Repub... primaries.

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