

ARCADE Theatre

WEEKLY PROGRAM

Thursday, Dec. 23.

"FAUST"

with an all star cast. Here is mystery. One of the greatest mystery plays. Real entertainment and pleasing.

Comedy

"A Stretch In Time" and International News.

Friday, Dec. 24.

"THE SILENT LOVER."

with Milton Sills and Viola Dana. Slave marts of Morocco under the desert sun. Where beauty is bought on the auction block. A mighty story of the great desert with burning colors of the great caravans and superb horsemanship.

Comedy

"Ukelele Sheiks."

Saturday, Dec. 25.

"THE UNKNOWN CAV-ALIER."

with Ken Maynard. Nothing could scare this daredevil from Texas—nothing could faze him—but he took one fall—the day he fell in love. A mighty western picture.

Comedy

"The Humdinger."

Sunday, Monday, Dec. 26-27

"SPARROWS"

with Mary Pickford. Mary in her greatest achievement, a document of joyous laughs and happy tears. A rare gem that has come from years of artistic endeavor on the part of the world's best loved actor on the screen. The acme of art, inspiration and entertainment.

Comedy

"Jan's Engagement Party"

Tues., Wed., Dec. 28-29.

"MARE NOSTRUM"

with Alice Terry and Antonio Moreno. A mighty picture of the sea. The most amazing film in years! A story of love and war you'll never forget. Thrills, action, suspense all woven together to make a great picture. This is one of our biggest pictures this year. You'll not regret seeing this one.

Comedy

"Dodging Trouble."

SOCIETY

A surprise party honoring Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McKinney was held Tuesday at the McKinney home by a group of friends. George Neeley and his violin provided music for old time dances. Four couples danced a quadrille, which was followed by a military schottische and a waltz. Old time games like "Jim-along-Josie" and "Roll the Trencher" were played. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bassett, Mrs. Martha Holm, Mrs. Gertrude Whitsett, Mrs. Olga Holm, Miss Mildred Holm, Gus Brunstrom, Henry Mabie, Gustave Holm, William Ward and Homer Holm. A delicious supper was prepared and served by two of the men and the group departed about 1:30 a. m. Plans to hold a series of old time dances at an early date in Phillips hall were discussed. Only those dances that were in vogue 25 or more years ago will be featured.

Mrs. C. E. Frost was hostess at a 1 o'clock luncheon Monday afternoon at Hotel Bartlett for the Past Matrons' club. Eighteen members were present and Mrs. Lydia Stoffer, who is a charter member of Cottage Grove chapter of the Eastern Star, was guest of honor. Red carnations, red candles and sprigs of holly were table decorations and guests found their places by matching cards. Following the luncheon, the guests went to the home of Mrs. Frost, where Santa Claus and a Christmas tree awaited them. Gifts were exchanged and a hand-painted handkerchief was presented to each guest by the hostess. A potted palm was presented to Mrs. Frost by the club. The house was attractively decorated in keeping with the Yuletide spirit.

Mrs. H. K. Metcalf was hostess at a 1 o'clock luncheon Tuesday afternoon at Hotel Bartlett for the LaComus club. Mrs. B. K. Lawson of Wedderburn, sister of Mrs. Metcalf, was an additional guest. A large basket of red geraniums and ferns was the table centerpiece and streamers of red ribbon from the handle of the basket extended to each end of the table where red candles were placed. Following the luncheon the guests went to the home of Mrs. Metcalf, where a Christmas tree was enjoyed and gifts were exchanged. Christmas greens were house decorations.

Mrs. R. L. Stewart was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the Presbyterian Missionary society. Mrs. R. A. Trask led devotionals and Mrs. John Craig had charge of the program, the subject for which was "The Christian Seeks the Whole World." Light refreshments were served.

The M. P. G. club was entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. T. Smith, the occasion being the annual Christmas tree and party. Gifts were exchanged. The rooms were attractive with holiday decorations and a delicious luncheon was served.

Mrs. S. L. Godard, Mrs. H. B. Griggs, Mrs. Clara Burkholder, Mrs. Frank Dickson, Mrs. W. A. Garoutte and Mrs. C. A. Bartlett will be hostesses this afternoon at Masonic hall for the annual Christmas party and tree of the Constellation club.

Augustine Birrell, in his early days at the bar, often had many poor clients. On one occasion the defendant was so poor that Birrell offered to handle the case for nothing. Birrell won the case and the grateful client sent him thirteen shillings. In order not to hurt the man's feelings Mr. Birrell accepted the fee; but a fellow lawyer reproached him for doing so. "Don't you know," said the fellow lawyer, "that it is unprofessional to take less than two pounds?" "Well," said Mr. Birrell seriously, "I took all the poor beggar had. You don't call that unprofessional, do you?"

Archbishop Thompson once spent a night in an English mansion reputed to have a haunted chamber, and there being no other place to put him he was given this room. Next morning his hostess inquired anxiously if he had seen anything. "Oh, yes," said the Archbishop, "I awakened to find an old pinehead-looking man in the room. I asked if he lived in the house. He nodded. Was he a parishioner, I asked. Again he nodded. Then, said I, I should like your help for our new school building fund. At that he vanished, and disturbed me no more."

No Special Classes.

"How is it?" asked a police magistrate for a culprit haled before him for robbery, "that you managed to take this man's watch from his vest pocket when it was secured by a patent safety catch?" "My fee, your honor," replied the man politely and with dignity, "is ten dollars for the full course of six lessons."

Roller-Skate Craze

Once Swept America

Roller skates seem first to have been used in France, about 1819. A few years later an Englishman named Syers invented and began the manufacture of a skate consisting of a sandal mounted on five narrow wheels in a single row, so arranged, however, that only two of them could touch the floor at a time. Similar skates were devised by other ingenious mechanics, but the skate of the present type was not invented until 1865, by an American, A. G. Plympton of Boston. He inaugurated the first roller rink in this country, the first public rink having been in Newport, R. I.

Fads and crazes swept across America in those days pretty much as they do now, and what was called the "skating craze" spread from Newport all the way to the Pacific. Indeed, it was strongest in the Far West. In San Francisco the sport was so popular for a time that the rights to the exclusive use and rental of the Plympton skate in that city were sold for \$25,000. By 1872 roller skating had gone into a decline in America, but was on the upgrade in Europe, and large rinks were established in London, Paris, Rome and other cities.

Discovery of Hawaii

Debated by Experts

Was Hawaii discovered first by Spaniards? That question has interested historians and geographers since the finding of an ancient Spanish coin by workmen digging in an old Hawaiian garden. The coin was dated 1774 and bore the inscription "Carolus III Dei Gratia." Capt. James Cook, British voyager, to whom the discovery of Hawaii by white men is generally attributed, came to the islands in 1778 on his first trip. There has long been a tradition that Spanish voyagers preceded him. One story was that the Spaniards touched Hawaii while sailing to the Philippines.

Hawaii has been peopled for more than 1,000 years, according to the best evidence obtainable. Long ago brown islanders, journeying from group to group in their great canoes, came here from the south, probably from Samoa. The finding of the Spanish coin is not of itself enough to upset the story that Cook was the first white man to visit the islands and make his discovery known to the world, but it is giving the antiquarians a fresh theme for discussion.

Tripoli Is Hottest Place

For years it has been supposed that the world's hottest region, if not its hottest spot, was at Greenland ranch, in Death valley, California, where on July 10, 1923, the temperature reached 134.1 Fahrenheit. Now the world hears that in Azizzia, a town in Italian Tripoli, North Africa, the people sizzle at a temperature of 136 above. Azizzia, the well named, is a desert village 25 miles inland from the Mediterranean. The people are poor and live in underground dwellings, to which sloping tunnels lead eight to ten feet under the surface and through small openings to chambers hollowed from the conglomerate rock. Something like a cellar is required to keep cool, notwithstanding until 1911 this region conducted an almost continual war with the Turks and Arabs on one side and the Italians on the other. No wonder Leath valley is a pleasant place compared to it.

Antique Drug Mortars

Many years ago a loan collection of antique mortars was shown at the New York College of Pharmacy which was insured for \$25,000. The most expensive mortar of the lot was one lent by Enrico Caruso, the tenor, who bought it from J. Pierpont Morgan for \$3,000.

At a recent sale in London a collection of 50 bronze and bell-metal mortars was sold at prices ranging from \$1 to \$27 each. The highest price was brought by an eleven-inch mortar with two handles bearing the inscription, "Thomas Castle, Edward Neale made me, 1657."—Western Druggist.

The Domesday Books

When Queen Victoria came to the throne the national archives were scattered in about sixty places, but by an act passed in 1838 they were concentrated in the public record office, which now contains records of the chancery, exchequer, various courts, and departments of state, such as the treasury, home office, foreign office, war office, admiralty, board of trade and customs. Amongst the principal exhibits are the Domesday books, that are the outcome of a general survey of England ordered by William the Conqueror at the end of 1085.—London Answers.

But a Trap Is Better

These new methods of getting rid of mice, printed in London Opinion, may interest some of our readers: "Creep up to mouse hole and whistle down it softly. Mouse runs out at once to see who called. Hit mouse on head with frying pan. Watch till mouse is listening, then tell it brutally it is only a vermin. Mouse deeply humiliated to be only a vermin. Broods on it and dies of a broken heart, or kneel on floor and read mouse some extracts from 'The Green Hat.' Mouse loses all moral tone. Goes away and leads a bad life. Succumbs to dissipation."—Boston Transcript.

Introducing

The cab drew up in front of the imposing marble mansion, and he jauntily alighted. Upon his swarthy bronzed countenance there glowed the sparkle of health, and there was the vigor of youth in his stride. Leisuredly climbing the steps, he rang the bell. The door flung open a few seconds later.

"Taxi for Blotzmeister," he said.

Back Taxes Are Collected.

Back tax collections from 1919 to 1924 and collections on the sale of property on which tax liens had been foreclosed were turned over to Grace Schiska, county treasurer, Saturday by Sheriff Frank E. Taylor.

Foreclosure collections amounted to \$18,888.76.

Following is the segregation of the back tax collections:

1924.	\$10,225.15
1923.	3,362.85
1922.	4,386.89
1921.	238.25
1920.	175.24
1919.	61.97

Just Before Christmas.

Miss Henrietta Collstedt, of the Albany office of the Mountain States Power company, contributes a timely bit of verse:

'Twas the night before pay day

I hunted in vain

For the price of some beans.

Not a quarter was stirring,

Not even a jit,

The kale was off duty;

Milled edges had quit.

Forward, turn forward,

O time, in thy flight;

Make it tomorrow,

Just for tonight!

Father of Patterson Is Dead.

INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 23.—(United Press.)—Frank A. Patterson, aged 91, who had hoped to live to see his son, Ike Patterson, inaugurated next month as governor of Oregon, died at his home here yesterday. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon.

Mexico Can't Get Planes

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—(United Press.)—A request from the Mexican government that it be permitted to import 10 airplanes purchased in California has been denied by the state department.

A Man May Be Down—

When Abraham Lincoln was a young man he ran for the legislature in Illinois and was defeated. He next entered business, failed and was 17 years paying his debts.

He was engaged to a beautiful young woman—she died.

Entering politics again, he ran for congress and was again defeated.

He then tried to get an appointment in the United States land office but failed.

He became a candidate for the United States senate and was badly beaten.

He ran for vice president and was once more defeated.

When you think of your hard luck, think of Lincoln.—American Legion Weekly.

Church News

Methodist Church.—John A. Linn, pastor.—Sunday school at 9:45; preaching service at 11; church league at 6:30; prayer service at 7:30. Mid-week prayer hour, 7:30 Thursday. A welcome at every service.

Christian Church, the "home-like" church.—Kenneth J. Husby, minister. Sunday school at 9:45; sermon at 11; Christian Endeavor at 6:30; evening service at 7:30.

Presbyterian Church.—Duncan P. Cameron, minister.—Sunday school at 10 a. m.; public worship at 11 a. m.; Junior Endeavor 2:30 p. m.; Senior Endeavor 6:30 p. m.; evening service at 7:30.

First church of Nazarene.—Eleventh and Adams, Nellie Robbins, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45; preaching service Sunday at 11 and 8; prayer meeting Wednesday at 8. All are cordially invited to attend.

Seventh Day Adventist Church.—Saturday. Sabbath school at 10; church service at 11; prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30.

Christian Science Society.—corner of Jefferson avenue and Second street. Sunday service at 11 a. m. Wednesday service at 7:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Free Methodist church.—Corner of Monroe avenue and south Fifth street.—J. Walker, pastor. Sunday school at 10; forenoon services at 11; evening service at 7:30. Prayer meeting at 7:30 Thursday evenings.

First Baptist church.—The chapel car Good Will, one block north of depot. T. D. Chappell, Th. G. missionary in charge. Church school at 10; sermon at 11; B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m.; evening services at 7:30. Prayer meeting and bible study at 7:30 p. m. every Thursday. Visitors cordially received in chapel car at all hours.

Church of Christ.—(London, 12 miles south of Cottage Grove).—Sunday services: Bible study 10 a. m., worship 11 a. m., scripture study 7:30 p. m. You're invited.

Church of God.—W. O. W. hall.—Sunday school every Sunday at 10 o'clock. Preaching every Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Taboracle Assembly of God.—East Main street near Tenth, across from S. P. Depot. M. C. and Rachel Hendricksen, pastors. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 10:45; young people's meeting at 7 p. m.; evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m. Meetings 9:45 a. m. Tuesday and Friday evenings. Street meeting at 7:30 Saturday evenings. All are welcome.

First Independent Spiritualist Church.—Mrs. Nellie Wood, M. McKinney, pastor. Meetings Sunday 7:30 p. m. at McKinney home, 1243 Jefferson avenue. Private circle for the development of mediumship, Thursday 7 p. m. at the George Neeley home on Ash avenue. Come unite with us for the higher spiritualism.

Our Guessing Contest

Resulted in a tie.

Hazel Archer 1400

Erma Bennett 1400

The amount of paper used was 1390. Contest as to who gets the first prize will be settled as soon as the two call.

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