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## RATTO FIRST IN LYCEUM COURSE

The first of the attractions that will appear here during the winter, under the management of the Shaw-Priest Lyceum Bureau, is John B. Ratto, who is billed for December 22.



JOHN B. RATTO  
Character artist who appears here December 22

Ratto is one of the cleverest character artists now before the public, and is said to be peculiar in his sympathetic interest, a careful and shrewd psychologist. Mr. Ratto always studies his audiences before opening his program, and adjusts his offering to the tastes of those before him. The result is almost magical. Absorbent interest lights up every face; enthusiastic attention crowds out the indifference so manifest when they fled into the assembly hall. They leave convinced that Ratto is an artist.

The Lyceum Course will be given here under the auspices of the Commercial Club, and includes a high class of attractions.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FOR WEEK JUST ENDING

Real estate transfers for past week furnished by the Hood River Abstract Company.

N C Evans, trustee, to J Orr McLaughlin, lots 9 and 16 block 37 Hood River proper

N C Evans to A F Howes, lots 7 and 18 block 37, Hood River proper

Joseph C Porter and wife to Clara L Catten, .88 acre in section 7

Frans Elfving Forsberg and wife to Chas P Sonnichsen south half of lot 1 section 30

James O Roundtree to Harriet Opitz, 40 acres in Willow Flat

Ida M McFarland to M B Gilles 7 1/2 acres near Belmont

G S Smith and wife to Assade Samuel lots 14 and 15 block B Barrett-Sipma addition

H F Davidson and wife to Apple Fair Association lots 1, 2, 7 and 8 block A 1st addition west

Wm Curry and wife to James M Leiter, trustee, 160 acres east of Mt Hood post office

Leon H Rose to Leroy V Rose undivided half of 20 acres in Upper Valley

A W Boorman to Wm D Allen 30.5 acres near Dee

### Seattle's Baffling Gold Robbery

Seattle was startled last week by the news of the biggest gold robbery ever successfully perpetrated in the annals of gold mining in Alaska. From a shipment sent from Fairbanks to Seattle \$57,500 was mysteriously extracted and lumps of lead substituted.

The robbery was not discovered until the shipment reached the Seattle assay office. Officers of the steamer Humbolt do not think it possible that the trick was turned after the gold was loaded on that vessel. Officials of the government service in the north believe that the work was done by a clever set of criminals on the Yukon river boat which carried the gold out from Fairbanks.

The case in which the stolen gold was packed was opened without breaking the seals, and so cleverly nailed up again that the breaks in the iron bands around it were not noticed until a careful inspection was made after the loss was discovered.

Crimes similar to this have been attempted before, but never with success, and the government secret service agents are on their metal, straining every effort to locate the guilty parties.

### Editor Wants Wider Walks

The city council, says the Skamania Pioneer, is advertising for bids for another of those stinky little four foot sidewalks. This one is to be put on the west end of Cascade avenue. Better make it wide enough so that two persons can walk abreast, or can pass each other without getting off the walk.

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