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AMUSEMENTS.

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER—Tonight at 8:15, Horace Lewis in "A Poor Relation."

CORDRAY'S THEATER—This evening, at 8:15, Nelse Erickson in "Yon Yonson."

THE BAKER THEATER—Tonight, Neill Stock Company, in "The Senator."

IMPROVEMENT OF SEVENTH STREET.—The contract for laying the concrete foundation for the asphalt pavement on Seventh street was sub-let by the Trinidad Asphalt Company to Smyth & Howard, who commenced work on the job at Taylor street several days ago. They have not succeeded in getting much done so far, as the men, who have not yet become seasoned to Winter work, could not stand the gentle rains, and quit work. A. J. Marshall is superintending the work, and had a full gang employed yesterday, and expects to make rapid progress from this on when the weather is at all favorable. Many who looked at the men working yesterday said: "What a pity that such work should be put off till the rainy season." The delay could not be avoided, but the intersection of Yamhill and Seventh streets is in a horrible condition on account of material for the extension of the Portland Hotel being hauled across it in the rain. The asphalt company is only waiting for the foundation to be completed to begin putting down the asphalt pavement, and hopes to have the street completed from Taylor down to Washington before a great while. When this is done and the railroad improvements on Morrison street are completed and the extension of the Portland Hotel is finished, the streets around that building will be free to travel again, to the great relief of the public.

VISIT OF REV. T. F. ROYAL.—Rev. T. F. Royal, of Salem, Or., has been spending several days in the city, visiting old friends and viewing with great interest the growth of Portland, with whose progress he has been personally familiar for more than 48 years, having first visited Portland in 1854. Mr. Royal has now been in the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church for 56 years. Though now 82 years of age, he still preaches almost every Sunday, and is as young in spirit as though still a young man. Rev. Mr. Royal built the first church in Oregon south of Salem, and has been actively identified with the work of the Methodist church in this state as pastor, presiding elder and in charge of various educational institutions for nearly 50 years. In early years he was principal of the Umpqua Academy, at Wilbur, Douglas County, Or., which was for many years a large and prosperous school. He was also principal of the old Portland Academy in this city, many of whose students are now prominent in the affairs of this city and state. Mrs. Royal, also well known and a sharer with her husband in all his work, accompanies her husband. They will return to Salem in a day or two. While in the city they are the guests of Dr. Osmon Royal, 641 East Morrison street.

MEETING OF AID SOCIETY TRUSTEES.—The regular monthly meeting of the board of trustees of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society was held in the chambers of Judge Bellinger yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when there were present Mayor George H. Williams, Colonel L. L. Hawkins, Dr. T. L. Eliot, Judge Bellinger, Mrs. W. A. Buchanan, Mrs. Levi White, Mrs. A. G. Barker, Mrs. C. R. Templeton and Mrs. J. A. Sladen. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved, also the report of the superintendent, showing that in all 46 children had been received during the month of October, of whom nine were rescued from bad relatives, four voluntarily relinquished by parents, two informally from court or jail, seven by legal commitment, two for discipline, two came voluntarily, and 15 were returned or recalled from places. Thirty-nine were disposed of. Twenty-six of this number were found homes, six were returned to relatives, two released on parole, three sent to other institutions, and two ran away, leaving in the care of the receiving Home on November 1, 48. The superintendent reported that he had secured the two lots running parallel with the receiving Home, and had four months in which to pay for them without interest.

PRIVATE DISINFECTING PLANT.—A private disinfecting plant is likely soon to be established in Portland by a man who has been in this business in the East. Such plants are desirable in cities, and Health Commissioner Biersdorf will do all in his power to secure the location of one here. The city fumigating plant is used to disinfect houses where there is or has been diphtheria, smallpox or scarlet fever, but not for other diseases. There are a dozen or more persons dying of consumption in this city every week, to say nothing of other lingering diseases, and the buildings where such deaths occur should be fumigated. Many people who move into houses where there has been disease or which have not been kept in the best sanitary condition would like much to have such houses fumigated before going into them. The establishment of a private fumigating plant here will enable people to have fumigating done whenever they desire.

LECTURE ON PSYCHOLOGY.—Dr. W. R. Price, the eminent lecturer on psychology, delivered a most interesting talk on "Independent Telepathy" at the Taylor-Street Methodist Church last evening to a crowded house. Dr. Price is an authority on psychological and scientific research, and his lecture was both instructive and entertaining. At the close of the performance, Professor Goshaun demonstrated on the stage in the presence of a committee of five prominent citizens his ability to find lost things in the audience and to read the thoughts of another. Dr. Price will lecture again tonight and on Saturday afternoon.

DEATH OF CAPTAIN W. H. CROSBY.—Captain W. H. Crosby, formerly a well-known conductor with the O. R. & N. Co., was drowned while out in a small skiff near Unimak Island, Alaska, September 24. He left behind a brother, V. D. Crosby, of the Grand Central Hotel in this city, and a wife in Los Angeles. He was a member of the Order of Railroad Conductors. He was at the time of the accident with a companion, and when both men were washed from the boat, Crosby, who could not swim, was drowned, while the companion, Dr. E. Mauer, reached the island in safety and reported the accident.

INITIATED GOVERNOR-ELECT CHAMBERLAIN.—Multnomah Council, 1481, Royal Arcanum, held a meeting last night. There was an unusually large attendance, and the event was marked by the initiation of the 100th member in the person of Governor-elect George E. Chamberlain. Several appropriate speeches were given and a general season of festivity was enjoyed over cigars and refreshments.

RECEPTION TO CLUBWOMEN.—Dr. Mae Cardwell, who has recently returned from New York, will assist Mrs. A. S. Duniway at her informal reception to club ladies and their friends on Thursday, November 13, from 2 to 5 P. M., at 402 Market street. All are invited.

CHARGED WITH BLOCKING SIDEWALK.—L. Dielschneider, 61 years old, was arrested yesterday at Sixteenth and Mill streets by Policeman Sloan, charged with blocking a sidewalk on the complaint of John Bubb.

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DOG CLAIMS RIGHT OF WAY.—There are many intelligent dogs about Portland. Some of them in fine weather lie in the middle of the sidewalk and passers have to walk around them, in obedience to the injunction, "Let sleeping dogs lie." It was probably one of these dogs which tried to take the right of way from a man yesterday. Down on Sixth street where so many sidewalks have been torn up to make room for new ones it is difficult to get along in many places. In front of some houses planks are laid, and in front of others narrow paths have been beaten through the mud where pedestrians can pick their way. On such a path a man was met yesterday by a dog which halted for him to turn out. They stood and looked at each other for a short time, and then the dog started to shoulder the man out of the path. It may be all right to let sleeping dogs lie, but there is nothing requiring a man to let a dog shove him off the path into the mud, and this particular dog received a kick in the ribs which will cure him of trying such a trick again. He never stopped to remonstrate.

HEAVY RAINS BENEFICIAL.—The recent heavy rains have, according to reports received by Forecast Official Beals, been beneficial to the country from an agricultural point of view, and also to steamboating on the Upper Willamette. The prolonged dry season of the Summer and early Fall, Mr. Beals says, had the effect of giving some portions of the Valley a sunburned appearance, and the river sank far below the ordinary level. In some parts of the Valley wells reached the lowest point recorded in years. The heavy rains have brought the river up to a good boating stage, and there is no complaint against the lack of water in farming districts where the wells are a source of supply. Asked if a freshet would result from the rains, Mr. Beals said there was no fear of one. The only effect of the storm was to saturate thoroughly the dry ground and to bring the Upper Willamette up to a navigable stage. The gauge readings were from six to eight feet above zero, and the figures afforded no cause for alarm.

BARBERS DISCUSS AMENDMENTS.—There is some difference of opinion existing among the barbers as to what amendments should be made to the state law. At a meeting of the local union Monday night the matter was discussed informally and a number of measures proposed. All agreed that the state board had been of great service to the barbers of the state and had put the craft on a better footing. They also agreed that there is a great deal more that the board could do if it were allowed more funds. As to how these funds should be furnished, however, there was a difference of opinion. Some thought the barbers should be taxed $1 a year each, while others said that there were other and better means. A meeting for all of the unions of the state has been called for November 1, at Portland, when the matter will be taken up thoroughly. The members of the state board will be present at this time, and the subject will be decided.

FLOUR SACKS AS CLOTHING.—Bert Farrell, who made a tour through Great Britain on his bicycle last Summer, noticed the mention in these columns a few days ago of the sacks of the Portland Flouring Mills being used as dress goods in Siam. He says that on his visit to Ireland he rode out from Cork through Tipperary and several other counties, passing through many villages. On this trip he saw miles and miles of clothes lines covered with undergarments for women and children of all sizes made from Portland Flouring Mills sacks. Of course, such cloth would hardly do for outside wear in the climate of Ireland, but he is willing to bet a large amount that a Portland Flouring Mills sack will be found next to the skin of a majority of the women and children in Ireland. T. B. Wilcox should be a happy man, for he not only feeds the hungry but clothes the naked of about half the world.

WHO HAS LIVED LONGEST IN SAME HOUSE?—Several persons were yesterday talking about old-time residences and residenters and endeavoring to decide who had lived longest in the same place in this city. John Burke has lived about 50 years at the corner of Seventh and Salmon, but in two houses, not at the same time, but in one after the other. H. W. Corbett has lived on the block he now resides on for considerably over 50 years, his present house being the second on the block. It was stated that Councilman B. Cardwell has lived in the house he now resides in for 43 years. Of course, the building has been improved and modernized, but it is practically the same house he took up his residence in 43 years ago. The general opinion of the crowd was that it was very doubtful if any one in the city had lived longer than 43 years continuously in the same house and on the same lot.

REPORT OF HORTICULTURE BOARD.—E. L. Smith, president, and George Lamberson, secretary, of the State Board of Horticulture, are hard at work preparing the seventh biennial report of the board for publication, and the State Printer is already beginning to call on them for copy. The report is likely to be as large as the last, which covered nearly 500 printed pages. It will contain reports of the work of the commissioners, their recommendations and papers read at different meetings by practical fruitgrowers. There will be a paper from the experiment station by Professor Cordley on the codlin moth, and papers on the apple, peach, prune, strawberry, etc. There will also be included papers from some Eastern experiment stations, which will be of interest here.

RAIN INTERFERES WITH LOGGING.—Both of Benson's logging camps on the Columbia have been shut down temporarily on account of the rain. Loggers are not particular as to the weather generally, and do not mind getting their clothes damp, but the rains of the past week or more have been very trying—one of the hardest and most steadfast spells, Mr. Benson says, he has encountered during his experience in the logging business, and the operation of his camps was practically out of the question. So he finally closed them and gave his men a chance to come to town, and there are now about 150 of them here enjoying themselves and taking in "Yon Yonson." As there appears to be a prospect of the weather settling, they are beginning to get ready to return to work.

MORE ROOM IN FIRST NATIONAL BANK.—The extension to the office of the First National Bank, which has been under construction ever since last Spring, is now approaching completion. The painting, frescoing and gilding of the ceiling of the whole office took up considerable time, but it is finished, and now the floor tiling is completed, and a number of handsome desks are scatered about the extension. The clerks are looking forward with much pleasure to the time when all the desks will be arranged and they will have more elbow room and more air space. The office, spacious as it is, has for a long time been really overcrowded.

MORE LETTER-CARRIERS NEEDED.—The postoffice officials are kept in trouble and hot water all the time on account of the continuous and rapid growth of the city and the corresponding increase in the business of the office. Six mailcarriers were put on October 1, and, while they helped to relieve the strain, they were not enough. Four more were needed then and more than four more are needed now, but it takes time to get them supplied. Those who are now in the harness must work the harder for a time, that is all.

POTTER CURED OF SMALLPOX.—Thaddeus Potter, the lawyer, who, while attending to a case at Eugene, caught the smallpox, and has been in quarantine at his home on Union avenue for four weeks, was discharged by City Physician Zan yesterday. The smallpox appears to have been pretty well stamped out here, as very few cases are heard of.

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AT THE THEATERS.

"A Poor Relation."

Noah Vale	Horace Lewis
Roderick Faye	George R. Sprague
Jasper Sterrett	Thurston Hall
Charlie Smith	Will S. Miller
Marmaduke O'Haley	Paul McGall
Alice Warriner	Henrietta Newman
Eunice Faye	Fanny Barry Sprague
Dolly Faye	Marie Harriott
"Scollops"	Portia Albee
Rip	Little Winkie
Patch	Miss Bibbins

There can be no question that the mantle of Sol Smith Russell has fallen upon worthy shoulders. Horace Lewis in his work in "A Poor Relation" at the Marquam last night proved himself possessed of originality that pays a far greater tribute to the dead actor than the most servile imitation could compass.

Of course, the play has grown into the hearts of all these many years. Its kindly humor, deep pathos, stirring manfulness have moved unnumbered people. Mr. Lewis pursues throughout his own conception of the part of Noah Vale and the familiar scenes lost nothing; they gained by having a new side turned. Each appeal to the emotions came in an unknown voice, but the spirit was the same.

The characteristic of Mr. Lewis' playing is a quiet trust in the effectiveness of his art. No straining, no throwing away of personal force no impulsive reaching after the final note. It is really the best of the modern school of natural acting.

In the scene with Dolly Faye the depiction of a cheerful faithful man in the clutches of physical hunger and weakness was masterly. To those who have known what cold starvation means it was poignantly harrowing; to those who have suffered only in imagination it came as a revelation. Such scenes are not to be lightly played. Mockery of man's infirmity would be sacrilegious; without the note of fighting strength no audience could stand the picture. It was the test place of Mr. Lewis' power. That he could stir his listeners to the verge of sobs without ribaldry was his proof of worthiness.

Without decentralizing the interest of the play Mr. Lewis has surrounded himself with competent actors and actresses. Miss Harriott, as Dolly, was fine. She is natural and can rise to emergencies with tact. In but one place, the little scene with Mr. Miller, as Charlie Smith, when reference is made to her father, did she lose for a second the proper key.

Mr. Miller's work was more in the nature of a chorus to Dolly, but he was very acceptable. The weak spot in the cast is Thurston Hall, whose ideal is tradition. He distinctly falls below the level of the others. George R. Sprague, as Roderick Faye, displayed a most infectious humor and a fine conception of his role. Mr. McGail, as Marmaduke O'Haley, the janitor, was quietly effective.

When it comes to Fanny Barry Sprague's acting of the part of the vixenish Eunice Faye, admiration is mingled with a sense of wonder. In her few lines Miss Sprague discovers a talent for impersonating a feline, cunning, yet dull woman. To be sure, the part was tinged with comedy, but the laughter accorded was nervous. For the little ones, Scollops, Rip and Patch, the warmest praise is due. Miss Albee as Scollops was extremely fetching, and for the two tots that played Rip and Patch, the audience conceived the deepest affection.

Alice Warriner is the deus ex machina, a pardonable lapse of grammer in the case of the role, though not in the case of Miss Newman, who made it really touching. She did not waken a great deal of sympathy. How could she with this dragged-in part? But she did remarkably well, and used a voice of complex quality admirably.

At the end of the second act Mr. Lewis was called before the curtain and made a happily-turned little speech, in which he paid a reverent tribute to Mr. Russell, and thanked the audience for their kindness to himself. He referred very modestly to the fact that he is a taxpayer in Portland and therefore a Portlander. He said that the clothes he wore were those worn by Mr. Russell, and that so far Mr. Russell was visibly remembered on the stage where he had passed his life.

"A Poor Relation", will be given its last presentation here tonight.

"Hello Bill."

This morning at 10 o'clock the seats will be placed on sale for the jolly comedy, "Hello Bill," which will be the attraction at the Marquam Grand Theater next Friday and Saturday nights, with a popular price matinee Saturday at 2:15 o'clock.

"A Contented Woman."

At the Baker Theater next week commencing with Sunday matinee, the Neill Stock Company will present that splendid comedy by Charles E. Hoyt, "A Contented Woman." Of course everybody knows of Charles E. Hoyt, the author who wrote and produced as many if not more comedies and farce comedies than any other playwright of his time, and it is thought that "A Contented Woman" was his best effort. Caroline Miskel-Hoyt, who was considered one of the most beautiful women on the stage, and for whom the play was written, made a wonderful hit in it and the production was among the top-liners.

It was only a few years ago that Belle Archer secured the piece and made a most profitable and highly-artistic success with it. It has been some time since "A Contented Woman" was played in Portland, yet the piece no doubt is most pleasantly remembered by those who saw it. The Neill Stock Company will give a magnificent production of the comedy, and business at the Baker will continue on the increase.

"Hunting for Hawkins."

Fun, all fun, and nothing but fun, is the best way to describe that merry comedy, "Hunting for Hawkins," which is the bill at Cordray's for three nights, commencing Thursday, November 20, with a matinee Saturday.

"Pennsylvania."

In collaboration with C. E. Callahan, author of "Coon Hollow" and "Fogg's Ferry," Daniel Hart has written a story of the coal regions, called "Pennsylvania," which is to be presented at Cordray's Theater next Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, beginning with a Sunday matinee.

Foolkiller Wanted.

PORTLAND, Nov. 11.—(To the Editor.)—According to reports a "matrimonial agency" was raided recently in St. Louis by the inspectors of the Postal Department. As might be expected the agency was conducted by a blik of the first water. His receipts were from $80 to $100 a day. His method was to advertise in distant newspapers, and when inquiry was made by candidates for matrimony he would mail a printed list of persons who had "registered with him," not giving names of course, but describing each in a few bewitching words and stating the fortune possessed. A fee of $5 was required for registration before the important business could proceed. This being done, he engaged to bring the enchanting parties into correspondence, the whole affair being cooked up in his den with imaginary "manly men and lovely women," to bait the suckers. A large number of photographs was seized, fine looking ones to be sure, and which were finished to order by a photographer in Chicago. The correspondence is said to be a rich find, some of which was mailed not more than 10,000 miles from Portland, demonstrating in a striking manner the quality of men who want "rich widows and heiresses of lovely dispositions and are lonely," and likewise of women who are eager to find "manly and noble husbands;" not stopping to reflect that independently wealthy men and women of loving dispositions do not need and are not likely to engage some fake agency to assist them in securing life companions.

Strange, isn't it, that so many people should lose what little sense they were born with when it comes to this marrying business. C. E. CLINE.

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Mr. J. W. Fuller's whereabouts and his return to his family. Was sick and left home in a fit of despondency. He is 5 feet 8 inches high, brown hair, hazel eyes, weighs 150 pounds, age 41, but looks older; wears mustache dark brown, slightly sprinkled with gray. When last seen wore dark coat and vest, striped worsted pants, black Derby hat, colored shirt, white collar, black tie, polka dot, heavy Winter shoes, Regal make. Was seen at Meier & Frank's 10:30 A. M., October 27 and about noon same day on Barnes' road. Information may be sent to Mrs. J. W. Fuller, 394 Salmon street, city. 'Phone Brown 693.

Declines Invitation of Empress.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 11.—The steamer Empress of China, which arrived tonight, brought news that in view of the fact that the Chinese government has refused to mete severe punishment to military officers concerned in the murder of foreign missionaries in Hunan Province, the British Minister has declined an invitation of the Empress Dowager, and four British warships, the Britomart, Phoenix, Rosario, and another, have been ordered to proceed immediately to Hankow. Admiral Bridge commands the fleet.

Alco Club Elects Officers.

ALBANY, Or., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—At the annual meeting of the Alco Club tonight Edwin W. Stone was elected president; N. W. H. Davis, vice-president; J. S. Vanwinkle, secretary; J. C. Irvin, treasurer; H. H. Hewitt, E. W. Cusick, G. A. Westgate, F. M. French and J. L. Tomlinson, directors. The club is in a healthy condition and is doing much good for Albany.

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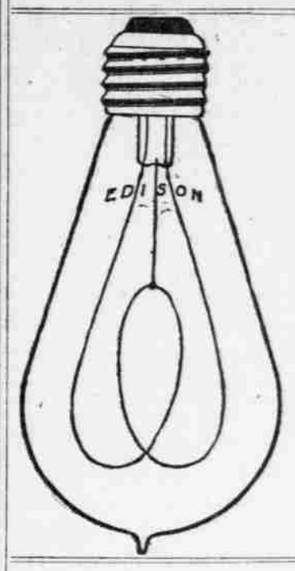

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