

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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AMUSEMENTS. MARQUAM GRAND THEATER-Tonight, at 8:15, Primrose & Dockstader's big minstrel company.

BAKERS THEATER-Tonight at 8:15, Nell Stock Company in "We-uns of Tennessee."

OPERA-THEATER-Tonight at 8:15, "The James Boys in Missouri."

BASES OF THE MISTLETOE TRADE-A young woman who was selecting a very liberal supply of mistletoe bought from the stock of a street vendor Saturday.

FRONT AND FIRST STREETS BRISTLE-With the return of prosperous times, the increase of business and the growth of the business part of the city Front and First streets are becoming more and more crowded.

STREET BUBBLES BURSTS-The bubble in the pavement of the street between Madison and Washington streets was noticed a day or two ago.

WORK OF THE STREET-CLEANERS-The addition of 10 men to the number employed in the Street-Cleaning Department has enabled Superintendent A. Leo Donaldson to make a very satisfactory showing of work in the district north of Washington street from Front to Sixteenth during the past week.

SOLD WATER TO NEIGHBOR-A citizen of the South End is in trouble with the water works officials. He has for a year or two been suspected of infringing on the rules of the water companies.

LAKE REVENUE FROM LICENSES-The fees due the city for licenses under the occupation tax ordinance have at last been about all paid up.

HOLIDAY RUSH AT POSTOFFICE-With the aid of 10 extra clerks and extra men to help the carriers, an international window added to the money order department and extra extensions on the part of all Postmaster Crossman is keeping up with the extraordinary rush of holiday business.

WHERE TO DINE. "What to eat" served correctly at the Portland Restaurant, 36 Washington.

Going to Memphis? Before starting call on O. B. & N. ticket office and ask about the new tourist car service via Denver, Kansas City and St. Louis.

ANOTHER THEATRE

"The James Boys in Missouri." Jesse... John Abbott... Harry Darling... Lew Siding... William Woods... Bud Meley... J. E. McDonough... Harriet Lee... Miss May Woods... Miss M. Mullery.

"Wow!" (Gun play). "Ye-e-rusalem!" (Gun play). "Ho-ho-ho, Jesse James!" (Gun play). "Dead men tell no tales!" (Gun play). "Throw up your hands, darn you!" Crack-et-y-crack-crack! (Gun play, of course).

"We-uns of Tennessee." Hiram Gray... Fred Mower... Albert Mann... Charles Wyngrate... William Lamp... Thomas Delaney... William Bernard... Robert Siddle... Carlyle Russell... Howard Russell... Bennett Southard... Uncle Ned, colored servant of Hiram Gray... William D. Hill... Roy Glenn... Mina Elmore... Lillian Rhoads... Mandy Monroe... Riste Rhoads... Catherine Courtney... Elsie Rhoads... Aunt Milly... Elsie Graham McNeill.

"We-uns of Tennessee." was produced by the Nell Stock Company to a crowded house at Baker's Theater yesterday. The play is something of a departure in style from the company's previous work.

The management is strictly honest with the public, for it comes right out in the open and calls the play the "James Boys in Missouri."

By the way, the play is a clever and amusing comedy, and the character of the old-fashioned colored family servants.

EDWIN MILTON ROYLE. College Graduate, Actor, Author and Orator Combined. The advance sale of seats will open this morning at 10 o'clock for Edwin Milton Royle's play, "The Fox Quill."

TO BE NO DEADHEADS. Everyone Will Pay for Tickets at Press Club Benefit. There will not be a "deadhead" in the house next Thursday night at the Baker Theater, when the Nell Stock Company will present "We-uns of Tennessee."

THREE BAD BARGAINS. Interesting Address is Delivered in the Y. M. C. Auditorium. Rev. A. J. Montgomery, of the Third Presbyterian Church, spoke of the "Three Worst Bargains in History" at the auditorium of the Young Men's Christian Association yesterday afternoon.

MILLIONS OF FISH. Salmon Hatchery Has Planted Myriads of Fry in River. "When more than 14,000,000 young salmon from one hatchery are planted in tributaries of the Columbia River, the fishing industry in this district must surely derive some benefit therefrom."

BACK FROM SIBERIA. Vancouver Residents Secure Concessions for Canneries. Charles S. Windsor and Andrew Houston, of Vancouver, B. C., who have just returned from Siberia, are in the city on a visit to their old friend, State Senator George T. Myers.

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White Hens Cluck and Roosters Crow at Poultry Show. The cats on exhibition at the poultry show of the Oregon State Poultry Association passed yesterday in peaceful Sunday afternoon cat naps.

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