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#### MARQUAM GRAND THEATER-Matines

day at 2:15 o'clock, tonight at 8:15, Mr. David Warfield in "The Auctioneer." CORDRAT'S THEATER-Matines at 2:15, this evening at 8:15, Miss Fannie Curtis in "Down by the Sea."

THE BAKER THEATER-Matines this after-noon at 2.15, tenicht at 8:15, "The Little Minister," by the Nelli Stock Company.

SELLS CARRAGE AND SQUARRES IN WIN-THE.—Eastern—specially New England— farmers who have to get the products of their farms under shelter about the time "the frost is on the pumpkin and the fodder's in the shock" would have been surprised if they had been on Front street yesterday to see Oregon farmers selling loads of cabbage at 1½ cents per pound, and loads of Hubbard squashes at 1 cent a pound. The cabbages were sold as rocka, but rather small, as they pound, and loads of Hubbard squashes at 1 cent a pound. The cabbages were sold as rocka but rather small, as they were nearly the last in the garden. The farmer said he had sold about 50 tons this season. The squashes were sound and worth 50 a ton at this season, although the farmer said he had sold a lot to canneries early in the season for 56 to 57 per ton. He has a lot more to sell now at 430 per ton. There must be more sutat \$30 per ton. There must be more sat-isfaction in farming in a country like this where squames and cabbages can be harvested all Winter than in the East, where Winter begins early and lasts long and all farm products must be housed before there, and will have to be lowered. the cold sets in. There have been no strawberries brought in lately, but a spell of warm weather will ripen some.

VALUABLE RESIDENCE SOLD,-The Louis Feurer residence, on the Cornell Road at the head of Everett street, has been pur-chased for \$10,500 by W. E. Robertson, of Corbett, Falling & Robertson. The building will be thoroughly remodeled and converted into a modern residence, as Mr. Robertson expects to make it his home Every part of the house was built ac-cording to the fancy of the former owner, and when it was vacated by him, the agents, Grindstaff & Elsin, had some diffculty in finding any one who would buy a such peculiar construction. Nearly an acre of ground surrounds the mouse, and this went with it at a price understood to be several thousand dollars below the actual cost of construction. The view of the entire city obtained from the location makes it a beautiful residence ette, and the most remarkable feature is that the house is almost on the street level. The grounds about the house are nearly worth the whole price of the deal, and Mr. Robertson has certainly gained a very desirable residence and some valuable property at an extremely low fig-

TO INSPECT INDEPENDENCE REVETMENT Assistant United States Engineer D. B. Ogden returned yesterday from Indeendence, where he went to examine rock eing delivered there for a revetment to be constructed by the Government. The rock is being brought from a quarry at the mouth of the Luckiamute by the steamer Eugene for the Spaulding Log-Fing Company, which has a contract to supply 2500 cubic yards, more or less. The rock is satisfactory, but the comny is having some difficulty in land-it, as it is to be placed on the bank feet above low-water mark. The late so test above low-water mark. The late cold weather has caused the water in the river to recede nearly to the zero mark. The rock, several bundred tone of which has been delivered, is to build a revenment to prevent a threatened change in the channel, which has been apprehended for some time, which would leave Independence inland, and by divid-ing the river would injure navigation between Salem and Independence

CHINAMAN LINED TO ABGUE .- For strik-CHINAMAN LINED TO ANDRES ON HIGO Ing a Chinaman in his employ. Higo Tannasce, who keeps a saloon at Fifth and Alder streets, was placed under ar-rest yesterday. His case will be tried in Oregon State Poultry Association will the Municipal Court today. The China-man, Yan Jim, has had trouble with his employer before. He is said to be headstrong and does not like to take orders from his boss. For awhile it was the Chinaman's custom to take the upitoons out on the sidewalk in the morning to wash them. The pollcemen notified the wash them. proprietor of the place that there was an ordinance against doing this, and he gave orders to the Chinaman to stop the practice. He persisted, however, and the next day was arrested. Tannasce refused to pay the Chinaman's fine, and said that as he had disobeyed orders he could stand the consequence himself. The trouble yesterday was of a similar nature. There was a dispute over an order which ended quartel TO IMPROVE CITY HALL SURBOUNDINGS. -The gutter on Fifth street in front of the City Hall, which was rudely conthe structed of very large uneven stone blocks placed on a soft foundation, has long been in bad condition, the blocks having settled down in places. At the north end of the block the street is considerably higher than the concrete sidewalk, giving it an appearance of having sunk. This is not a proper condition of things in front of a city hall, and the City En-This gineer has undertaken to remedy it. The gutter is to be repayed, the street to be lowered where it is too high, and new rosswalks are to be put in at both ends City Hall, so that strangers visiting the building may not see such signs of bad engineering. If they want to see bad streets, gutters, crosswalks, etc., there can be plenty found away from the City THREATENED TO KILL TENANT .- A col ored doctor, Paul Cromwell, was ar-rested yesterday upon the complaint of Mrs. E. J. Rise, who says that the doctor threatened to kill her. He was artor inreatened to kill her. He was ar-raigned before Municipal Judge Hogue yesterday afternoon, and entered a plea of "not guilty." The case was contin-ued until today. Mrs. Rise's story of the affair is that bad threats have been made upon her life, and that she does not feel safe while the man is allowed to run about. The colored doctor rents unfurnished rooms and Mrs. Rise was one of his tenants. Some time ago they had a dispute, and it was at this time that she says the threats were made. CORONER'S ECONOMICAL RECORD .- The books at the Auditor's office show that the present Coroner, J. P. Finley, is making a record for economy. The expenses of his office for the first six months, including July and December, have been \$561 62 less than they were during the former administration. When asked wherein this amount had been saved, Mr. Finley said. "I give all matter pertaining to the Coroner's office my personal atten-tion. No expense is incurred unless there some good reason for it." will convene this morning in the Cham-ber of Commerce building, and delegates from all parts of the Const will be pres-ent. Portland is the home of the order, and in consequence a great deal of interest will be displayed at the meeting this morning, which will commence at 10 o'clock sharp. TO WELCOME FAIR COMMISSIONER-Sec-retary H. E. Roed, of the Lewis and Clark Centennial, received a letter from Governor J. K. Toole, of Montana, yee-terday, saying that he would be pleased to welcome Commissioner C. H. McIsaac when he arrived in Montana, and that he aght that Montana would be in line to ald the great Fair.

TO REOPEN FIRST-STREET BRIDGE.-The FUNERAL OF DR. F. D. REAMES .- MIS workmen who have so long been employed in repairing First-street bridge across Marquam's Gulch will be taken away to-F. D. Reames, of Klamath Falls, ar-rived in the city last night with the body of her late husband. She was met by day, and it is intended to open the bridge to travel on Monday. Just when street-cars will begin to run across the bridge Benjamin Young, her father. Interment will be at Astoria. The deceased Dr. Reames was a physician of Kiamath Falls. is not known, as both the City & Sub-The cause of his death was pneumo urban and Portland Railway Companies have a franchise across the bridge, and

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

are looking forward to a steel bridge be-ing constructed there. The men who have been at work on this bridge will be put Tomorrow's Matinee at Cordray's. to work repairing the bridge on First street across the Woods-Street Gulch at once. They will have to overhaul the whole structure, as there is only one sound bent in it, which was put in last Summer. Probably some of the timber in the other beats can be used in the re-One of the most powerful and exciting theatrical productions ever, seen in this city will be at Cordray's Theater all next week, beginning Sunday matinee Jan-uary 18, when the new and censational frama "A Gambier's Daughter" comes drama in the other bents can be used in the rethere. It is a play that will interest all. There is love, romance, villainy, heroism, cowardice, conspiracy, and last, but not there. air. Engineer Elliott is anxious to get he bridges on the West Side of the river put to rights before moving the re-pair gauges to the East Side. However, the repair of the bridge on East Morrison least, comedy in this play, and the piece has scored a tremendous hit this season wherever it has been seen. The plot is a consistent one which holds the attenstreet between East Seventh and East Ninth has been completed, and the worktion and interest of the audience from start to finish. It never jags and in it no dull places can be found. The audience is either keyed up to a high tension over the wildly exciting climaxes and startling situations, and thrilled over the ad-ventures of the heroine and her brave

young lover, or else it is splitting its sides laughing at the comical antics of the comedian and comedienne, who figure conspicuously in the plot. The serious side of the piny is also enlivened at intervals by clever songs and specialties. Absolute-ly new and very elaborate scenery is used In the production, and the company itself is headed by clever Miss Lillian Hayward, the talented and well-known leading woman. The usual Saturday matinee will be given. The piece will surely attract large and enthusiastic crowds. given in order to put in a new foundation for the track, he was afraid that the teams would be mired in the graded part of the

#### "For Fair Virginia."

The offering of the Nelli Stock Company at the Baker all next week, starting with the usual Sunday matinee, will be A. L. Whytal's great play, "For Fair A. D. Virginia." TO RUN CITY HALL ELEVATOR-One of Virginia." This play contains some of the best characters ever written in a drama, each one of which is of spethe elevators in the City Hall is being cleaned up, and the machinery for oper-ating it being put in order, and it will cial worth. The plot of the play is laid in the South and tells the stirring story of the Civil War. It abounds in situations be running in a few days. This will save the new executive committee much weary climbing up and down two flights of marfilled with intensity, climaxes that are thrilling, and comedy of the kind that ble stairs, which would have caused them to realize how hard it is to climb. This attention to the welfare of the new offinever fails to be mirth provoking. "For Fair Virginia" was seen in Portland some years ago, it being played at the Marattention to the weifare of the new offi-chile gives accupants of the various of-flocs in the building hope that proper di-rectories will be placed near the main entrance to the edifice. It appears as if visitors to the City Hall never know where to look for any one, and always stumble into the offices of others to inquam Grand by the original New York ompany, of which Mr. Whytal was the tar. In many, if not all, respects the star. In many, if not all, respects the Neill Stock Company's production of this plece will rival that of the original. The success attained by George Alison in "The Little Minister," which is playing to standing room at every performance, will be repeated in his characterization of the part of Stephen Dumpy in "For Fate quire for the person wanted. Many every day call at the water works office to find the Mayor's office, two stories above, and scores daily walk through the City Treas-urer's office to inquire where they shall the part of Stephen Dunbar in "For Fair Virginia." Miss Countiss has a spiendid part in that of Mrs. Esmond. William FARMER SELLS & FAT BEAR-The car-Bernard will revel in the role of John cass and skin of a fat bear were hung up in front of a Third-street market yes-terday. The animal had been killing and Laughlin

"The Little Minister" Tonight. Tonight-last performance of "The Litle Minister.

## MATINEES TODAY.

"The Auctioncer." David Warfield will be seen in the natinee of "The Auctioneer" at the Mar-

had not kept on feeding hogs to the bear till Congress adjourned and President quam Grand Theater today at 2:15 o'clock. This is without doubt one of the most entertaining attractions of the season. Roosevelt could have come out here to The last performance is tonight at \$:15. kill it. The flesh of the bear was not so palatable to the farmer as hams and ba-"Down by the Sea."

"Down by the Sea" has been playing to crowded houses this week at Cordray's. It will do the same at today's matinee and at the last performance tonight. DOCTOR ILL OF BLOOD-POISONING .- Dr. A. H. Johnson, of East Portland, is seriously ill at the Good Samaritan Hospital. His illness is due to blood-poisoning from a wound in his hand made by one of his

#### SALE OF WAR RELICS. A Large Collection From the Army and Navy Departments.

cautions to prevent infection. The wound was only a slight prick in the paim of his hand, and at the time he thought little Commencing at 1 P. M. this (Saturday) afternoon, and continuing for 10 days only, of it. It soon began to show signs of in-fection, however, and yesterday it became necessary to operate upon his hand. He has been much better since the opera-tion, and it is thought that he will not loss his hand. the good people of Fortland and surround-ing territory will have an opportunity to purchase United States Government goods ande for the Army and Navy Departments at prices which are almost equivalent to giving them away. The sale is a bona fide one, conducted by a gentleman of experience, W. Stokes Kirk, at 106 Sixth ask the Legislature to appropriate \$500 to



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Mouse-Killing Contest in Connecticut Choked Off.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16 .- Referring to the proposed mouse-killing contest in Stam-ford, Conn., which it is proposed to make a feature of a cat show, John P. Haines, president of the Society for the Preven-tion of County to Apple society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, said:

"This proposed exhibition of cruelty, if it is seriously proposed to bring it off, will be stopped. I have communicated with President William Delos Love, of the Connecticut Humane Society, at Hartford,

advising that the affair be prevented. If a body of New York women would pro-pose such an exhibition, I would warn them that the law would be enforced, and if they persisted in holding the mouse-killing contest I would arrest on the spot

every promoter and witness of the affair. "The Connecticut law on the subject is clear, and women who promote such an affair render themselves liable to arrest."

#### McConnell May Recover.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.-Frank Mc Connell, the pugliist who was so seriously injured in a boxing bout with "Spider" Welch last night, is gradually becoming conscious, and the attending physicians express the belief that he will recover. His condition is such, however, that a thorough examination of his injuries has not as yet been made

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pay for the prizes offered at the annual exhibitions. Heretofore the members of the association have paid for the numer-ous premiums from their own pockets, but as the organization concerns the whole state, they believe that sufficient funds should be appropriated. The board of directors held a meeting and decided bi all the step, and also selected Frank Hitchcock, of Denver, Colo., to act as judge in the annual exhibition which will be held in Portland December 28 to Janu-ary 2, 1998-4.

pay their license fees.

cating fat hogs belonging to a farmer named Schuman, who lives near the junc-tion of the Foster and Powell's Valley

ads. When he got tired of losing his bigs he went on a still hunt for the bear,

and after being on the lookout for sev-eral days, he killed poor bruin. He has now secured most of his lost lard trans-

formed into bear's grease. He is sorry he

surgical instruments. He thought at the time that the instrument had been steril-

ized and did not take any antiseptic pre

on, so he sent it to market.

terday.

PREFERS WORSE WEATHER. -- "Lovely weather, this," remarked an old friend to Joseph Buchtel whom he met. "It is lovely weather for those who like this kind," replied Mr. Buchtel. "I don't like it. I do not like the smell of frost on

the air. I prefer the balmy south wind and a moist atmosphere. I am of the same opinion as my old friend, Dr. J. A. Chapman, who was Mayor of Portland a good many years ago. He said any one who thought he liked frosty weather was a falsifier, and if any one really did like it he showed himself of unsound mind,

as he liked to be uncomfortable. COMMERCIAL CLUB OPENING .- The open ing of the new and elegantly appointed quarters of the Commercial Club will be celebrated by the annual dinner of the club on the evening of Saturday, January M. Members have been notified and also nformed that each plate will be \$5, but no one will take away his plate. The gorgeous fitting and furnishings of the spacious rooms are all that can be dewired. The menu will be worthy of the oms and the occasion

SENDING BOOKLETS TO CHICAGO .- The Board of Trade is sending about 6000 of the Harriman booklets on "Oregon and Its Resources" back to Chicago to be dis tributed by the Harriman agents in that district. The original supply of 190,000. which was sent at the time the books were printed, has given out, and the rail-road people want to get a new supply so that the good work of advertising the state may be continued.

BUNCO MAN TAKEN TO SEATTLE .- D. Campbell, the smooth bunco man who defrauded Everding & Farrell out of \$200 a few days ago, was taken to Seattle yes-terday to answer to charges there. The Seattle case seems to offer better chances

of conviction than the Everding & Farrel The fact that he secured the money from the firm without being forced to sign any papers seems to make his con-viction questionable.

CAMERA CLUB ELECTION-At the annual secting of the Oregon Camera Club the following officers, constituting the execufollowing officers, constituting the execu-tive board, were elected for the coming year: President, S. A. Thrall; vice-presi-dent, J. W. Holmes; secretary, B. E. Fiske; treasurer, C. H. Holg; lantern alide director, T. Birdsall; directors, A. Gavin, H. J. Thorne, J. J. Tyrrell, W. O. Hains and F. H. Fleming.

MEN'S RESORT ENTERTAINMENT .- This evening at 7:45 o'clock the usual Satur-day night entertainment will be given at the Men's Resort, 66 North Sixth street. It will consist of a stereopticon lecture on Alaska by Rev. M. D. McClelland, who was for many years a missionary in that country. No charge for admission. All

are welcome ADOLPH A. DERUM, president of the Columbia Telephone Company for the past year, has resigned and disposed of his stock in that company several days ago, and wants his friends to understand that he is not in any way connected with the statement embodied in a petition circulated among business men by the present

THE South Portland Improvement As-sociation meets this (Saturday) evening." ciation meets this (Saturday) even Social dance tonight, Harper's Hall, 210 First. Gentlemen 25c, ladies free. Wooster sells everything, low prices. Wrsz BROS., dentists, The Falling. \*

ngion and Black There is a varied assortment of swords rifles, revolvers, bayonet sets, flags, wool blankets, undershirts, hats, coats, capes, Parlors, 127 6th, adjoining Oregonian Bidg. gloves, valises, rugs, battle-ship rugs and curtains, and a large quantity of war curios. Many of the items will be found Parlors, 127 6th, adjoining Oregonian B.dg useful in the home, as well as ornamental As to the prices, just note a few follow-STORAGE ing samples: Cavalry high-top boots hand-sewed, \$2 75; Navy woolen undershirts, 60c; Navy woolen drawers, 75c Army wool blankets, \$2 75; watch caps 20c; rubber blankets, 75c; marine liner Tenth and Johnson streets. Phone Main

coats, 35c; artillery vallses, leather, \$1.50; Springfield rifles, caliber .45, \$5 75; May-nard carbines, \$2.75; table mats, 10c; sallor badges, used as table mats, 50c, etc., Here will be found something that will interest all. The quality of the goods interest all. The quality of the goods being made for the United States Government is beyond dispute. Remember the number, 106 Sixth street.



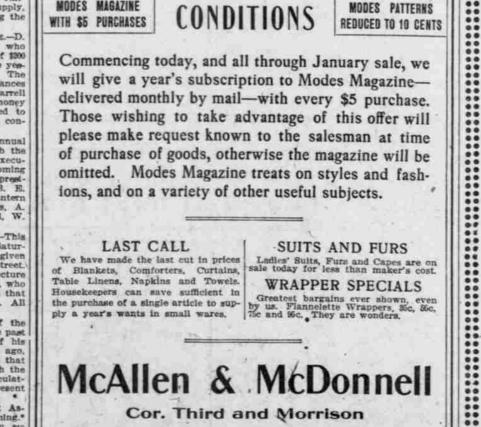
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