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MARQUAM GRAND THEATER (Morth between 6th and 7th)-Tonight at \$:20 lock, "the musical comedy, "The Chap-

BELASCO THEATER (14th and Washing-ton-- Captain Jenks of the Horse Marines." Bakker THEATER (Thing and Yambii)-Tonight at 8:15, the Mercymakers Extrara-

GRAND THEATER (Park and Washington) -Continuous vandeville, 2:50 to 10:30 P. M. -Continuous vandeville, 2.30 Washington)-STAR THEATER (Park and Washington)-strate the action of the state THE OAKS" (on the O. W. P. & By. Co.'s line)-From S A. M. to I P. M.

YOUNG PROPLE'S UNION PROGRAMME -Beginning yesterday, the Baptist Young reople's Union, of the Second Baptist Church, East Side, has adopted the following programme of meetings up to the first of the year: September 17, "Great Surrender," Jeader, Adolph Gantenbein: 24, "The First Fruits for God," Miss Turner; October 1. "The Christian and His Bible." S. C. Lapham; 8, "The Christian's Trials and Triumphs," Mr. Young; 15, "Better Work Our Society Should Do," Herr Gan-tenbein; E., "Sacred Songs That Have Helmed," Eva Joseph 2: "The Building of Work Our Sciency Congs That Have tenbeln; 2, "Sacred Songs That Have Helped," Eva Joseph; 29, "The Building of I Character," Miss Bose Leaf; November 5, "The Triumphs of the Kingdom," Eloie Greenwell; 12, "The Dangers of Indul-gence," F. L. Kneeland; 18, "My Cove-nant With the People," Dennis Berry; 25, "God's Wonderful Works," Mrs. S. C. Laphan, December 3, "Our One Excuse," Miss Lena Nauman: 10, "The City of God," Paul Gantenbein; 17, "The Duty of Winsomeness, Mrs. J. H. Küppel, 25, "A Christmas Gift to the Christ," Mrs. U. K. Hall; 21, "What Have I Learned This Var?" Mrs. C. M. Hall, Uback K. Hall Year?" Mrs. C. M. Hall, Ubert K. Hall

WORK ON POWER PLANT .- An order aggregating \$150,000 has been placed by the Oregon Water Power & Rallway Company for transformers, generators and motor wheels for the new electric power plant now under construction at Cazadero. These are to be delivered in Portland by Work is going for aret of the year. the first of the year. Work is going for-ward steadily on this plant, where the waters of the Clackamas River will be harnessed and made to run the cars of the O. W. P. and turn the spindles of manufacturing establishments in Port-land. It is announced that not later than April. 1996, electric power aggregating 20.-con horsepower will be generated at Cana-tice Schwitzthwards and the fact the fact the fact in the spindles of the re-lief was dangerous to be carried in the pocket, as it was liable to explosion with-out a revolver hammer coming in con-tact with the cap. Another thing shown in the practice vertex was the fact dero. Substations are to be built for hand-ing this power. Stations have already that many officers did not even know built at Gresham and Eagle Creek. how to cock their weapon preliminary nder construction at the Golf to firing it. As to the score made by Sollwood, and another will be many of the men, no effort was made to built at Oak Grove. These will be stone even guess at it. The target was about buildings. At Cazadero nearly 200 men 16x14 inches, and at a distance of 20 are at work building the rotaining dam, and it is estimated that the completed shooting, and many missed entirely. plant will cost over \$1,000,000.

POMONA GRANGE TO MEET .- Pomons Grange, Pairons of Husbandry of Mult-comsh County, will hold an important meeting at Pleansn; Home, with Multnoah Grange, next Wednesday, con ing its sessions in the morning at 10 ock. Napoleon Davis is the master. It is proposed that this shall be a bury session. At this meeting the masters and deputies of Multnomah County have been lied in special convention independent Pomona's meeting, to organize for the constal betterment of the farmers' order new revolvers and ammunition in this county. J. J. Johnson, of Evening Star Grange, has issued a circular letter to these officers to be on hand, so that an Star Grange, has issued a circular letter to these officers to be on hand, so that an organisation can be effected for the pur-pose of improving the order. The confer-ence committee to consider the Portland is regulared from men in the department. market situation has also been called to meet with Pomona. These, with many other matters, will make the meeting the men are not required to give a demon-

other matters, will make the meeting the most important that has been held in the county for several years. WHIZ BERLD & DOUBLE TRACK. - The managers of the O. W. P. Co, have an-nounced that they will double-track the Mount Scott branch after the Exposition. Practically they have secured the neces-sary rights of way through to Lents, but have not decided how the connection with

Missus Hun WATCH .- While drinking with a woman companion in a room over the Main Entrance Cafe, opposite the en-trance to the Fair grounds, on Saturday night, Mrs. M. King, of 238 Main street, missed her watch, which she reported yesterday morning had been stolen from her. The watch, she said, was an hefr-icom, and was valued highly.

AMBOUITT IN NAME.-Ex-Special Police-man C, W. Mott, who was arrested by Special Officer Johnson, September 14, on a charge of being on the street after 1 o'clock. Is not James A. Mott. The likeess in the two names has caused some CAR OFF TRACK .- Traffic on the Morri

son-street bridge at 6 o'clock last night was stopped for a short time, because of the derailing of street-car No. 80 of the etland Consolidated line.

Portiand Consolidated line. LEWIS AND CLARK championship wres-tling tournament tonight at the Mulino-mah Club Gymnasium, at 5:30. Admis-sion 25c. Ladies admitted. Norice -Oregon City excursion boat disontinued.

Dn. Bnown, eye and ear. The Marquam.

POLICE CAN'T SHOOT.

Revolvers of Portland's "Defenders Public Mennee.

The buriesque organization, which opened a week's run at the Baker yes-That officers and men of the Portland police department as a whole are inexterday, is called "The Merrymakers." The name is comprehensive enough to perienced in the use of revolvers, and use wcapons and ammunition which are not cover a lot of things. Two skits, "Kraus myer in Society" and "The Mayor's Va only dangerous if used on the streets, but which are dangerous to the officers cation" are presented by a number of cation are presented by a number of principals and a pretty, well-dressed chorus. Some of the song numbers were pleasing, among them "The Hindoo Man," "Moonlight," "Good Bye, Hiram Green," themselves, was discovered yesterday. The first night relief, consisting of 27 officers, under Capitala Moore, who is himself an expert shot, were taken to the Portland Rifle Club yesterday afterand "The Prettiest Girl in Borneo," noon, that a practical demonstration might be made of the relief's efficiency medians made the crowds laugh comedians made the crowds laugh and the show as a whole "went," as they say might be made of the polloeman might be called upon at a moment's no-tice to use. Although some of them are experienced shots, many do not even know how to load, unload, aim or fire the weapon which all are compelled to carry. live work and won the favor The revolvers carried by some of the officers, although not antiquated weapalso added greatly to the performance. "The Merrymakers" are to remain a in such state that they are not ODS, BPC the Baker all the week with the cus

sufe for even target practice, and Captain Moore was compelled in two or three cases to warn officers in the rear of the firing line to stand to one side, fearing that the officers shooting, by the promis cuous manner in which they used th might hit someone standing

the theater.

tomary afternoon perform

Dr. Bill ...

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#### Few Make Good Showing.

It was demonstrated that the relief as a whole is in a high state of inefficiency, but a few men had taken it upon themselves to keep in practice, and these made very creditable showings. Many of the officers, recognizing the deplorable condition of their weapons and knowing the value of having a good revolver, went to Captain Moore at headquarters last night and asked his advice about purchasing

The practice yesterday, under the direc-tion of Captain Moore, was the first ever

sary rights of way through to Lents, but have not decided how the connection with Hawthorne avenue will be made. The reservoir car line, which at present ends at the Section Line road, may be extended south to a connection with the Mount Scott line, forming two branchess of the double tracks. From the junction of these two branches the double tracks may be laid through to Lents. This plan may be cateded on. The people eastward of the lower reservoir want the reservoir branch avtended engineered to may the purpose. Portlower reservoir want the reservoir branch is furnished thom for this purpose. Port-extended eastward two miles, near the land, it seems, has not yet reached this stage of progress.



ture (?): hence Marie Corelli; hence "The Vendetta"; hence "Fable Ro-mani," for the latter is the outward manifestation of the three former. Life is not all beer and skittles, "unfortu-nately, and we should take some things seriously, even "Fable Romani." The Empire was filled at both perform-ances yesterday with people who have made Marie Corelli rich, while ahe might otherwise have starved to death. ........................

might otherwise have staryed to death. Vengeance has shown great elemency toward Marie. Her public must have something, and since E. P. Roe, Laura Jean Libby and Bertha M. Clay have fortunately been cut off, she remains a popular idol. That her novels still apeal to a certain class was again dem-oustrated might otherwise have starved to death. apeal to a certain class was again dem-onstrated yesterday, when "Fablo Ro-The mani" drew two big audiences,

The company which played it at the Empire yesterday is about what might be expected-neither better nor worse. William Morris played the dual leading roles, and was very much pleased with himself. Well he might be, for he has a walk which is the envy of the boys who furn up their coat collars and wear their hats with a list to port. Sherman & Fuller, the tumblers, He is a "nifty" actor, and Id like to see him as "Hamlet." He would sure-ly attract attention. The other members of the company should be able to do other things profitably. "Fabio Romani" will run all the yesterday taxed the capacity of

week at the Empire. All those like it will like it.

N. B. Crane Tells How They Devas tate California Orange Orchards.

.Alma Kelly

Mike McCarthy ..... M. J. Kelly

By A. A. G.

N. B. Crane, of Oroville, Cal., formerit a pioneer resident of East Portland, who is spending a few weeks in this city visiting old-time friends, has had so teresting experiences since he left Por land for California 11 years ago. M M: Crane went to Oroville, on the Feather River, which in the early days was the scene of mining operations. He took up 60 acres of land that had composed some of the richest placer mines in the paimy days of Northern California. Around his land were 10,000 acres that had been mined, but which had become fine or ange farms. Without dreaming of the mining dredger, which sweeps farms and prolific orchards out of existence. Mr.

MARCH OF GOLD-DREDGERS

Crane and his neighbors started orange orchards. After years of persistent efforts these flourished, and then mining experts discovered that the land was still rich in gold, left over in the exciting days of '49. So farms were gradually pur-So farms were gradually pur-

my farm. I held on as long as I could un-til the dredgers had turned into absolute ruin farms all around me. All about me was desolation as complete as could be made. There was nothing left of the orchards but plies of stones and earth. And so I, too, sold out my land. in the course of time the 10,000 acres of productive land on Feather River will be ren dered absolutely worthless by these dredgers that are slowly and surely plow-



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Evening Star Grange Hall, and then to ewing south to a connection with the Mount Scott line. They will make an effort to get the company to consider this route. PROPLE OF ST. JOHNS TO MEET .- Secre

tary W. L. Thorndylle has called a meeting of the St. Johns Board of Trade for next Wednesday evening. The call announces: There are important matters to be discussed, and every property-owner, taxpayer and citizen is urged to be pres-ent, whether he be a member of the oranization or not. Be at this meeting. It a very important. There are matters of vital interest to consider. Attend whether you have joined or not." The meeting will be held at the office of L. B. Chipman, Holbrook block, at 7:20 o'clock.

THE Allen Preparatory School will re-open September 25. Graduates from the ninth grade of the public schools entering the academic department can prepare themselves in four years for the examinations of the College Entrance Examina-tion Board, which admits pupils to all Eastern colleges and scientific schools. Mrs. Allen will be at the school building, corner of East Twelfth and Salmon streets, from 9 to 12.

streets, from 9 to 12. • WATTERN' BALL.—The first annual ball given Saturday night at Merril's Hall by the Fortland Walters' Union was a great success. The hall was filled with mem-bers and friends of the union, and an en-joyable dance was had. Following the lead of the ball given Saturday night, each year the Walters' Club will give a similar event. similar event.

Cochran, of the Acme Lumber Company, rear Portsmouth, was caught botween two wagons Friday and badly crushed. When released he fell unconscious from his injuries. He was removed to his home in University Park, where he received medical attention.

1095 First street, aged 9 months, was given

BROOKLYN CLUB MEETING .- The Brooklyn Republican Club meets next Wednes-day evening in Blanck's Hall, Powell street, to take up the matter of fire pro-tection and the rights of way for the proposed Brooklyn newer system.

Pusse CLUB TO MART -The Push Club for Precincts 54 and 50 will meet tomor-row evening in the ball at 800 Union ave-nue North, to hear reports from commit-ter on fire protection, and to transact general business.

Fon San Francisco, the elegant steamer V. H. Kruger sails direct Monday, Sept. 15, at 6 P. M. First cabin passage, \$12. Meals and berth included, C. H. Thomp-son, agent, 13 Third street.

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ST. JOHNS COUNCIL MEETS

Deadlock, However, Is Still On and Nothing Will Be Done.

The St. Johns Council will attempt to meet this evening, but apparently the deadlock continues, and no business can be transacted. In spite of all the efforts that have been put forth to break the deadlock in the Council and bring the warring factions to an agreement, they are as far apart as ever. The Council adjourned two weeks ago with the expec-tation that a basis of agreement would be reached before the meeting this eve-ning, and it was even thought the whole difficulty would be settled in a few days. difficulty would be settled in a few days. Attorneys Young & Vaughn, for Mayor King and Councilman Peterson on the one side, and Attorney W. R. Mc-Garry, for Councilmen Shields, Leggett, Edwards and Brice, have put in the time sparring, and the promised quick settle-ment by "submitting the status of Coun-ting Edwards and States at the States of Coun-

climen Edwards and Peterson to the Cir-cuit Court on an agreed statement of facts" has not been realized.

facts" has not been realized. Business men of St. Johns do not hest-tate to denounce the action of the Coun-climen in unmeasured terms. Daniel Brecht, who recently purchased the con-trolling interest in the St. Johns Lumber Company, and suffered loss by fire, has been trolling to therest outside cancital in Imiliar event. CEUEREND BETWEEN WAGONE - Samuel Cochran, of the Acme Lumber Company, sear Portsmouth, was caught between two wagons Friday and badly crushed. Company, and sufferent outside capital in a large sawmill, but says his efforts are hampered by the deadlock and by the bad reputation St. Johns is getting in conse-

reo wagons Friday and hadly crushed. When released he fell unconscious from his injuries. He was removed to his home in University Park, where he received medical attention. Prastrinser Bast in Class C.-An error in the list of prize-winning bables at the Exposition occurred in Class C. in the manne of the winner of the first place as the pretifiest baby. Dorothy Marion Gay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gay, of

considerable weekly payroll, suspended the past week for the reason, it is said, its owners could not get the Council to give permission for a newer. And so bus-inces men and prominent citizens say that St. Johns is getting a black eye from this deadlock in the Council.

## CLAREMONT TAVERN.

is without doubt the finest roadhouse in the West Old-Inshioned Maryland chicken, with over fritters and cream gravy is one of the many good things to be had. Running daily an automobile be had, rounning using an automotile carrying twelve passempers will leave the Oregon Hotel, stopping at the Portland, Importal and Perkins hotels, at 2, 4, 5, 8 and 16 P. M., making a beautiful ride of 14 miles (round trip) for £L. Launches may be had at Merril's boathouse, foot of Morrison street, which land at Chare-mont dock mont dock

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ville was the center of the earliest or-ange belt in California, and is now the greatest gold dredging field in the world at the expense of the orange groves."

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF SIDE TRIPS.

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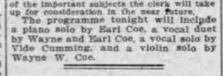
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