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AMUSEMENTS

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER (Morrison st., bet. 6th and 7th)—This afternoon at 3 o'clock, Eleanor Robson in Robert Brown- ing's "In a Balcony". Tonight at 8:15, "Merely Mary Ann."

HELASCO THEATER (14th and Washington)—Evening at 8:15, comedy-drama, "The Charity Ball."

BAKER THEATER (Third and Yamhill)—Tonight at 8:15, Sam Devere's Own Extravaganza Company.

EMPIRE THEATER (12th and Morrison)—Tonight at 8:15, "On the Bridge at Mid- night."

GRAND THEATER (Park and Washington)—Continues vaudeville, 2:30 to 10:30 P. M.

STAR THEATER (Park and Washington)—Continues vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30, 9 P. M.

"THE OAKER" (at O. W. P. & Ry. Co.'s line)—From 9 A. M. to 12 P. M.

RECREATION PARK (24th and Vaughn)—At 2 P. M. (weather permitting), baseball, football and basketball.

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FOR DEEP WATER FOR SEA.—Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock there will be a meeting of the river and harbor committee of the Portland Board of Trade at the rooms of that organization in the Chamber of Commerce building, called especially to consider the manner in which that organization shall endeavor to assist in the movement for deepening the river channels from Portland to the sea and obtaining a depth of 40 feet on the bar. This committee is composed of D. E. Buchanan, chairman; C. W. Nottingham, I. L. Patterson, Richard Scott and A. B. Stambach.

HORSETHIEVES ENTERTAINED.—Sheriff W. B. McCoy, of Sherman County, arrived in Portland last night with Earl Wood, ward and George Carr, two notorious highwaymen, who are on their way to Salem, where a four-year term in the State Penitentiary confronts each of them. Sheriff McCoy arrived too late to make the Salem train, and lodged his prisoners at the Police Station over night.

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