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AMUSEMENTS

MARQUAN GRAND THEATRE (Morrison street, between 6th and 7th)—Tonight at 8:15, "The Star Show Girls."
Tend-a-foot.

BELASCO THEATRE (14th and Washington)
Evening at 8:15, "The Mystery of the Sheridan, or the Maid of Bath."

BAKER THEATRE (Third and Yamhill)—Tonight at 8:15, "The Star Show Girls."

EMPIRE THEATRE (12th and Morrison)—Tonight at 8:15, "Honest Hearts."

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

ST. JOHN'S THEATRE (Park and Washington)—Continues vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30, 9 P. M.

TO IMPROVE MONUMENT SQUARE.—At the meeting of the Lona Fir Monument Association yesterday afternoon, M. L. Pratt presiding, it was decided to take action toward paying off a small indebtedness and making some needed improvements to Monument Square, in which the memorial shaft stands. The debt was incurred to build a concrete wall about the block and in grading the grounds. W. W. Ogilbee was appointed a committee of one to present the matter to the Women's Relief Corps and ask for their assistance in paying off the debt, and besides this it was also decided to ask for additional subscriptions. Secretary Ogilbee stated that the association had expended \$200 in grading the shaft and making improvements, and there was a debt of about \$300 for recent work. The association authorized President M. L. Pratt to continue his efforts to secure some small pieces of artillery for corner-pieces to the block, and he agreed to call on Commander Williams, of Vancouver, for information as to whether suitable cannon could be had. It was also ordered that the trees and shrubbery on the grounds be fertilized. The association adjourned to meet in two weeks, at 2 P. M., October 23, at the same place.

GETTING READY FOR FERRY.—J. E. Brink and John D. Mann, representing the St. Johns Ferry Company, accompanied by City Attorney S. H. Greene, examined the conditions on both sides of the Willamette at St. Johns Wednesday to ascertain the conditions. In St. Johns it will be necessary to improve a street to a connection with the proposed landing on Pittsburg street, at the O. R. & N. Railway. Mr. Brink, who is at the head of the company, has already ordered lumber for the roadway from the railroad to the landing, and will start construction in a short time. The ferry company has accepted the conditions of the ordinance granting it a franchise, and it will probably be passed without amendment at the December meeting of the Council. Meanwhile the company will go ahead with its arrangement to install the ferry.

WOULD AVOID EXPENSIVE LAWSUIT.—Four or five propositions will come before the St. Johns Council this evening, from private corporations, to put in water-works in that place, and will receive consideration. During the last week several men have called on City Engineer Taylor to get information as to the best way to get propositions before the Council. The information has gone abroad that St. Johns wants a water plant, and these applications for a franchise are the result. It is the judgment of the City Attorney that no franchise can be granted to any private person or company until the franchise of the St. Johns Water Company is disposed of.

BURIED BY HIS COMRADES.—The funeral of Jacob Clausen, a veteran of the Civil War, who died at Mount Tabor, October 13, took place yesterday afternoon at Dunning's undertaking chapel. Interment was in G. A. R. Cemetery, under the auspices of Summer Post, 12. At the church a brief service was held, and at the cemetery the rites of the G. A. R. were given. Mr. Clausen was 61 years old. He was a member of Company C, Third Infantry, and had an excellent record and had been a member of Summer Post.

WILL DEDICATE MOUNT TABOR HALL.—Head Consul Book, of the Woodmen of the World, who will be in Portland three days in November, will dedicate the new Woodmen Hall at Mount Tabor. At that time the building will be completed. It cost the order \$100,000, and has been a strenuous struggle to put up the hall, but with the assistance of citizens, actuated by a neighborhood pride, the structure is now being finished. It takes the place of Oriental Hall, which was destroyed by fire five years ago.

HIP DISLOCATED.—John Kenworthy, who has been an invalid for several years, fell a few days ago at his home on East Pine street and dislocated his hip. So far the physicians have been unable to replace the limb, owing to Mr. Kenworthy's weakened condition, which makes it unsafe to administer an anesthetic. Mr. Kenworthy is a pioneer resident and prominent in affairs until his health failed. For some years he has scarcely recognized his most intimate friends.

CLACKAMAS BRIDGE SETTLES.—The bridge across the Clackamas River at Estacada is reported to be in a dangerous condition. The sills and underpinning of the north approach are rotten, and the bridge, after the heavy rains, this end began to settle. The cost of repairs will not be great. Nearly half the people doing business at Estacada used this bridge.

LENTS SCHOOL OPENS.—Lents School will open this morning in the enlarged building, H. A. Darnell, principal. Six rooms have been built, providing a ten-room schoolhouse. Only part of the new rooms have been completed. This school opens a month and a half behind on account of delays in completing the annex.

FIRE IN COLLAR FACTORY.—Fire broke out yesterday afternoon in the collar factory of T. J. Kruder, 301 East Eighteenth street, but the firemen extinguished it before it spread. The damage about \$5. The fire was in the wood-work about the chimney. The alarm was turned in from box 243.

HOLDS HIS FIRST SERVICES.—Rev. B. F. Toward, D. D., new presiding elder for the East Portland district, preached his first sermon yesterday, in the morning in Trinity Church, and in the evening in Sellwood Church. He will hold quarterly meetings at Trinity Church today.

CREMATION SERVICES.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Peck was held yesterday afternoon at the Portland Crematorium, near Sellwood, in the presence of the relatives and friends. Mrs. Peck was 61 years old. She is survived by her husband, O. A. Peck.

OPENING SOCIAL.—The Altar Society of St. Mary's Parish, of Albina, will hold its opening social next Tuesday evening, October 17. Mrs. F. W. Washer, Mrs. C. T. Smith, Mrs. J. Noonan and Mrs. E. Chambers were appointed the committee of arrangements.

PUSH CLUB TO MEET.—The North Irvington Push Club will meet tomorrow evening in the building on Falling street and Union avenue, to take further steps for securing fire protection in that neighborhood.

PROTECTION FOR SHAVIER SCHOOLHOUSE.—Three new fire hydrants have just been placed near the Shavier schoolhouse in Central Albina, which is a three-story house with a basement.

LAST WEEK OF SALE.—Cut prices on all palms and plants; also boxwood and garden shrubs. L. G. Pfunder, florist, 427 Washington street. Phone Main 454.

ATTRACTIVE POSITIONS, GOOD PAY.—Boys over 16 years of age can secure steady employment at good wages by applying at once 106 Sixth street.

MISS EDITH KELLY, formerly of Chicago will receive piano pupils at studio, 64 Morrison street. Leachetsky method.

CLAREMONT TAVERN.—Northern Pacific train, 4:30 P. M., stops at Claremont, returning 1:45 P. M.

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