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AMUSEMENTS.

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER (Morrison between 6th and 7th)—Stockwell-MacGregor Company in "The Carnival of Love." Tonight at 8:30.

GRAND THEATER (Washington, between Park and Seventh)—Vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M.

PANTAGES THEATER (4th and Stark)—Continuous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30, 9 P. M.

LYRIC THEATER (7th and Alder)—The Allen Stock Company in "The Girl From Texas." Tonight at 8:15. Matinees Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday at 2:15 P. M.

STAR THEATER (Park and Washington)—The French Stock Company in "A Daughter of the South." Tonight at 8:15. Matinees Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday at 2:15 P. M.

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IMPROVING EAST OAK STREET.—The improvement of East Oak street, between Union avenue and East Sixth street, is in a fair way to be finished and thrown open to the public. The fills on East Oak street are nearly as extensive as those on East Stark. There is a complete fill between Union avenue and East Sixth street requiring nearly 100,000 cubic yards of material. This fill was expensive, as the large sewer serving a considerable district that had been carried on posts, was broken for the two blocks and had to be replaced through the solid embankment at heavy expense. There also is a fill under way between East Second and East Water street, the work being done by wagons and private contract. This job is nearing completion, which will open East Oak street to East Water street.

FAREWELL RECEPTION.—Rev. Henry B. Hudson, of New York, who has been acting pastor of the Second Baptist Church, East Seventh and East Ankeny streets, for the past three months, during the absence of Rev. S. C. Lapham, will close his work this week. Next Friday night a general farewell reception will be tendered Dr. Hudson as an expression of appreciation of his work. He preached twice every Sunday, and the congregation was large morning and evening through the vacation season. Dr. Hudson has made many warm friends both in and outside of the church. There has been a general wish that he remain in Oregon, but that question has not been settled.

"THE ROOSEVELT IDEA."—Dr. Henry W. Coe's subject tonight at the meeting of the East Side Roosevelt Club in the Logus building, on Grand avenue is "The Roosevelt Idea." All will be welcome to hear what he has to say on that subject. He has recently been through the East and will be able to tell something about the demand for the renomination of President Roosevelt for a third term, and say whether he thinks the President would accept if nominated by the Republican Convention by acclamation.

SAYS POCKET WAS PICKED.—E. A. Harris, a man with a family and who stops at the Hotel Rheinphalz, reported to Captain of Police Slover last night, that he had been relieved of $180 in gold coin at the circus grounds yesterday afternoon. According to his tale, Harris had the money, which consisted of nine $20 gold pieces, in a purse in his hip pocket, and in some manner he was robbed of it between the hours of 1 and 5 o'clock when he was at the circus.

CIRCUS EMPLOYE SHOT.—Robert Ford, colored, an employe of the circus, was shot in the left leg by a man whose name he did not know, in front of a saloon at Twenty-third and Savier streets, at 8:30 o'clock last night. He told the police that a negro, also employed at the circus, fired the shot, but he did not know why. Ford was taken to a hospital. He said he did not wish to prosecute.

BREAKS LEG ON "BUMPS."—While "bumping the bumps" at The Oaks last night, Joseph Baker, 13 years of age and living with his parents at Mount Scott, sustained a fracture of the left leg. He was removed to the Good Samaritan Hospital. In his ride down the bumps, he collided with another boy.

PROPERTY OWNERS!—We want houses to rent. We are turning away scores of desirable renters every week for lack of houses. If you have a house or flat (or a dozen of them) list with us. We will rent them for you, and collect the rent. The Title Guarantee & Trust Co., 240-244 Washington street, corner Second. *

ARRESTED FOR THEFT.—W. H. Moody, 30 years of age, was arrested by Acting Detective Kay last night on a charge of larceny in a dwelling, and was lodged in the City Jail in default of bail. He is charged with stealing phonograph records from the home of W. A. Sheldrick. He denies the charge.

"THE WHINE OF THE WHEELS," a short story of life on a brake-beam, by one who has "traveled the route," Jack Jungmeyer, is one of the best short stories of the season. September Pacific Monthly now on sale. *

TELEGRAPHERS' BALL, Murlark hall, Thursday, August 29. Prasp's Orchestra. Tickets, $1 per couple; for sale at McAllen & McDonnell, Woodard, Clarke & Co., Samuel Rosenblatt & Co., Schiller's cigar store. *

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FUNERAL OF J. E. SISSON.—The funeral of J. E. Sisson, who died suddenly Sunday afternoon, will be held this afternoon at Finley's Chapel. After the services, the body will be shipped to Syracuse, N. Y., for interment.

TAKE the A. & C. R. R. for Seaside and Clatsop Beach. Summer resorts, two through trains daily, 8 A. M. and 6 P. M. Special train Saturdays, 3:10 P. M. Ticket office, Third and Morrison streets. *

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DR. CALVIN S. WHITE has returned. *

DEATH OF DR. J. M. F. BROWNE.—The dispatches yesterday morning contain a brief announcement of the death of Dr. James M. F. Browne at the sanatorium at Boise, Idaho, of cancer. Dr. Browne was a resident of Oregon for more than 30 years. He came in the early '70s and delivered lectures in the medical department of the Willamette University, and in 1880 he went to Roseburg where he was principal of the public schools for several years. Afterward he returned to Portland, and again became a lecturer in the Willamette University. He also became grand medical director of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, which place he filled for a number of years until his departure for Idaho, where he was connected with a sanatorium. Dr. Browne was highly educated and was considered one of the foremost lecturers on medical topics. In addition he was well versed in general literature. He was a man of fine physique and commanding personality.

TO SELECT CREMATORY LOCATION.—The ways and means, and health and police committees of the Council will soon meet in joint session to finally determine on a location for Portland's new crematory. The matter has been referred to these committees and has been hanging fire for several months. A resolution was also passed by the Council at its last meeting giving the Health Board power to select a site, but no action was taken by that body. It is expected that whatever location is selected, there will be a loud protest from property owners in the neighborhood and no one has been found who is anxious to take the responsibility of choosing the site.

HOLINESS ASSOCIATION MEETING.—The all-day meeting of the Oregon Holiness Association which was announced to be held in the Church of the Nazarene, 428 Burnside street, Tuesday, August 27, has been changed and will be held with the Trinity Methodist Episcopal tent meeting, East Tenth and Lincoln street. Take the W. W. or Sellwood car. Services will be held at 10:30, A. M., 1:30 and 7:30 P. M.

GRADUATES and students of the Department of Law, University of Oregon, are requested to meet in Judge Gantenbein's chambers today at 1:30 for the purpose of attending Judge Sears' funeral.

HAVE you used the Home Telephone Company's direct long distance lines to Forest Grove, Albany, Monroe, Brownsville, Corvallis, Newport and intermediate and adjacent points? *

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DR. BALL, dentist, returned from beach.*

"The Girl From Texas" at the Lyric

"THE Girl from Texas" is the bill at the Lyric this week, but is not along the same line as "The Girl from Albany." The plot is of the light melodramatic variety, a beautiful story of an unsophisticated youngster from the Lone Star State, trying to break into English society. Mingled with the ludicrous efforts of this young girl to get in with the elite, comes a story of fraud on the part of an English land agent in Ireland, and the pathetic tale of the eviction of an Irish peasant from his home.

In time past the father of this girl, an English lord of high standing and great riches, left his home to go to Texas. Then the title and property descended on a young man, but he tired of court life, began traveling and in the course of his travels located the true heir to the property, a girl, living on a ranch in Texas. He brought her to his castle in Ireland and there the plot of the story is laid.

Refusing to hold the property which is not his, the young man offers to turn it over to the girl, but she, good-hearted, refuses to have it. Then the unfaithful land agent tries by fraud to obtain possession, but his plot fails, and everything comes out with the good victorious and the wicked in jail.

The part of the young lord is taken by Ralph Belmont, and it must be said for him that he acquits himself remarkably well. Mr. Belmont will stay with the Lyric for the Winter. Miss Verna Felton, as the girl, is another central figure, and she, too, is excellent. G. L. Walling, as Hiram Carson, the land agent, makes his Portland debut and makes good in every sense of the word. The other members of the company are well cast, and all deserving of favorable mention. "The Girl from Texas" is a distinct success.

BOTH WISE AND PRUDENT

People of fine and discriminating tastes, who admire the wonderfully keen and inherited skill of the Oriental in the art of weaving rugs that are almost pictures for our floors and art treasures to those of culture should not fail to visit the establishment of Atiyeh Bros., importers of Oriental rugs and laces, at corner Tenth and Washington streets, and view the elaborate assortment that they have received recently. Rugs which are perfect examples of their kind, a real bargain at the prices.

Also it is both wise and prudent to ask to see the 64 rugs set aside to be sold at cost in order to make a place for the new importations and to give a rare opportunity to shoppers of discernment to obtain beautiful floor coverings at a very small price that is impossible to be obtained elsewhere. *

PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. William L. Upshaw, who closed his pastorate of the Mississippi-avenue Congregational Church Sunday, will leave for his new field in Eastern Oregon next week.

Rev. Ray Palmer, former pastor of the Second Baptist Church of this city, and recently evangelist, has arrived from California on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Adams. Mr. Palmer was a member of the Chapman corps of evangelists for a time.

L. C. Keating, senior member of the firm of Keating & Murphy, owners of the Lyric Theater, arrived in Portland yesterday, after a business trip East. Mr. Keating will not remain in Portland long, but intends to spend the Winter in Seattle, looking after a theater in that city in which he is interested.

GONE TO KATALLA, ALASKA

Robert S. McBride, business manager of the Anglo-American Oil and Coal Company, left on Sunday for Katalla, Alaska, for the purpose of inspecting the company's properties and checking up the work. Mr. McBride will return about September 15, in time to file his report at the stockholders meeting which will be held on September 21. *

WHERE TO DINE.

All the delicacies of the season at the Portland Restaurant; fine private apartments for parties, 305 Wash., near 5th. *

Let Mills Have Water.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Aug. 25.—(Special.)—In order not to interfere with the running of the mills, the Mayor and Council have decided to allow mill companies the usual supply of water and to watch all waste so far as possible by mill and other consumers. This will prevent a closing or partial closing of the mills.

Another of Sydney H. Riesenberg's famous Western paintings, "Cowboys Shooting Up a Town," reproduced in colors September Pacific Monthly. *

"The Carnival of Love" at the Marquam

By Chauncey Thomas.

Cast.

Frank Marryall	Franklyn Underwood
Benjamin Calldown	Joseph Dailey
Capt. Seaweather	Edward Emery
Will Flirt	Norval MacGregor
Daniel	Edward Lawrence
Dorothy	Georgia Waldron
Ellinor	Frances Slosson
Mrs. Eliza Footdown	Georgia Woodthrop
Mary Ann	Ethelynde Roberts
Foot	R. E. Bradbury
Hay	Fred G. Hearn

"THE Carnival of Love" is a stage cartoon. A mother-in-law in full war paint, figuratively speaking, not only holds, but usually clears the whole stage with her deadly umbrella whenever she bursts on the scene. Just who has the leading role is hard to decide. Franklyn Underwood is evidently supposed to have it, but the way he surrenders it and bolts for the wings whenever Miss Georgie Woodthrope, as the gentle mother-in-law, gets after him, leaves one vastly in doubt.

Edward Emery, that six feet of loose-jointed diplomacy, as the salt-preserved old sea dog, appeared to be the only one on the stage able to handle the mother-in-law question successfully. Even the innate sweetness of Miss Frances Slosson, as the second wife, was no protection. Looking at the matter gravely, the only hope of subduing the belligerent mother-in-law seems to be in the Pacific fleet of warships, but they will not be here in time.

As Dorothy, the daughter of the mother-in-law, Miss Georgia Waldon had a part that fitted her like a glove and played it perfectly. Joseph Dailey, in the position of the fussy old man, roped in, tied hand and foot, and delivered by the mother-in-law to her daughter, won a laugh every time he stepped into sight. Norval MacGregor, as Will Flirt, filled a more or less subordinate part with his usual skill. But when it comes to a matter of pure merit, not one on the stage last night surpassed Miss Ethlynde Roberts as Mary Ann, the coy and willing-to-be-loved-but-don't-you-dare-touch - me parlor maid. It takes ingrained talent to make the part of a servant stand out, and Miss Roberts does it.

The cast of the play put, for the time being, R. E. Bradbury, Fred G. Hearn and Edward Lawrence in thinking parts, where they were compelled to hide their lights under the proverbial bushel.

The Stockwell-MacGregor Company, as a whole, has one rather rare merit, it is well balanced. It does not contain one poor actor or actress. Each does his or her part well, and human effort can do no more.

WANT TO LOCATE HERE

Various Concerns Communicate With Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of several communications, action on which will be taken immediately and which will result in a great deal of benefit to Portland and Oregon. Among them is a letter from a wholesale and retail coffee and spice house, which wishes to locate here, and will also manufacture flavoring extracts and baking powder, etc. Another concern wishes to know the chances here for a boat-building establishment. A correspondent from a nearby town wishes to know the market prices of white cedar logs and lumber, as he owns a large tract near Portland.

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