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AMUSEMENTS.

THE HEILIG THEATER (Fourteenth and Washington streets.)—Charles Klein's financial drama, "The Lion and the Mouse," Tonight at \$15.

THE MARQUAM GRAND (Morrison street, between Sixth and Seventh)—"Quincy Adams Sawyer." Tonight at 8:15. BAKER THEATER (Third, between Yam-hill and Taylor)—Baker Theater Company in "The Three Musketeers," Tonight at 8:15.

EMPIRE THEATER (Twelfth and Morri-con)— 'A Girl of the Streets," Matines, 2:45 P. M. Tonight at 8:13.

GRAND THEATER (Washington, between Park and Seventh)—Vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M. PANTAGES THEATER (Fourth and Stark) -- Continuous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30, 9 P. M. LYEIC THEATER (Seventh and Alder)—
The Allen Stock Company in "Caught in
the Web." Tonight at 8:15. Matiness
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday
at 2:15 P. M.

STAR THEATER (Park and Washington)—
The French Stock Company in "From
Farm to Factory." Tonight at 8:15;
mailines Tuesday, Saturday and Sunday
at 2:15 P. M.

Work on Burnside Bridge.—The contractor is making good progress on the repairs to Burnside bridge notwithstanding adverse conditions. At the west end the first span is completed. The finished portion shows how the entire surface of the bridge will appear. Work of putting blocks down is going forward on the span east of the draw and may be finished by the end of the week. Considerable works. WORK ON BURNSIDE BRIDGE.-The conthe end of the week. Considerable work also has been done on the surface of the draw, all the old deck having been re-moved and the foundation plank for the paving blocks laid. On the East Side approach piles are being driven for the approach piles are being driven for the new portion of the work. About three-fourths of the piles have been driven and the remainder will be in place by next week. The pile-driving is followed up-closely by workmen replacing the old deck with new. The contractor is keeping the bridge open for foot passengers and street cars, with little inconvenience. Repairs have also been finished to the draw plat-form. Repairs to the draw gearing will be made as soon as the general repairs are completed.

OBJECT TO PAVING MATERIAL - Objections have been raised to the material need in paving East Thirteenth street in This street is being improved with crushed rock, between Nahalem avenue and the golf links south. It is one of the most important highways in the suburb, and the property owners desire good material. Several of the property owners have noticed what they considered inferior screenings being used on the street, and they made complaint. City Engineer Taylor will have an inspector go over the street today and make a care ful examination of the material com-plained of. A committee from the Sell-wood Board of Trade will accompany the

T. P. A. TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING.—
The Oregon & Washington Division T. P.
A. of A. will hold its annual election
December 28 at 2 P. M. at the Hotel
Portland. Considering the importance of
the office of the secretary a number of
the leading business men of Portland, who
are also members of the organization,
have prevailed on Mr. E. Shelley Morgan
to allow them to nominate him for this office. As usual the annual meeting will
be closed by a banquet, also at the Hotel
Portland, which always has been most enjoyable, spiced with instructive and witty
toasts by Oregon's best speakers.

Land Oppice in New Quarters.—Re-T. P. A. TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING.

LAND OFFICE IN NEW QUARTERS.—Re-moval of the Portland Land Office from the Columbia building to its new quarters, suite 229-231 Worcester building, was comsuite 229-231 Worcester building, was com-pleted yesterday. The new offices are larger, better lighted and more conveni-ently arranged for the transaction of the land business of this district. In addi-tion to the large and commodious offices for Register A. S. Dresser and Receiver George W. Bibee, there is a spacious room in which all contest trials can be held. The office proper contains desk conveniences and scats which are at the disposal of visitors.

BURGLARS ROB CAFE.-The East Morrison-street Cafe, No. 444, was entered yes-terday morning by burglars and considerable plunder obtained. William Hausman is the proprietor. When the place was opened yesterday morning by the bartender the burglary was discovered. An elec-tric plane had been badly wrecked in the effort to get at the nickels it contained. It is thought the burglars secured \$10 from it. The cash register was broken open and the few coins it contained taken away. The safe, which contained \$1400 in cash and some valuable papers, was not

Logs on War por Big Mill.-The heavy Logs on Wax for Big Mill.—The heavy rains of a few days ago broke the enormous jams of logs in the Washougal River, where 40,000,000 feet of logs are ready to come down for the mills. The entire output of the North Fork, controlled by the Pittock & Leadbetter Lumber Company, is now on the way to the booms, which will give this company over 10,000,000 feet available for immediate use, and it is expected as soon as the de-mand for lumber is better the big Van-couver mills will start up full blast.

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FUNERAL OF O. A. DEARING.—The funeral of O. A. Dearing, who died at Roseburg last week, was held yesterday afternoon at the Portland crematorium, under the auspices of Washington Lodge, No. 42, A. F. & A. M., in whose hall the services of the order were held. Mr. Dearing formerly lived in Portland. He is survived by his wife and one daughter. Dorothea Dearing.

THRES SINT TO ASTLUM.—Three inside patients will be taken to the State asy.

patients will be taken to the State asy-lum at Salem today. Rola Wade and Albert J. Parsons have lost their reason through the continued use of drugs. Frank P. Jones has a ballucination that he is soon to have a long conference with a

friend from Chleago, which has resulted in unbalancing his mind. WILL ARRANGE FOR HOLIDATS.—The regular monthly meeting of the Ladles' Aid Society of Grace Methodist Church will be held in the church parlors this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Matters in connection with the holiday season will be discussed. Mrs L. O. Ralston will preside.

Council of Jewish Womes.—The Hible class will meet today at 2:30 P. M. in the vestry room of Temple Beth Israel. "The Bible as Historical Narrative" will be the subject on which Rabbi Jonah B. Wise

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GIVE BENEFIT CONCERT.—The Young Women's Christian Association will give a benefit concert at 8 5'clock tonight for Miss Dorothy Donnelly

women's Christian Association will give a benefit concert at 8 b'clock tonight for the Crittenton Home and solicit the cooperation of all women. The programme is to be as follows: Selection, mandolin and Guitar Club; recitation, Miss Gertrude Roberts; plano solo, Miss Hazel Mann: Japanese recitation, in costume, Miss Moreen Labor; plano solo, Miss Vertie Craulley; duet, mandolin and plano; Miss Ed.... Lamb and Miss Sarah Farley; recitation, Miss Cilive Reby; plano solo, Miss Marie Lallement; selection, Mandolin and Guitar Club; solo, Mr. Rylance. The public is invited and everyone who comes is urged to bring articles of wear for women or something appropriate for the home in the way of bedding, toweling, pletures, etc.; good second-hand articles will be acceptable. The concert will be given at the Y. M. C. A., Sixth and Oak. On Christmas day the girls of the Y. W. C. A. will take these gifts to the Crittenton Home and will there render an attractive programme and add cheer to their holiday.

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DEATH OF Mrs. ELLA ROY.—Mrs. Ella Roy, one of the most popular nurses at the Good Samaritan Hospital, died Mon-

Roy, one of the most popular nurses at the Good Samaritan Hospital, died Mon-multimillionaires of the country are exerthe Good Samaritan Hospital, died Monday morning as the result of a compilicatin of diseases that baffled medical science. Mrs. Roy was a widow and had been in the employ of the hospital for the past eight months. Her careful attention to her duties and her happy disposition had made her almost invaluable to the institution. Her brother and rister arrived in Portland yesterday from Port Townsend, Wash., where she formerly resided and have taken charge of the funeral. The body will be taken to cising an undue influence in our government. This play depicts as does no other the power wielded by a very rich man, or a group of very rich men, on the legislation of the land. It is made clear that they practically own Congress and the state governments and seek to extend state governments, and seek to extend their sphere of influence to the White House itself. People who see the play and understand it go away more firmly the funeral. The body will be taken to Port Townsend for burial.

and understand it go away more firmly convinced than ever that this domination of organized capital is essentially bad and must be checked.

"Ready-Mdney' Ryder is the personification of the united "interests" of this country, and he is drawn in such a lifelike manner that the auditor must awaken to the fact that he is a menace to the Government. The incident of Judge Rossmore is not exaggerated and I believe the play has had no small part in 'awakening public conscience to the Port Townsend for burlal.

FIRST SNOW OF WINTER FALLS.—The first snow of the season in Portland fell yesterday, although comparatively few were aware of any such visitation. At 3 A. M. a slight flurry came down, a sudden fall in the temperature, converting a light rain into snow. The snow melted as fast as it fell and remained on the ground nowhere within the city although peaks of adjacent hills had a thin coating early in the day. Showers may be exin awakening public conscience to the lamentable condition of affairs which ex-

early in the day. Showers may be ex-pected today, the weather man says. "Of course we're not primarily conduct of course we're not primarily conducting a political campaign, or even a night school in civica, but if you will follow the history of 'The Lion and the Mouse' you will find that it has exercised a noticeable influence in this direction. That is the reason that I maintain that the theater is not a place of amusement only. It is in a way an educator, and Charles Klein with his play has done a great deal to place the theater on the level of an educating influence."

ORGANIZE & WOMAN'S AUXILIABY.-For the purpose of organizing a women's aux-

iliary to the National Peace Association a

iliary to the National Peace Association a meeting will be held next Friday night in the lecture room of the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church. The meeting has been called at the request of P. H. Scullin, the leader in the movement. The project has been indorsed by the Baptist and Methodist preachers of Portland and many

women are said to have expressed inter-

Labor Press, has been elected eleventh vice-president of the organization. The election was participated in by the water-

ront unions of the Pacific Coast. It was

OHIO SOCIETY MEETING .- At the monthly

ROBS TWO AUSTRIANS.—Constable James

MIXED MARRIAGE A FAILURE.-William

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George Hamlin, considered the foremost American tenor, will offer a superb pro-gramme at his first appearance in Portland tomorrow evening at the Heilig The-

meeting of the Ohio Society, held last night in Alisky Hail, Professor Easter, of the Ockley Green School, read a paper on "The Men and State of Ohio From 1861 to 1864." Mrs. S. E. Miller read a paper on "Home Life in the North During the War." There was a large attendance. W. B. Chase presided. AD CLUB MEETS TONIGHT.—The Portland Ad Club will meet in Board of Trade rooms, room 7, Chamber of Commerce building, tonight at 8 o'clock. Relative to a proposed increase in membership, a resolution will probably be introduced having a bearing on the present fees and dues. FAN-TAN PLAYERS PAY FINES.—Eleven chattering Chinamen were brought before Judge Cameron yesterday in the Municipal Cameron yesterday in the Cameron yesterday yes yesterday yes yesterday yesterday yes yes yes yes y	iand tomorrow evening at the Hellig Ineater. He will sing the following: "In Thee I Bear so Dear a Part". Haydr "Phillis Has Such Charming Graces". Anthony Young The Trumpet's Loud Clangor". Hande "Im Abendroth". Schuber "Linendlaub". Old German "Auttrage". Schumann "Provencalisches Lied," aris, "Le Roi "Botschaft". Schuber "I'm Kahne". Grieg "Helmliche Aufforderung". Strauss "Twilight". Rumme "The Day is Gone". Lain "The Crying of Water," from "Four Sea Lyrics". Campbell-Tiptor "Hall Bounteous May". Bransombe Marriage Morning". Sullivar "My First Love". Loch Night". Bonald "The Year's at the Spring". Beach
pal Court, charged with playing fan-tan at 1294 Second street. With much jibber-	

BRONAUGH IS APPOINTED

ing and gesticulation they finally pleaded guilty and were fined \$17.50 each. BOTH ARE ACQUITTED.—Jack Krimble, Jr., and W. J. Stitt, who were arrested Saturday by Detectives Smith and Cole-man on a charge of disorderly conduct, were brought before Judge Cameron yes-terday and the cases dismissed. As Oregonian Predicted, Portland Attorney Succeeds Judge Frazer.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 17.-Governor Chamberiain this morning appointed Earl C. Bronaugh Judge of the Circuit Court for Multnomah County, to succeed Judge A. L. Frazer, deceased.

Harper arrived in Portland yesterday to take Sam Wilson to The Dalles for trial on a charge of robbing two Austrians on an eastbound train at that place. He win be arraigned today. The appointment of Earl C. Bronaugh day morning. Mr. Bronaugh will re-ceive his commission from Salem today or tomorrow and will take the oath of office and assume his duties as Circuit Court Judge immediately.

Actress' Husband Bankrupt.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 17 .- Charles Van Studdiford, husband of Grace Van Studdiford, the actress, filed a petition yesterday in the United States Court, asking to be adjudged a bankrupt. His liabilities are placed at \$12,353, while his assets are only \$168.

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