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**AMUSEMENTS.**

HEILIG THEATER (Fourteenth and Washington)—The character comedy, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." Tonight at 8:15.

STAR THEATER—(Park and Washington)—The Armstrong Musical Comedy Company in "The Merry Widow's Return." Tonight at 7:30 and 9:15. Matinees every day 2:30 P. M.

LYRIC THEATER—(Seventh and Alder)—The Allen Stock Company in "The Lady From Laramie." Tonight at 8:15. Matinees Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday at 2:15.

MARQUAM GRAND—(Morrison, between Sixth and Seventh)—Pantages' continuous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M.

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

LOYAL LEGION ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, commandery of the State of Oregon was held last night at 7:30 o'clock, at the headquarters in the City Hall. The following members were elected by inheritance to the first class: Rufus Ingalls Eckerson, William Marion Cake and Solomon William Roessler. The following officers were elected and installed by retiring Commander Lieutenant H. Sutcliffe: Commander, Robert G. Morrow; senior vice-commander, First Lieutenant and Adjutant John E. Davis, U. S. V.; junior vice-commander, Brigadier-General Forest H. Hathaway, U. S. A., retired; recorder, Captain Gavin E. Conkin, U. S. V.; registrar, Major Harry L. Hawthorne, U. S. A.; treasurer, Edward C. Mears; chancellor, Wallace McCamant; chaplain, Second Lieutenant Cullen E. Cline, U. S. V.; Council, Lieutenant-Colonel John Murphy, U. S. A., retired; Captain Henry E. Jones, U. S. V.; Arthur P. Tifft, Charles E. Warrens and Harry M. Cake.

HATTON CAUGHT AT BALLARD.—"Kid" Hatton, aged 25, for whom Sheriff Stevens has been looking for a year, was brought to Portland yesterday from Ballard, Wash., by Deputy Sheriff Harry Bulger. Hatton was arrested in the Sound City by the Chief of Police. He is now in the Multnomah County Jail. Hatton is charged with having assaulted the bartender in John Larson's saloon, at Troutdale, April 14, 1907. The "Kid" was employed at another Troutdale saloon as a roustabout. One night he engaged in an altercation with Larson's bartender, and emphasized his point of the argument by firing two shots at his opponent. The bartender dropped behind the bar, and Hatton, thinking he had killed the man, ran from the saloon and disappeared.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MOORE TODAY.—Mrs. Martha Moore, whose funeral will be held today, was a resident of Benton County, having located on a farm there in 1875. She came to Oregon from Scott County, Ia. She was born in Philadelphia, December 11, 1827. Four daughters survive her: Mrs. J. R. Hughes, Mrs. E. C. Erickson, of Portland; Mrs. W. E. Dunn, of Spokane, and Mrs. A. S. Criswell, of Iowa. Mrs. Moore's remains will be interred by the side of her husband, A. B. Moore, in the Benton County Cemetery. Mr. Moore died 25 years ago. The funeral services will be held from the residence of J. R. Hughes, 125 East Twenty-eighth street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

JEWISH SERVICES TONIGHT.—At the request of the president of the Council of Jewish Women the subject of the sermon will be "Peace and Arbitration," at the regular Friday evening service, at Temple Beth Israel tonight. Rabbi Jonah B. Wise announces that next Friday he will continue his series of lectures on "The Philosophy of Israel" called the "Religion of the Jews." The subject of the last sermon having been the "Intuitional" the next will continue with the "Rational." The service commences on Friday night at 8 o'clock and Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Strangers are welcome.

BISHOP BREYFOGEL SPEAKS.—Bishop S. C. Breyfogel, of the Evangelical Association, addressed a mass meeting Wednesday night, in the First United Evangelical Church, East Sixth and East Market streets. It was held under the auspices of the Evangelical Association, United Evangelical and United Brethren churches of this city. The bishop delivered an address, but did not refer to the subject of federation of the three churches. He will preach Sunday at 11 o'clock in the First German Church and in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Milwaukie and at night in the Salem church.

EAST SIDE PASTOR MARRIED. — Rev. John Glen, whose marriage in San Francisco to Mrs. Clarkson, was announced in the dispatches yesterday morning, is the new pastor of the First Free Methodist Church, East Mill and East Ninth streets. He was assigned to that charge at the conference which was held the first of the month. Rev. Mr. Glen is well known in the Northwest. For the past year he was in the evangelistic work. He had been pastor of the First Church for three years, and was sent back to this charge.

PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE CLOSED.—Owing to what City Health Officer Pohl terms chickenpox, which has appeared among attendants at the People's Institute, located on North Sixth street, the establishment has closed its doors until June 1, during which time thorough fumigation will be made. It was at first reported that smallpox had broken out there, but Dr. Pohl denies this.

BUSINESS COLLEGE RECEPTION. — The Behnke-Walker Business College will hold its fourth annual reception* to its students, both old and new, in the Elks hall tonight. A varied programme has been prepared, though the main feature of the evening will be the renewing of the friendships of "auld lang syne." The management cordially invites all its old students to attend.

LAW STUDENTS' BANQUET.—Chester A. Shepherd is to act as toastmaster at the first annual banquet to be held by the students associated in the law department of the University of Oregon. It is to be held May 19 at the Hotel Nortonia. President P. L. Campbell, of the university, will be the guest of honor and other members of the faculty will be present.

NORTH EAST SIDE CLUB TO MEET.—The North East Side Improvement Association will meet tonight at 8 o'clock, at Woodmen of the World Hall, Russell street and Rodney avenue. Several important reports will be submitted at the meeting tonight, including something about the replacing of the Williams-avenue schoolhouse.

NOTICE TO THE TRADE.—The Pacific Coast Rubber Company has no connection whatever with the fire sale now being carried on, at 246 Washington street, by the Northern Salvage Company. The entire damaged stock of our fire was purchased by them. (Signed) Pacific Coast Rubber Company. *

DEATH OF MRS. M. B. RANKIN'S SISTER.—Word was received yesterday from Jacksonville, Ill., of the death of Mrs. Stephen R. Capps, twin sister of Mrs. M. B. Rankin of this city.

WILL SPEAK ON CHILD LABOR.—Mrs. Millie R. Trumbull will speak on the child-labor question this afternoon at 3 o'clock, before the Williams-Avenue Home Training Circle.

TEMPERANCE PEOPLE, of all shades, hear Senator George F. Cotterill, Sat., May 16, Baptist Church, E. Ankeny and 7th st. *

CONCERT tonight under direction of Mrs. Whigham, Grand Army hall, 26 and Morrison, 8 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents.*

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CARNIVAL OPENS SATURDAY.—The carnival and street fair of the Catholic Young Men's Club, of Albina, will open Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. A large attendance is expected when the gates are thrown open to the public. A considerable force of men has been working on the stadium on Morris street which extends eastward from Williams avenue several hundred feet in front of the clubhouse. Here will be placed the booths and displays by Portland firms. It will be inclosed and hence will be comfortable rain or sunshine. In the clubhouse the entire space will be occupied from the basement to the fine auditorium on the second floor. There will be refreshment stands on the second floor. At 9 o'clock Saturday night there will be a grand ball, which will be opened with a grand march led by the king and queen, whose names have not been made public. The athletic grounds on Williams avenue and Morris street have been inclosed for baseball and other sports. No expense or labor has been spared to make the affair a success.

PENINSULA TO ATTEND BANQUET.—At a short meeting of the Peninsula Development League, W. G. Steel presiding, last night at Peninsular station it was decided to arrange for a large delegation from that portion of the city to attend the banquet to be given by the United East Side Club May 26. J. H. Nolta and E. A. Tudor were appointed a special committee to co-operate with the other organizations on the Peninsula in making the arrangements. The plan suggested is for the Peninsula civic clubs to send a delegation of 25 or 50 in a body to the banquet, each delegate being provided with a large badge with the word "Peninsula" printed in conspicuous letters, the crowd to be seated together in one body at the banquet and to be given a place on the programme for several speakers, which met with approval. Other clubs are expected to take similar steps to be represented at the banquet.

FUNERAL OF JACOB T. GOVE.—The funeral of Jacob T. Gove was held yesterday, at the Crematorium, at 2 P. M. The deceased was one of the best-known mining men in the West, having been interested in mines and in mining for almost half a century. He was not only an expert assayer and metallurgist, but a recognized authority in all matters connected with the development and operation of mining properties. He was a member of no religious denomination, and, though for some years under a physician's care with little or no hope of recovery, he remained steadfast in his agnosticism. At the request of the family, a simple funeral service was read by W. H. Galvani.

BROUGHT BACK FROM ASHLAND.—Dr. George U. Snapp, a physician, of Ashland, Or., was brought to this city from his home in the custody of a police officer at midnight last night and locked up in the City Jail in default of $2500 bail. Dr. Snapp was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Judge Cameron in the Municipal Court on May 12 on the complaint of Mrs. Annie E. Snapp, the defendant's ex-wife. Mrs. Snapp, who was divorced from her husband two months ago, accuses Dr. Snapp of having received $1900 from her in this city two weeks ago for the purpose of buying her a home. According to her story neither the home nor the money was given to her on demand.

LECTURE ON "MOUNTAINEERING."—Rev. A. J. Montgomery will give a talk on "Mountaineering," at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium tonight. While primarily the lecture is intended for the members of the Mount Hood Club and those intending to visit Crater Lake, it is open to anyone. Mr. Montgomery got his earliest experience in mountaineering as a guide on Mount Hood, principally as a means of studying the country. Spending his vacations in this manner, he soon became versed in Indian lore and no old trapper can read a trail better than he. His maps are recognized to be more authentic and accurate than official ones of the country he has surveyed.

WILL CELEBRATE JUBILEE.—The Catholic Order of Foresters will celebrate its silver jubilee in this city on Sunday, May 24. Visitors from other locations will be entertained by the three local courts of the order. Solemn high mass will be attended by the members who will meet in the assembly hall above the Cathedral and march in a body to the Cathedral proper, where mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. A dinner will later be given in the Commercial Club, when members will listen to addresses by leading officers of the order.

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## GIVE ROSES TO STRANGERS

**Peninsula to Have Booth at Union Depot During Rose Festival.**

The Peninsula Rose Festival Association met last night in the rooms of the branch library at Peninsular Station, with Charles Patton presiding. Reports were submitted by Mr. Patton and J. H. Nolta on place for rose booth at the Union Depot and on securing cars for excursion on the Peninsula. The place for the booth was reported secured. Mr. Nolta reported that the rates offered by the Street Car company were nearly prohibitive. Talks were made by W. J. Peddicord, W. G. Steel, R. G. Brand, L. F. Jones and others, with the result that it was decided to represent the Peninsula during the Rose Festival by this rose booth, from which roses will be given to guests of the city, and street-car tickets to those who will visit the Peninsula.

An executive committee was appointed, as follows: W. J. Peddicord, chairman, University Park; L. E. Sellburg, M. E. Thompson, Multnomah; F. S. Gilpatrick, Willamette; J. Llewellyn, Peninsula; J. T. Gregg, Woodlawn; George P. Frank, Vernon; George P. Lent, Piedmont; J. F. Hendricks, St. John Commercial Club; Charles Patton and A. H. Ruble, North Albina. This committe will meet next Tuesday night at the Peninsula library rooms to complete its plans.

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# AT THE HEILIG

**"MRS. WIGGS OF THE CABBAGE PATCH" AT THE HEILIG.**

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| Lovey Mary | Lottie Alter |
| Miss Hazy | Helen Lowell |
| Miss Lucy | Mignon Douglass |
| Mrs. Eichorn | Helene Raymond |
| Mrs. Schultz | Jennie Reiffarth |
| Asia | May McManus |
| Australia | Alma Morrison |
| Europena | Ruth Finley |
| Mr. Stubbins | John Webber |
| Mr. Wiggs | J. W. Smiley |
| Mr. Bob | King Baggott |
| Chris Hazy | Eugene Shakespeare |
| Billy Wiggs | Argyle Campbell |
| Tommy | Master Francis F. Holmes |
| H. Hunkerdunkus Jones | H. Buchanan |
| Deputy Sheriff | Harry Buchanan |
| Brother Spicer | Jos. A. Guignon |
| Deacon Bagby | A. W. Madin |
| Mr. Schultz | Robert Stanley |
| Mr. Eichorn | William Sherlock |
| Joe Eichorn | Harry Scott |
| Pete Schultz | Noble Morrison |
| Mickey Viney | Gordon Morrison |
| Tina Viney | Jeanette Finley |
| Lena Krausmier | Pearl Eagan |
| Postman | Thos. C. Aikin |

BY ARTHUR A. GREENE.

ON their way to Australia, where they will spend a year, Mrs. Wiggs and all the Cabbage Patch folks stopped over in Portland last night and brought the accustomed sunlight and shade, mostly sunlight, to an audience which comfortably filled the Heilig. Mrs. Wiggs has been here before—in fact, this is the third call. Let us hope there will be many happy returns. It is certain that, no matter how frequent the coming may be, the "welcome" mat will always be at the door.

Alice Hogan Rice's unique comedy has become a classic, as modern classics go. It is so full of quaint philosophy and wholesome humor and gentle pathos that he who cannot find an appeal in it is "fit for treasons, strategems and spoils." In point of character-drawing, it suggests Dickens. The people in it are mostly caricatures, but they are all significant and typical. The altogether lovable Mrs. Wiggs, whose very slovenliness is beautiful—she may be a worse than indifferent housekeeper, but there is no litter in her heart, and in her homely way she belongs among the great philosophers of literature; the immortal Mr. Stubbins, with his "war injury," and aversion for "mustard cocktails"; Mis' Hazy, who has cast out legions of blue devils, and is one of the funniest conceits of the present-day stage; Mrs. Eichorn, the only and original "crosspatch"; Mrs. Schultz and Billy and Chris—yes, and Lovey Mary, who has not met them has lost something out of life.

This year's company is better in spots than that which was last here, while in other places there has been a falling off. It does not measure up to the first that came out three years ago. With one glaring exception, however, none of the players are positively bad.

Blanche Chapman, who succeeded Madge Cooke and played the part for the first time in this town last year, continues to be a continual delight in the name part. Helen Lowell, who plays Mis' Hazy" as no one else has been able to approach, is fortunately back in her old part. Helene Raymond continues as the attenuated Mrs. Elchorn, and Argyle Campbell, a splendid young actor and son, by the way, of that charming woman, Lucia Moore, remains as Billy. John Webber, who takes Charles Carter's place as Stubbins, follows the former's interpretation very closely, and does the part full justice, while Jennie Reiffarth as Mrs. Schultz and Lottie Alter, as Lovey, are quite sufficient to the demands.

Fortunately, Mignon Douglass, who makes the pretty part of Miss Lucy a pain, is probably young enough to reform. It is to be hoped so, fervently. She has evidently just graduated as "Little Eva," on the kerosene circuit. Her silly affectations have no excuse. The children who compose the famous Sunday-school class, and keep the Patch lively, are cute as ever, and the new production, built for the Australian tour, is an improvement on anything the piece has had before.

"Mrs. Wiggs" continues until Saturday with a Saturday matinee.

## Amusements

**What the Press Agents Say.**

**Tonight, Twice Tomorrow.**

The attraction at the Heilig Theater, Fourteenth and Washington streets, tonight and tomorrow night, with a special matinee tomorrow afternoon, will be Liebler & Co.'s production of the famous American character comedy, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."

**"The Heir to the Hoorah."**

If ever George L. Baker longed for more seats in the Baker Theater it is this week, with people turned away at every performance of "The Heir to the Hoorah." Three more performances of this great attraction.

**"The Merry Widow's Return."**

"The Merry Widow's Return" is holding the boards at the Star Theater this week. Delegates to the state convention should not miss seeing this sprightly musical comedy with its funny comedians and its pretty chorus girls.

**COMING ATTRACTIONS.**

**Francis Wilson.**

The distinguished American comedian, Francis Wilson, will come to the Heilig theater next Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday nights, May 18, 19, 20, in the delightful comedy, "When Knights Were Bold."

**"Secret Service" Next Week.**

One of the greatest plays ever written is William Gillette's "Secret Service," which the Baker Stock Company will play all week, opening next Sunday matinee. The scenes are laid in Richmond during the period that city was being besieged by the Northern Army.

**"The Toreadors."**

It is not necessary to go to Spain or to Old Mexico to see a bull fight. "The Toreadors" will be given at the Star Theater all next week, starting Sunday afternoon. It is a funny show, with a typical Spanish temperment.

**Next Week at Marquam Grand.**

Headed by the best singing trio in vaudeville and consisting throughout of especially selected and meritorious acts, the Pantages bill at the Marquam Grand Theater will be one well worth while.

**Harrigan, the Juggler.**

From the time he began practicing to juggle while sick in a hospital, Harrigan has been making a name for himself. He is one of the best comedy jugglers in vaudeville, and heads an exceptionally strong bill next week at the Grand.

**AT THE VAUDEVILLE THEATERS.**

**"The Fleet in San Francisco."**

Yesterday afternoon and evening several hundred people had the pleasure of seeing the first moving pictures of the fleet in San Francisco at the Grand Theater. This is without doubt one of the best reproductions ever gotten up in the form of a moving picture, and Manager James H. Erickson considers this picture one of the greatest inducements he has ever had the pleasure of offering the patrons of his popular Washington-street playhouse.

**"The Laughing Horse."**

There is a laugh for everyone in "The Laughing Horse," a circus travesty, at the Grand this week. It is a take-off on a circus, which is readily appreciated. The Doric Four is a male quartet, which can sing admirably, and the selections are the kind which please. Other acts O. K.

# VOTERS APPLAUD MANNING

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY SPEAKS AT MOUNT TABOR.**

**Dr. Clarence True Wilson Indorses His Candidacy and Commends Reforms Brought About.**

District Attorney John Manning, candidate for re-election, last night spoke before a large crowd of Mount Tabor voters in Oddfellows' Hall. Mr. Manning was the first of the candidates present to be introduced and he was given a hearty reception. He reviewed his work in the office of District Attorney and especially called attention to the work he had done in securing the money for the depositors whose earnings were tied up when the Oregon Trust & Savings Bank and the Title Guarantee & Trust Company closed their doors.

Mr. Manning also told of his successful prosecution of the bank officials and assured the voters of Mount Tabor that the prosecutions were by no means ended, and that, if returned to office, he would continue his vigorous prosecution of all officials implicated in bank-wrecking. When this declaration was made the audience broke out in prolonged cheering.

Dr. Clarence True Wilson also spoke. Dr. Wilson devoted the greater part of his speech in behalf of Mr. Manning. He declared that Mr. Manning should be re-elected to the office which he now holds and requested every voter who was on the side of law and order not only to cast his vote for Mr. Manning, but urged them also to get their friends to do the same. He spoke at length on the Sunday closing of saloons and gave to Mr. Manning the credit for this step. He concluded by saying that it would be unwise to defeat Mr. Manning because of the pending prosecutions of bank officials.

Tom Word, Democratic candidate for Sheriff; John Jeffrees, Democratic candidate for Representative; A. King Wilsen, candidate for joint Representative; Ogilsby Young, candidate for Railroad Commissioner, and others, also spoke.

# CRISIS IN FRAUD TRIAL

**INTRODUCTION OF ANONYMOUS LETTERS IS OPPOSED.**

**Defense Denies That Missives Were Written by Dimond — Case Hinges on Evidence.**

WASHINGTON, May 14.—A crisis was reached today in the trial of Hyde, Benson, Dimond and Schneider, on charges of conspiracy to defraud the Government out of valuable public lands in California and Oregon, when the defense raised objection to the formal admission of certain anonymous letters claimed to have been written by Mr. Dimond. The attorneys for both sides began a legal battle which may result in the sudden termination of the trial or else a strengthening of the Government's position before the jury so that it may have a logically connected case to present when the time comes for final argument.

Nearly all of this week has been devoted by United States Attorney Baker and his assistants in preparing a foundation on which they will lay the letters, and the chain of preparatory evidence was completed yesterday when J. J. Herman, an expert in handwriting and typewriting, testified that it is his opinion that one or more of the letters show peculiarities of Mr. Dimond's handwriting, and further that it is his belief that others of the anonymous letters had been written on one particular typewriter owned by Mr. Dimond.

Mr. Herman produced photographic enlargements of large portions of all the letters to show the methods of analysis by which he reached his conclusions.

**Breaks Wheel of Auto.**

While attempting to avoid collision with a street-car, with his new automobile, at Fifth and Morrison streets, about 6 o'clock last night, Dr. George S. Wright ran into a telephone pole on the corner and smashed the right front wheel off his machine. Dr. Wright but recently joined the ranks of the autoists and is not fully experienced in the handling of an automobile. He managed to escape without serious injury to himself, while the damage to the machine is but nominal.

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**Death of J. H. Meyer.**

J. H. Meyer, a newspaper man, who for many years had been associated at various times with the German papers published in the Pacific Northwest, died from Bright's disease and complications at St. Vincent's Hospital at 10 o'clock last night, after an illness of two weeks. Mr. Meyer was 48 years of age. He had been employed recently as a writer and advertising solicitor on the Nachrichten, published in this city. He is survived by a wife and one grown daughter, who now reside in Seattle. He was a member of the Sons of Herman Society, under the auspices of which the funeral will be held in this city tomorrow. Meyer and his family resided in this city a number of years ago, but moved from here to Seattle three years ago, when he accepted a position with the Staats Zeitung, published there. He came back here to accept the position he left six months ago, his family remaining in Seattle. Meyer was born in Frankfort, Germany, and is said to have been a descendant of a noble family. He was noted among the German population for his brilliant education.

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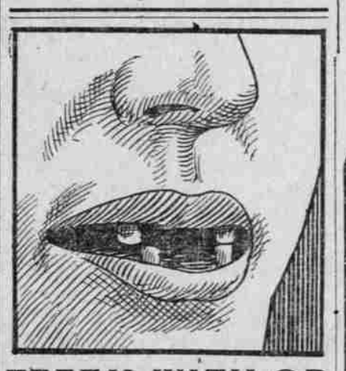

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