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AMUSEMENTS

THEATRE (Seventh and Taylor)
Spanish-American War Veterans in Merry Military Minstrel. Tonight at 8:15 o'clock.
BUNGALOW THEATRE (Twelfth and Morrison)
Grace Cameron in "Nancy" Tonight at 8:15.
BAKER THEATRE (Seventh and Morrison)
The Baker Stock Company in "Nancy" and "Nancy" at 8:15.

VERDICT FOR RAILROAD DIRECTOR
A directed verdict in favor of the Southern Pacific Company was granted by Federal Judge Wainwright Monday afternoon in the \$20,000 damage suit brought against the railroad company by Thomas Evans. Evans demanded \$20,000 for the loss of a leg, the accident occurring at Wilsona, a flag station a quarter of a mile from Oswego, in September, 1909. Evans ran up the track in an effort to catch the train. It backed down upon him in the darkness. Judge Wainwright held that Evans was himself negligent in running into the train when he knew it was on the track. The trial proceeded yesterday morning with 11 jurors, one of the 12 being ill.

RYAN IS MADE MANAGER

ORPHEUM PRESS AGENT GOES TO GRAND THEATER.
Appointment Is Recognition of Valued Services—Other Changes on Circuit Announced.
Charles N. Ryan, until yesterday press agent of the Orpheum Theater, has been



Charles N. Ryan, Who Has Been Appointed Manager of the Grand Theater.

appointed manager of the Grand Theater. News of the promotion came yesterday in the form of a long distance telephone message from Sullivan & Conditine to Frank Coffinberry, directing him to place Mr. Ryan in charge of the Grand and transfer John J. O'Brien, the manager of that house, to the Majestic Theater, in Seattle. The manager at the Majestic, also on the Sullivan & Conditine circuit, has in turn been transferred to the Tacoma Theater.

Manager Ryan for many years has been identified with Portland theatrical business. For several seasons he was treasurer at the Marquam, and when, at a later period, S. Morton Cole and associates bought the property, Mr. Ryan was made manager of the theater. Later he acted as manager of a traveling company and was appointed press agent at the Orpheum under the late James Erickson's management. Under the various successors to the post of manager since Mr. Erickson's death, Mr. Ryan has remained at the Orpheum. About a fortnight ago Frank Coffinberry, then manager of the Grand, was appointed manager of the Orpheum, succeeding Charles Elliott, and was made the local representative of the Sullivan & Conditine forces. From Kansas Mr. O'Brien arrived to assume management at the Grand.

A great number of changes among the house managers of this big vaudeville circuit have been made in the past month, and with Mr. O'Brien's transfer to the Seattle house, the important place left vacant was given to Mr. Ryan. Mr. Conditine's appointment of Mr. Ryan is in recognition of his valued services.

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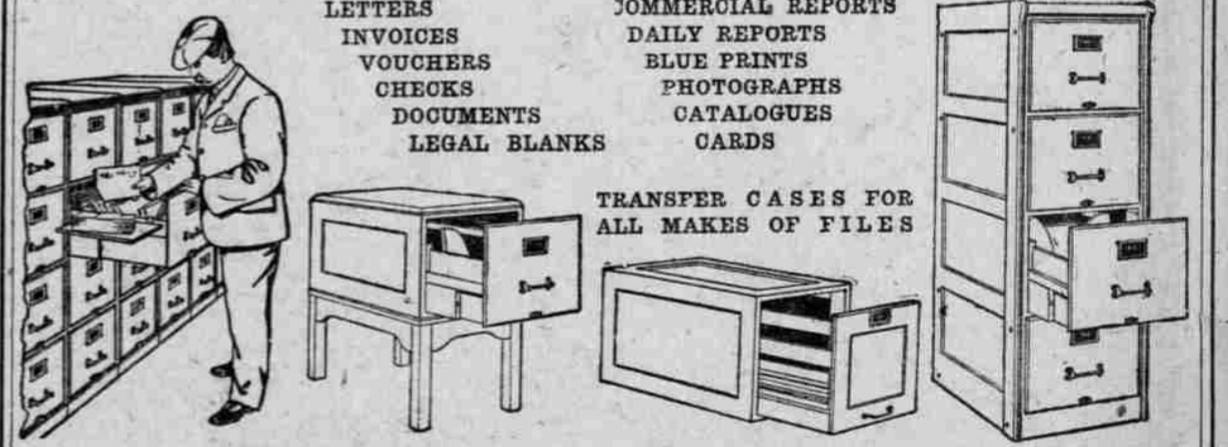
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