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AMUSEMENTS. HELIIG (Broadway at Taylor)—George Arliss in the comedy-drama "Disraeli" tonight at 8:15. PARKS (Broadway and Sixth, between Alder and Morrison)—Baker Players in "At Day". LYRIC (Fourth and Stark)—Musical comedy, "The Smuggler". This afternoon at 2:30 and tonight at 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock. Vaudeville. ORPHEUM—Broadway at Stark. This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15 o'clock. FANTASIES (Broadway, at Alder)—Performances at 2:30, 7:30 and 9:30. MARY'S LOU'S (Broadway and Stark)—Continuing performance from 1:30 to 5:30 and 8:30 to 11 P. M.

Moving-Picture Theaters. NATIONAL—Park and Stark. PEOPLE'S—West Park and Alder. MAJESTIC—Fifth and Washington. NEW STAR—Park and Washington. SUNSET THEATER—Wash. and Broadway. COLUMBIA—Sixth and Stark.

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ARTISAN OFFICERS ENTERTAINED.—The officers-elect of Oregon Assembly No. 1, United Artisans, were entertained at the home of Mrs. M. D'Arcy, 233 Grand avenue, Sunday night. The guests of honor were: Frank D'Arcy, master artisan; Sarah Hyatt, superintendant; Fred W. German, inspector; Dr. E. E. Van Dine, secretary; J. N. Russell, treasurer; Regina Hyatt, senior conductor; Ruby Thirkell, junior conductor. Other guests were: Mrs. Fred W. German, Mrs. F. N. Russell, Mrs. George Kinneer, Harry Kinneer, Mrs. N. L. Bullis, Ruth Kinneer, John Hyatt, Frank Hyatt, Edward Washell, Clara Knott, Mrs. M. D'Arcy, Cedric McIntyre, Earl Cash and A. O. Robinson.

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The production in various cities evoked expressions of great enthusiasm from military experts who saw them. Practically the whole range of modern warfare is exemplified in the production. There are four films aggregating 4500 feet.

The pictures give a striking exemplification of the effect of war upon a country, showing fields torn by shells, houses wrecked and burning, bridges destroyed and soldiers throwing up entrenchments in fields of cabbage, and the rush of the frightened refugees out of the country.

The first production will be Sunday, December 13, at 6 o'clock. No show will be given Monday and Tuesday because of the Multnomah Club's production in the theater. Wednesday and Thursday the shows will run from 12 o'clock to 11 P. M. and Friday from 12 o'clock to 6 P. M. The performance on Saturday will begin at 12 o'clock and continue until 11 P. M.

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