OLD AIRS ARE SUNG BY MIGHTY CHORUS

3000 Men. Women and Children Make Armory Ring With Burst of Melody.

FAVORITES BRING TEARS

Community 'Sing' Under Auspices of Monday Musical Club Is Huge Success--"America" and "Tipperary" Cheer All.

"Tipperary" vied with "America" and "Dixie" for favor at the "community sing" held at the Armory last night under the auspices of the Monday Musical Club, with William H. Boyer directing the chorus and Percy A. Campbell's American hand providing springer. bell's American band providing spirited

Everybody sang, and "everybody" was more than 3000 persons, for every seat, including the benches in the gallery,

Big heavy voices, shrill young voices, sweet, soft voices, cracked, thin voices, voices trained and voices untrained, with the untrained in a great majority, joined in the good old songs that made up the programme, and sang them with will, filling the great room with joy-

At first the audience was bashful, but, urged by Director Royer, it was not long before the singing spirit awoke and thrilled the assembly, so that the roof trembled with surges of

Like a magic leaven, the singing of the Boys and Girls Glee Clubs of Jet-ferson, Washington and Lincoln high schools sweetened and strengthened and sustained the entire programme, for the young folk sang with contagious confidence.

They were stationed, 300 of them, in the gallery above the orchestra plat-form. The girls were dressed in white, with middy blouses. Lincoln, in the center, was distinguished by flowing crimson ties, and Jefferson and Wash-ington, on either hand, by ties of their

own school colors, blue and gold and marcon and gold, respectively.

The programme was opened with the march, "Triumph of True Tones." Then came "America," sung standing, fol-lowed by "Love's Old Sweet Song," with the chorus repeated the chorus repeated.

"Annie Laurie" came next, and the old song, awaking memories of youth's springtime in many breasts, so that more than a few hands went to cheeks, was sung ever so tenderly. It was the same with "Silver Threads Among the Gold," which was applauded and

In the interlude before the boys and girls sang "Keiler's American Hymn" the band played the march, "The Division Commander."

The combined girls' chorus of the three schools sang "May Morning" so delightfully that they were warmly applauded. They responded with "Tipperary." There was an enthusiastic encore, the same as when the band played it early in the evening, and when they sang it again.

In the interlude before the boys and girls Stevenson yesterday discharged Daniel W. Flood, manager of the Lyric, who had been arrested for allowing hypnotic exhibitions in his theater.

Had it been the intention of the Legislature to prevent theatrical exhibitions of mesmerism it would have been more specific on this point, the court said.

Professor Lorenz and a subject of the furniture store. Numerous complaints of a scheme similar to this, where the promoter disappeared before his cards were filled, have been received, says out at the police have never been able to serve them.

TILLAMOOK RECALL encore, the same as when the band played it early in the evening, and when they sang it again everybody foined in the swinging chorus.

Then "My Old Kentucky Home" and "Dixie" and "Old Folks at Home" wars sung, and while the

ting its breath back the band swung into a Sousa march and responded to By way of diversion, Director Boyd divided the house into three sections, assigning one part of "Three Billad Mice" to each, and "this beautiful hymn," as he called it, was sung with

laughter.
"My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean," "Good-Night, Ladies" and "The Star-Spangled Banner," sung standing, com-

Spangled Banner," sung standing, completed the programme, except for the school songs and yells with which the boys and girls gave vent to their spirits as the happy crowd dispersed.

Plane accompaniments for the songs sung by the audience were played by Mrs. H. A. Heppner, honorary president of the Monday Musical Club. Miss Erma Ewart accompanied the songs by the Washington girls and the combined choruses. Miss Jean Jacobs was accompanist for the Lincoln girls.

Officers of the Monday Musical Club, who had charge of the "sing," are: Mrs. G. J. Frankel, president; Mrs. Heppner, Mrs. W. A. Vigers, directors; Mrs. Lillian Conser, corresponding secre-

ner, Mrs. W. A. Vigers, directors; Mrs. Lillan Conser, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Nettle Green Taylor, chairman press committee; Mrs. Rodney Herrick, director; Mrs. Frank M. Kupper, chairman membership committee; Mrs. Herbert Garr Reed, federation secretary, and Mrs. Chester Deering, financial secretary, who was chairman of the "sing" committee.

The "sing" was the second annual event of the kind and was even more successful than that of last year. It is planned to make it more than an an-

planned to make it more than an an-nual event. The next "sing" probably will be held in the Rose Festival next

CHURCH WORKERS MAY COMPLETE UNION BUILDING IN DAY,

More Than 50 Volunteers to Be Hand Today to Construct Place to Hold Meetings.

Work will begin this morning on the tabernacle at East Eleventh and Bel-mont streets, in which will be held the mont streets, in which will be held the union meetings during January. The meetings will begin next Sunday night. The ground has been graded preparatory to the erection of the building. About 50 members of the churches have volunteered their services and will be on hand with saws and hammers and it is expected practically to mers and it is expected practically to complete the tabernacle in one day, A foreman will be on hand to direct the work. Thomas Muir has the con-

The women's societies will serve a hot lunch at noon in the basement of Centenary Church, East Ninth and East Pine streets, which is a short distance from the tabernacle.

The ushers, under the charge of R. B. Stelle head usher, and his sesses.

The ushers, under the charge of R. R. Steele, head usher, and his assistants. J. B. Long and E. T. Harlow, organized at a meeting Monday night in Centenary Church. All workers and singers will meet tonight at the Third Presbyterian Church. Rev. E. J. Bulgin, who will conduct the union meetings, and George L. Rose, the choir director, will be present. The churches taking part are the Centenary Methodist. East Side Baptist, First United Brethren, First United Evangelical, Hawthorne Park Presbyterian, Central Christian, Third Presbyterian, First English Evangelical, Calvary Baptist, Trinity Methodist, and Mizpah Presbyterian,

Sewer Bid Is \$173,082. Use of monolithic type of construc-tion in the proposed Willow-street ex-

tension of the East Stark-street trunk sewer is recommended by City Com-missioner Dieck in a report on bids for the contract to be submitted to the City Council this morning. William Lind has submitted the lowest bid for the work. His bid is \$173,082.60, and it is recommended that he be given the

Bids as submitted show a lower fig-ure for cement pipe, which has been considered along with the monolithic. The lowest bid for this type of con-struction is \$167,199,30. The sewer which city officials expect to start within a short time, will be one of the largest yet attempted by the city.

LYRIC MANAGER FREED

hibitions at Theater Legal.

Judge Stevenson Says Hypnotic Ex

ture in 1905 prohibiting the public ex-hibition of mesmerized subjects did not affect the quasi-private theatrical per-formances in which hypnotism has a

COMEDIAN AT ORPHEUM TO SING IN NEW COMIC OPERA BY GEORGE ADE.



Frederick V. Bowers. Frederick V. Bowers, the singing comedian at the Orpheum this week, yesterday contracted with George Ade the role of "The City Chap" in Ade's now comic opera, "The Girl and the City Chap," which is to be produced at the LaSalie Theater, Chicago, the first of next September.

By the terms of the agreement, Mr. Bowers must write a number

Mr. Bowers must write a number of songs which are acceptable to Ade and which Bowers will sing at each performance. Mr. Bow-ers has made a number of trip's to Portland in vaudeville, as well as a member of musical comedy shows. He was featured with McIntyre and Heath in "The Ham

Kansas State Agricultural College has a campaign on for enlisting 20,000 Kansas boys and girls in agriculture and home-making contests this year.

B. F. Rowland Is Arrested on Charge of Selling Weekly Installments of Story.

WOMEN ALLEGED BUYERS

Defendant Accused of Distributing Literature Redeemable for Furniture Also Sued for \$50,000 by Mining Company.

B. F. Rowland, formerly a district superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal Church, later a mining promoter and well known in Portland, was arrested yesterday on charges preferred by Deputy District Attorney Deich for promoting an alleged lottery by selling weekly installments of "The Orphan's Marriage," or the "Mystery of the Forest," by Marie Corelli. He was released last night on \$500 bonds.

The defendant was formerly pastor

The defendant was formerly pastor of the Methodist churches at Eugene and at Astoria and at other times was superintendent, or presiding elder, of districts comprising Salem and part of Portland. Six years ago he severed his official connection with the church his official connection with the church and went into the mining business.

He promoted a mining company in Southern Oregon. For some time he was president of this company, of which Franklin T. Griffith, now president of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, was secretary. Then the mining company sued him to account for \$50,000, which was said in the complaint to be due from funds he had received. The suit is pending in Circuit Judge Morrow's court in this city. Attorney-General Crawford is counsel for the mining company and Mr. Griffith is defending its ex-president.

In District Judge Jones' court yesterday Wroble said he was hungry and acted on the advice that he steal something to get food. Judge Jones continued sentence on Wroble and said he wanted more time to look into the man's record.

BRIDGE TRAFFIC DELAYED Vancouver Men Desire Hayden Island Work Done at Night.

In the complaint on which the arres as made it is alleged that he passed out booklets supposed to carry each week an installment of "The Orphan's Marriage." He represented himself to be manager of the Rowland House Furnishing Company, 84 East Sixteenth

Housewives paid 10 cents for each installment of the novel and when they bought the reading matter, it is said, they were allowed to record their payment with a punch at a card such as was used for cigar store raffles before a state law did away with such things. When the card was filled the customers, by returning the weekly install-ments of the novel, could redeem their dimes in trade at the furniture store.

Ousted by Two-to-One Vote.

recalled today by an almost two-to-one vote at the special recall election. Two-thirds of the registered vote was cast. H. L. Goyen was elected to succeed Ger-

Fourteen precincts give 740 for and 416 against the recall. Attorney H. T. Goyen received 667 votes, J. V. A. Faruli, 13; John R. Callahan, 158, and M. J. Gersoni, 359.

FIRE BLIGHT FIGHT IS DUE Washington Horticultural Head An-

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 29.—(Special.)

—A new campaign to rid Washington orchards of fire blight, which has become a serious menace, is announced by T. O. Morrison, head of the horticultural division of the State Department of Agriculture. Shortly after January 1 the department, using the field notes of state inspectors as a basis, will prepare notices which will be served upon owners of all orchards reported infected with blight, requiring them within a reasonable time to clean the orchards and eliminate diseased trees. The legislative committee of the Washington Horticultural Society met here tonight, preliminary to a session with the advisory board of the State Department of Agriculture tomorrow, at which proposed changes in the horticultural law, designed to give the state more authority to deal with fire blight and other epidemics, will be discussed.

HUNGER PLEA IS MADE Attempted Theft of Overcoat Lands

John Wroble in Jall. Acting on advice which he said a member of the Industrial Workers of the World gave him. John Wroble walked into the Courthouse Monday night, picked up the overcoat of R. S. Leabo, a night watchman outside the registration department, and started away I said court him and Wroble

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 29 .- (Special.)—Vehicle traffic between Port-and and Vancouver is being seriously interfered with by the repairing of the trestle across Hayden Island. A doctor was held up more than an hour yester-day while on his way to attend an urgent case, and many have been held up for some time. A number of business men have sug-

gested that the work be done at night light to be obtained by tapping the trolley wire. Man, Hurt by Ax, Carried 3 Miles.

Carried through three miles of mud on a stretcher, C. C. Herrick, a laborer at the city wood camp, west of Portland, was transferred to an ambulance seven miles down the Linnton road last night and taken to St. Vincent's Hospital, where an ax gash in his knee will be treated. The man injured himself while cutting wood yesterday. The roads were so bad that the Ambulance Service Company's machine was unable to each the camp.

Manufacturers Plan Banquet.

The regular business meeting of the Manufacturers' Association was held last night in the rooms of the organiza-tion in the Commercial Club building, at which plans were made for the an-Ousted by Two-to-One Vote.

TILLAMOOK, Or., Dec. 29.—(Special.)

M. J. Gersoni, District Attorney, was

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T. F. Mosch, L. F. Fuller, T. W. Sheri
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—President Packing Company gathered around the Wilson today nominated Charles E. banquet table at the Hotel Multnomah Matt. A. J. Taylor, C. F. Keller, George Mercial Club on January 12. It is ex
Bunnell, of Valdez, Alaska, Judge of last night, the officers being the hosts.

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