BOXING FANS RAGE AT POOR DECISIONS

Referee Kendall Excites 700 Spectators to Vent Feeling in Wild Protest.

MITCHIE ONLY GETS DRAW

Nelson Is All but Knocked Out by His Opponent—"Young Jack Johnson" Has Better of Contest With Sommers in Main Go.

Exceptionally poor officiating marred an otherwise rattling good boxing bill at the Rose City Club gymnasium last night. About 700 fans gathered around the ring and if Manager Merrill had liberated a swarm of starved bees inside the building he couldn't have heightened the anger of the crowd.

Without further excoriations the results follow:

Al Sommers and "Young Jack" Johnson, draw.

Valley Trambitas won decision over Eddie Palmer.

Pete Mitchie and Billy Nelson, draw.

Jack Allen and Walter Knowlton, draw.

Shell McCool knocked out Carl Martin, sixth round.

Ed Olson won decision from Willie Evans.

Decision Smells to Heaven.

The decision of Roy Kendall, referee, in the Mitchie vs. Nelson affray proved the particularly nauseating one of the evening.

Mitchie earned as cleanout a decision over his taller opponent as anybody ever won. For four rounds the boys mixed cautiously and nobody could have called it other than a draw. In the fifth Mitchie opened up and before one minute of milling he had Nelson sprawling on his back, dead to the world, glassy as to eye, and all but out. Under the city ordinances a knockdown ends the round and this was all that saved Nelson from a complete knockout. Mitchie tried hard to stow Nelson away in the sixth, but with Billy hanging on for dear life it couldn't be done. Then, as the gong sounded the finish, and with everybody agreed as to winner, Referee Kendall suddenly startled the fans by raising hands of both boxers for a draw.

Joe Swain, ex-Portland middleweight, took a "run-out" powder and was not on the scene to battle Al Sommers in the scheduled main event. Manager Merrill, of the Rose City Club, was at the station to meet the last train which would have brought Swain here in time for the contest, but the butcher boy did not show up.

Johnson Has Best of Bout.

"Young Jack" Johnson substituted. He wobbled Sommers through six rounds and Tommy Burns, ex-heavyweight champion, who refereed the last two bouts, called the affair a draw. In the opinion of most of those present, it is just as well for Sommers that Swain took the "powder." Johnson should have had the decision.

It was very evident that Sommers did not pass his time in North Dakota boxing. His judging of distance was poor and he didn't hit Johnson squarely over a half dozen times during the contest. Johnson scored a knockdown just as the bell rang that ended the third round. The negro middleweight did not find it difficult to hit Sommers at any time.

Tommy Burns dropped a few remarks around town before last night's show to the effect that Eddie Palmer, New Orleans middleweight, was the black Mike Gibbons of America. Without slighting Tommy's judgment, the majority of those present last night would hate to see Gibbons if he boxes six two-minute rounds as did Palmer last night.

The negro boy lacked pepper. He seemed to loaf all the way throughout the bout. Trambitas set him down with a right-hand punch in the second canto, which ended the round. The Portlander forced the milling throughout and won by a good margin. He was given the decision.

Palmer appeared to have a stinging punch, but did not seem to want to get started, or else he did not know how.

Jack Allen secured a draw with Walter Knowlton by forcing his lighter opponent around the ring in the last two rounds. Jack made a hit with the fans by his aggressiveness.

LABOR FAVORS EMBARGO

COUNCIL TO ASK PRESIDENT AND OREGON DELEGATION TO ACT.

Bill Providing for Public Ownership of Utilities Is Explained and Investigation of Yards Ordered.

Resolutions urging that Congress put an effective embargo upon foodstuffs "to the end that the workmen of the country be not reduced to famine" were adopted at the meeting of the Central Labor Council last night. Copies of the resolutions will be sent to President Wilson and to the members of the Oregon delegation in Congress.

The resolutions were submitted by the Allied Printing Trades Council and the vote on them was unanimous.

L. D. Mahone, Portland attorney, gave a short address before the Council urging the need of public ownership of utilities. He read the first draft of a bill providing for the creation of districts with power to acquire ownership of public utilities. The terms under which these utilities may be acquired is also set out in the proposed bill.

Mr. Mahone also announced that he was preparing a bill for an ordinance providing for the city of Portland acquiring possession of a telephone system.

The president pro-tem, C. P. Howard, was authorized to appoint a committee to investigate labor conditions in the shipyards of the city.

REV. T. S. ANDERSON IS OUT

Atkinson Memorial Congregational Church Accepts Resignation.

The resignation of Rev. Thomas S. Anderson, tendered two weeks ago, was accepted last night at the annual meeting of Atkinson Memorial Congregational Church. A committee was selected to choose a new pastor, and officers of the church were elected as follows: Frank Beach, superintendent of the Sunday school; Frank Lewis, treasurer; W. B. Bethune, deacon; Walter Wheaton, trustee; Dr. Eva F. Walker, clerk.

The following is the committee to get a new pastor: J. B. Crossfield, Osso Hollowell, Rev. H. G. Crocker, Frank Beach and Mrs. C. E. Palmer.

FREAK DINNER ARRANGED FOR NEW YEAR'S DAY IN IRVINGTON

Twenty-four Couples to Go From One House to Another for Each Course on Schedule Not Known to Participants Ahead of Time.

CARTOONIST DIVINES PROGRESSIVE DINNER IDEA.

TWENTY-FOUR prominent Irvington men and their equally prominent wives, in the mad pursuit of something "different," have arranged a most unusual progressive dinner party for New Year's Day. It will start at 3:30 o'clock New Year's afternoon and will end—nobody knows when, exactly, except that it will wind up with a dance.

The dinner will be "different" because the six hostesses who will serve the six courses will not know until the moment the guests arrive who her guests are to be; neither will the guests know where they are to go, nor will any of the 48 participants know for sure just how complete a dinner they will get. In short, none of them knows where the next course is to come from—none of them except the "captain" of the progressive dinner committee.

The 24 men and their 24 wives will assemble at one of the fashionable Irvington homes about 3 o'clock on New Year's afternoon. That meeting will be the first disclosure as to who will be in the party. Each of the six selected hostesses, however, will have had previous instructions to prepare a certain course. Then the 48 (man and wife to a couple) will start out, under "sealed orders," for a destination. The "sealed orders," each of which will apply to a squad of six couples, are to be opened on arrival at the first-course house. This procedure is to be pursued until the final courseof cafe noir, cigars and cigarettes is reached. There will be four "squads" of 12 traveling all the time, each squad to a different place, until the end of the dinner, which will be around 7 o'clock, after which the 48 will assemble again, get 48 more people and proceed to a dancing pavilion for an evening of tripping the light fantastic and otherwise driving away of dull care.

The novelty promises to be diverting, because the general chairman of the scheme is keeping secret the names of all other participants, keeping the various hostesses in ignorance as to their guests, and sending each squad out under absolutely sealed orders. The hostess in each case leaves her home simultaneously with the other squads, and her cook must look after the details. Each squad will dine on a particular course at a regularly set hour. The turkey course will be reached at 6 o'clock, and at 9 o'clock the dancing party will begin.

HEILIG FARCE LIVELY

"It Pays to Advertise" Carries Motto Entertainingly.

CAST IS WELL-BALANCED

See-Saw of Wits in Business Situations Requiring Dexterity Causes Mirth--Forceful Argument Is Impressed on Audience.

CAST OF "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."

Mary Grayson.....Allene Durano
Johnson .....M. J. Sullivan
Comtesse De Beaurien .....
..... Desiree Stempel
Rodney Martin.....Jas. Jay Mulry
Cyrus Martin.....Geo. Schaeffer
Ambrose Peale.....Geo. Sweet
Marie .....Marion H. Barrie
William Smith..Wm. H. Pendergast
Donald McChesney...Geo. C. Haines
Ellery Clarke.....Page Spencer
Charles Bronson .....
..... Fred Mason Emerson

BY LEONE CASS BAER.

"You've got to toot your own horn all the time or else some fellow will come along and stuff it full of cotton." So runs the logic and the philosophy in "It Pays to Advertise," which opened an engagement last night at the Heilig.

But that one line is only one line. There're a hundred others all along the same thread of thought. It would really be a sort of miss-good-luck if you fail to see this big-booster show, now that the opportunity is here in its second visit to us. It gives one a laughing treatment—does "It Pays to Advertise." And it goes further in that it breathes a business spirit. Not the small town spirit—not the hold-back, timid, narrow spirit of small businesses, but the big, audacious, huge-visioned spirit that commands respect.

It really is an animated talk on how to advertise—why and when, strung all together with the funniest variety of farce comedy—with a love story and all the essentials adroitly constructed that go to make a fine entertainment. The audience listens to the most convincing line of arguments in favor of advertising—a list of names and trademarks of well-known articles, that sounds like a personally conducted tour through the advertising pages in all the modern magazines.

From garters to glue—from the Alpha to the Omega in advertised goods the lesson runs, and everyone listens delightedly, letting the lesson sink in the while they see and hear the fun.

"Do you eat duck eggs?" asks the advertising genius, whose doctrine flourishes like a green bay tree. "No," answers the man who has to be shown. "No, of course, I don't eat duck eggs. I eat hen's eggs."

"And dy'e know why?" pursues the aforementioned genius. "I'll tell you. When a hen lays an egg, she makes a noise about it, doesn't she? But when a duck lays an egg the darn fool keeps quiet about it. The duck doesn't advertise."

In that you have the nucleus of the idea around which Rol Cooper Megrue and Walter Hackett have written this play, which is conceded to be one of the funniest of its kind. Its story has to do with a billionaire soap manufacturer whose only son is easy-going, inclined to shirk responsibilities, exceedingly lazy and a general spoiled child. Father enters into a plot with his pretty stenographer to get son interested in some sort of work. The girl enters into the conspiracy and the plan works beautifully. On money obtained from father the boy embarks in a rival soap concern and gives the old man a fine run for his money. Of course there's a boomerang—and a see-saw of wits—put over with all the dexterity of a game that keeps its audience guessing, and a fundamental sense back of it all that supplies the punch.

A well-balanced cast of all-round merit presents the perky play. Allene Durano is the cutie stenographer. Desiree Stempel is an attractive French adventuress. James Jay Mulry is the son, George Schaeffer the father and George Sweet is likable as the advertising friend, with half a dozen more folk to help roll the fun along. The engagement closes on Saturday night.

TWO WOMEN DISAPPEAR

Mother and Daughter Leave Clothing at City Jail.

Miss Dorothy Brown, 21, and her mother, Mrs. Carrie Brown, 44, mysteriously disappeared September 7, after passing two nights as lodgers in the city jail, where they left a bag containing a number of toilet articles and some clothing. The women stayed in the jail because they were penniless and unable to obtain work.

Mrs. Brown and her daughter came to the West from Des Moines, Ia., working at various points along the way. They started to walk from Hood River to Portland, but were brought to the city by a motorist, who passed them on the road. Arriving here, they appealed to the Women's Protective Bureau for assistance in finding work. They were given permission to lodge in jail, and the bureau undertook to pay for their meals until they obtained employment.

Miss Brown got work as waitress in a Greek coffee house in the North End, but was obliged to leave that employment because of the law forbidding American girls to work in such places. She returned to her mother in low spirits, and the two went out to dinner. They never returned.

The police do not believe the women met with foul play, but regard it as unusual that the women should leave their bundles in the jail.

PEARSON BID IS LOWEST

Company Offers to Build Viaduct Along O.-W. R. & N. for $506,457.

The Pearson Construction Company, of Seattle and Portland, is the lowest bidder for the construction of viaducts along the line of the O.-W. R. & N. on the East Side, according to tabulations made yesterday by Commissioner Dieck of bids submitted Wednesday.

The Pearson Company bid is $506,437.50. The other bids are: Porter Bros., $547,987.25; Warren Construction Company, $579,821.41; Grant Smith Company, $586,502.62. The figures are the mean of all items on which bids were asked. The estimate of the engineer on the project was $513,606.50.

ENGINE HITS AUTO; 1 HURT

Foreman of Switching Crew Thrown From Car.

J. A. Holmes, 898 Haight street, was injured last night, when the automobile in which he was riding was struck at the foot of Northrup street by a switch engine. Holmes, who is foreman of the switching gang of the Northern Pacific Terminal Company, was riding in the automobile with William Wise, another employe of the company. Wise escaped without injury.

Holmes was thrown from the automobile and sustained injuries about the head and back. He was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital by the Ambulance Service Company. The car was badly damaged.

OFFICER FEEDS STARVING

Mother and Six Live on Roots and Dry Bread; Baby Ill.

Mrs. Emma Cochran, 6220 Ninety-third street Southeast, and her six children, are reported in a destitute condition, with nothing to eat except dry bread and pickles, and no fuel except roots gathered in the woods.

Patrolman Drapeau obtained food for the family last night, and got a physician to attend to the youngest baby, which has been ill for several days.

Worker Is Followed Home.

J. W. Pye, an employe at the Pettit Feather & Bedding Company, 213 North Twelfth street, reported to the police last night that he had been followed to his home at Twenty-first and Northrup streets by two men whom he believed members of the former crew at the Pettit factory, who went on strike more than a week ago. Mr. Pye said he was not molested by the prowlers.

Two Women, 1 Man Taken in Raid.

Two women and a man were arrested last night in a raid on a lodging-house at 82½ Second street by Patrolmen Richards and Burkhart. Those arrested were Rosie Smith, charged with conducting a disorderly house; Pauline Miller, charged with vagrancy, and Tom Lee, charged with disorderly conduct.

Mother of J. B. Nelson Dies Here.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brown Nelson, 89 years old, and mother of J. B. Nelson, Associated Press correspondent at Seattle, died in Portland yesterday at her residence, 1555 East Yamhill street. Arrangements for the funeral will be made today.

Nurse Faces Liquor Charge.

Daisy Turner, a nurse, was arrested last night at Third and Pine streets by Detectives Hammersley and Cahill, and Patrolman Spaugh, and charged with violating the prohibition law. She is 26 years old.

Miner Accused of Wife-Beating.

Paul Froelelsh, a miner, was arrested by Patrolman Calavan last night on a charge of beating his wife, Mrs. Lilian Froelelsh. He was held under a charge of assault and battery.

DELAY FORESEEN IN RURAL CREDIT PLAN

Amendment Itself Provides 60 Days After Passage of Measure Before Application.

LEGISLATION MAY BE SLOW

If Assembly Does Not Add Emergency Clause 90 Days More Would Elapse—Land Board May Draft Provisions.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 7.—(Special.)—Provisions of the constitutional amendment passed by the people at the last general election and known as the Rural Credits amendment will not become effective until February 5, or 60 days after the proclamation issued by the Governor declaring such amendment a law, according to an off-hand opinion given by the Attorney-General's office today.

The final section of the amendment provides that "the provisions of this amendment shall be self-executing, and shall take effect and be in operation 60 days after their approval and adoption by the people of Oregon."

This is taken to mean at the Attorney-General's office that the amendment did not contemplate its taking effect 60 days after the ballots were cast upon the measure, but upon the other hand it is construed to mean that the regular order should be followed out as provided for in another constitutional provision and that it be deemed a part of the organic law 60 days after it was proclaimed as passed by the Executive.

Legislative Action Not Indicated.

It is not known whether the Legislature will attempt to whip legislation into shape covering details for handling the rural credits loan fund and the farm credits bonds as provided for in the act, before the act itself becomes effective, of whether the law-making body will await the end of the 60-day period before considering such legislation.

Under the terms of the amendment itself such legislation is not deemed absolutely necessary, as provision is made that in the absence of legislation, the State Land Board shall proceed to administer the system of rural credits under rules and regulations provided by such board, but subject to provisions in the amendment itself.

The Legislature will adjourn about February 17, and it will be necessary to pass the legislation covering details to be worked out between February 5, when the act is effective, and the time of adjournment. It is considered probable that any legislation actually passed before the amendment itself went into effect would be a nullity. However, it is thought probable that such legislation could be discussed in the two houses and possibly whipped into shape ready for a final vote to be taken after the amendment itself became effective.

Legislature Ordered to Act.

Under the terms of the act the Legislative Assembly is called upon to provide "such detail as it may deem advisable" for carrying out and administering the details of the amendment and "shall provide adequate safeguards against the use of such loans as an aid to the purchasing and holding of lands for the purpose of speculation. Such safeguards shall include clear definitions of the terms 'operate' and 'occupy' used herein."

In event the State Legislature fails to provide the legislation touched upon it is considered likely that the State Land Board will use the provisions in the section just cited as a basis on which to frame its rules and regulations for the administration of the system of rural credits, as provided in the act, and immediately go ahead arranging for the issuance of the bonds and for the establishment of the funds provided for.

It is safe to assert, however, from statements made by members of the board, that the State Land Board will take no action whatever on the rural credits plan until such time as the Legislature has either definitely enacted some legislation or has decided to allow the Land Board to make its own rules and regulations.

Further Delay Possibility.

Should the Legislature decide to enact legislation as suggested in the amendment, another possible long delay may be expected before the amendment itself becomes actually effective.

If the legislation carries no emergency clause 90 days must elapse before it becomes a law, and in that 90 days it is barely possible that the referendum might be applied.

While the latter is a remote possibility, the fact that the legislation without the emergency clause would cause a lapse of 90 days before it could be used as machinery for carrying out the provisions of the act may likely mean that it will be some time in May before the State Land Board begins actual administration of the system.

In the meantime interest in the new amendment is proving state-wide. At the office of G. G. Brown, clerk of the State Land Board, it is reported that from six to ten communications are received daily making inquiries concerning the new act, asking for application blanks for loans and for information in general as to the operation of the act. All of these communications are filed for reference pending the time to elapse for the act to become effective and to see what the Legislature will bring forth.

AID IS OFFERED WOMEN

HEADS OF MEN'S ORGANIZATIONS ADDRESS RESEARCH CLUB.

Assistance of Fair Sex Besought for Purifying Politics—Chamber President Asks Co-operation.

Residents and members of the prominent local men's organizations addressed the Portland Women's Research Club at their luncheon yesterday noon at Hotel Portland.

The first speaker was O. M. Clark, president of the Chamber of Commerce, who told the women that the Chamber of Commerce stood ready to help them at any time that they wished and that the organization needed the co-operation of the women and the women's organizations.

"One field that I would suggest to you," said J. H. Dundore, president of the Rose Festival Association, "and that is to try to help the lowly. Get to the lower element and give the people of that class something worth while, something to look forward to."

"Eliminating Politics" was the topic of a talk by Nelson D. Pike, president of the Rotary Club, who told the women that their assistance was needed to purify politics. "A person who scratches his ticket is no longer a 'mugwump' but honored. It is right. It is no wonder now that people tell men to steer clear of politics. It now is so that no matter how clean a man is and how stainless his reputation is, the moment he enters politics he is maligned and his honor smirched. It is up to us all to do away with this condition."

O. C. Bortzmeyer explained the purpose and working of the Rosarians.

"Railroads are run by agents," said Ellsworth Benham, of the Transportation Club. "The agents handle millions of dollars for men they do not even know. In 75 years this marvelous industry has grown from nothing to an industry second in value and first in importance in the United States. The agents that manage this industry are entitled to your respect. We must surround them with efficient men. We must help them. The way measures are turning with the railroads at present but one thing can result—Government ownership."

William Whitcomb, president of the Ad Club, and F. E. Taylor, of the Realty Board, spoke of the need of more enthusiasm and less pessimism. "The only thing that is the matter with this place is that there are too many calamity howlers," said Mr. Taylor.

Burt K. Knapp, manager of the adjustment bureau of the Portland Credit Men's Association, told of the founding of the National association and said that Portland had the earliest credit men's association, which was founded 20 years ago. As one of the great things that the association had done he mentioned the fact that they began the movement of teaching fire prevention in the schools.

One of the most enthusiastic speakers was L. M. Lepper, of the East Side Business Men's Club, who invited the women to come and visit the East Side club as soon as possible.

BAR COMMITTEES FORM

JUDGE WHITE REAPPOINTS JOHN M'COURT TO CHAIRMANSHIP.

Measures Revising Judicial Procedure of State Will Be Considered by Special Investigators.

Special and standing committees for the coming year, who will act on special business in behalf of the Oregon State Bar Association, have just been named by Judge Samuel White, elected president at the recent annual meeting.

Among the important purposes which some of the newly-created committees will carry out is the consideration of legislative measures to revise the state judicial system. Those of this committee are: Charles H. Carey, chairman; William D. Fenton, George N. Davis, Alfred E. Clark, John H. Hall, Judge Percy Kelly and Judge Dalton Biggs.

John McCourt, who was appointed chairman of the grievance committee by Judge Bean in 1913, and continued in office by Judge Bennett and Senator Fulton during their terms as president, has been reappointed by Judge White. The remaining officers of this committee are Roscoe Nelson, Loring K. Adams, Harry Raffety and Alfred P. Dobson. Elton Watkins is prosecutor.

Other committees are as follows:

Judicial administration and remedial procedure; B. S. Huntington, chairman; Harry Beckett, W. E. Thomas, B. B. Beekman and Claude McColloch.

Legal education and bar admission: James A. Fee, chairman; John Van Zante, Charles L. McNary and Claude Strahan.

Admission to membership: John Winter, chairman; Roswell L. Conner, Charles J. Schnabel, S. M. Garland and O. S. Blanchard.

Clerical error in legislation: J. B. Ofner, Roy F. Shields, Waldemar Seton, P. P. Dabney, and R. G. E. Cornish.

Amendment to criminal code: Walter H. Evans, chairman; F. S. Ivanhoe, Francis V. Galloway, Martin L. Pipes, Wallace McCamant, A. H. McCurtain and John Stevenson.

Uniform legislation: E. W. Hardy, Arthur Langguth, Ralph Coan, William Brewster and Charles Hart.

The committee to obtain legislation defining what constitutes practice of law, and providing a penalty for violation of the act is composed of the following: H. S. McCutchan, chairman; Kenneth L. Fenton and Franklin F. Korell.

The general committee, which will have charge of the arrangements for the joint session of the Oregon and Washington Bar Associations, to be held in Seattle July 26, 27 and 28, 1917, is composed of the following: E. E. Heckbert, J. N. Teal, Frederick V. Holman, Lionel R. Webster, Frederick R. Behrends and Albert B. Ridgeway.

WILL REGARDED UNJUST

ATTORNEY SAYS SON WAS CUT OFF LEGALLY, HOWEVER.

A. F. Flegel, Appearing for Validity of Instrument, Says Mrs. Ryman Acted Through Dislike of Son's Wife.

Dayton Ryman, son and sole heir-at-law of the late Sarah A. Ryman, should not have suffered virtual disinheritance because of his mother's hatred of his wife, was the belief of Attorney A. F. Flegel at the time he drew up her will in 1904, and for six weeks prior to the signing of the will he argued against this course with Mrs. Ryman.

This was the testimony of Attorney Flegel on the witness stand in the will contest being tried before County Judge Cleeton this wek to determine the right of the son to the $25,000 estate. Mr. Flegel is of the firm of Flegel & Reynolds, which is representing those who are upholding the validity of the will.

Mr. Flegel does not believe Mrs. Ryman was suffering from an insane delusion when she signed her will, and believes the instrument is valid, he testified. In spite of this, he admitted that he urged Mrs. Ryman not to make the disposition of her property that she did.

C. K. Henry, E. Brong, K. K. Baxter and W. G. Espey were business men who testified that Mrs. Ryman had always seemed rational.

Mrs. Rebekah Cram, a business woman, testified to a realty transaction with Mrs. Ryman, and revealed, on cross-examination by Attorney Dan J. Malarkey, that, though she was an entire stranger to Mrs. Ryman, Mrs. Ryman insisted on discussing with her the dislike borne for the daughter-in-law.

1 OF 590 FILMS CONDEMNED

Portland Gets 124 Fewer Pictures in November Than in October.

Of 590 motion picture films viewed by the Board of Motion Picture Censors during November only one was condemned, according to the monthly report of the Board made at a meeting yesterday. Eliminations were ordered in 11 films.

There was a noticeable decrease in the number of films brought into the city. In October there were 714, while in November there were 590. The Board appointed the following new viewers: Mrs. Ethel Hendershott, Miss Anna Hendershott, Miss Anne Johnson, Mrs. E. E. Convert and Mrs. A. B. Strowbridge. The next meeting of viewers will be at the City Hall December 16.

LIVESTOCK MEN DINE

Growth of Show and Outlook Discussed at Banquet.

TWO GOVERNORS ATTEND

Need of Larger Facilities Pointed Out and Value of Displays to Industries Mentioned—Women Welcomed by Mrs. Daughtrey.

Progress, growth, development, expansion, optimism—all these elements were attributed to the livestock industry of the Northwest at the annual livestock dinner at the Multnomah Hotel last night.

William H. Daughtrey, president of the Portland Union Stock Yards Company, the host of the evening, recalled that at the first dinner five years ago he entertained precisely 32 exhibitors. Last night he had more than 600 guests, including the Governors of two states.

He emphasized the need of larger facilities for future expositions and suggested a big arena.

A great many women exhibitors and wives of exhibitors were present, and Mrs. Daughtrey extended a personal welcome to them. Mrs. Daughtrey displayed rare knowledge of the livestock business, calling attention to the fact that since the establishment of the yards here six years ago an aggregate of 3,132,059 head of stock has been received.

Governors Thanked for Help.

E. L. Thompson, president of the exposition, commended Governor Withycombe, of Oregon, and Governor Lister, of Washington, for the encouragement and support that they have given the industry.

"It is the greatest show of beef cattle ever held on the Pacific Coast," declared Governor Withycombe. He urged the business men of Portland to aid in providing an adequate building to house future expositions.

Governor Lister won applause when he addressed the gathering as "fellow stockmen." He grew enthusiastic over the merits of the show.

Mr. Clark was introduced by O. M. Plummer, the presiding genius, as the president of the Chamber of Commerce, which had promised $6000 for the support of the show.

Credit Given to Companies.

C. E. Spence, master of the state grange, told the members that credit for the livestock industry's development is due to the Union Stockyards, the Union Meat Company and others who have fostered the show.

Edgar B. Piper, editor of The Oregonian, complimented the stockyards people on what they have done to help the farmers and, as a newspaper editor, gave assurance that he stands ready to promote the industry further.

E. E. Faville, editor of the Western Farmer, drew heavy applause from the Idaho delegation when he referred to that state as "the gem of the West."

Gordon Corbaley, manager of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce; Duncan Dunn, one of the exhibitors; Thomas B. Hill, editor of the North Yakima Herald, and others, emphasized the need of a great arena in which to hold future shows.

D. O. Lively, formerly of Portland and recently director of the livestock department of the World's Fair at San Francisco, declared the exposition this year the best ever held on the Coast.

C. C. Colt, president of the Union Meat Company, reviewed the progress of the International, but wanted more championship breeders.

Boston Firemen to Form Union.

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Boston firemen will form a union and affiliate with the American Federation of Labor. This was announced here today after the ballots on the question cast by members of the Russell Fire Club, composed of privates in the department, had been counted.

AMUSEMENTS.

HEILIG Bdw'y at Taylor Main 1 & A 1122
Tonight 8:15 TOMORROW NIGHT
SPECIAL PRICE Mat. Tomorrow
COHAN & HARRIS Present
The Comedy Hit
IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE
Splendid Cast and Production.
Eve's—Floor $1.50. Bal. $1, 75c, 50c. Gal. 50c. Sat. Mat.—Floor $1. Bal. 75c. 50c. Gal. 35c, 25c.
SEATS NOW SELLING.

BAKER Theater, Broadway and Morrison.
The Alcazar Players
Tonight, Tomorrow Mat. and Night. Last 3 Times.
Most Tremendous Sensation of the Spoken Drama in Years
THE SONG OF SONGS
The play that made New York gasp. Evenings: 25c, 50c, 75c. Mats.: 25c, 50c.
NEXT WEEK, STARTING SUN. MAT., "THE MIRACLE MAN."

Orpheum MAIN 6 A 5535
VAUDEVILLE AT HEILIG THEATER
EVERY SUN MON TUES WED
Next Week.
Prince of Minstrels Eddie Leonard & Co. | Homer B. Mason & Marguerite Keeler
Mabie Rousseil and Marty Ward & Co., Neil O'Connell, Silver & Duval, Mlle. Vera Sabina & Co., Travel Weekly, Concert Orchestra.
"Water Lilies."
MATINEE DAILY-10c-25c-50c
NIGHTS-10c-25c-50c-75c

PANTAGES
MATINEE DAILY 2:30
MR. GEO. PRIMROSE
and his seven black-faced artists in a spectacular return to minstrelsy.
RESISTA,
the 98-lb. girl that no man can lift.
SEASON'S GREATEST SHOW.
Boxes and loges reserved by phone.
Curtain 2:30, 7 and 9.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FURNISHED house on Willamette Heights, every modern convenience, 6 rooms; rent reasonable. Main 4010, A 2024.

AUCTION SALES TODAY.

Ford Auction House, 191 2d st. Furniture, carpets, etc. Sale at 2 P. M.

At Wilson's Auction House, at 10 A. M. Furniture. 209-171 Second st.

MEETING NOTICES.

ALBERT PIKE LODGE, NO. 162, A. F. AND A. M.—Stated communication tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Election and installation of officers and payment of dues. All members are earnestly requested to be present. Visitors welcome. By order of W. M.
E. R. IVIE, Sec.

HASSALO No 15 I.O.O.F. WILL MEET this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock at 226 Alder street. Work in the second degree. Visitors welcome.
FREDERICK COZENS, Rec. Sec.
HAMILTON JOHNSTONE, N. G.

SELLWOOD LODGE, NO. 131, A. F. AND A. M.—Stated communication this (Friday) evening, 8 o'clock, Sellwood Masonic Hall. Election of officers and payment of dues. Visitors welcome. By order W. M.
J. H. BUTLER, Sec.

MYRTLE CHAPTER, NO. 15, O. E. S.—Regular meeting this (Friday) evening in Masonic Temple at 8 o'clock. Election of officers and payment of dues. By order of W. M.
JENNIE H. GALLOWAY, Sec.

PORTLAND LODGE, NO. 55, A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication, 7:30, this (Friday) evening. Work in F. C. degree. Visitors welcome. Order W. M.
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WEBFOOT CAMP, NO. 65, WOODMEN OF THE WORLD, meets every Friday night at W. O. W. Temple, 128 11th street. All members welcome. Kum to Kamp Friday night.
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DIED.

FRASER—In this city, Dec. 7, Margaret A. Fraser, aged 62 years. The remains are at the residence establishment of J. P. Finley & Son, Montgomery at 6th. Notice of funeral hereafter.

NELSON—In this city, Dec. 7, Elizabeth Brown Nelson, aged 89 years, at her late residence, 1555 East Yamhill st. Notice of funeral hereafter.

BARNES—In this city, Dec. 6, at her late residence, 1179 Garfield ave., Sarah S. Barnes, aged 76 years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

RAFFETTO—At the residence of his sister, Mrs. John Cordano, 88 West Park street, December 6, John Raffetto, aged 43 years. Beloved father of Jeannette Muriel Raffetto, brother of Frank Raffetto, of San Francisco; Mrs. John Cordano and Mrs. Carrie Ferretti, of Portland. Funeral from Holman's funeral parlors, at 9:15 tomorrow (Saturday), December 9, thence to St. Michael's Church, Fourth and Mill streets, where services will be held at 9:30 A. M. Friends invited. Interment Riverview Cemetery. San Francisco papers please copy.

MOAR—Thomas W. Moar, aged 59 years, in this city, December 6. Beloved husband of Gertrude Moar; father of Violet La Velle, Thomas Alvera, and Leona Moar; brother of Dan Moar, Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Tomima Lumsden, Mrs. Ida May Holmes. Funeral services will be held today (Friday), December 8, at 2 P. M., at his home on Sauvies Island. Interment in the Moar family cemetery. Remains can be viewed until 9 A. M. Friday, at the residential parlors of Miller & Tracey, Washington at Ella street.

GILROY—Dec. 6, at the residence, 318 Morrie st., James Gilroy, aged 21 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilroy and brother of John and Hannah Gilroy. Funeral will take place from the above residence tomorrow (Saturday), Dec. 9, at 8:30 A. M., thence to St. Mary's Church, cor. Williams ave. and Stanton street, where mass will be offered at 9 o'clock. Friends invited. Interment Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

AHRENS — At the family residence, 754 East 27th st. S., December 6, Paul Frederick Ahrens, aged 43 years, husband of Mrs. Effie Ahrens, father of Carlton Ahrens. The funeral services will be held at the conservatory chapel of the F. S. Dunning (Gordon Sale) Funeral Directors, 414 East Alder st., at 2 P. M. Monday, Dec. 11. Friends invited. Interment Riverview Cemetery.

SMITH—At 601 Lexington ave., Dec. 6, William G. Smith, aged 46 years 1 month 27 days. The funeral services will be conducted Monday, Dec. 11, at 2 o'clock P. M., under the auspices of Ivanhoe Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, at the residence funeral parlors of Walter C. Kenworthy, 1532-1534 E. 13th st., Sellwood. Friends invited. Interment Riverview Cemetery.

HART—Ella A. Hart, aged 46 years 3 months and 10 days, in this city, December 7, beloved wife of Alfred N. Hart, foot of California street. Friends invited to attend funeral services, which will be held at Holman's funeral parlors, Third and Salmon streets, at 11 A. M., tomorrow (Saturday), December 9. Interment Multnomah Cemetery.

DE YOE—Mary A. De Yoe, December 7, beloved wife of Edward B. De Yoe. Funeral services will be held at Holman's funeral parlors at 2:30 P. M. today (Friday), December 8. Interment Riverview Cemetery.

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