

OPERA OF "LUCIA" SCORES TRIUMPH

Giuseppe Agostini's Powerful Voice at Its Best in Role of Edgar of Ravenswood.

EDWIGE VACCARI IS LUCIA

Pictorially This Opera Presents Big Opportunities Every Scene Being Magnificent Painting With Living Characters.

- CAST OF LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR. Henry Ashton... Angelo Antola Lucia... Edwige Vaccari

BY LEONE CASS BAER. Giuseppe Agostini, who has always held a warm spot in the affections of Portlanders by reason of his beautiful voice heard here on a few rare occasions...

EAST SIDE WIDOW CENTER OF TRIPLE TRAGEDY LAST NIGHT



MRS. AMANDA BONNER.

GUARD MOVE HALTED

Federal Force of 25,000 Not to Be Raised.

NUMBER WILL BE 1800

Altered Conditions Sole Reason Offered for Change in Announcement of General Carter by Order of Secretary of War.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Further organization of the United States Guard has been suspended, Secretary Baker announced today, and the special procedure duty for which the guard was authorized will be done by Army troops supplemented by the 1800 Federal guardsmen, to which number enrollment is now limited.

GIRL AND PETS PLEASE

Little Miss Hohendale Charms Strand Audiences. Child and Parents Put Trained Animals Through Interesting Programme of Tricks.

The luckiest little maid in all Portland is over at the Strand this week. The student last summer, the little girl, is now the luckiest little girl in all the city.

FRENCH CUT TEUTON LINE

Recovery of All Positions Claimed in Official German Statement. BERLIN, Jan. 9.—Strong forces yesterday attacked the German positions on a front of more than a mile, west of Flibry, and penetrated the line of German posts, the German General Staff announced today.

TWO JONES MEN PRISONERS

Seaman and Cook on Ship Destroyed in Germans' Hands. WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Two men from the destroyer Jacob Jones, submerged on December 6, now are held prisoners in Germany, it was officially announced here today.

LOVE TRIANGLE IS FATAL

Police Made Every Effort Last Night to Locate Mrs. Bonner's Children. She has a son on the Vancouver police force and four daughters in Portland, where the rest of her children are believed to reside.

COOS SENDS DELEGATION

Citizens Want Original Asphalt Programme Carried Out. MARSHFIELD, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—When the State Highway Com-

TOURIST TRAVEL BE HEAVIER

Herbert Cuthbert, Returned From East, Gives Reasons for Optimistic Conclusions.

WAR WILL CAUSE INCREASE

Consensus of Opinion All Over Country Is That Vacations Are Even More Necessary to Business Men Than in Past.

Tourist travel will be heavier during the coming year than ever before in the history of the Pacific Coast, according to the conclusions of Herbert Cuthbert, secretary of the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association, who was in Portland yesterday conferring with members of the Association.

PRO-BOLSHEVIKI HELD

SIX SEAMEN FROM RUSSIAN SHIP IN U. S. CUSTODY. Disinfected Men Turned Over to Federal Officials by Skipper on Reaching San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—As a result of expressing sympathy with the Bolsheviki government of Russia on the voyage of the Russian steamer Novgorod, from Kobe to this port, six members of the crew were turned over to United States officials today on the arrival of the vessel, according to a report last night in the Russian column.

GILL DECISION IS DUE

TAKING OF TESTIMONY IN MAYOR'S CASE ENDS. Seattle Executive Denies Charge That He Permitted His Name to Be Used to Influential Clients.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 9.—If a decision is reached by that time, the State Board of Law Examiners will reconvene tomorrow afternoon and make known its findings in the disbarment action brought against Mayor H. C. Gill, H. B. Hoyt and H. S. Frye, it was announced tonight when the taking of testimony ended.

BAN IS OFF OF SEATTLE

CAMP LEWIS VISITORS PERMITTED TO VISIT CITY. Major-General Foltz Praises Work of New Chief of Police in Ridding Town of Vice.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 9.—Although the military ban on Seattle was officially lifted today it will be necessary for soldiers who wish to visit Seattle to obtain a special pass permitting them to go beyond the 20-mile circle drawn about the camp shortly after the ban was placed on Seattle.

VANCOUVER BANKS ELECT

Annual Election of Various Depositories Held Tuesday. VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—Lloyd DuBois was re-elected president of the Washington Exchange Bank at a meeting of the board of directors last night.

FLAG DESECRATOR TO PAY

Redmond Youth Must Buy \$1 Worth of Thrift Stamps Every Week. BEND, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—As long as he buys a dollar's worth of thrift stamps weekly, Clarence Stein-

COOS BAY PROSPERS, SAYS L. J. SIMPSON

Within 90 Days Coast County Will Be Cutting 2,000,000 Feet of Airplane Stock.

WORKERS DECLARED LOYAL

North Bend Payroll Includes 2400 Men, With Monthly Outlay for Salaries Approximating \$240,000—Co-operation Splendid.

Within 90 days Coos County will be furnishing the United States Government 2,000,000 feet of the choicest airplane stock from spruce and white cedar forests of that region, through the perfection of plans in which the employers and their employees in camp and mill are co-operating to effect the maximum efficiency in the big drive, says Louis J. Simpson, ex-Mayor of North Bend and largely interested in the timber business there.

MOUNTAIN STATES COLDER

Snow Falling Over Great Area and Temperature Falling. DENVER, Jan. 9.—Pine snow, which began falling in Denver this afternoon, was heavy and a strong northeast wind tonight and was drifting rapidly.

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MISS ADELINE DEWART DIES

Funeral of Member of Public Library Staff Held Today. The funeral of Miss Adeline C. Dewart, formerly a teacher in Lincoln High School and more recently of the staff at the Public Library, will be held today at 2 o'clock at the Holman home, Dr. W. V. Youngson, of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Portland, will conduct the services, and the eulogy will be delivered by Rev. E. N. Atwood of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, of Salem.

HAROLD BAUER, MASTER ARTIST, WINS CORDIAL APPROVAL

Piano Virtuoso Gives Delightful Program of Well-Selected Numbers at Helix. BY JOSEPH MACQUEEN. PIANO playing is a religion with Harold Bauer, piano virtuoso. No Hindu or Brahmin priest surely ever approached his sacred shrine with more quiet, heart-felt devotion than Bauer does when he sits down to play at a piano.

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Bayer Tablets of Aspirin advertisement. Includes Bayer logo and text: 'Take no chances. When you buy Aspirin demand the original t broken package and see that it bears the Bayer Cross. Then you will know you are getting the one true Aspirin.'