

a combination stock and vaudeville house. The policy will be to present a clever comedy each week, interspersed with good high-class turns.

Columbia Theater A. H. BALLARD, Lessee and Manager

Starting Matinee Today and Tonight, Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nights and Saturday Matinee

Farewell Week of Edgar Baume, the popular leading man with the Columbia Stock Company, in Belasco and DeMille's beautiful society comedy drama—

The Wife

See again friends you saw in "The Charity Ball," as "The Wife" is a companion piece to that powerful drama.

Evening Prices—Best seats 50c; balcony 35c, 25c; gallery 15c. Matinee Prices—Best seats 25c; balcony 25c, 15c; gallery 10c.

SPECIAL NOTICE—In response to a great popular demand and owing to inability of hundreds of patrons to see the grand spectacular production of

"THE HOLY CITY"

It will be given on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, and seats may be secured now for every performance.

Downtown boxoffice open at Dolly Varden Candy Shop, 327 Morrison Street, all day; phone Main 110; evening at theater, phone Main 311.

NEXT WEEK, starting Sunday Matinee, January 22, James Keene and the Columbia Stock Company in Henry Irving's Great London Success THE CRIME OF DUBOSQ

BAKER BEGINS WEEK.

Monday Afternoon the Best Programme of Season is Offered. Nothing better than the coming bill has been seen in Portland since first vaudeville was introduced.

STAGELAND.

E. J. Morgan is seriously ill with pneumonia. W. E. Bonney is playing his part in "The Eternal City."

EMPIRE THEATER

Empire Theater

JAR-PHOONK

Marvelous, Mysterious Occult Science As Practiced by the East Indian Conjurers

PROFESSOR THOMAS CALLIWAY NYE

Assisted by Mr. Arthur Laing, will give the most wonderful entertainment ever witnessed in Portland at the

EMPIRE THEATER

Friday and Saturday Nights, Jan. 20, 21 and Saturday Matinee

DON'T FAIL TO SEE THIS PERFORMANCE

PRICES 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c

Francis Wilson copied his season on December 25, at 11 o'clock, in the Hamilton Hotel. An adaptation by Clyde Fitch from a play by Shubert.

Despairing of finding a play sufficiently pleasing to warrant the outlay incident to a new production, Amelia Bingham last Wednesday signed a contract for a season of four weeks as a stock star at the Alvin Theater, in Pittsburgh.

Twelve Gulliver is making a success in Germany with her new departure, "Titanous Pump-drillers," in re-echo costume.

Ermete Novelli, the great Italian actor, who recently returned to Rome from Argentina, expecting to start for the United States.

Sam Sothern, who is now acting in London, tells an amusing little story of his first appearance in America.

Dot Bernard was an industrious young lady last week. In "The Holy City," she was cast as Salome, one of the dancing girls.

CUTTING GERMAN GEMS. Fine Surface Obtained by Polishing Stone Under Water.

Louisville Courier-Journal. "The stone workers of Germany are among the most interesting persons I have ever seen when engaged in cutting their jewels."

"The principal industry is at Freiberg, on the edge of the Black Forest, in which the precious stones are found. The principal jewels are amethyst, lapis lazuli and malachite.

GRAND THEATER WEEK OF JANUARY 16 A SUPERB BILL 10—NOVELTY NUMBERS—10

and wherever they are seen the favor leaves a better surface than if cut in the air. Malachite, which is one of the principal jewels made in this way, is the royal stone of Russia.

EMPIRE THEATER GEO. L. BAKER Manager SEATS CAN BE ORDERED BY PHONE, MAIN 111. PRICES MATINEES 10c, 15c, 25c EVENINGS 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c

WHETHER IN THE EVERGLADES OF FLORIDA OR ON THE SNOWY RANGE OF THE SIERRAS OFTEN DRUNK, AND SELDOM SOBBER, WIN OR LOSE, I TAKE MY BOOZE, FOR I'M HAPPY JACK THE ROVER.

3 NIGHTS ONLY Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, The Greatest Play of a Decade

A JOLLY AMERICAN TRAMP

By the author of "A Poor Relation," "Peaceful Valley," etc. A SPLENDID TRIUMPH OF AMERICAN DRAMATIC GENIUS

COMING THE MELODRAMATIC SENSATION OF NEW YORK CITY LAST SEASON. ONE SOLID WEEK, STARTING SUNDAY MATINEE, JAN. 22 "NETTIE THE NEWSGIRL"

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER W. T. PAROLE, Resident Manager PHONE MAIN 800

Special Announcement Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Eve'gs, Jan. 16-17-18

Returns Engagement of the Popular Young Romantic Actor, WHITE WHITTLESEY

(Direction of Belasco, Mayer & Price.) Monday and Tuesday Evenings, Richard Harding Davis' Famous Drama

Soldiers of Fortune

Wednesday Evening, The Charming English Military Play The Second in Command

Powerful Company of Twenty-five Talented Actors. Two Car Loads of Realistic Scenery and Effects.

PRICES—Entire lower floor, \$1.00. Balcony, first six rows, 75c; last six rows, 50c. Gallery, 25c and 10c. Boxes and Loges, \$1.50. SEATS ARE NOW SELLING.

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER W. T. PAROLE, Resident Manager PHONE MAIN 800

Thursday, Friday, Saturday Nights, Jan. 19, 20, 21 Special Price Matinee Saturday at 2:15 o'clock

Henry W. Savage presents Geo. Ade (Author of Fables in Slang), and Alfred G. Wathall's

MUSICAL COMEDY SUCCESS THE SULTAN OF SULU

"There's a Cherry in It." "The Constitution and the Cocktail Follow the Flag."

EVENING PRICES—Entire Lower Floor, \$1.50. Balcony, first six rows, \$1.00; first three of last six rows, 75c; last three rows in balcony, 50c. Gallery, 25c and 10c. Boxes and Loges, \$10.00.

MATINEE PRICES—Entire Lower Floor, \$1.00. Balcony, first six rows, 75c. Gallery, last six rows, 50c. Boxes and Loges, \$10.00.

The advance sale of seats will open next Tuesday morning, January 17, at 10 o'clock.

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY MONDAY MORNING, JANUARY 23, 1905 AT 10 O'CLOCK.

Lobby Marquam Grand Theater. Advance sale of seats will open for

MELBA

THE WORLD'S GREATEST SOPRANO Assisted by ELLISON VAN HOOSE, Tenor. SIGNORINA SASSOLI, Harpist. M. CH. GILIBERT, Baritone. CHAS. K. NORTH, Flutist. MISS DAVIES, Pianist.

Concert at the Armory MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 30 AT 8:00 O'CLOCK.

Prices: Balcony, \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00 Lower Floor, \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

Out of town orders must be accompanied by Money Order and an Addressed Stamped Envelope. Send orders to Calvin Heilig, Marquam Grand Theater.

RETURN RECITAL GADSKI

Direction Lois Steers FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Twelfth and Taylor

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 18 at 8:30

Reserved Seats \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00 Seats now selling at Eilers Piano House, 351 Washington St.

ANOTHER GREAT ALL FEATURE BILL AT THE STAR

THIS WEEK NEW BILL STARTS MONDAY.

The European Marvels. MONT-CAMILLO & FONA-MIA. Confectionists and High-Chair Pyramids Equilibrista.

ZANFRETTA & MANSFIELD. In a Typical Comedy Act, "A Crazy Messenger."

LOA & FAY DURBYELLE. World's Only Lady Shadowgrapher; an Unsurpassed Novelty Act.

RAYMOND TEAL. "The Merry Minstrel," the Jolliest Monologist and Singer on the Stage.

CARRIE BELLE MILLER. "The Eastern Star" and the Most Versatile Woman That Ever Won Applause.

DAISY VERNON. A Smart Soubrette, Who Sings Pictured Ballads.

Edison's PROJECTOSCOPE. 1. Hooligan's Dream. 2. The Teacher's Unexpected Ducking.

3. The Cowboy and the Lady. 4. Willie Westinghouse Smith and the Doctor's Battery.

Continuous bill today, 7:30 to 10:30 P. M. Weekday shows, 7:30 to 10:30 P. M. Admission, 10 cents. Reserved box seats, 25 cents.

BAKER THEATER Third and Yamhill streets. SEATING & FLOOD. Managers. Largest vaudeville house in America.

Week Commencing Jan. 16 Nagle and Adams Great novelty duo.

Perry and Whitting Comedy sketch. Major Maguire Champion swordsman of the world.

Leora The world's best aerial artist. John Marks The monologist.

John W. Woods Illustrated songs. The Biograph In new pictures.

Admission, 10 cents. Performances, 7:30, 9:30 and 11 P. M.

LYRIC THEATER Corner Alder and Seventh. SEATING & FLOOD. Managers. Seating Capacity, 700.

Ashtan and Farrell Comedy sketch. Kalkrauts and Wilson Jugglers and hoop-rollers.

The Mortons Sketch artist in "Rip Van Winkle." Hennessey The monologue man.

Beatrice Fletcher The dancing artist. Thomas W. Ray Illustrated songs. "The Man in the Soldier's Uniform."

The Vitasecope New moving pictures. Admission, 10c; NO HIGHER. CONTINUOUS BILL TODAY, 2 to 10:30. Week shows begin 2:15 and 7:15.

BIJOU THEATER Sixth st., opposite Oregonian. WEEK OF JANUARY 16, 1905.

Bingham's Grocery Store A Yankee novelty.

The Three Auburns Juvenile character change artists.

The Great Malcolm Artistic equilibrist and juggler.

Josephine Gordon La petite soubrette.

Belle Verna Portraits of celebrities. Edna Foley In illustrated songs.

New life-motion pictures on the Bijougraph 10c ANY SEAT IN THE HOUSE.

HOSPITALITY AT SMALL EXPENSE Entertainment—that is, pleasure to your guests—does not depend on the money you spend, but on your own knowledge of how to receive and extend hospitality. Christine Lorraine Herrick tells you all about it. Post-Office 50 cents. E. J. CLODGE, Publisher, 106 Fifth Ave., New York.