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AMUSEMENTS.
HILARIO (Broadway at Taylor)—Tonight, "Abe's Trial" will be the feature.

DELEGATES TO VISIT HERE—A private party made up of eastern delegates returning from the 25th annual convention of the American Osteopathic association at Los Angeles will spend the forenoon of July 1 in this city, according to advice which have been received here.

ALASKANS TO CELEBRATE—The anniversary of the Midnight Sun will be celebrated by the Alaska society with an excursion and dance on the pleasure boat Swan, leaving from the east end of the Morrison street bridge at 8:30 P. M. next Thursday.

THEIR HELD LEGITIMATE—That the mail file test for silk stockings is a legitimate one and will reveal if a stocking is new and the weave strong, is the declaration of N. H. Daniels, sales manager of the Edward Wilfrid company, incorporated, which has local offices in the Russell building, Fourth and Morrison streets.

OFFICERS MEET TOMORROW—Officers of the organized reserves, coast artillery corps and former officers of that branch of the service will meet at the American Legion club rooms, Fourth and Washington streets, at 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS—Following the graduation exercises last Monday the junior class at the DeKeyser institute of optometry celebrated its advancement by the election of officers for the new term.

PROBATE ESTATE \$25,000—Petition for probate of the will of Julius Pincus, who died in Portland last Tuesday, was filed in county probate court yesterday by Harry L. Hart of Salem, named as executor.

LAST LECTURE TONIGHT—The last lecture of the season under the auspices of the Science and Arts club will be delivered tonight at 8 o'clock in the story-hour room of the central library by Dr. Virgil MacMickle.

FOR SALE—Wonderful five-acre tract overlooking the Columbia with native trees, on fine roadway and electric line.

DR. E. C. ROSSMAN will return July 10, after an extended study of the newest developments of his specialty in artificial teeth.

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Golden Jubilee Marks 50th Year of Shriners.

Ritual Appealed to William J. Florence, Founder.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—The golden jubilee of the Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, which met here this week, marks the 50th year since the mutual desire of a small group of Masons in New York city, for relaxation, mirth and merriment, crystallized into the formation of an organization, which is popularly known as the "playground of Masonry."

William J. Florence, who founded the order, was an actor, as were several of those associated with him, and the jeweled costumes, the picturesque Arab in his tent and the holy city of Mecca, in the religious it typified, naturally appealed to the

PORTLAND GIRL STAGE STAR AND NOT YET 20 YEARS OLD

Ona Wolcott, Known Professionally as Ona Munson, Wins High Place in Musical Comedy and Charms Are Recognized.



Ona Munson, Former Portland Girl.

"IT'S easy enough to say nice things about Ona Munson," writes an interviewer in a Chicago paper, and then he goes on to tell some interesting things about the young Portland girl who is already a star in musical comedy and not yet 20 years old.

The story in the Chicago paper is as follows, and is a true accounting of the rapid and phenomenal success made by the little maid, who is now one of the pupils in a Portland (Or.) high school. Ona Munson, just an ordinary 15-year-old girl with nothing particularly to distinguish her from her class-mates but an 'underground desire' some day to appear on the stage.

"Here Gus Edwards, that con-artist, comes on the scene. Discovering her charm, plus ability, he gave her to George White's Scandals." As Ona Munson—because she and her mother were afraid she would be unsuccessful and disgrace the family name—she remained with the production for about a year, then had a short vaudeville tour with Charles King, brother of Mollie King, screen star, as her partner. Now she is on the Keith circuit.

"Ona Munson is a natural, unspoiled, likable 15-year-old girl, with much natural beauty and real ability. She is very much like thousands of other girls who are planning to finish high school this June, which she would be doing had Gus Edwards not seen a different future for her."

"Her mother has been with her every day since the time they left their home in Portland to spend the summer vacation in the east. Mrs. Wolcott manages the act, stands in the wings at each performance to help out with cues if necessary, acts as general adviser, and settles all the little difficulties which naturally arise. The young men who surround her talented daughter come to her for advice, and respect her opinions. She attends to Ona's wardrobe, and sees that she doesn't do too much candy."

"In speaking of the men in her act, Miss Munson said: 'I'm naturally actor, states the official history, which says: 'The ritual is evidently a free translation of a beautiful and ancient order of religion, and this, in truth, is about all that can be said about its antiquity.'"

Dr. Walter M. Fleming, the first head of the order, was a noted Masonic scholar, and to his influence is attributed much of the ritual. The requirement for admission into the Shrine is either membership in the Knights Templar or in the 32d degree of the Scottish Rite of Masonry. Mecca temple in New York city, the parent chapter, was organized September 26, 1872, while the imperial council was formed June 8, 1874.

The meetings of the imperial council have been held in all sections of the country. This year is the fourth meeting in California, San Francisco having been the meeting place in 1902, while Los Angeles had the honor in 1907 and 1912. Denver was the convention city in 1894, Seattle in 1918 and Portland in 1920. Although New York was its cradle, not a single meet of the council has taken place there since 1895.

Tree Kills Woodsman. HOQUIAM, Wash., June 17.—(Special)—Gus Carlson, 47, bucker, employed at Polson camp, two miles north here, was killed yesterday when a tree in falling struck another tree breaking the top off. The latter hit Carlson. He had been employed on the harbor for 15 years, and when in town made his home at 906 Summit avenue, Aberdeen. Though a native of Finland, he has relatives in Canada, from whom the local undertaking company is awaiting word relative to the funeral.

Power Plant Begun. HOQUIAM, Wash., June 17.—(Special)—Construction work on the foundation for the \$250,000 additional power plant for the Grays Harbor Railway & Light company, adjoining the Grays Harbor Lumber company's mill, started when men began excavating for the concrete base on which the new machinery will be placed. The new plant will double the supply on the harbor and later on it is planned to supply other towns in the county with light and power. The machinery is expected here in August.

for the trip, which is attracting great interest among the youth of the city. Last year at the close of the season, more than 20 boys, under competent leadership, made a trip from Spirit Lake to Mount Adams. The enjoyment and excitement resulted in the request for another excursion.

"Already a large number of boys have indicated that they desire to come home this way," said Mr. Meehan. "Instead of arriving home on August 26, as will the boys who come direct, those who come via Mount Rainier will get back to Portland three or four days later."

CHURCH HEADS CONCERN. UNITED BRETHREN CONFERENCE DISCUSSES WORK.

Bishop Washington Sireses Building Campaign and Drive for \$1,000,000.

Superintendents of the Pacific district of the United Brethren church met here Thursday and Friday at the home of Bishop William H. Washington, 886 East Taylor street, in their annual conference to discuss the work of the church in the Pacific territory, which includes the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Nevada, California, and the territories of Arizona, New Mexico, and Utah.

Bishop Washington presided at the conference here and gave a comprehensive survey of the entire Pacific district, stressing particularly the church building campaign and the \$1,000,000 denominational budget campaign, with its every-member canvass, which is now being carried on. The quota for this district, according to Bishop Washington, is \$25,242. The president also outlined the work of district institutes which will be held throughout all the four conferences in September.

SOCIAL BODY TO MEET. ANNUAL CONFERENCE TO BE EVENT OF WEEK.

Three-Day Session Starts Thursday; Many Well-Known Speakers on Programme.

The annual conference of the Social Workers' association of Oregon will be held in the central library building on June 22, 23 and 24. The programme of the conference will be as follows: Thursday, June 22. Morning session, room A, central library. Chairman, Dr. P. A. Parsons. 9:30-10:30, registration; 10:30-11:30, address of welcome, Professor P. A. Parsons, president, social workers' association; 11:30-12:30, "Looking Forward," E. F. Irvine, editor of the Oregon Journal; 1:30-2:30, business meeting; 2:30-3:30, luncheon; 3:30-4:30, address of welcome, Dr. E. F. Irvine, secretary of State Board of Public Welfare; 4:30-5:30, discussion—1, A. R. Gephart, general secretary public welfare bureau; 2, George Ehling, secretary child welfare commission; 3:15-4:15, boys' industrial school, W. L. Kuser, superintendent; 4:15-5:15, discussion, "The Social Effects of the War and the Peace," Edward T. Devine.

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