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"A GENTLEMAN OF FRANCE"

James Neil Plays to Large and Appreciative Audience.

The romantic drama, "A Gentleman of France," was certainly appreciated by the house full of people that greeted James Neil and his excellent company at Fishers' last night. There is no long, drawn-out plot about the play but from start to finish "A Gentleman of France" is full of life and action, winning the applause and praise of the large audience.

The action of the play centers around Mr. Neil, who, as Gaston de Marsac, a poverty stricken gentleman, conveys Mlle. de la Vire, niece of the Vicomte de Turenne to a certain place that she may impart certain information to the king of France. Around this thread of plot is woven an endless chain of accidents and incidents in connection with attempts of emissaries of M. de Bruhl to secure possession of the girl. Not the least of these is the striking finale of the second act, when de Marsac, standing at the head of a staircase, slays one at a time, six men who seek to overpower him and capture the fair prisoner. The applause at the termination of the act evoked a double curtain call.

Mr. Neil won the hearts of his audience by his manly bearing and speech. His wife, Edythe Chapman, also established herself in popular favor. The support was very good, but limited space forbids further personal mention. The company leaves today by steamer for San Francisco, thence to Honolulu, where the next stand occurs.

CALL FOR CONVENTION.

Notice is hereby given that there will be held at the Court house in the City of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, on Friday, December 4th, A. D. 1903, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., a republican county convention for the purpose of nominating one candidate for the following office, namely, one State Senator to fill the unexpired term caused by the vacancy of Hon. C. W. Fulton, resigned.

The apportionment of delegates is based on the vote cast for J. N. Williamson in 1902, allowing one delegate for each 20 votes cast in each precinct, one for a fraction over 20 and one delegate at large, as follows:

- Astoria Precinct—First ward, 22 delegates; Second ward, 16 delegates; Third ward, 16 delegates.
- Oliney
- John Day
- Svensen
- Walluski
- New Astoria
- Warrenton
- Clatsop
- Seaside
- Westport
- Knappa
- Melville
- Chadwell
- Elsie
- Push
- Youngs River
- Mishawaka
- Vesper
- Jewell
- Clifton

The committee recommends that primaries for the election of delegates be held on Tuesday, December 1, 1903. By order of the Republican County Central Committee.

G. C. FULTON, Chairman.
C. J. CURTIS, Secretary.

PERSONAL MENTION.

George Hibbert was over from Chinook yesterday.

R. M. Wooden is in the city from the Nehalem valley.

Wesley Hanthorn is in the city from his home in Portland.

Hon. J. G. Megier was in the city yesterday from Brookfield.

Hon. C. F. Lester, mayor of Warrenton, was in the city yesterday.

District Attorney Harrison Allen is at Hillsboro attending to legal business.

Harry Hamblet returned to the city yesterday after a brief interval in Portland.

L. F. Amundson, lightkeeper at Tillamook rock, is in the city enjoying a vacation.

Dr. J. W. Welch, a prominent Silvertown, Ore., dentist, is a guest of friends in this city.

A. Olsen was in the city yesterday from Deep River inspecting the new locomotive for the company.

Miss Beesie Sabo was in the city yesterday from Chinook, where she is "sticking" type for the Overbeer.

C. F. Smith returned yesterday from a trip to Chicago, where he went to visit his mother, who is quite ill.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

A fifteen per cent dividend will be paid the stockholders of the Building & Loan Land Company upon presentation of their certificates of stock to the undersigned.

21-23 W. L. ROBB, Secretary. Peter Grant, of Portland, spent Sunday in Astoria.

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7:00 p m	Way Points	9:40 p m

ASTORIA

7:45 a m	For Portland and Way Points	11:30 a m
6:10 p m		10:30 p m

SEASIDE DIVISION

*9:15 a m	Astoria for Warren-	7:40 a m
11:25 a m	ton, Flavel Fort	4:00 p m
5:50 p m	Stevens, Hammond, and Seaside	*10:45 a m

6:15 a m	Seaside for War-	12:50 p m
*9:20 a m	renton, Flavel, Fort	7:20 p m
2:30 p m	Hammond, Fort Stevens & Astoria	*9:25 a m

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