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"MONTE CRISTO."

Packed House Witnesses Opening Production at Star Last Night.

The renowned play of "Monte Cristo" last night made the impression that it justly deserves, that of a huge success. To expatiate on the beauties of this play would take too long.

In speaking of the company's ability in this production, too much praise cannot be bestowed. Mr. Willard, as the Count De Monte Cristo excels himself and it seems as if one's idea of what Monte Cristo should look like is realized in the excellent stage presence that Mr. Willard is possessed of his conception of the part comes up to every expectation having the romantic strength necessary to portray Monte Cristo" it suffice to say that Mr. Willard's Monte Cristo is par excellence.

Mr. Layton produced some excellent work in his part as Albert Villefort. Mr. Carvel did very nicely as Fernande.

In speaking of the company the new faces have made it a great deal stronger than formerly. Miss Shepard is very excellent in her interpretation of Mercedes and we compliment her as well as Miss Girschel's very clever character work as "Caronte." Miss Walker did not have much to do in this performance, but what little there was pleased exceedingly, and all in all the Willard company made a ten-strike with "Monte Cristo" last night.

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STRIKE FOR EIGHT HOUR DAY

LITHOGRAPHERS OF NEW YORK CITY DEMAND FORTY-EIGHT EMPLOYERS SAY SHOPS ARE OVERWHELMED WITH WORK.

NEW YORK, August 2.—It is estimated that six thousand employes of lithographers in this city are placed out of employment today through the strike ordered last night, of the Lithographers International Protective & Benefit Association of the United States and Canada. In the statement issued last night in behalf of the employers and members of the National Association of Employing Lithographers, its president, Frank A. Stecher says:

"In 1904 we had a conference pending a strike. An agreement was reached and both sides signed the agreement which provided for the settlement of disputes at that time and the future disagreements by a conference and if then settled, by arbitration.

"This agreement remained in force until 1905. (In 1905 this agreement expired and a second was signed).

"By the time this agreement in 1906, in the Spring, all of the three associations of employers had amalgamated into the present association and we offered to make the same agreement calling for conferences and arbitration.

"On July 9, the Lithographers' International Protective & Benefit Association which has a membership of more than 30,000 printers, transferers, and provers who are the most necessary parts of the organization of a shop for without them no work can be done, made a demand for a 48-hour week instead of the present 53-hour week.

"The hesitancy of the employers to grant the demand arose over the fact that the shops were overwhelmed with work and the restrictions placed upon the shops by the union did not afford the use of enough men to work our shops on the time limit. We could not do our work with our present force on the 48-hour week."

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NEWS OF OREGON AND THE NORTHWEST.

TO OPEN LUCKY BOY ROAD FOR TRAVEL

EUGENE, Ore., August 2.—The County Commissioners' Court at its session yesterday granted the petition to open the Lucky Boy road, in the Blue River mining district, to public travel. The Lucky Boy Mining Company built about six miles of road from Blue River Postoffice to the mines several years ago, and until a few months ago it was open to everybody, but recently, owing to a misunderstanding between the Lucky Boy people and a number of other of other mineowners, the road was fenced up and no one could get beyond the Lucky Boy mine, practically shutting out traffic into the district. The Eugene commercial bodies took the matter up and petitioned the County Court to open the thoroughfare as a public highway. Viewers were appointed to assess the damages. After the surveys are made and the viewers complete their work, an official order will be made and the road will become county property.

PASSES EIGHTIETH MILESTONE

SILVERTON, Ore., August 2.—A party of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of T. W. Davenport, in this city, Monday evening last, to commemorate the 80th anniversary of his birth. A more pleasant party has not been held in Silverton for years. T. W. Davenport is the head of a family to which Cartoonist Homer S. Davenport belongs. Mr. Davenport is a prolific writer on educational and scientific topics, a physician, lawyer, civil engineer and ex-member of the Oregon Legislature. He was born on a farm in Columbia County, New York, July 30, 1826, and claimed that section of the country as his home until the Fall of 1851, when he landed in Oregon, where he has since lived and most of the time in and near Silverton, and has been among the most successful farmers of Marion County. He is a frequent contributor to many of the leading periodicals of the East.

THREATEN TO THROW SOCIALIST INTO POND

EUGENE, Ore., August 2.—A report comes from Coburg that a socialist speaker came near being mobbed there Tuesday evening. He was mounted on a box in the street, when he made a number of insulting remarks about the Nation's flag. The crowd of men became incensed and pulled the speaker off the box and threatened to throw him into the mill pond, but better judgment prevailed and he was allowed to get scarce.

BOOKS IN GOOD CONDITION.

CORVALLIS, Ore., August 2.—The work of expediting the books of the officials of Benton County has been completed and turned over to the County Court, which met yesterday. With the exception of a few clerical errors, the accounts balanced to a cent.

Sheriff Burnett has a balance to his credit of \$21.21 overpayment of taxes to the County Treasurer. The latter's account balanced to a penny, the same result showing at each of his previous three terms of office.

The expert's report shows the financial affairs of the county to be in a flourishing condition. The cash receipts for the past two years have been more than \$170,000, and with the county practically out of debt there is a balance on hand of \$15,400.

SAYS WIFE IS DOWIEITE.

SEATTLE, Wash., August 2.—Wm. L. Chellis is seeking separation from his wife, on the grounds that she is a Dowieite. The couple were married in Portland in 1894, and have one child, a boy of ten years. Chellis alleges that three years ago his wife became a convert to Dowieism and refused to cook for him. He says one of his wife's peculiarities was that she would allow no pork in the house, and that she invited the Dowieites of Seattle to meet at their home, where they made the place uninhabitable with loud singing and praying. He also alleges that a few months ago she went to Vancouver, B. C. and peddled Dowie literature, and there met a man of the same belief, with whom she is said to be now associating.

SANTIAM FIRE UNDER CONTROL.

ALBANY, Ore., August 2.—The forest fire up the North Santiam is now reported under complete control and practically out. It has not been dangerous since the rains of Sunday morning. The checking of the fire was largely due to the efforts of gangs of fire-fighters from the logging camps of the Curtis Lumber Company and the company's big mills at Mill City.

ARE HARVESTING BY LIGHT OF THE MOON

ALBANY, Ore., August 2.—Several Linn County farmers are harvesting by moonlight this week. So scarce are harvest hands that farmers have been compelled to work all day and a part of the night. Of course, this is not the general rule here, but in instances where the condition of the grain demanded that it be cut at once the practice of moonlight harvesting was followed.

Never before have harvest hands been so scarce here. Very little help is available, and those farmers who have not been forced to cut grain by moonlight have worked long hours to get their crops ready for the threshers. The scarcity of men also causes many farmers to go with the threshing crews, who would otherwise stay at home, and this will cause delay in getting the grain to market after it is threshed. Threshing is now progressing rapidly in this part of the state, and as a general thing, the yields are very good.

SAILORS BECOME BLIND.

SEATTLE, Wash., August 2.—Four sailors of the British bark Oranasia, now loading in this city, became blind and were unable to see for more than thirty days. One of them, A. Pirkola, is still suffering and may lose the sight of his left eye altogether. The other three are J. Anderson, Robert Anderson and A. Bahride.

The vessel left Shields, England, on July 22, 1905. She labored for weeks trying to round Cape Horn. Failing she tried to put back to Montevideo. Again she failed and was compelled to make for the Cape of Good Hope. Food and supplies ran short, and she put in to Cape Town. The sailors were compelled to live on salt meat, and as one after another of the four men became blind, scurvy was feared. More than 30 sails were lost, including her entire supply of heavy weather canvas. The mizzen top-gallant mast was carried away, as was also a portion of her bulwarks.

NO CAUSE GIVEN FOR HIS ACTION.

SALEM, August 2.—Professor C. O. Boyer, of the department of physics, of Willamette University, tendered his resignation to the board of trustees of that institution last evening and his place has been filled by Professor H. C. Tillman, of the University of the Pacific, at San Jose, Cal. The cause of Professor Boyer's resignation is not known.

Professor Tillman is a post-graduate of the Johns Hopkins' Institute. For five years he was in charge of the department of physics and mathematics at the Puget Sound University. Later he taught in Portland.

VENISON COMES HIGH.

CORVALLIS, Ore., August 2.—Venison comes high at this season of the year, as evidenced by the result of a visit of a couple of Game Warden Baker's deputies to a camp of pleasure-seekers in Alsea Valley about 10 days ago. I. H. King, a real estate dealer of Portland, and the Wann boys, of Salem, decided to spend their summer outing in the mountains along Alsea River, and a few days later saw them in camp. Before going they took out hunters' licenses and provided themselves with guns and ammunition, as well as a liberal supply of fishing tackle.

Tiring of angling for the finny beauties, they decided to stretch the season a couple of weeks for the purpose of getting some fresh venison in camp. They were very successful, and by night a large fat doe was hanging by the heels from a near-by tree. At this inopportune moment, Chamberlain and Wells, two of Mr. Baker's assistants, appeared on the scene, arrested the entire party and persuaded them to journey to Waldport, about 40 miles away, where the unfeeling justice of the peace fined them \$26.50 each. As there are many other campers in that section, it is likely that more arrests will be reported.

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