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**POPULAR MUSICAL COMEDY TONIGHT**

**"Little Johnny Jones" By George Cohan to be Produced at the Astoria Theatre This Evening**

Extraordinary interest is being manifested in the approaching engagement of "Little Johnny Jones" at the Astoria Theatre tonight. All last season the delightful music of this production was whistled and sung so frequently that every music lover in this city is now thoroughly familiar with the catchy melody of the songs. "The Yankee Doodle Boy" and "Give My Regards to Broadway" are now probably the two most famous songs in America.

entire production in every detail will be seen in this city exactly as presented for 22 weeks in New York and over three months in Chicago last season. Much has been said in praise of the beauty and effectiveness of the three gorgeously mounted acts, while the wardrobe is spoken of as extremely beautiful and in rare good taste. The cast that will be seen here in the production embraces the names of many metropolitan favorites, while the chorus of over 40

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**Church Services Today.**

**Memorial Lutheran.**  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; theme for sermon, "Testimonies Concerning Christ." Evening service at 7:30, "Destiny and Providence." All services held at the Congregational church, corner Tenth and Exchange. Choirs will assist at both services. A cordial welcome to all.

**First Methodist.**  
The following interesting and important themes will be presented today: At 11 a. m., "Divine Influence on the Human Soul"; at 7:30, "The Worth of a Man." The music at both these services will be led by large chorus choirs. There will also

6:30 every Sunday evening; evening service, 7:30. You are cordially invited to attend. Theo. P. Nests, pastor.

**Presbyterian.**

Morning worship, 11 o'clock, "His Star." Sunday school, 12:15; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30; evening worship, 7:30; "On Earth, Peace." Miss Reba Hobson, choir director. Solo by Mrs. Harry Flavel and male chorus at night. All are invited. Wm. S. Gilbert.

**Grace.**

Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 12:30; evening prayer, 7:30.

**Norwegian-Danish M. E.**

Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m. Scandinavians are cordially invited. O. T. Field, pastor.

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**Christian Science.**

Services in I. O. O. F. building. Morning sermon, 11 o'clock, "God, the Preserver of Man." Sunday school immediately after the sermon.

**First Norw. Ev. Lutheran.**

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., instruction in both English and Norwegian. Morning service, 10:45; Bible class,

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