

STILL THE QUESTION IS: "WHAT DID THE WOGGLE-BUG SAY?"

The Wogglebug, wise man of the party, undertakes to answer all questions for his comrades from Oa. He has to answer one each week. His answer is not printed. The reader is left to discover it. The pictures and descriptive matter make this comparatively easy to the active mind. Both the pictures and the story are guided to the solution of the problem, and the question admits of but one correct answer. The puzzle requires only ordinary skill and knowledge of facts included in history, biography, botany and natural history, or an acquaintance with places, buildings or emblems about which information is easily obtainable. It is not a guessing contest, but a trial of skill.

To stimulate interest in the visit of the people from the Land of Oa. The Journal will give \$50.00 in cash each month to those of its readers who send in correct or nearly correct answers to the questions put to the Wogglebug by his companions.

NOTICE: All coupons from September 11 to September 17, inclusive, should carry guesses on the Woggle-Bug's answer to the question asked in the issue of Sunday, September 11.

Sept. 14. Use this Coupon Only. No. 11. To the WOGGLEBUG EDITOR: THE SUNDAY JOURNAL, PORTLAND, OREGON. The answer to the question asked of the Wogglebug in the Magazine Section of the paper of SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, is—

FILL OUT THE ABOVE COUPON. Also the coupon to be found each day in The Journal until Saturday, September 17. This gives you seven chances to answer the question suggested in next Sunday's page. Do the same next Sunday, and the next, also on each week-day until the end of the month. SAVE YOUR COUPONS, and on the last day of the month send them all to THE WOGGLEBUG EDITOR, The Journal, Portland. This will send the contest for September, and the prizes will be awarded very early in the month of October.

- FIFTY DOLLARS IN CASH PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN AS FOLLOWS: 1. For the greatest number of correct answers, \$10.00. 2. For the next largest number of correct answers, \$5.00. 3. For the third largest number of correct answers, \$2.50. 4. For the fourth largest number of correct answers, \$2.00. 5. For the five next largest numbers of correct answers, \$1.50 each. 6. For the ten next largest numbers of correct answers, \$1.00 each. 7. For the ten next largest numbers of correct answers, 50c each. \$50.00

RULES OF THE CONTEST. The largest number of correct answers wins. All coupons for any one month will be consecutively numbered, and must be placed in one envelope and arranged in order of their publication. Only one coupon of the same date can be placed in the same envelope of answers for the month. If more than one individual should have every coupon correctly marked and properly arranged, the prizes will be divided between the winners. Other prizes will be similarly divided in case any number of contestants have the same number of answers that are equally correct, but not absolutely so. Contestants need not write the same answer on all coupons issued for any one week. A correct answer can be written for each day; but if you are sure you are right, you will, of course, write the same answer on all coupons issued for any one Sunday. Remember, the largest number of correct answers wins. All coupons for any one month must be placed in the same envelope and be in the office of The Journal by 10:00 a. m. of the 3d day of the following month.

W. O. W. HOLD THE BOARDS AT FAIR

PORTLAND CAMP 107 WINS FIRST PRIZE AND MOUNT HOOD CIRCULE WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT SECURE HIGHEST HONORS—ATTENDANCE EXCEEDED PREVIOUS YEAR.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Sept. 14.—The receipts of the state fair yesterday were \$1,249, and increase of about \$50 over the receipts of Tuesday of last year. The attendance was very large. Constant attendants at the fair say that the exhibits of farm and agricultural products in general is far ahead of former years.

Woodmen Hold Boards. The Woodmen of the World held the boards at the state fair yesterday and had a big turnout of their uniform rank. They gave drills and had all kinds of sports during the day, took a good part in the program of the evening and gave a ball at night. There were several special trains required to bring all the Woodmen and their ladies.

Many Witness Races. The grandstand was comfortably filled yesterday by eager attendants at the races. The events were very interesting, and one record for the state was broken in the six furlong dash, which Nontie won in 1:12 1/4. The best former record was made by Bohler, September 21, 1903, in 1:14.

George W. Westgate of Albany yesterday resigned as associate racing judge and President W. H. Downing appointed Frank Praxer of Pendleton in his stead. Mr. Westgate's resignation was accepted for the reason that he had been criticizing the management of the fair in a very free manner since his resignation from the board.

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AT THE THEATRES

COLEMAN'S OLIVER PLAYERS. It is true Mr. Baume and Miss Countess are winning new laurels at the Columbia this week for their brilliant acting in "Lord and Lady Alcy." To be expected. Portlanders know the winsome charm of Miss Countess, and theatre-goers have only to see Mr. Baume to welcome the finished actor. Mr. Dulla has a reputation as a most delightful character comedian, although seldom has he had such a merry-making part as Brabantio in "Othello." Mr. Baume's polished acting has won him the admiration of Miss Ely's admirers. Miss Ely's name has long been synonymous with good acting. It was with pleasure that the critical public received into favor such talented members of the company as Mr. Berrell, who acts the part of the venerable duke with great ability; Scott Eaton, who surrounds the part of Sweeney, Lord Alcy's valet, with clever comedy; Donald, who is one of the most fascinating juveniles Portland has seen, and George Bloomquist, whose taciturn portrayal of Jockey Mawley is really one of the features of this brilliant production of "Fanny's Double."

"A TEXAN AT WASHINGTON." "A Texas Steer" will doubtless be greeted by big houses when it comes to the Marquam Grand theatre next Friday and Saturday nights, September 16 and 17. It would be singular if the theme hit upon by Hoyt did not furnish roasting entertainment. "Maverick Branders" is a rugged, honest Texas ranchman. During a brief absence from his ranch he is elected to congress. The woman, confronted with the fact on his return, indignantly refuses to fill the office. "If you think you are too good to represent us in congress, you just say so," greets Branders' refusal. Backed by hundreds of barrels of six-shooters, the politician throws up his hands and flies to Washington with his wife and daughter. The adventures that ensue are always absorbing, now wildly hilarious, quietly satirical, again touchingly pathetic. The play will be given a magnificent production.

"FEDORA" IS NEXT. For the fourth week of the Sardou repertoire at the Baker theatre Melbourne MacDowell will present "Fedora." This is one of Sardou's best dramas, yet it is one which is practically unknown to Portland, as only on a few occasions has it been given here. This will be the first time that "Fedora" has been shown at popular prices. "Fedora" is filled with classic diction and vigorous situations for which the veteran author is famous.

"GEMONDIA" DRAWING WELL. Theatre-goers are beginning to realize that "Gimondia," as presented by Melbourne MacDowell and the excellent company that is supporting him at the Baker theatre this week is a great play. Business is getting better each performance, and there is no doubt that crowded houses will reward Mr. MacDowell's earnest efforts during the remainder of the week.

DOING BIG BUSINESS. The startling melodrama, "On the Bridge at Midnight," is still attracting large crowds at "Cordey's." It has proven a big money-maker. On Saturday, the last day of the engagement, there will be a ladies and children's matinee.

FEWNEY'S OLIVER BOG. The hit of the week at the Lyric is the act of Ted McKenna and his wonderful dog Ted. Ted does everything but entertain. He is a good one and worth seeing. Friday night \$16 in gold will be given away, \$5 at each performance.

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AT THE THEATRES

"AT THE OLD LIME KILN." Commencing Sunday matinee, the Wiedemann stock company will present at the Empire theatre "At the Old Lime Kiln," by Charles Dasso, author of "In Old Kentucky." The new play is said to be superior to the latter, which has a record of running longer in New York than any play since "A Trip to Chinatown." The production of "At the Old Lime Kiln" at the Empire next week will be the most sumptuous yet attempted by Manager Wiedemann, and each member of the company will be seen in a congenial role.

"MICHAEL STROGOFF" DRAWING. The great Russian military drama, "Michael Strogoff," now running for a week at Tom Wiedemann's Empire theatre, is drawing capacity audiences. The Wiedemann has made a hit this week, and the play has been received with the greatest enthusiasm. Many people who are deeply interested in the Russo-Japanese war have taken this opportunity to learn something about Russian policies. Portlanders are getting the "Empire habit."

"BIJOU MUSIC." Songs like "Gliding Down the Bay" and "Ephassa Dill," and "Meet Me in St. Louis, Louis," are always popular. These and a lot more catchy airs are sung by the great pony band at the Bijou this week. "A Trip to St. Louis" is the operatic burlesque of the Zinn company. For pure fun that is interspersed with new songs and pretty dances by graceful girls, the Bijou is the place.

"MAN BEHIND NET" SOON WILL BE READY. Beware of the dog-catcher. He will start out with his wagon Thursday morning, and every stray canine found upon the streets without his license tag will be given a free ride to the city pound. It will make no difference whether the dog is the pet of some aristocratic family or whether he is only a poor, hungry mongrel. All dogs will look alike to the "man behind the net."

Portland Day at State Fair. Special train leaves Union depot 8:00 a. m. Thursday. Round trip tickets \$1.50 including admission. Buy at uptown office, Third and Washington, today, and avoid the rush.

WILL KILL BURNHAM. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Seattle, Sept. 14.—Advises from Rome are to the effect that the little steamer Research, Capt. Peter Bayna, is not through with her trials and tribulations. She is now tied up at the St. Michael dock waiting to be sold by the government to pay a number of lines at anchor against her for violation of the marine laws.

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