CHAMPIONS OF STATE GRANGE



BELASCO OPENING

he expected. But the brilliant appearance of the audience—the glitter of jewels in the boxes and the handsome attire of the women—was something extra-

ordinary.
Out in the lobby Mr. Belasco was signing receipts for telegrams. They all conveyed best wishes, and during the all conveyed best wishes, and during the local conveyed best wishes. night more than 30 came to hand. Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Fiske. David Belasco. Blanche Bates, Florence Roberts. Ben Roder, Julia Marlowe, John C. Fischer-everybody in the profession evidently knew of the opening and wired messages of good cheer. Not only that. The box-office was a mass of flowers and two bushels or more went over the footlights, for none of which the management paid.

"The Heart of Maryland" is one of those rattling good war dramas, dealing with the strife between north and south, incased in the old romance of the love between a northern officer and the love between a northern officer and southern girl. But it is not of the common sort. It was conceived, framed and deftly colored by David Belasco, master of his craft, and the audience felt its enthralling interest from the moment the big golden "B" on the royal blue curtain went up on a sleeping negro until the close, when time—"Time, the tomb-builder"—had brought to a happy end the days that "tried men's souls." Finished! That's the word.

happy end the days that "tried men's souls." Finished! That's the word. For a first performance it was marvelous, because at no time during the night was there the faintest suggestion that it was a first performance. There was no hitch—no hesitancy. The details were perfect—the ensemble magnificent. There was not one person in the house who would not have considered it a privilege to grasp Fred Belasco by his comfortable, chubby hand and exclaim "Thanksi".

Eugens Ormonde, the leading man, is an actor of spiendid method—quiet, reserved, a student of repressive art, and manly in appearance. His Allan Kendrick is suggestive of his Bertie Cecil and there is no better Cecil on record. John Sainpolis, who staged the play se perfectly and at the same time learned the heavy role, was immense as Thorpe, the treacherous, unsoldierly deserter and spy. It will rank among the best of Mr. Sainpolis' impersonations and the climax between him and Miss Moore, in the third act will stand the test of greatness. Walter Belasco—the talent in that family is evidently without limit—created one of the strongest impressions of the night, first as the old negro and again as the sexton.

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I have never known a company to walk into the hearts of a multitude walk into the hearts of a multitude with so little effort and so quickly. First among them in this bill is Lucia Moore, the leading woman, who played the title role. Here is an actress possessing about all the qualities it is possible for one individual to encompass. Her voice is music, she is graceful, winsome, pretty and, above all, intelligent. Her reading of certain scenes last night was so far above the ability of the average leading woman that I hate to draw a comparison. Miss Moore has 1"made good." She has in a single performance established herself a prime favorite, and it requires no stretch of the imagination to see her on the throne of local popularity.

That the Travelers' Aid association

has strong friends and the Chaminade

club strong admirers was shown last

Evening Star Grange No. 27 is chamble of Grange members of the Oregon State Grange in artill were in attendance Thursday at Forest work. Members of the victorious team of the contest was held. The big university hall was arranged for the state competition was held.

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an orchestra played. The floral decorations were red roses. The guests were: B. A. Worthington.

death of her husband, a grandson of the famous Schenectady locomotive builder, eight months ago, is engaged to Norman Selby, known as "Kid McCoy," the puglist. Mrs. Ellis is ill in her apartments at the Hotel Dunlap, and when a note was sent to her today McCoy himself replied. He said he was authorized to say for Mrs. Ellis that they were engaged, and that an early date would be set for the marriage.

A large table, around which 32 men gathered, was laid in the north alcove, but the entire parlors were heavily agent; M. J. Buckley, division superintendent O. R. & N.; H. J. Sterling, and the were banked with maple boughs and the columns entwined with vines and green boughs. Everywhere parti-colored electric lights twinkled. In an alcove to the columns entwined with or one aled behind a bank of green extending from the floor to the ceiling.

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H. F. Conner of the legal department of the O. R. & N., J. P. O'Brien, general superintendent Harriman lines; R. B. Miller, general freight agent O. R. & N.; Dr. George F. Wilson, Southern Pa-cific medical department; Richard Koch-

New Stock Company Walks Into
Favor in a
Night.

That is Keynote of Speakers at the Marquam. The company of some so young singers made a pretty appearance all gowned in white with plink rosebudas on their bodies. The numbers called forth unbounded enthusians, and the appearance all gowned in white with plink rosebudas on their bodies. The numbers called fort unbounded enthusians, and the appearance all gowned enthusians, and the appearance of the first purchasing agent farriam and the appearance all gowned the purposes of the numbers of the farriam allines. D. B. All and the appearance all gowned the purposes of the transport of the farriam allines. D. B. All and the appearance all gowned the purposes of the transport of the farriam allines. D. B. All and the appearance all gowned the purposes of the farriam allines. D. B. All and the appearance all gowned the appearance all gowned the appearance all gowned the appearance all gowned the appe

ter the banquet was served informal speeches were made, in which the railroad men talked shop, told stories, congratulated Mr. Worthington, and condoled with each other over their loss in his departure from the Pacific northwest. The speakers included Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Miller, Mr. Worthington, Mr. Adams, Mr. Coman, Mr. Boschke, Mr. Graham, Mr. Sterling, Mr. Lytle. Colonel Crooks and Mr. Fenton. er the banquet was served informal IS MRS. LINDSLEY The menu card was a handsome souvenir 10 by 12 inches, bound in red vellum, illuminated with the lines: "O. R. & N. and S. P. Lines in Oregon; to Mr. Worthington."

AN OPEN LETTER.

An open letter to the executive com mittee of the Municipal league.

I beg to address you from the standpoint of a candidate for the office of
mayor of this city, representing a politmayor of this city, representing a political party-that stands consistently, conspicuously and alone for precisely the ideals for which, theoretically at least) you are supposed to be striving, notwithstanding the fact that through some inexplicable and unreasonable inconsistency your indorsement and support is being given to the candidate of an opposing party which represents no principles of moral reform.

This anomalous situation, taken together with the fact that criticisms (more or less public in their nature)

gether with the fact that criticisms (more or less public in their nature) have been made by members of your committee relative to my candidacy, seems to require a word from me in order that the public may clearly understand, and as open letters seem play a picturesque part in this contest, I avail myself of this method in order to state my negition.

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With reference to your suggestion that my candidacy is dividing to some extent the reform forces, allow me to remind you that at the close of the primary election I was positively the only reform candidate before the people, and I charge you with the sole responsibility of having first led the reform forces into a partisan campaign against forces into a partisan campaign against my strenuous protest and for now continuing this division by having indorsed the Democratic candidate and asked your constituents to join in the political some sault involved in this new departure.

with regard to your criticism rela-With regard to your criticism relative to my participation in the Citizens' meeting and an imaginary obligation to resign my own nomination and support all the nominees of that gathering, permit me to say that the suggestion comes with very poor grace from an organization that participated in a Republican primary and is now supporting a Democratic candidate, and it is therefore hardly entitled to any consideration. I may say, however, that the printed call for that meeting invited all advocates for reform in our city affairs, and stated one of the objects was to indorse candidates, in view of which I

LET US HELP

NO doubt you'll need lots of little things to complete, your housefurnishing for the Exposition. A rug or new carpet here, draperies or curtains there and an extra chair for the guest room. Perhaps it'll be extra silverware or table linen, or a table and chairs for the dining room. Whatever your needs may be they can be economically supplied here. The credit price is just the same as cash—so why not open an account here?



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AUTHOR OF TRAIL

of the \$100 cash prize offered by I. N.

Every move of his body and every line of his face proclaims Mr. Belasco a finished artist. And a good deal of credit falls to Clarence Montaine as General Kendrick, Morgan Wallace as Lieutenant Telfair, Louis Frohoff as the gruff Sergeant Blount, Virginia Brissac as Nannie, Laura Adams as the southern madame, Eleanor Haber as Phoebe the southern sweetheart.

BACE WHITNEY.

"John Malcom Graham," the winner of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Van Etten, and malled it to the committee. The composition was made in a few minutes, and she had no idea that her effort would meet with success.

To it she signed John Malcom Graham, which is a combination of names of the members of her family. Her surprise was great when she learned that her poem had won the prize.

While on a recent trip to her old home in Olympia, Washington, Mrs.

"John Malcom Graham." the winner | Lindsley wrote the poem in the presence

solemn obligation, and when the Pro-hibition city convention honored me with the nomination for mayor of this city it charged me with a responsibility which I cannot and would not treat lightly, even if my sense of duty and devotion to my party's interests and principles did not make it impossible for me to entertain your suggestion. In all kindness allow me to say, however, that your unfortunate lack of

political sagacity throughout this cam-paign deprives both your indersements and your criticisms of the weight they

and your criticisms of the weight they might otherwise carry.

Notwithstanding this, however, it is difficult to believe that you are so guileless as to really think for one moment that the election of my distinguished opponent, Dr. Harry Lane, at this time would make any really material difference in municipal conditions, inasmuch as it is only as recently as subsequent to our primary election that there has sprung up any suspicion that he might possibly possess some slight

there has spring up any suspicion that he might possibly possess some slight qualifications necessary for a reform candidate, and even this suspicion appears to lack confirmation.

I am dense enough to be unable to recognize upon what your opposition to myself is based. I am gratified that as yet it has occurred to no one either in or out of your organization, to hu miliate me by asking if (in event of my election). I would "enforce the law," and assure you that hundreds of voters are at a loss to understand why your support is not being given to the candidate whose reputation as as advocate. date whose reputation as as advocate of reform is thoroughly established and

In conclusion I may say that it has pained me to have to suspect at times that your recent policy has been influenced more by an unreasonable and unpardonable hostility to the Prohibition party and a vindictive as well as righteous indignation against Mayor Williams than by higher considerations which should be the sole influences outlining your course of procedure. Yours respectfully.

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NEWBERG'S PICNIC WAS

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AN ENJOYABLE EVENT

Newberg held one of the largest plotales in its history Friday under the auspices of the Newberg uniform rank, however, a member of another political tended by at least 4,000 people. Colonel C. Ferguson were consted. The ather was the official starter and the constant of the property and a vindictive as well as the which two beeves were rousted. The ather was the right out all at which two beeves were rousted. The which two beeves were rousted. The which two beeves were rousted. The ather was the right out all at which two beeves were rousted. The subject out all at which two beeves were rousted. The which two beeves were rousted. The which two beeves were rousted. The williams than by higher considerations which should, be fine he sole influences out the picture. Yours fifty-yard dash. W. Henter: 100-yard da