

Learned to Speak Gaelic Before English and Now Speaks and Writes Five Languages-Lecturer and Organizer of Gaelic Crusade.

Dr. Douglas Hyde, author and lec-lurer, will arrive in Portland on Tues-day morning. March 27, from Sch Fran-cisco. For two days he will be the guest cisco. For two days he will be the guest of prominent Oregon Irishmen, who are arranging an elaborate reception and en-tertainment in his honor. On Thurs-day evening, March 29, he will deliver his lecture on the Gaelic revival. Thomas Concannon of Dublin, Ire-land, Dr. Hyde's advance agent, arrived in the city this morning, registering at the Portland hotel. After a hearty breakfust he gave his undivided atten-tion to receiving prominent Itishmen

in the city this morning, registering at the Portland hotel. After a hearty breakfast he gave his undivided atten-not well known citizens who are per-nonally interested in the local Gaetic movement. He had numerous morning callers, who came to inquire not only us to his own health, but of the per-sonal weifare of Dr. Hyde and the suc-cess the lecturer is meeting with. Mr. Concannon is a typical Irishman, of average height, stocky, with blue types, light hair, Chesterfield manner, He is a pleasing conversationalist and de-voted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many generations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many mentations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many mentations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many mentations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many mentations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many mentations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many mentations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country. Many mentations ago his ancestors used the vorted to his cause and country his any mentations ago his

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It'sh A Great Figure is Ireland. Those who know him well and are fully acminted with his standing at home, speak of Mr. Concannon as "one of the three or four greatest figures in the Irish Ireland teday." He was born more than 20 years ago on one of the Isles of Arran off Galway. At the ago of 15 he came to the United States and attended the college at Livemore, California, for two years. Then he traveled for an engraving house, touring (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pacific University, Forest Grove, Or., March 16.—The academy Alpha Zeta debating team gave a white coat of paint to their brethren from Gamma Sigms Literary society here last night by pulling down a three-judge decis-ion. The question debated was: "Re-solved, That the fifteenth amendment California, for two years. Then he traveled for an engraving house, touring through the United States, Canada, Mexico and Central America. It was



Many complaints are coming to us from people who have received Prize Cer-tificates from the local "Copycat" concern that has just closed a so-called Word Contest with a lone plano or obscure make as a prize. One lady states: "I received a Credit Certificate from them for \$100. A month previous to becoming a contestant I obtained cash prices on their pla-nos. When I received the certificate I selected the instrument I had looked at expecting to receive the plano at the price previous prices cut no figure now, and I was soon convinced that my certificate was, of no value whatever. On looking around their store I noticed that the prices had been raised \$100 and more."

more." Another lody and her husband informed us that they received a Credit Cer-tificate for \$100 for a list containing only \$00 words. As in the previous in-stance mentioned they called to select the plano, but found that the price of the plano they intended buying had been raised more than \$150 above the price asked only four weeks ago. They also stated that they knew of a woman who submitted a list containing only 56 words, and who also received a Due Bill. They were highly indigmani and asserted there was no doubt in their minds at all that everybody, regardless of the number of words they had submitted in their list, had been given a Due Bill and that, on the other hand, the selling prices were immediately marked up with the intention of making the peuple believe that they were really redelving a bonafide reduction to the amount of their Due Bill.

believe that they were really receiving a bonafide reduction to the amount of their Due Bill. The complaints have been so numerous regarding the high-handed manner which this self-styled "Oldest-largest-and-most-reliable plano house" is at-temmany to deceive the public (Ellers Plano House antedates it by years-does ten times more business and must, therefore, be the most reliable), that we very reluctantly make this exposure because Ellers Plano House will positively not advance the prices on its planos. They will be sold for the same low prices that have prevailed in the past and have characterized Ellers Plano House as the store to get the greatest and very best value for the money. In our initial advertising we announced that this was a publicity contest, pure and simple. We care little who wins the prizes. We stated plainly that our object was to make this year's sales reach the grand total of \$1,500,000 We appropriated one cent on the dollar of this anticipated business toward this gigantic contest. Our object is simply this: We feel that if we can let 'everybody know of the good planos and the money-saving facilities possessed exclusively by Ellers Plano House we will secure a tremendous business from old-timers and new comers alike. We also know that every high-grade plano we sell will give us a standing. Itving, taiking advertisement of the great values, the fair and courteous treatment and the high standard of excellence of the instruments sold over the size of our contest. We want to do the biggest plano busi-mers at the conclusion of our contest. We want to do the biggest plano busi-ness in the history of the house, but we want to do the biggest plano busi-mest and way contest on people know the prices of our standard and the size of any of them have been raised even a penny, in any in-

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closed that the prices of any or them have been raised even a penny, in any in-stance. The beneficial effects of this contest are already being manifested at kilers Plano House in the wonderfully large numbers of standard planos that are be-ing sold daily. People are talking, singing and—yes, dreaming — of "Ellers Planos." To gain this result is the object of this word contest, the best ad-vertising we can possibly ever secure. The standing and reputation of Ellers Plano House is too dear to us to permit of its being frittered away. We cannot afford to jeopardize the confi-dence of our clizens even for the wake of breaking plano-selling records. The great publicity contest is closed. We regret the conditions that have compelled these statements and the exposure of methods of a competitor in true, but the complaints have been so numerous that in order to reassure our contestants and to define our position, we deem it proper to make this announce-ment.

contestants and to denne our position, we deam it prior to maxe this announcement. Remember, that the instruments, valuable as they are, go to the persons having the largest lists of correct words, rich or poor. That the prices on pis-nos in Ellers Plano House will not be raised in a single instance. In the words of our worthy president: "We stand for a square deal to everybody." This is absolutely positive and any intending purchaser can easily find it out for himself by getting prices and comparing them latter should be have been fortunate in securing an award. Ellers Plano House, the Big Dealers, \$51 Washington street, Portland, Oregon.

TO STUDY MONKEY TALK AT CARUSO RECEIVES \$115,000 FOR SEASON'S SINGING UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO Star Tenor of the Metropolitan Plan to Find Out Whether Grand Opera Troupe Real-Simians Have Language by **GAMMA SIGMA AT PACIFIC**

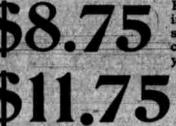
izes Fortune.

(Journal Special Service.) Chicago, March. 16.—"Monkey Talk" is to be added to the curriculum of the University of Chicago. Cages are now (Journal Special Service.) New York, March 16.—Enrico Caruso, Conreid's star tenor, has made more Chicago, March 10.— Homay in the Conreid's star tenor, has made more money this season than any other mas-to be added to the curriculum of the money this season than any other mas-money this season than any other mas-culine artist that ever displayed his vocal abilities within the walls of the wocal abilities within the walls of the metropolitan opera house save only the earnings of Jean De Reske. No secret is made of the fact that Caruso has established a new financial record as an opera star. "That is a personal ex-ponse." That is the declaration of a monkeys will be subjected to a series

MAURICE GRAU AGAIN

The Best Bargains in the City

Will be found on sale here tomorrow. The elegance of two lines of Suits quoted below and the bargains in Hats. Shoes and Furnishing Goods are positively unmatchable in this city. The very latest and most fashionable of medium weight garments are in this sale.

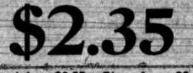


For \$12.00 and \$13.50 Suits with double and single breasted sack in the extreme long or moderate long skirts, made with or without slits, in blue serges, clay worsteds, union worsteds, cassimeres, cheviots and tweeds. These are extraordinary values and merit your attention.

Choice of 250 pure wool and union or silk mixed worsteds, also imported serges, clay worsteds, cassimeres, cheviots and tweeds in double and single breasted sacks, hand-made shoulders and collars and self-retaining fronts. Real \$15.00 and \$16.50 spring

MEN'S PANTS

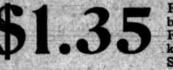
We are going to start the spring season with a sale of Pants that will be a revelation and the opening of spring business by a first class clothing house. About 1,000 pairs that we bought from the manufacturers at a big reduction for spot cash are on sale.



\$2.35 Sizes from 30 to 50 waist measure and 29 to 37 in seam.



We will open the spring season by showing a handsome line of Hats, soft and stiff, made for the National, but on account of that concern going bankrupt while the stock was in transit the manufacturers sold them to us at 55 cents on the Dollar.



For the very newest shades and shapes in soft and stiff hats, in black, brown, pearl gray, smoke gray, tan, otter, ash and chocolate, in the Fedora, Telescope, Broadway, Nassau, Manhattan, Columbia, Da-kota and Greaco shapes. Not a hat in the lot that isn't worth \$2.00. Some \$3.00, and every one this spring's style.

SHOES

Every man, woman and child who has paid any attention to the leather market the last year will notice that shoes have advanced fully 25 per cent. The Hub's contract, made with the manufacturers in 1904 and runs for five years, enables us to undersell all competition for the coming three years.

\$1.85 Will buy new spring styles in all \$2.65 Gives you choice of over twenty the different shape lasts in all the \$2.65 different toe lasts in all sizes. Vici, \$2.50 qualities.

patents, box calf, velour, colt, worth to \$3.50.

FURNISHING GOODS

We are showing a lot of new things in Underwear, Neckwear and Shirts, and the brilliancy of the new Goods and the remarkable low price we are putting on all weights of Underwear, etc., makes the Hub Fur-nishing Department just sparkle with good things at tow prices. Te for black and brown Balbriggan Sox.

for the cotton 10c Sox. 12% for the regular 20c quality black, tan and

GREATER WEST POINT

Addition to West

Point.

fancy Sox. 19¢ for all styles in cotton, wool, merino, plain and fancy 35c Sox.

SHIRTS

3D¢ for 50c and 75c quality in Golf and Negligee, including some spring styles. 69¢ for a Golf or Negligee Madras and Penang \$1.00 Shirt. UNDERWEAR

We have received several lines of spring weights of Balbriggans, merino, wool and silk goods, but as the climate here does not permit to stand changes we have taken 10 styles of moderate weight and will make special leaders out of them.

39¢ for a moderate weight Balbriggan and sterilized back, silk trimmed and hard button. 59c and 65c quality,

GDe for wool merino Balbriggan, in plain or fancy, 85c to \$1.00 qualities.

SSC to \$1.00 qualities. SSC for four styles of imported Balbriggan and Egyptian combed spring and slide needle weave in merino or moderate weight wool. An extraordi-nary \$1.25 value.

traveled for an engraving house, touring through the United States, Canada, Mexico and Central America. It was while in the south that he learned Span-ish. He went to Cuba just before the Spanish-American war, taking passage on the Alphonso XIII, which was after-wards turned into a naval vassel, and was the first vessel captured by the Americans. Topon his return to this country Mr. Concannon entered Eastman college, Teams.



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monkeys will be subjected to a series of experiments—pain, joy, hunger and repletion, go without sleep and be drugged, made too will all the sleep and be drugged, made too will all the sleep and be drugged, made too will all the sleep and be drugged, made too will be and too cold in each instance a phonograph record will be kept of their expressions. The experiments will be repeated often enough to determine if the same expressions are used to voice the same emotion, and if this proves the case the sounds will be classified and an alpha-bet worked out.

PANICKY FEELING FELT

Aid of Phonograph.

Oregon

IN INSURANCE CIRCLES

(Journal Special Service.) New York, March 16.—District Attor-ney Jerome when questioned about Judge Andrew Hamilton's speech be-fore the legislature yesterday as to his probable action, says that he had noth-ing to saw on the situation. A panicky feeling exists among insurance officials. Officials are afraid of what Hamilton may tell if pressed.

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GANS-SULLIVAN BOUT COMES OFF FOR SURE

(Journal Special Service.) Los Angeles, March 16.—The action of Mayor McAleer in vetoing the ordi-nance prohibiting boxing contests ex-cepting in certain sections of the eighth ward removes all legal barriers against holding the Gans-Suilivan fight, and the match will be pulled off at the Chutes baseball park as scheduled. The fight-ers will weight in at 6-o'clock and both probably will make the 142-pound mark. A referee has not yet veen selected.

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FRESNO IS THREATENED BY CANAL OVERFLOW

(Journal Special Service.) * Fresno, Cal., Murch 16.—Lower por-tions of Fresno are threatened by water from the Empire canal. A force of workmen are strengthening the em-bankments. The flow is increasing through torrents from the hills, and is

inrough torrents from the nink, and is already coming over the bank. Many portions of the county are flooded, but no serious damage is reported yet. Kings river is very high.

RIVAL BIDDERS (Continued from Page One.)

The United Railways company is per-mitted to make a charge of \$2.56, each way, for every car switched for "any person, firm or corporation," and the same charge may be made by the Wil-lamette Valley company. Whether both companies could make this charge on a single car is not clear. The United Railways is required by its ordinance to give a bond in the sum of \$100,000 conditioned for the construc-tion of a continuous line between Port-land and Balem within two years.

tenors, bassos, contraitos, conductors and kindred paraphernalia for next seaand kindred paraphernalia for next sea-son's production at the grand opera, reached Paris yesterday morning and already rumors concerning his doings have reached Broadway. The most definite is the statement that he hus secured as principal advisor and man-ager Maurice Grau, predecessor of Con-reid at the Metropolitan. Hammerstein's proposed season of (Journal Special Service.) West Point, N. Y., March 16 .- The purchase of Constitution island, in the Hudson, as an addition to the military reservation of West Point, has been recommended by the secretary of war in a letter to congress. Secretary Taft at the same time submitted reports from

TO LEAD GRAND OPERA

(Journal Special Service.) New York, March 16.—Oscar Ham-merstein, hunting for prima donnas.

Hammerstein's proposed season of opera undoubtedly offers Grau an op-portunity to again enter the field in which he has already done much bril-liant work and if the report is true Hammerstein has made another shrewd move toward a successful insuguration of his opera season.

TRAINS STILL TIED UP ON SAN PEDRO LINE

(Journal Special Service.) Salt Lake, March 16.—The Salt Lake route hopes to have the washouts in the vicinity of the California-Nevada line negotiated by tomorrow. Sixty miles of track are involved. Trains caughi cast of Caliente have been released and will arrive today. Last night the regular limited from Los Angeles was sent over the Southern Pacific via Ogdes and Sacramento.



Tustin, Mich., March 16 .--- William Mc

Crane, proprietor of a hotel here, his wife, Porter Charles Orkman and a guest were burned to death in a fire this morning that destroyed the busi-ness portion of the village. The finan-cial loss is small.

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the same time submitted reports from officers of the war department and from General Mills, superintendent of the academy, to show that the academy needs more room. He recommended that an item be incorporated in the Military academy appropriation bill for \$175,000 to purchase the island. The island is at the bend of the Hudson opposite from here and only about 300 yards distant. Its area is 250 acres and it has long been the property of the warner family. On the island are the remains of breastworks begun in 1775 and completed fater by Kosciusko. General Bates, chief of staff, in a re-port says: "There is an aged woman who, for sentimental reasons, has al-ways refused to sell an acre of her property to private parties, preferring to the property must soon pass into other hands, her one wish is to have it or the government." It is proposed to use the island, if prechased, as a drill ground in prac-tices in pontooneuring, rowing arous the river to the ponton site on the set cises in pontooneuring, rowing in the set of the the roops. DDIMPE ARTHING SAILS PRINCE ARTHUR SAILS FROM MIKADO'S REALM CASTORIA

(Journal Special Service.) Tokio, March 16.—After spending mentiy a month in Japan, during which time he has been showered with atten-tions and honors seidom if ever before bestowed on a foreigner by the Japanese sovernment and people. Pfince Arthur of Connaught starts on his homeward journey today. Accompanied by his wite he sails from Yokohama for Van-couver on the steamship Empress of Japan. The party is due to reach the Canadian port about March 28 and will make a lejsurely trip across the do-minion before embarking for England. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Chart H. Hitcher



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