

ALL STAR CAST TO PLAY "THE RIVALS"

Famous Comedy Will be Shown at the Grand Theatre Next Saturday

Collection of Theatrical Stars to Give Brilliant Performance of Famous Sheridan Drama

Never in recent years, if ever, has Salem had the opportunity to witness such a collection of theatrical stars as will appear here next Saturday evening, July 25, the revival of Richard Brinsley Sheridan's famous comedy, which is to be seen at the Grand theater.

Included in the cast are Mrs. Fiske, Chauncey Olcott, Thomas A. Wise, James T. Powers, Lola Fisher, Lotus Robb, Marie Carroll, Kenneth Thomson, Fred Eric, Gerald Rogers, George Tawde and Herbert Belmont.

These players have combined for a tour of the United States in honor of the 150th anniversary of the original production of the play, which is one of the three of its period having the vitality to survive. It not only pictures the manners of the day in which Sheridan lived, but its general features and clever wit have made it common to all time.

Mrs. Fiske, as Mrs. Malaprop, is filling a lifelong ambition to appear in this role and her performance is in every respect equal to what could be expected of an artist that has endeared herself to the theater public in a stage life that is too well known to need review.

Mr. Olcott is a native of Buffalo, and made his first appearance at the Academy of Music in that city as a ballad singer in 1880. After ten years in such pieces as "Peppita," and "The Old Homestead," he devoted himself to light opera, appearing in a number of the Gilbert and Sullivan pieces, with extended engagements in "Pinafore" and "The Mikado."

Mr. Olcott then went to London, and continued the study of music under Holland and Handegger. He had several seasons in London, then returned to the United States, touring in "Mavourneen."

That was the beginning of his association with Irish parts. Mr. Olcott's fame in the theater rests not only upon the quality of his singing voice, but also upon the charm of his impersonation of the swaggering, jaunty, care-free Irishman, exemplified best of all in Sir Lucius O'Trigger.

Thomas A. Wise, who plays the role of Sir Anthony Absolute has been associated with many of the best known plays of the last thirty years, and is known in every nook and corner in the United States. His successes date back as far as 1885 when he toured with William Gillette in "The Private Secretary."

Among his plays that are well remembered are "The Wrong Mr. Wright," "Are You a Mason?" "The Prince Chap," "Mr. Hook of Holland," "The Gentleman from Mississippi," "Mr. Barnum," "Cappy Ricks," "The Old Soak," "Three Wise Fools." A few years ago Mr. Wise had a triumph as Falstaff in "Merry Wives of Windsor."

Thus his appearance in "The Rivals" signals his return to the field of old English comedy.

Mr. Powers will be remembered in the all-star production of "Out There" which toured the United States in 1917. That play also had in its cast Mrs. Fiske and Chauncey Olcott. Mr. Powers was born in New York, and made his first appearance in that city in 1880. During four years of engagements in London, he played in "A Bunch of Keys," "Little Red Riding Hood," "Chilperic," and "Dick Whittington."

SCHOOL DAYS

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Two Current Best Sellers Deal With Heroines of Unconventional Racial Type

A Native Island Girl and the Daughter of an Indian Squaw and an Englishman Pivot the Events in "Numerous Treasure" and "Martha"

NUMEROUS TREASURE, by Robert Keable. George Putnam's Sons, Publishers. Price \$2 net.

"I think I could turn and live with animals. . . They do not sweat and whine about their conditions; They do not lie awake in the dark and weep for their sins. . ."

Wrote Walt Whitman, and Robert Keable, one of the generation's most eagerly read novelists, made an engrossing story of the idea. In choosing his characters he chose oddly for names and widely for a locale. Placing his half-caste heroine in the Pacific Islands, and bestowing on her the connative "Numerous Treasure" as a name, the author makes her "as inevitable as a process of nature." "Given the soil and the seed and the weather," the author says, "the palm grows. Given the tornado . . . the palm is destroyed. . ."

MARTHA, by Percy Marks. Published by the Century Company, New York City. Price \$2.00 net.

Now and again a story is written so inevitable that the characters may be substituted one by one until the story revolving on a pivot is brought back to the exact place from which it started. In Martha, the wheel proceeds through one complete turn. Opening "to the snap of willow sticks clanking like castanets," the setting is the same when the book closes. The story is of Martha, the "breed"

lift a finger against Martha's struggle is an engrossing one, and the events of her life are mirrored as they take place.

Biography of Lincoln Is Well Received in Berlin

BERLIN—One of the latest publications on the German book market is a biography of Abraham Lincoln in German. Hitherto only the German translation of the Carl Schurz sketch of Abraham Lincoln's life existed. The author of the German work is Count Albrecht Montgelas.

The book has met with a favorable reception by the press. Reviewing it the Vossische Zeitung says: "Despite the obvious thoroughness of Count Montgelas' investigations and research work among the mass of existing Lincoln biographies, his book reads like an interesting short story." Another paper states: "Even among educated Germans, there are not many who fully realize Lincoln's historical importance."



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SILVERTON, July 18—(Special)—Radio listeners were again given an opportunity to listen to Helen Wolcott Beals playing over the radio when she took part in the program last night which was broadcast from the Duo-art studio of Sherman, Clay and Co. over radio KGW. Mrs. Beals gave two piano solos and also played the second piano in a two piano number, the first piano being played by Russell Ellis Beals. Mrs. Beals is a former Silverton girl and made her home here until a few years ago. She is the daughter of R. L. Wolcott. Mrs. Beals and her husband played over KGW about a month ago.

Plans are being made to enter a Templar racing car from Silverton in the Vancouver races on July 25. This car, driven by Fred Cavender, placed fourth in races at Long Beach, Washington last Sunday. Tore Fenoide, regular driver of the car, was declared ineligible and could not take part in the races.

Mrs. Helen Wrightman entertained a few friends at dinner Friday. Guests of honor were Mrs. Frank Wray and Miss Mary A. Hoff. Mrs. Wray formerly lived in Silverton but now makes her home in Portland. Miss Hoff is leaving Silverton in the near future after having lived here for ten years. She has been conducting the Women's Specialty shop but has disposed of her interests.

Following the regular practice Friday night the Trinity church choir had a social evening. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served following which games were played on the church lawn. A good attendance was reported and it was decided to continue with practice instead of taking a vacation this summer as is usually done. A social will be held once a month during the remainder of the summer.

Two of a series of eight shoots by the Silverton Gun club have been held and the third is scheduled for July 26. Scores of ten members participating were recently made public. The highest score was 94 out of a possible 100 and the next highest 91.

MY HUSBAND'S LOVE

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"Who is to operate?" she asked. "I do not know. Mrs. Durkee wants to wait to see her family physician in Marvin before doing anything."
"I know, that old rascal!" Katherine declared with a fine scorn. "There's only one man I'd like to trust her with—there'd be time, too, if it's what we fear, and I'm sure he'd come for a friend of Dicky's."
"You mean—" I asked breathlessly. "Dr. Bralthwalte, of course. He's a wizard in that operation."
Katherine responded with wet

FRANK DOLP IS VICTOR

OREGON GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY PORTLAND MAN
PORTLAND, July 18—Frank Dolp, Alderwood club, Portland, today won the Oregon state golf championship at Tualatin links, by defeating C. D. Hunter, Jr., of Tacoma, five up, and four to play. Mrs. L. W. Palmer, Jr., of Oregon City won the women's state title by defeating Miss Frances Jacobs of Tualatin club, 5 and 5.
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Sterling's Rise Affects Diamond Sale in London

LONDON—Diamonds as large as hazelnuts in settings for hair have attracted much attention here lately where jewelry of this kind is sold chiefly to Americans. Englishmen, excepting in rare instances, never wear diamonds, especially as rings, and on this account they never are seen in the jewelry shops until spring when the tourist season opens.

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