

### At the Theatres Today

Oregon—Thomas Meighan and Lois Wilson in "Irish Luck."

Heilig—Bob Custer in "A Man of Nerve," a rip roaring western picture.

High—Fred Thompson in "That Devil Quemedo," and five acts vaudeville.

**DEMOLAYS EXTEND THANKS TO PUBLIC**

Winfield Clark's Name Omitted From Cast; Actor Wins Praise

On account of an error in the printing of the programs for the Demolay play, "A Pair of Sixes,"

presented at the Heilig Wednesday night, the name of Winfield Clark was not included in the cast of characters.

Mr. Clark carried the role of Thomas J. Vanderholt, the lawyer who tried to straighten things out and got them all tangled up. Mr. Clark's name did not, therefore, appear in the press report of the production but his work in the play was noteworthy. The role is a heavy one and makes strong demands on acting qualities and Mr. Clark made Thomas J. Vanderholt a real, living personage.

He has an easy stage presence and meets dramatic situations well.

Acknowledgements are due also to Manager Archie Holt for his courtesy in permitting the use of the Heilig stage for morning rehearsals. This courtesy was especially appreciated by the director, Mr. Reigelman, and accounted in a large degree for the ease and naturalness of the actors in the final presentation.

### MEIGHAN PICTURE AT OREGON



"Irish Luck," starring Thomas Meighan and Lois Wilson, now playing at the Oregon theatre. It is said to be one of the best this popular pair has made. Part of this picture was filmed in Ireland.

### COUNTY NEWS BRIEFS

#### Middle Grove

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Churchill of New Era spent Sunday with her brother, W. F. Starr and wife, of Hollywood. They have just returned from a visit in the east, and the old home in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Olson of Hollywood gave an oyster supper for Mr. and Mrs. Alec Munson at the home of W. W. Fisher Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for eleven. The house was beautifully decorated in Christmas colors. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Munson, M. Munson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wright, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fisher, and the host and hostess. Treats were received from Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis.

Mrs. Victor Lindo spent the forenoon Tuesday in school, she brought the finished dresses and suits for the Christmas play to try them on.

Prof. Lloyd Miller had an extra smile this week, because of the arrival of a baby daughter at his home on Monday.

The school board had their monthly meeting at the school house on Monday evening. They decided to give the school children and teachers a vacation from the 23rd of December to January 4th.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Evangelical church meets on Thursday afternoon at the church.

The church has its quarterly meeting in the evening.

Next Sunday communion at the church at 11 a. m. Presiding Elder Lovell of Salem will preside.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scharfe spent two days with their son Ed. Scharfe of Gervais this week helping him butcher.

All the sick pupils are back in school now, and we are all hoping there will be no more contagious diseases in this school year.

#### Oak Ridge

A. C. Woodruff caught a pair of martin recently in the vicinity of Odell lake. The animals are about two years old. Mr. Woodruff has built a park for them and expects to have quite a martin farm in the future.

Quite a number have the whooping cough here but in a very light form.

Work is being done on the loop road west of town opening up the road as far as the John Cross place.

The O. K. barber shop has installed two new barber chairs of the latest type.

Setzer, the broker, left the later part of the week for his home in Klamath Falls, later he will go on to Arizona looking after interests there.

A special train was here Friday and went on up over the new line on an inspection tour. Officials aboard were F. L. Burck-

#### Pringle

Pringle school is preparing to give a Christmas program and probably will decorate the school house and install a Christmas tree.

The Sunday school also is planning a little program and a big treat.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Meeks entertained friends Sunday.

C. H. Fromme and wife of Salem and their guests from North Dakota called on the Stewarts Sunday.

Grandma Quimby celebrated her 83rd birthday anniversary, Dec. 17th. There are few people at her age who are mentally and physically as capable as she.

Mrs. Jenny Sealy and son have decided to locate in this vicinity. This Sealy family is the third family of Sealeys to locate here recently. We welcome them, for they are boosters for a better

#### Pratum

The Menonite and Methodist Sunday schools will each give a Christmas program on Thursday evening. Both programs have been arranged by special committees appointed for that purpose. Both Sunday schools have each a fine choir and very efficient song leaders. They are the two largest rural Sunday schools in Marion county.

Mrs. Morgan Cross entertained the Ladies Aid in the church basement Wednesday afternoon at the same time. Mrs. D. Kiehn, one of the charter members of the society was surprised by a birthday shower given her by the members of the Ladies Aid society.

A Christmas program is being arranged by the teachers and pupils of the public school here which will be given on Wednesday December 23.

The Pratum Sunday school basketball team will play the reform school team Monday evening, December 21.

V. J. Krehbell is having his fine dwelling reshingled.

D. A. Vogt is tearing down a building which played a very important part in the history of Pratum. During the nineties it was occupied by Rice Brothers general merchandise store who later sold it to Off & Sons. During the last 10 years the building has served as a feed mill operated by D. A. Vogt, who claims it does not pay

#### Rickey

D. A. Harris was very agreeably surprised when a group of friends came in to help him celebrate his 69th birthday. A radio was enjoyed until a late hour when refreshments were served after which the guests departed wishing Mr. Harris many happy returns of the day.

Ivan Burten who had the misfortune of breaking his arm some time ago is able to have it out of the sling.

H. Y. Magee the father of M. M. Magee of this place passed away at his home at Scotts Mills December 7.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McMullin entertained a group of Salem friends Tuesday evening.

Irvin Caplinger has purchased a radio.

Mr. Morris was a Salem visitor Wednesday.

The electric light line has been extended from the A. A. Hager farm to the C. Lanke farm.

Two weddings of interest to this community occurred recently. That of Amelice Lanke and George Hager both of this place and Leona Gray, formerly of this place but now of Salem, and Arthur Owen of Cloverdale, Tillamook county.

Mrs. H. Y. Magee has returned to her home at Scotts Mills after visiting her son M. M. Magee.

#### Mt. Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rayand and children visited Den Darby's Sunday.

John Lutze and son Lyle visited at the Mrs. Ester Ray home on Monday.

A number of people of this vicinity were in Albany shopping Saturday.

There is to be a program and basket social at the Kingston church house December 27 which every one is welcome to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Howe and children Helen and Harvey, visited at the Robert Darby home last Sunday.

We hear that Frank Peters is quite successful in hunting skunks this season.

Tony Minten's children are reported to be getting along as well as could be expected with the chicken pox.

Bill Dart of Woodburn was a visitor in this neighborhood a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shepherd and daughter, Florence visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Peters and family Sunday.

Harold and Earl Darby and Louis Ray, Jay Shanks and Ben Darby visited Harry Freeman and family Sunday morning.

George Sandner and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Sandner, Sr. and daughter, Ida, attended church in Stayton and basket dinner at Kingston Sunday. A large crowd was reported.

#### Liberty

Lionel Colby, who was an unfortunate victim of an automobile accident at Astoria arrived home Saturday. He is rapidly recovering from his injuries.

Much interest was manifest in the debate that was held in the upper grades at school last Friday. Each speaker did remarkably well, showing the ability to think quickly, and on their feet.

The question, "Resolved, that the western hemisphere is more richly sorted by nature for the good of man than the eastern," was

decided in favor of the affirmative. Miss Cooley. The pupils are eager. The judges were Dr. for another debate. One will be Cruthers, Mrs. Westenhouser, and given in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hoffman of Medford were visitors at the Bruce (Continued on page 7)

# THOMAS MEIGHAN

## "IRISH LUCK"

with  
**LOIS WILSON**  
and  
Big Cast  
a  
Paramount  
Picture

SATURDAY  
SUNDAY  
MONDAY

FAIR WARNING  
AL ST. JOHN  
A MERMAID COMEDY  
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All Day Saturday

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You—the customer—must be pleased regardless of what it costs us. If for any reason you find occasion to complain, please do not hesitate, for we consider it a favor to be advised of any error or inefficiency on the part of our staff.

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in

## "A MAN OF NERVE"

A Rip Roarin  
Western  
Action — Thrills

SPECIAL MUSIC

Harold Windus  
Organ

Assisted by  
R. E. McClellan, Piano

### HEILIG