# At the Theatres Today STALEY FU

Heilig-Association Vaudeville. Bligh-Evelyn Brent in "Alias Mary Flynn," and a Charlie Chap-

Brilliant Musical Comedy to Be Shown for One Day Only at Heilig

A fashionable musical comedy, that makes use of classical as well as jazz music, short skirts as well as long ones, and that combines a real story throughout, is booked for the Heilig theater next Mon-

'My China Boll" is the title of the attraction. LeComte and Flesher, who have given the stage such successes as "A Modern Eve" and "Listen To Me," are the producers of the show. In "My China Doll" they have put forth their greatest effort, and profiting by their years of experience have underwritten a play with music, said by critics everywhere to be "the

perfect musical comedy."
Such novelties as a scene called "The Land of Flowers," where a cyclone of roses is featured, or a trip to "Stony Brook Land," where Cinderella comes to live amid all childhood's glories, are but samples of what the show of-

In all there are two acts and eight scenes. Miss Barbara Bronell. Oregon's own dancing star, who was born in Portland, made her stage debut six years ago, reaching stardom in this short space of time, will be seen in the leading role. In the scene entitled "The Land of Music," she appears as Miss Ragtime, surounded by a ballet of drum girls, who demonstrate what jazz really Other well known musical comedy entertainers who help make up the big company, include Bessie Delmore Leona Stater, Lottie Proctor, Florence Warde, Amos Harper, William P. Murphe, Tom Crowley, George Wakefield, \$1.50, \$1. Don Shafer and others. Seat sale opens today. Box office open 10 a. m. to 11 p. m.

# **BUCK JONES FILM**

"Lazybones," by Owen Daes, Will Open at Heilig Theatre on Friday

The film version of ones," Owen Davies' Broadway success, will open at the Heilig Theatre Saturday for a two day un. Buck Jones has the leading

This story of simple American people is told in a direct and wholly unpretentious manner, the characters are portrayed by an allstar cast ideally suited to their parts, and the action is filmed in a typical small town.

Strangely enough, the principal character is Steve Tuttle, the laziest man in town who has been known as "Lazybones" ever since he was old enough to have a nickname. He is a lovable chap in

# BAL-SA-ME

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Old Time Fiddlers' Contest SALEM ARMORY

TONIGHT Auspices Salem Lion's Club, Benefit Charity Fund. \$50 in Cash Prizes, Many Merchan-Big Program and Old Time Dancing. Everyone come and bring a friend. GENERAL ADMISSION 50c

cause backache! No!

by Samuel spite of his lack of energy. He is kind, generous to a fault and one who will do anything to help a friend in trouble, regardless of whether it is destined to hurt his own interests or not. His word is a sacred thing and once given. nothing can prevent him from keeping whatever agreement he

> has made. Ruth Fanning, his sweetheart's sister, realizing how true and generous he is, entrusts him with her only baby until she can muster courage enough to tell her mother of her secret marriage, the death of her sailor husband and the existence of her child. But when Steve refuses to give a full explanation of the baby's origin to Agnes, Ruth's sister, he loses his sweetheart. music on the Kimball.

Stockholders Were Out 80 Per Cent Strong

There was a meeting at the West Salem cannery last night of about 80 per cent of the stockholders of the Pacific Fruit Canning & Packing company. was a harmonious meeting,

and plans were started to increase the membership and put up a larger pack this year than was canned last year. The market outlook is good, and there was a feeling of confidence after the meeting.

A committee was appointed to report on the business of the company at a meeting to be held at the same place on next Tuesday evening, at which it is expected to have 100 per cent of the stockholders present. This cannery is a cooperative concern.

Civic Music Club Concert-Season ticket reservations Monday. Heilig. Seat sale Tuesday, \$1.50, \$1. Three concerts, \$3. Phone 1950W.

Eugene-Woolen mili did \$360,000 business during 1925.

Today

Only

Pioneer, Well Known in Salem, to Be Buried in Portland

Jason Staley was born in Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 15, 1849, and died at the Deaconess hospital in Salem, Wednesday evening, Feb. 3, age 76 years. Death came after an illness of about two months.

Mr. Staley was married in Nebraska in the early 70's and shorty afterward came to Oregon, settling on a farm in Linn county, later moving to Portland and then to Salem. To this unton nine DOWNPOUR SWEEPS children were born, six of whom Harold Windus will play special still survive him. They are Mrs. Arthur Webb, John, Sherman and McConnell Staley of Portland;

Brown, 437 South Commercial, who still survives him. Deceased young man and was a devout West Salem Institution's of the Christian church of Salem and was loved and respected by a host of friends who sincerely mourn his departure.

Funeral services will be held today at 10 o'clock at Rigdon's mortuary and interment will be in the Columbia View cometery at

### Bits For Breakfast

The meeting of the strawberry rowers last night-

In spite of the pouring rain, the hall was filled with some of the leading growers of this great strawberry district.

These men and women are doing a great deal for Salem. They are doing well for themselves, incidentally, as a rule. They are making Salem the greatest strawberry center of the United States, and they are mastering the problems of the industry in a manner to give it absolute stability.

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with all plants running at top speed, and everything sold as fast as it can be turned out, or faster. Every poultry breeder and baby chick concern in all the Salem district is busy. The poultry boom is surely on, and it cannot go too

> It will not be overdone till Salem is the Petaluma of Oregon, with cash receipts of over \$20. 000,000 a year for our poultry products. We have the best poultry country in the world, and we can compete and do compete in the big city markets, with a reputation that will be worth great sums annually as the industry is further developed.

A 4 4 The tonsils of 150 of the boys and girls at the Chemawa Indian school have been removed in the past three or four weeks. Quite a terday by Officer Hickman. wholesale order.

# **OVER COAST STATES**

had fallen at Eugene in the 24 out. Maybe old Dame Rumor has some one who would like to see Mrs. Grace Salinger and Mrs. Dora hours ending at 7 o'clock, and the Foote of San Francisco. His wife Willamette river had risen four preceded him in death many years feet. A residence occupied by D. H. Walker dropped five feet when About 11 years ago Mr. Staley, its supports were washed out and was married to Mrs. Sarah E. 7as damaged severely. Landslides. on the Coos Bay and Oak Ridge branches of the southern Pacific united with the church while a delayed trains. Klamath Falis reported the heaviest rain of the Christian since he was a member season with no damage and stockmen and farmers exuberant. Snow fell in the Cascades near Crater Lake.

> Corvallis reported 1.68 niches of rain in 15 hours. The main business streets of Sutherlin, Or., were under water and a landslide between Oakland and Sutherlin blocked the highway for several hours. Buses were sent out to transfer stage passen. gers around the obstruction.

> A railroad bridge at Brant, Or., and 250 feet of track were washed out by a flood in Cow Creek canyou, the Southern Pacific Railway company reported. The Shasta limited and train No. 53 were held up as a result.

> SEATTLE, Feb. 4 .- Wind that attained a velocity of 37 miles an hour doing some damage to wires and signs subsided tonight and a warm downpour of rain dwindled to occasional showers.

### TRAFFIC STOP PENALTY NETS \$85 OPENING DAY

But they have been mighty good "Most of them realize that this is one of the best laws Salem has put across, and I have not heard

a word of complaint along with the payment of a single fine."-"Keep of them!" is the word from Chief Frank Minto to the men who are in a position to nab the offenders During the course of the day 17 mod were fined for failing to stop could have done that." before enterior the through streets. In ad. 58 was collected

as the first day's remait of the stop street enforcement. is still facing a charge of failing to stop, having been arrested yes-

### STATESMAN PRIZES PRESENT OPPORTUNITY

will be rumors and rumors. There will be talk and talk. You can hear anything you want to hear. You can get scared if you want to. If you have been considering entering this contest you owe it to ourself to know all there is about You owe it to yourself to in-

Come to The Statesman office. lave this wonderful opportunity explained to you. Don't make a snap decision and then when it's all over say, "Oh, if I had but known that is all it would take I

Clip the nomination blank elsewhere in this issue. That gives you 50,000 votes. Then come to The Statesman office and learn And more than time, one man all about it. If you prefer, and will advise The Statesman, a representative will call on you and explain fully.

If you are already in, carry on. Do something for yourself. You have it in you. You can prosper. You can win. Don't be a quitter. Don't be a coward. Don't be bluffed out. Remember there is been whispering to you. There you quit. There is some one who

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Will be made in the next nine weeks! Will that "Someone" be you? There is no reason why it cannot be. Enroll your name as a member in The Statesman's Automobile Contest and win the \$1115.00 Dodge Sedan or one of the other splendid prizes to be given away by the Statesman Publishing Co.



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There is ample comfort for five passengers in this roomy four door sedan. Its body is designed and built with great care so that there is plenty of clearance in all the interior dimensions, including the width of the seats, the head and the leg room in both compartments. In addition you will be impressed with the quality of the upholstery, blue Spanish leather hand buffed, the softness and depth of the cushions and the refinement in all its equipment.

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This ballot is good for 100 votes for the candidate in The Oregon Statesman Subscription Campaign, whose name is written on it. Do not fold. Trim.

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## The Twenty Prizes and how they will be awarded

The prizes listed below will be designated in the competion as Grand Prizes and will be awarded to the twenty contestants who have the highest number of votes to their credit at the close of the contest. First Grand Prize will be awarded to the person having the highest number of votes to their credit by the above date. Second Grand Prize to person having second highest number of votes, etc.

First Grand Prize-\$1,115.00 Dodge Sedan, Type B.

Second-\$645.00 Improved Chevrolet Touring (standard equipment.)

Third—\$499.65 New Improved Ford Touring Car, fully equipped, four doors, starter, balloon tires—the last word in Ford production. Purchased from the Valley Motor Company, Salem, Oregon,

Fourth-Haag Electric Washer, value \$147.00, purchased from H. L. Stiff Furniture Co., Court St., Salem, Oregon.

Fifth ...... \$25 in Gold Sixth ...... \$15 in Gold Seventh ..... \$10 in Gold Eighth ...... \$ 5 in Gold Ninth ...... \$ 5 in Gold Tenth ...... \$ 5 in Gold Eleventh .... \$ 5 in Gold

Thirteenth ... \$5 in Gold Fourteenth .. 35 in Gold Fifteenth \_\_\_.\$5 in Gold Sixteenth Seventeenth \$5 in Gold

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