

SIDELIGHTS OF THE STAGE and SCREEN

Capitol Theater
The Bligh's Capitol theater will present Sun's Eastern Vaudeville this afternoon and evening. Heading the bill will be May Belle Fisher Company, a revue staged by Geo. B. Flint. Miss Fisher is a sweet voiced singer who has a charming personality and real ability. She is backed by a diminutive team of dancers, Jack and Jane Frost who have pep and who have carried off honors in the Central State's dance elimination contests. Audrey Lake at the piano and as gentlemen prefer "Blondes" she is an easy favorite. Pauline Deniston presides at the cello and is an accomplished musician as is Ruby Moore the smiling violinist. Snell and Vernon offer "An Artistic Diversion" working on aerial rings and by the way, it is one of the best acts of this kind seen here this season. Hall and Tiny Butler have a laugh provoking vehicle entitled "Hokus-Pokus-Bunk" and it is an original comedy offering you'll enjoy. Ed Grow, late of Lew Fields musical comedy "Snap Shots," is a delineator of blackface songs par excellence and the program is completed by Ateno and Prince, his dog, with the human brain who present a novel acrobatic balancing act. There is no conflict in any of the acts and there is an act to suit every taste with which blended together as they are make an ideal vaudeville program. The Capitol will offer 5 acts of Pantages vaudeville tomorrow.

Oregon Theater
In a thrilling story of love, loyalty and danger, Rin-Tin-Tin, the famous dog star of the screen, showing at the Oregon theater today, February 27, for the last time, Dinty's latest picture for Warner Bros., "A Hero of the Big Shows," written by Ewart Adamson, was directed by Herman Raymaker, who also directed this canine wonder in "Below the Line," "The Clash of the Walves" and "The Night Cry."
The story concerns a young wastrel, Don Alvarado, who befriends the dog from the brutal treatment of a cruel trapper, played by Leo Willis. When the dog responds to his kindness and affection, Ed decides to make his quarters more gradually wins the interest of lovely comfortable and attractive and Mary Mallory (Alice Calhoun).
Rinty is suspected of hurting Mary's young sister (Mary June Milliken) and Ed broken-heartedly agrees to shoot him. But when the sick child, who had really been attacked by a wolf, has to be rushed through a blinding snow storm to the doctor, it is Rinty who bravely helps ward off the wolf pack and brings Ed a message of the child's danger. He has saved the child and the young lovers treasure him at their bravest and most loyal friend.
There are said to be some of the most beautiful scenes of the snow country in this production, as well as one of the most thrilling fights ever screened. This fight is between Rinty and the wolf pack, a hair-raising and wildly exciting spectacle.
A coming attraction at the Oregon theater is "The Glides Highway," for three days, February 28, March 1 and 2.

Elsinore Theater
Do you know what an "Ace of Cads" is?
According to Michael Arlen's story which Luther Reed has made into a Paramount picture with Adolphe Menjou in the title role—he is a man who becomes a villain only because of his desire to help the woman he loves. A bit involved—but listen:
Chappel Maturin, young officer of the British Guards, loves Eleanor. She returns his affection until he is found in questionable company. Unknown to either of them, this discovery has been "framed" by Basil de Gramercy, mutual friend of the lovers. Eleanor breaks their engagement and Chappel is discharged from the regiment. On hearing of Eleanor's marriage to Basil, Maturin goes to Paris.
Twenty years later he arrives

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In London with the light of his one love still burning. Things have changed. Basil is dead, having been killed in France. Eleanor and her daughter, Joan, live with Sir Guy de Gramercy, Basil's father.
Chappel meets Joan and is attracted by the resemblance to her mother. She, in turn, falls in love with this polished man of the world. Then—in a scene of dramatic strength and splendor, Eleanor and Sir Guy beg Maturin to give up all that they hold dear, Joan.
And, for the sake of this woman he still loves, Chappel becomes a veritable "Ace of Cads" by well—see the picture on its showing at the Elsinore theater for two days, Feb. 27 and 28. Alice Joyce and Norman Trevor are feature in support of Menjou. Forrest Halsey adapted the Arlen story for screen use.
An added attraction at the Elsinore theater for today and Monday will be the Fanchon and Marco players in several vaudeville acts.
The following attraction is coming to the Elsinore theater: "The Noose" for one night, March 9.

Spring Valley
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith were business callers in Salem on Tuesday.
Mr. Lenstrom and sons are cutting cordwood and clearing away brush on their pasture land.
Rocky in his fields.
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stratton are reported to be improving from their serious illness.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Matthews were callers in Salem this week.
Two coyote hunts have been staged this week but without success. The only game caught were foxes, although trace was found of the coyotes.
Mr. and Mrs. Toews were Salem shoppers on Friday.
A very fine program was given by the Lincoln community club on Friday evening. Those from Spring Valley who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Toews, Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Crawford and daughter Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. John Childers and daughter Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sohn and family, Eula Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Windsor and family.
Several in our neighborhood are ill with influenza. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and Mrs. Belle Simkins are the latest victims.
Mrs. Seymour Wilson and daughter Lorene were callers in Salem Saturday.
The lunch committee for the next community club program announces a pie social will be held in connection with the program on March 11.
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INSULL WILL NOT TALK
Chicago Man Refuses to Tell Senate Committee About Deal
WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(AP)—With expressions of regret, Samuel Insull, multimillionaire public utilities operator of Chicago, adhered today to his position that he could not disclose to the senate campaign funds committee the names of the four men to whom he gave \$40,000 for use

DEFICIT FACED, VETO AXE TO FALL ON BILLS
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general election, but no funds were provided to cover the resultant expenditures.
It was said that Governor Patterson also is giving careful study to a bill carrying an appropriation of \$178,000 for the Doernbecker hospital in Portland. This appropriation, together with funds allowed for the erection of a state office building in Salem, may fall under the veto ax. Friends of Governor Patterson said yesterday that it was necessary to make deep cuts in the appropriations because of the inability of the legislature to provide additional revenues.
In keeping with his announcement made prior to the campaign there is every reason to believe that virtually all of the salary increase measures passed during the recent legislative session would be vetoed. Several of these vetoed bills were reported out during the closing days of the legislative session and the vetoes were sustained by the house.

It was said that Governor Patterson probably would make an exception of the bill authorizing increases in the compensation for deputy secretary of state, deputy state treasurer, private secretary to the governor and state tax commissioner. These increased salaries were requested by the governor. Under the provisions of this bill the salaries of the deputy secretary of state, deputy state treasurer and private secretary to the governor would be increased not to exceed \$3600 a year. The salary of the tax commissioner would be limited to \$4000 a year. The officials now receive \$3000 a year.
Figures prepared here yesterday showed that it vetoing the building program the governor would lose out appropriations aggregating more than \$1,200,000. This saving could be increased materially by eliminating the state office building bill which carries an appropriation of \$60,000 annually.
It was pointed out that ex-Governor Pierce four years ago vetoed appropriations amounting to more than \$600,000. There was no building program submitted to the 1925 legislature, and as a result the reductions effected by the former governor had to do with appropriations for going institutions.
In the absence of any direct statement from Governor Patterson yesterday there were indications that the first of the building program vetoes would be released on Monday. Under the law all bills now on the governor's desk must be disposed of within the next five days.
Considerable influence is being brought upon the governor not to disturb the appropriation of \$178,000 for the Doernbecker hospital in Portland. A large number of telegrams and letters were received at the executive department yesterday urging that this appropriation be allowed to stand. It was said that the hospital would be unable to operate without the appropriation.
Community appeals also have been received at the executive department in behalf of the various normal school appropriations and the appropriation for the University of Oregon library building.

Teachers in Eugene Inspect McKenzie Highway
EUGENE, Feb. 26.—(AP)—The McKenzie river and pass will acquire even more widespread fame when more than 200 high school teachers and others here for the University summer sessions take a week-end trip up the river and over the pass to Bend. This side trip is planned as one of a series to scenic spots in the state, it was announced today by Alfred Bowers, director.

PLAN POWER CONSTRUCTION
MEDFORD, Feb. 26.—(AP)—The California, Oregon Power company announced tonight that its construction program for 1927 in southern Oregon and northern California would exceed \$4,800,000, including the new Prospect project which will cost \$3,000,000. The erection of a new high power transmission line from this plant to Medford, is the chief minor improvement.

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KLAMATH LINE PERMIT DENIED OREGON TRUNK
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settle differences by joint use arrangement rather than proceed with competitive building.
The commission laid down conditions for the preparation of the contemplated joint usage contract, but declared that the question of branch line construction should not be covered by it.
Commissioner McManamy dissented from the majority, and held that unless the Oregon Trunk entered the territory on its own rails, as it desired to do, the population there would be denied effective railroad competition.

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Adolphe Menjou, Susan Fleming and Norman Trevor in a scene from 'The Ace of Cads' A Paramount Picture

Many teachers in eastern Oregon are interested in the summer sessions and are already making plans to come to Eugene, said Dr. Homer P. Rainey, who recently returned from a trip as far east as Ontario, Oregon.
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KLAMATH FALLS, Feb. 26.— (AP)—The ruling of the I. C. C. today denying the Oregon Trunk line the right to construct its own line from Bend to Klamath Falls, may tend to hasten the construction of the Modoc Northern railroad and thereby give Klamath Falls an eastern outlet for its farm produce and timber.
This was the view expressed here today by many business men of this city.

Paul Shoup, executive vice president of the Southern Pacific, announced recently, it was pointed out, that if the commission decision on the central railroad case was "favorable," the chances for the construction of the Modoc Northern in the near future was likely. Believing there is now some doubt of the northern lines and the southern lines coming to an agreement on the joint use basis, Klamath Falls business men look for an early announcement of the construction of the Modoc Northern, it was said in many quarters tonight.

Mr. Used Car Buyer: Have you seen the real buys at the Capitol Motors Incorporated? See Biddy Bishop, 350 N. High St. Telephones 2125 and 2126. (*)

EAKIN DISCHARGES AIDE
Deputy Fish Warden John Larsen Ousted; Has Good Record
ASTORIA, Feb. 26.—(AP)—John Larsen, deputy fish warden in the lower Columbia district for the past 16 years, and with a record of having made more arrests and secured more convictions against fish law violators than any other man employed by the state commission was "fired" today by

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at a dinner meeting Tuesday evening at 6:15 o'clock at the YMCA. All young men in the city, whether members of the Y or not, are invited to attend this dinner. Reservations must be made no later than Monday night.
TEXAS COWBOYS TAKING UP POLO
BROWNSVILLE, Tex.—(AP)—The Texas cowboy has taken up the effete game of polo, but he clings to his wide-brimmed hat, his cowboy boots and his trusty cow pony.
A cowboy team, representing Camp Wood, recently carried off the honors at a tournament in which the Twelfth cavalry team from Fort Brown and a crack team from Houston, Texas, took part.
The shaggy cow ponies were a decided contrast to the thoroughbred polo mounts of the other teams, but when they got into action they displayed a surprising speed and agility. Long years of chasing coyotes and lobo wolves on Texas ranges had taught them to whirl with dizzy speed and they seemed instinctively to follow the ball straight down the field.
The cowboy players were equal to any tricks of their ponies, with the result that the captain of the cavalry team declared they were "natural polo players."
All of the members of the Camp Wood organization are, or have been, range riders. They are S. P. Farish, George T. Brown, R. B. Farish and R. D. Randolph.

Smith Made Score of 521 Points in YMCA Hexathlon
In preliminary tests conducted in connection with the national Hexathlon competition among the boys division members at the YMCA, Frederick Smith, local high school student, made a score of 521 points out of a possible 600, it was reported by Harvey Brock, who conducted the tests. Smith's record is far above the average, in spite of the fact that he is only 15 years old and the average scores are based on weight rather than age.
The final tests in the boys' division will be held in March.
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