

SIDELIGHTS OF THE Stage and Screen

Elsinore Theater. They said "Able's Irish Rose" simply wouldn't get over. They were wrong. They said "Two Arabian Knights" to be shown at the Elsinore beginning February 7, would be a knock-out. They were right.

straight men in the business. In a delightful vaudeville innovation blending extravaganza and musical comedy with a vein of mysticism, Ernie Gold and Grace Sunshine will be witnessed in "An Oriental Rhapsody." An Oriental setting at the opening will be found richly dressed and consummate in detail. A Chinese girl is discovered kneeling before a Ching-ling—a bronze effigy of period size. She implores him to speak which he finally does imparting timely advice of humorous nature.

COMING TO ELSINORE SUNDAY



Rubini, a real Master Musician.

BRIDE STILL WAITS

Hope Chest Kept Since 1898. Claim In Court

LEICESTER, England, Feb. 1.—(AP)—The hope chest of Annie Mills, in which she began to assemble her trousseau in 1898, figures in a breach of promise action which she has brought against Frank Jesson, a vehicle dealer. She is suing him for 1,000 pounds damages after a 30 year engagement.

Miss Mills' counsel detailed some of Jesson's excuses for failure to marry the girl—Jesson's father objected to the marriage; Jesson's sister was tubercular and finally, he did not have money enough.

World War Veterans Asked Attend Meeting, Silverton

SILVERTON, Feb. 2.—(Special)—A meeting for all World War veterans of Silverton and vicinity and neighboring towns, will be held in the Eugene Field auditorium on Monday evening, February 6, at 7:30 o'clock. This meeting is one of several which are being held throughout the state, sponsored by Governor Patterson, the Salvation Army, the Red Cross and chambers of commerce.

COUNTY FOLLOWS ZONERS REQUEST

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McCallister To Confer On Audit At Bond House

Mark McCallister, state corporation commissioner, went to Portland Thursday to confer with special examiners of his department in connection with the audit of the books and accounts of Overbeck and Cooke, brokers. The brokerage house closed its doors Tuesday.

NEW INCORPORATIONS

The Byrnes Densmore Funeral Home, with headquarters in Portland and capital stock of \$65,000, has been incorporated by Ralph T. Byrnes, Mafda L. Byrnes and Edith Densmore. Other articles filed in the state corporation department follow:

Masons Entertain Sons With Banquet, Silverton

SILVERTON, Feb. 2.—(Special)—The annual fathers and sons banquet sponsored by the Masons and held in the Masonic temple was a decided success. After a three course dinner served by the women of the Methodist church, there were a number of talks, followed by games and entertainment for the boys.

HIGH APPRECIATION GIVEN BY COSGRAVE

Head of Free State Speaks At New York Banquet In His Honor

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Solid foundations, constitutionally, internationally and economically, have been laid down for the Irish Free State since 1921 upon which future generations can build a worthy edifice. William T. Cosgrave, Free State executive, declared tonight. Speaking at a banquet tendered in his honor by the mayor's committee for the reception of distinguished guests, Mr. Cosgrave said the principles of democracy enunciated by this country's great statesmen formed the basis of the Irish Free State constitution.

In describing the functioning of his government and its civil service, he said: "We make no religious distinctions. Freedom of worship is guaranteed. We inquire of no man his faith." Mr. Cosgrave described the reorganization of government machinery in his country since the establishment of the Free State and the progress that has been made along the lines of education, public works and agriculture.

FIRE HITS CITY; LOSS MOUNTS INTO MILLIONS

(Continued from page 1) town office buildings. No estimate of the loss was available but it was certain to run high into the millions.

Downtown Swept

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Flames Spread Rapidly

In rapid order the fire spread to and demolished the Mohican hotel, with several stores in the same building, the Rialto theater, the Boys' club, the old building of the Fall River Herald-News, the building of the French daily newspaper L'Independent, the Vermont block, the Kresge building and the Granite block. The new building of the Herald-News, recently completed, was badly damaged and R. A. McWhirr department store was in flames.

A DOUGHBOY'S LONGING



When the fire started there was a large audience in the Rialto theater, but the hundreds of spectators fled out in an orderly manner.

Sparks Spread Fires. Sparks carried by the wind set many fires in other parts of the city. The Troy Mills, situated a mile from the scene of the fire, caught in this way and one section of the plant was in flames. A number of dwellings to the eastward of the main fire were also burning.

The four units of the Pocasset Mill were the first buildings to go. The fire rapidly spread to the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad bus terminals, the Granite block, the Herald-News building, Gogo Independence News buildings and the R. A. McWhirr department stores. Other buildings in the path of the flames appeared doomed.

At 10 o'clock the new Herald-News building was reported a total wreck. The Woolworth building was in flames as well as a building occupied by the Fall River office of the Providence Journal. The old opera house, a wooden building occupied by a cooperative bank also was on fire.

Old Block Checks Flames. On opposite sides of Main street two buildings stood as fire breaks in the path of the flames. On the west side of the street the flames were checked at the Merchants block, built in 1842. This building had withstood previous conflagrations in the Fall River business district. On the east side the building of the Fall River Globe newspaper marked the limit of the ravaged area. Employees of the newspaper were engaged in playing hose on the roof and walls of their building.

The Wilbur hotel, immediately adjoining the Globe building was burning. The city hall nearby was threatened. Many fires broke out in residences on Pleasant street, but most of these were brought under control by residents assisted by firemen. The Union Mills of Pleasant street also became ignited, and were threatened with destruction.

From the editorial rooms of the Fall River Globe, members of the newspaper staff watched the progress of the flames down Main street and kept the Associated Press informed by telephone. Every few minutes these observers would report that another building had caught, or that some blank wall left standing in the wake of the flames had finally crashed down into the embers.

The fire from its early moments sped beyond the powers of the fire fighting forces and spread before the wind with almost lightning rapidity. At 10 o'clock there seemed to be signs that it was burning itself out. The efforts of the firemen were directed to drenching the walls and roofs of buildings in the path of the flames to prevent a further spread.

DEALERS ELEC PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2.—(AP)—The Portland Retail Hardware and Implements dealers association was re-elected today president of the Oregon Retail Hardware and Implements dealers association. F. P. Lewis, of Marshfield, was re-elected vice-president.

LOUIS WOLHEIM: Why are you so anxious to be commissioned now that the war is over? WILLIAM BOYD: Because I want to cross the ocean this time in a stateroom. The two adventuresome doughboys are shown giving Douglas Fairbanks a laugh when he dropped in at the United Artists studio to see them at work on their big comedy with Mary Astor.

Elimination Sale

Inventory is over, and it has revealed that certain lines do not turn often enough. We therefore call this an "Elimination Sale," as it is our intention to entirely eliminate certain lines. All Shoes, all Rubbers, Rain Goods, Men's Furnishings, Hats and Caps, etc.

- Work Shirts: New spring line in coat style, full cut, roomy garment, \$1.00 seller on sale... 79c
- Haynes' Athletic Underwear: New goods, regular \$1.00 seller, for quick clearance... 83c
- Rubber Boots: New stock high tops, for quick disposal... \$4.95; Children's Rubber Boots... \$1.95; \$3.00 Galoshes now... \$2.25

- A Few Grocery Prices: Best Margarine, 8 pounds... 59c; Best Butter, 1 pound... 49c; Lipton's Coffee, 1 pound... 49c; Lipton's Coffee, 2 pounds... 96c; Good quality Bulk Coffee, 8 pounds... \$1.00; Good Rice, 4 pounds... 25c; Large Fresh Ranch Eggs, 1 dozen... 30c

The C&C Store. Phone 560. 254 N. Commercial. DELIVERY FREE

HAZEL GREEN HAS STANDARD SCHOOL

Recognition Given At Community Club Meeting; Doing Good Work

HAZEL GREEN, Feb. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Fulkerson of Salem were guests at the community club meeting Friday night. Mrs. Fulkerson, county school superintendent, commended the district on making improvements which entitle it again to the plate indicating a standard school.

Seventh grade, Thelma Renken and Glen Looney. Sixth grade, Geraldine Porter. Fifth grade, Earl Johnson. Twenty-nine pupils in Miss Albee's room and 21 in the primary room received merit buttons in Palmer penmanship.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Van Cleave have returned from several weeks' visit to Mrs. Van Cleave's parents at Moscow, Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. James Yada and children spent Sunday in Portland attending the marriage of Mrs. Yada's sister, Harka Fukt. Miss Fukt's parents lived on Labish Meadows, working for celery growers for some time.

Mr. Rickets, who bought out Mrs. Ella McCaffery's lease and stock at Labish, has sold his interest to Mr. Baker and moved away.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thacker of Salem was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Looney Sunday. Mr. Thacker some years ago sold his farm to Frank Zelinski, moving to Hayesville and later to Salem.

The Woman's Missionary association will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Lauban Thursday, February 9. Mrs. W. G. Davis will be the leader, and the subject will be "Thank Offering."

Full Gospel Chapel, Portland, \$500; W. A. Smith, M. Zinzer and William Barrett. Resolutions of dissolution were filed by the R. F. Callahan Furniture company of Eugene.

RAILROAD DAMAGE GREAT CONNELLVILLE, Pa., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Damage in excess of \$3,000,000 was caused by fire which destroyed the Baltimore and Ohio railroad locomotive shops and adjoining buildings here this afternoon.

2,000 OPERATIONS GRAZ, Syria, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Dr. Hans Haberen, eminent surgeon, today performed his 2,000 operation on the human stomach, which is believed to be a record. He received congratulations from surgeons all over Europe.

THEATER FUND GONE PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Disappearance of \$476 in currency from a money bag of the Blue Mouse theater some time between Tuesday night when it was done up by the theater cashier, and Wednesday when the sack was opened by a bank teller for deposit, was being investigated today by detectives.

GREEN. Yes All Green Here. FEBRUARY 10. Watch for It.

ASSOCIATION VAUDEVILLE. 5 Big Time Acts. IT'S HERE TODAY. 8 Shows 2-7-0 Great Bill. Viola Vercler, Holman's Capitol Orchestra.

Charlie Murray in The Incomparable Comedy of the Year "The Gorilla" TODAY. Matinees 25c, Evenings 35c, Children 10c. OREGON TOMORROW "SHOOTIN IRONS". TWO ARABIAN KNIGHTS Starts Tuesday. EL SINORE. SUNDAY and MONDAY RUBINI FANCHON and MARCO.

"SUPREME AUTHORITY" WEBSTER'S NEW INTERNATIONAL DICTIONARY. THE MERRIAM-WEBSTER. Because Hundreds of Supreme Court Judges concur in highest praise of the work as their Authority. The Presidents of all leading Universities, Colleges, and Normal Schools give their hearty indorsement.