

# THEATRE DOM

...ense amount of interest is manifested in this vicinity over the presentation of the stupendous production of "Ben Hur" at the Mar... Grand Theater, Portland, for... Dec. 1st to 5th, with... matinees on Wednesday and...

scenes of Jerusalem, preceding Hur's arrest to the galley, the rescue and the Grove of Daphne, which is a picture of Oriental splendor and pleasure combined, as beautiful as has been set for the gaze of theater-goers in many a day. Then comes the great chariot race, the acme of stage mechanism, and the great scenic triumph of the piece. It goes off with a whirl and picturing the circus at Antioch, with the struggle between Messala and "Ben Hur" that fires the interest of the spectator to the highest pitch.

The last scene of this great series of pictures is one that will live in history of the American drama as the best scene of the kind ever shown on the American stage. It shows the reunion of the mother, daughter and son, after their years of suffering, the great white light from Mount Olivet, which signified their healing at the hand of the Master. The final grand hosannas of a

It looks like good old times to see the announcements of "The Two Sisters" and with it comes delightful memories of its really beloved author, dear old Denman Thompson. Who could tell a lie but wouldn't—because Den wouldn't let him. So you may be sure that what all the bills and pictures say about the glorious play are true and we will get a performance of it that will leave absolutely nothing to be desired. These good, pure wholesome old plays are the real things after all, they are like home, sweet home. There's no place like it—and they, like the brook, go on forever, while the risqué French and social "problem" play seldom lives over a single season. "The Two Sisters" will be here soon.

Sam S. Shubert and Nixon and Zimmermann will present here soon Jefferson De Angelis in the tuneful



"Ben Hur" is familiar in the play, however, incidents of General Wal-novel are graphically put forth, blending at ing up, as it were, at these scenes of marve-or deep heart interest them into an entirely and description. approaches a play really powerful novel as, but with "Ben Hur" est and herein lies one est charms. In this duction, when they es- you the inside of a gal- ce of Hur at one of the stage picture that sug- ry environment and mbance of reality. The th all the other pic- allegorical one in showing the Wise Men the Star of Bethlehem; rough those stirring

large chorus brings the curtain down upon a scene which has in it something that should live for a longer period than most dramatic climaxes. There is woe, despair and the accumulated suffering of three wearied souls all brought out in this final scene until, in the presence of the Light, relief comes and, on its wings, the ecstatic joy that that reunion brings, sending a thrill through the house that has not had its like in many a day.

The advance sale of seats for "Ben Hur" commences on Thursday morning, Nov. 26th. Calvin Hellig, manager of the Marquam Grand Theater, will give special attention to all requests for seats sent through the mail, provided a remittance accompany same, and a self-addressed stamped envelope for reply, in order to avoid any mistakes. Good seats are guaranteed by Mr. Hellig if orders are filed prior to opening date of sale.

opera, "The Torcador." The presentation is elaborate and brilliant, abounding in tuneful music, witty lines, scenes, massive with gaily aired chorus girls and all kinds of pleasing spectacular effects. The opera has been mounted with a great deal of skill and taste.

Hermann the Great, the greatest living magician, comes to the Frazer on November 28, for one night. He is the peer and equal of his uncle, the first and only Hermann, and his visit to this city marks an epoch in theaterdom.

An entire new bill will be presented at the Park theater next week. The regular Saturday night performance has been discontinued here to allow the company to play at Athena on that night. Watch the regular advertisement in these columns for the next list of attractions at the Park.

## THE BOWERY.

...us New York District its Name. native New Yorkers how the Bowery came according to the Pitt- which thus proceeds ment. No less a Peter Stuyvesant, was it. of New Amsterdam stance many farmers came over to seek in the New World, Peter. They settled town and proceeded and by clearing away planting it with es and ornamental brought with them. at called his resi- ds "The Bouwerie," necting it with New ame known as "Bou- settlement itself e of "Bouwerie Vil-

and pasture 6,000 head annually, the corn rows are one and a half miles long, requiring 500 mules and 300 men to handle the crop, and it takes thirty self-binders three weeks to cut the wheat crop and a dozen or more steam threshers forty days to thresh it. There are 50,000 acres in the ranch.

## Colorado Beets.

Northern Colorado beet sugar factories this year have in round figures a tributary area of 35,000 acres, with a combined yield of 5,000,000 tons of beets. This means a distribution of and more than \$7,000,000 in wages to the employes of the factories. It is estimated that the total output will be about 100,000,000 pounds, or 50,000 tons, of the best sugar in the world, and that its market value will be between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000.

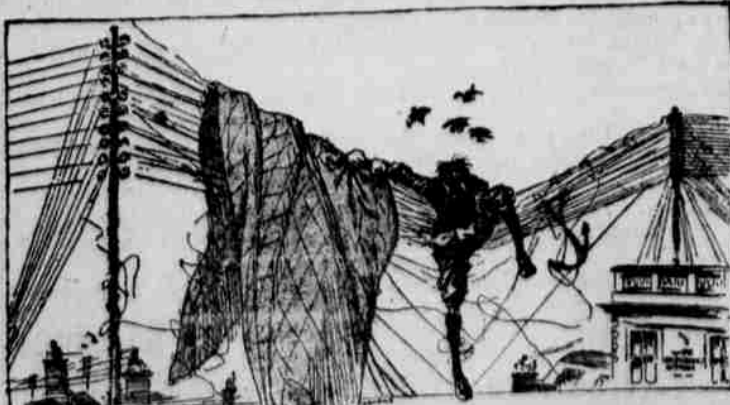
It will require 10,000 cars to market the Greeley potato crop to market this year and the tubers will command \$3,000,000.

## Three Years' Strike Now Off.

The strike in the slate quarries at Port Penryn, North Wales, which has been maintained for three years, and was then by the renewal of a similar strike settled in 1898, collapsed, the men voting to return to work, without having obtained a single concession from Lord Penryn. This shows how difficult it is to win a strike where the employer has control of a national monopoly such as a slate quarry, and can afford to keep it out of the market.

Patrick Collins was renominated for mayor of Boston by the democrats by 3,800 plurality.

## THE FLYING AGE.



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