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To-night. "The Rajah."

Company H, O. S. M. will meet at the armory at eight this evening.

Last appearance this evening of the Madison Square Theater Co. in this city.

The Madison Square Theater company appear at the opera house to-night in "The Rajah."

The Clatsop campers go on the steamer Sam from Wilson & Fisher's dock at 7:30, sharp, to-morrow morning.

The British ship Fortia, James master, 1434, from Cardiff via Port Moody, arrived in Sunday afternoon.

Fine music was supplied by an able orchestra at the theater last evening. There will be equally good music to-night.

Those who saw "The Private Secretary" last night will want to see "The Rajah" to-night. Reserved seats at Carl Adler's.

Beginning at ten o'clock this morning E. C. Holden will sell at public auction all the furniture of the Astor house without reserve.

The O. R. & N. has conferred on Capt. L. A. Bailey the title of post captain. Masters of all boats of that company report to and receive instructions from him.

The usually vivacious Post-Intelligencer chronicles the capture of a shad near Seattle last Thursday, that weighed "fully five pounds." What a whopper—the shad we mean.

There is less snow on Mount Hood at present than there has been for fifteen years, and farmers living near by are considerably alarmed. Large quantities of sulphur smoke issue from Crater rock at times.

George Hennessy, aged 14, of Portland, was drowned near Brookfield last Saturday. The lad had been fishing and hunting in that locality, and accidentally fell in the river. The body has been recovered.

It is only once in a year that such a theatrical company as the Madison Square Theater company get here. To-night they play "The Rajah." Last night's great audience will doubtless be repeated to-night.

The machinery of the steamer North Pacific, amounting to three carloads, has been brought from the Sound and will be repaired at Portland. The steamer will be placed on ways at Seattle and fully repaired. The entire cost will be \$30,000.

The Telephone's dock was crowded Sunday afternoon, awaiting the arrival of that flyer. Still a little late on account of the smoke-fog, but finally could be seen coming through the clouds of Hawthorn's chimney, and betting commenced on her time to opposite landing. Some had it 7, 8 and 10 minutes, she made the run in 7 minutes, 4 1/2 seconds.

Way over in New Bedford one's water bills must be paid in advance, or the water will be shut off. As the United States government never pays bills in advance, the ex-wharfmen of that town are making the edifying sight of the postoffice and custom house without water, because one of the water users complained that the government was being treated better than common folks.

We are requested to state for the benefit of those who have made inquiry of the auctioneer regarding the same, that the fine fire and burglar proof safe, with chilled steel vault, and which cost \$420 new, will be sold to the highest bidder at precisely eleven o'clock this morning, standard time. Immediately after the sale of the safe, the handsome pool and billiard table, with outfit complete will be the next article sold.

PERSONAL. Major W. A. Jones and family came down from Portland Sunday. Major Jones goes to view the government work at Ft. Stevens to-day.

Geo. Dorris, Master Workman of the A. O. U. W., writes that he cannot attend the reception to be given Father Upchurch upon his arrival in this city.

Major T. J. Blakeney returned from Shoalwater bay last evening and goes to San Francisco on the Oregon to-day. The bids for the removal of the bathhouse at Shoalwater bay life saving station will be opened upon Major Blakeney's return.

LAST EVENING'S PERFORMANCE. A good theatrical troupe is always appreciated in Astoria, and the company that last evening delighted the vast audience at Rose's opera house in "The Private Secretary," certainly deserved the enthusiastic applause with which they were received.

The irresistible fun of the play proved infectious and long before the first act was concluded everybody was laughing. As "The Private Secretary" W. H. Gillette fully sustained his reputation as a first class comedian. M. A. Kennedy, as "Old Cattermole" gave an artistic representation of that character, and Frank Tannerhill Jr., as "Douglas Cattermole," was equally clever. The rest of the cast were good throughout. To-night "The Rajah" will be presented. It is another of the Madison Square Company's specialties and will be given with the same care and fidelity as played 250 consecutive nights at their own theater in New York. Reserved seats at Carl Adler's. Secure your seats this morning and avoid the rush to-night. This is the last appearance of that superb company.

Attention, Company H! All members of Company H are required to meet at the company's armory Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock P. M., sharp. By order commanding officer, E. D. CURTIS, Secy.

From San Diego. Just received per Fannie Adelle, the Finest and Freshest Honey. None Better. For sale only at Foard & Stokes.

FATHER UPCHURCH. THE FOUNDER OF THE A. O. U. W.

Will Arrive in Astoria and Visit Sea Side Lodge No. 12.

Among other visitors at Astoria, is "Father Upchurch," the founder of the A. O. U. W. He has been met and warmly welcomed in California, and comes in fraternal greeting to the lodges of Oregon and Washington territory.

J. J. Upchurch was born in North Carolina, March 25, 1820, and is in his 60th year. He was the son of parents in the humble walks of life, and his boyhood and youth were passed similarly to that of other farmers' children. As a young man he drifted into mechanical occupations, married and settled down. For over twenty years succeeding 1845, he was in the employ of railroad companies of Pennsylvania, occupying for the greater part of that time the position of master mechanic in the shops. While in this position he saw many respects in which the life of the mechanic might be improved. Having in view first, principally, the idea of bringing employer and employee together in a fraternal organization for a better mutual understanding and the prevention of strikes, and secondly, the idea of a fraternal society, even the organization of the masses and a proper provision for the future of their families, he commenced evolving his plan for the formation of the order. This was in April, 1858. At that time the order has so far outgrown its original scope that the secondary idea aforementioned has become the primary one, and the order instead of being confined to mechanics, embraces all classes of society, even the highest officials in the land. As to the remainder of the story we give it in his own words:

"On October 27th, 1858, at Mendville, Pennsylvania, Jefferson Lodge No. 1, A. O. U. W., was instituted with fourteen members. On the morning of the 28th, a number of the fourteen demanded that the words 'white male' be stricken from the constitution. I persistently refused to do so, and the recorder refused to every member his entrance fee. I can assure you that the future looked dark, but I was determined to do my duty. On November 2d, the second meeting night, seven of the fourteen came forward and paid their entrance fee for the second time. That evening we took in two new members. We went to work with renewed energy and determination to try and build up the infant order. When we were nine months old we had twenty members.

"When my mind runs back I can hardly realize the fact that our noble order, now over 100,000 strong, is the outgrowth of that twig planted in Mendville, Pa., Oct. 27th, 1858. Its growth shows the justice of our cause. Let us not grow weary in well doing, but push the good work forward until every man is brought under its beneficial influence."

In order to protect him in his justly merited fame and allow no one to divide the honors with him, the supreme lodge of 1883 placed on record its decision, permanent and irrevocable, that the original founder of the order and its protector during its infantile years, the body has also voted him the honors of post supreme master workman, and members of the order everywhere are esteemed to their privilege to cheer the declining years of the old man and smooth his pathway toward the end of life.

OBJECTS OF THE ORDER. Omitting all reference to nationality, political opinions or denominational distinctions or preferences, but believing in the existence of a God, the creator and preserver of the universe, and recognizing as a fundamental principle, that usefulness to ourselves and others is a duty which should be the constant aim and goal of all, the following are the objects of the order as set forth in its constitution and purposes of the Ancient Order of United Workmen:

1. To embrace and give equal protection to all classes and all kinds of labor, mental and physical; to strive earnestly to improve the moral, intellectual and social condition of its members; to endeavor by wholesome precepts, fraternal admonition, and substantial aid, to inculcate in the mind of each member the stern realities and responsibilities of life.

2. To create a fund for the benefit of its members, during sickness or other disability, and in case of death, to pay a stipulated sum to such persons as may be designated by each member, thus enabling him to guarantee his family against want.

3. The adoption of such secret work and means of recognition as will insure the protection of its members wherever the order may exist.

4. To hold lectures, read essays, discuss new inventions and improvement, encourage research in art, science and literature, and when practicable, maintain a library for the improvement of its members.

"THE RAJAH." This play was the third great success at the Madison square theater, New York city, and had a run of 250 nights. It was then at the close of the season, taken on the road, where it was witnessed by delighted thousands, from Maine to California. The character of "The Rajah," as portrayed by Mr. Gillette, is a master performance.

The cast will be the full strength of the company, and all who have seen the "Private Secretary" should see "The Rajah" to-night.

CAST. Harold Wynnot, the Rajah. Wm. H. Gillette (Clady) Wynnot, his ward. Miss Maud Haslam Joseph Jekyl, attorney. Mr. M. A. Kennedy (Clady) Wynnot, his ward. Mr. M. H. Warren Richard Joedlyn. Mr. Frank Teaschill, Jr. Mrs. Pringle. Miss Fannie Addison Emelia Jekyl. Miss Maudie Wynnot (Clady) Wynnot. Mr. H. A. Moray Buttons. Mr. G. H. Barrow First Striker. Mr. Ed Barrow Reserved seats at Carl Adler's.

GOOD FOR CURRY. Shad, silver mines, bears, hemlock, strawberries, trout, fat cattle, apples, brick, elk, salmon, seaside resorts, tide land, advice and lumber are among Clatsop county's principal products.—THE ASTORIAN.

Curry county can boast of all the above and much more, among which we might mention wildcats, pretty girls, clams, young sports, potatoes, rice horses, nut-patches, sheep, brass, huckleberries, sea lions, green corn, snake poison, office seekers, tan bark, deer hides, juveniles, fish-traps, and lots of young-men-on-the-marry.—Curry Co. Gazette.

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OCTOPUS, OR DEVIL-FISH.

A good sized specimen of the octopus or devil-fish was reported seen off North beach last week. This monster is not rare off the California coast, and has been seen in more northerly latitudes.

The devil-fish or clam cracker, as it is often called on the Atlantic coast, also frequents the waters of the Carolina and Georgia coasts. Before the war, an expedition against a devil-fish was accounted the rarest sport going, and was attended with some danger. Col. Elliott, in his admirable little book entitled "Carolina sports," gives a full and accurate description of this grand fish, as to its physical peculiarities and its habits.

He relates the narrative of frequent battles he had with these giants of the deep. The method of pursuit followed by Col. Elliott was to man a staunch and fast-moving barge, with a man armed with a light harpoon at the bow, the rope being carefully coiled before him on the bow seat. The devil-fish is often playful and indifferent, and will allow the approach of a boat within striking distance. Once harpooned, it dashes off with great vigor and at an immense rate. Often a harpoon is used to save a light boat from being submerged by a powerful strain on the bow. Sometimes they strike out for deep water, and such is their swiftness and endurance that the crew to get loose from the monster. Col. Elliott advocated the attack by several boats at once. If two or more harpoons can be firmly fixed in the fish, its capture is greatly facilitated. The writer has seen on record in which a huge devil fish towed three boats rowing hard against it so far out into the offing as to force them—night coming on—to cut loose and save themselves. It is true that the devil-fish measures more than six feet from head to tail. By aid of its mighty flippers it is able to throw itself clear out of the water, turn a somersault in the air, and fall on its back, causing an immense splash. The writer has seen hundreds of these fish in the water, and several fine specimens on land, hauled up after capture. The largest he saw measured sixteen feet one way by a foot or two the other, and was nearly round, across the wings. This queer fish has a trick belonging to the tentacle family of rubbing itself against the anchor and hawsers of boats with which they, in their flight, get sometimes entangled, and clamping the object with their feelers, start off with the boat, to the consternation of the occupants. If the devil-fish reported off North beach be still there its pursuit and capture might afford rare sport.

Collision on the Columbia. At about 9 o'clock last evening a collision occurred between the steamers R. Thompson and Multnomah on the Columbia, at a point just this side of Oak Point. The Multnomah struck the Thompson amidships, tearing a great hole in her side twenty feet wide. The Multnomah it seems struck a snag, which disabled both wheel and rudder. The force was so great as to border on the loss of the pilot's hands. This caused him to lose all control of the Multnomah, and she swung around and struck the Thompson on the port side amidships. The Multnomah was badly damaged about the bow from the collision. The hole in the Thompson luckily was above the water line and no water of any consequence entered the boat. Both steamers were filled with passengers and the accident caused quite a panic, but the officers were cool and soon restored order. The vessels arrived at their respective docks at two o'clock this morning.—News, 7.

Set the River on Fire. The Clyde river, in Scotland, burned for thirty-six hours week before last. A fisherman who was wading in the water struck a match to light his pipe and while it was still burning threw it in the water. The flames from the mineral workings underneath the river's bed had found their way to the surface through a fissure, and lighted up at once. Flames rose to the height of three or four feet, and were very difficult to extinguish.

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A PIONEER OF PIONEERS.

The owner and navigator of a sloop engaged in fishing on the bay is Jas. Peence, 57 years of age, and a California pioneer of the pioneers, having come to this coast in 1818. In 1817 he sailed from England in the ship Nereod, bound for the Columbia river, in the service of the Hudson Bay Company. She put into the bay of Monterey, where he became implicated in a mutiny and was placed in irons. In April, 1818, the vessel cast her anchor in the bay of San Francisco, where he stole away in one of the ship's boats and made his way to the Mission Dolores, where the fathers furnished him with blankets and a pony and directed him to the camp of William Smith, on the site of Woodside, San Mateo county. In this vicinity he continued to live for sixty-seven years. He was remarkably skillful in the use of tools, and instructed the natives of the Santa Clara Mission in their use. In 1840, with about forty Americans, he was seized by the Mexican authorities, placed in irons and sent to San Blas as a prisoner. He was taken to Tepic, where the charges of being implicated in a conspiracy against Mexico were found to be baseless, and he returned to his home in the redwoods. At the close of the Mexican war he settled on a large tract of land at Halfmoon bay. Here, in 1849, he hoisted the first American flag in Spanishtown. This relic he still has in his possession. In 1856 Peence married the daughter of Pedro Valencia, and has two sons living. In the course of time he lost his property, and in his old age made use of his skill in constructing a sloop 30 feet in length, in which he cruises the bay in quest of fish and clams, which are marketed in Redwood City.

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