

MAGICIANS AT PAGE NEXT MONDAY EVE

Magic, the oldest form of amusement known to man, will enjoy a revival at the Page theater Monday night, January 4, when Le Roy, Talma, Bosco and a company of fifty English magicians, fakery, illusionists and variety artists come on their round-the-world tour. It will be their first local appearance. The company reached America early in



Mlle. Talma

December and at the Cort theater in San Francisco, where their opening took place, they played to packed houses for a fortnight.

Le Roy, Talma and Bosco particularly exploit Oriental magic and the element of novelty is the cardinal asset of their entertainment. The Hindu rope trick will be presented for the first time in this city. This is declared to be one of the most bewildering illusions ever offered by a magician. Travelers from India have told for many years of the native fakery who throw a rope into the air, which was later climbed by a small boy, who instantly disappeared into the atmosphere with the rope. For many centuries the Hindu rope trick has defied copy. It was not until Le Roy had spent two full years in India did he succeed in learning the principles of the remarkable feat.

BOYS ARRESTED FOR ASSAULTING JESCKE

The two Anderson boys, ages 14 and 16 years, will be given a hearing before the juvenile court this afternoon on a charge of having assaulted Carl Jescke, age 60 years, following a dispute Thursday night. The boys are alleged to have turned upon the old jeweler, and beat him.

The boys claim they ventured into the Jescke yard to get their dog, when Jescke accused them of trying to steal his wood, and charged them with a club. The lads are said to have met the assault of the Teuton, and to have repulsed it after a short and vigorous skirmish. Afterwards Jescke swore out a complaint.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts.

Circuit - Ira Shouby vs. E. J. Arant and Belle Arant his wife. To declare a deed a mortgage and foreclose same.

Probate - Estate of K. Fields. Administrator's return of sale. Estate of Wm. B. Webb. Order on final account.

Real Estate Transfers - Missouri E. Gibson et ux to Wm. Roberts, et ux, \$1,911 acres in T. 29 R. 1 E., W. D. 1000 J. W. Abbott et ux to Noland Davis et ux, NE of NE sec. 6 T. 40 R. 2 E., W. D. 10 Clara A. Middleton to Paul A. Hauser, SW of NW sec. 26 T. 36 R. 1 W. 10

DIED - SIMMONS - At the Sacred Heart hospital, January 1, 1915, Johanna Simmons, wife of William H. Simmons, of dropsy, a native of Michigan. Her home was at Sterling mines. She leaves a husband and one daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Rawlings of Calumet, Mich. She has been a resident since 1888 and six years ago went to Sterling to reside. Funeral Saturday at 2:30 p. m. from Perl undertaking parlors. Burial in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

SALTSMARSH - At the home of his mother, Dora Saltmarsh, three miles from Bunsom, Lee Saltmarsh, 22 years of age, a native of Oregon. She leaves a mother and one sister and two brothers, Mrs. John Cantrell, Deane L. and Glenn. Funeral at 2 p. m. Sunday. Services at the grove, Burial in Jacksonville cemetery.

NEWS FROM COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

John Minter returned from Portland last week and brought his sister, Mrs. Clearwater, with him and they two have moved into her place near Reese creek. Ed Spencer came in on the same car and went out to his mother's, Mrs. Chris Woolley.

Quite a number of our citizens have been having trouble with their water pipes on account of the cold snap we have had. In many instances the pipes would burst and let the water flow over the rooms and in several instances the pipes froze up so that they could get no water at all and then they would have to carry their water from the creek or near by wells. Our coldest weather was so that the thermometer registered six above zero, but that is the first time for several many years that it has been so low.

Prof. C. E. Johnson, principal of the Table Rock school came over Saturday eve, spent Sunday here and attended church and Sunday school, and Monday went up to his homestead along the P. & E. R. R. to spend a few days there.

Speaking about church brings to my mind the fact that Rev. L. L. Simmons and family were not forgotten by their many friends on the occasion when we had our Christmas tree exercises and wishes me through the Eaglets in the Mail Tribune, to express their high appreciation of their kindness.

C. E. McDonald and S. E. McDonald his brother, came in on the car last Monday and took the E. P. and Perist stage for their brothers ranch near the mouth of Elk creek on Rogue River. Dr. C. E. McDonald has been in Alabama during the past season and has come back here to stay; says that this Rogue River Valley has the finest climate of any country he has ever found and he has traveled over a very large portion of the United States and Canada.

Says that in Alabama the weather is suffocating and the air seems to be so stifling that one can hardly breathe and that the mosquitoes are a fright up to about Christmas. He is surely boasting Jackson county.

James Culbertson came out last Monday from his home in the Lake creek country, after his daughter, Miss Mabel, who has been spending Christmas with friends in Medford.

Frank Lewis is keeping a pool room and confectionery store in our town has been taking advantage of the cold snap and has put up a quantity of ice for summer use, but a few days ago he had the misfortune to run a nail into his foot, but at last accounts was getting along well with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Withler of Spokane, Wash., arrived here last Saturday the 25th to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Steward. Mrs. Withler was formerly Mrs. Libby Elkmeier nee Libby Perry, one of the seven sisters, known at the time of the reunion of the G. A. R. here a few years ago as the Perry girls that favored us with such fine vocal music and her many friends here gave her a warm greeting.

Sherman Woolley brought in last Tuesday three crates of chickens for our local R. R. agent, F. I. Neyport.

Mrs. Fred Lewis, hostess of the Lewis Bros. farm near Wollen, who has been spending a few days on the farm with her children during the holidays, went to Medford Tuesday p. m. She has been spending most of the time during the winter in Medford so that her children could take advantage of the good schools there. She left the two older boys on the farm, as they wanted to remain as long as they could but will return to their studies by the 4th of January.

Tuesday we had among us Wm. Gore, Geo. B. Carpenter, S. Storey, J. W. Collins and I. E. D. Bundel, who were out here in the interest of the sugar beet industry, and there was a company of about fifty met them in Geo. Brown & Sons hall and heard the subject discussed from the standpoint of the industry. Mr. Gore was the principal speaker and he went into the details explaining approximately the cost of production, and some of the advantages the farmer would derive if the project would succeed. There were six of the farmers that signed up for a little over thirty acres and there is quite a number who will take an interest in the move after they have had time to think over and examine into the matter. As there are many of the readers of the Eaglets that were not here to hear Mr. Gates talk, and I would have been glad to have had every farmer in this section of the country to have heard it, I will give a few points he presented. In the first place he did not try to make us believe that we could so right to work and raise sugar beets on any kind of soil but that the soil must be passed upon by an expert, for the company does not want to have a big lot of land signed up that will not produce what they want and this testing is free of

charge. Then after the soil has been approved it is to be plowed very deep and still better to go still deeper and tear up the under strata or subsoil and he figured that expense at three dollars an acre and then the harrowing and leveling, etc., he placed at two dollars more, then the planting, weeding, etc., he placed at planting, weeding, etc., making a long story short he estimated at \$25 an acre. That is supposed to include all of the expense from first to last. And there was another difficulty appeared and that was that one man could not tend to a very large tract and would have the means to hire, and then the company would furnish the necessary help and charge it against the crop, and that an acre of land would produce \$75 worth of beets and all of the expense would amount to only \$25 an acre so that the producer would realize \$50 an acre clear for his work. He then told of some of the other benefits to be derived from the move and one item was \$15,000 cords of wood that they would have to have and a vast quantity of lime, and all of those would require the labor of a large number of men and thus be of benefit not only to those in the immediate vicinity of the plant but would help the business in the entire valley. But I see that I am getting this letter entirely too long but will perhaps have more to say on the subject later on.

RIVERSIDE RIPPLES

Professor Reddie of the university and Professor Herbert Mathews are holiday guests at the Rozalis ranch. F. E. Wahl returned to his work at Medford after a few days' visit at home.

Al Wolverton and George Jacobs drove to Grants Pass Tuesday after lumber. Charles Champlain and family spent Christmas day with Mrs. Champlain's mother, Mrs. W. A. Elliott, who has a family dinner party.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Nye motored down from Medford Sunday and were guests at the G. B. Alden home. They did not have a very good opinion of our roads from Gold Hill out this way, while from Medford to Gold Hill the roads were fine for motoring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hare were calling on Riverside friends Sunday. Miss Bertha Woolverton is at Phoenix for a couple of weeks, a guest at the Jermata home. Miss Marguarite Carley of Medford is the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. H. Porter, this week.

EVANS VALLEY BREEZES

The coldest weather in years was experienced at Evans valley last week. The creek was frozen over to the depth of several inches. The young folks had plenty of fun skating.

The schools have closed for the holidays. Pine Grove and Wimer districts had Christmas trees. The children did credit to their teachers in appropriate exercises.

Miss Mildred Applegate, teacher of Pine Grove school, is spending the vacation at her home in Ashland.

George Chandler, a student of the O. A. C., is home for the holidays.

Harry White, teacher of Wimer school, motored to his home at Gold Hill last Wednesday.

Will White is a guest at the home of William Moore.

The following young ladies attending high school in the valley towns have returned for the Christmas vacation: Misses Eva Carter, Verl Rigby, Marie Hillis, Agnes Scott, Helen Minthorn, Edna and Esther Richardson.

Miss Alva Scott, teacher at Rogue River, is at home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minthorn and daughter Helen were guests of Mrs. Hammond of Grants Pass Xmas day.

Professor and Mrs. Van Sey were guests of honor at the reunion dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Moore of Cozy Corner ranch. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hillis and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Summerville and children, and Wesley Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapel and son, Franklin, spent Sunday at Pleasant Valley farm.

Ellen and Freeman Taylor of Grants Pass are visiting with relatives during the vacation.

Mrs. John Payne, Misses Jennie Drake, Etta and Angie Pomeroy and Messrs. Will Pomeroy, Elsworth and John Drake attended the dance at Evans creek Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moore and family were dinner guests of J. L. Smithpeter Christmas day.

Lindsay Neathamer is wearing a broad smile these days over the advent of a new daughter.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Neathamer Christmas day.

J. L. Smithpeter has moved into his new home and is also enjoying a visit with his mother, Mrs. Long, of Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Steward entertained the following guests at dinner Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Honner, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Chandler and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Potter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and baby.

Jim Owens spent Christmas day with his family at Rogue River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dimmick motored from the Pass Christmas day to their home at Evans Valley.

The dance at the new hall recently built by James Neathamer and Tom Olin was a decided success. A number of young folks from the Meadows and Grants Pass were present. Jim announced another dance for New Year's night.

Tom Johnston, whose father was manager of Pleasant Valley farm, but now living in Washington, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George ebers.

Jake Moore and family were shopping in Rogue River last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook were Grants Pass visitors last week. Mr. Cook belongs to the forestry service in California.

Ed Brownworth, in an imitative manner, auctioned the boxes at the

social given under the supervision of Charles Owens and family at the Wimer schoolhouse Thursday. We understand the sum of \$5 was realized, but have not learned to what it is to be applied.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr were guests at Sunnyside farm, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Honner.

Mrs. John B. Hillis and sons were shopping in Gold Hill Thursday.

JACKSONVILLE ITEMS

Misses Kate and Mammie Cronmiller spent Christmas day with Mrs. C. L. Grant of Medford.

Professor and Mrs. F. C. Smith spent several days in Talent this week.

Misses Mollie Ray and Bros. Colvin were the guests of Mrs. B. M. Collins Christmas week.

Professor and Mrs. J. P. Wells have gone to Salem, where Mr. Wells will help on the teachers' examination board. Mrs. Eugene Thompson has charge of the superintendent's office during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Malone of Ashland were the guests of Mrs. F. J. Fish the first of the week.

Jim Francis returned from Applegate Wednesday, where he has been spending the holidays with George Hoffman.

Mrs. C. J. Numan entertained at dinner Christmas in honor of Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Golden and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ulrich.

Misses Laura and Cora Thomas were Ashland visitors over Christmas.

Miss Alta Steels of Medford spent a few hours here visiting friends on Tuesday.

Rudolph Heekel returned to San Francisco Sunday after spending Christmas at home.

Misses Agnes and Anna Broad spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Charles Delin accompanied them.

Mrs. James Moreton and daughters of Ashland are spending the week with relatives in town.

Thomas Fulton left for Montague recently, where he has secured employment. Mrs. Fulton expects to join him the first of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dunford were recent Ashland visitors, the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Boyd.

P. Hagan of Eugene has been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. J. Reter entertained a few friends Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday. The evening

was spent in cards, after which a delicious lunch was served. S. S. Handles arrived from Nevada to spend Christmas with his wife, who has been spending the winter at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chris Ulrich.

The Electric theater, which opened Christmas eve, is proving quite an attraction. The films and accommodations are both good.

John Renault will return home soon. At present he is spending the holidays in Seattle, at the home of S. P. De Roban.

Mrs. E. S. Wilson held a family reunion at her home Christmas day, her guests being: Mrs. Henrietta Fick and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fick, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Wilson and E. W. Wilson and Peter Fick.

TABLE ROCK TABLETS

Misses Sue and Helen Lydiard are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lydiard. W. R. Byrum, S. M. Nealon and S. C. Collins attended the citizens-taxpayers' meeting at Jacksonville on Thursday in the interest of our school.

The meeting held at the schoolhouse Monday afternoon in the interest of the sugar beet industry was well attended. Several of our farmers are deeply interested in the project, while other wish to use a little caution in regard to the signing up proposition. However, we resent the term "moss-backs" applied to us in a recent issue of the Mail Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pendleton and son, V. H., visited the valley towns Tuesday.

Robert E. Nealon left Monday on the excursion for points in California.

Mrs. Lucy Dickey of Salem accompanied the remains of the late John Duggan to Central Point Tuesday. She will remain a few days as the guest of Mrs. Earl May.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster, who have been visiting at the home of S. C. Collins, left Tuesday for Agate, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gregory.

At the recent telephone meeting, D. W. Beebe was elected president; J. C. Pendleton, vice-president, and M. B. Chase, secretary of the company.

Carl Beebe and Miss Dulcie Caton attended a birthday party given in honor of Miss Josephine Kineaid at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kineaid of Agate, last Tuesday eve. They report it one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

John Duggan, who died December 25 at the age of 83 years, was a native of Ireland, and an old and respected citizen of this valley. He served in the civil war during the years '63-'64, on the northern battlefield Connecticut. He leaves, besides many friends, to mourn his loss one brother, Dennis Duggan, and a son, James, and a daughter, Mrs. Earl May, all of this vicinity.

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