

HOUSTON'S

Metropolitan Amusements

HOUSTON'S OPERA HOUSE

DANCING
EVERY WEDNESDAY
AND SATURDAY

STAR THEATER

TODAY
BIG DOUBLE BILL
LILA LEE
—In—
"THE RUSTLING BRIDE"
A Western Mining Drama
Full of Thrills
—And—
That Timely Picture
"BOLSHEVISM ON TRIAL"
—Also—
A Mack Sennett Comedy

TEMPLE THEATER

TODAY
SHIRLEY MASON
In
"THE RESCUING ANGEL"
Also
Five Acts of Screen Vaudeville

MERRILL OPERA HOUSE

MOTION PICTURES
TUESDAYS AND SATURDAYS
Merrill, Oregon

Etiquette of Snuff Taking.

The taking of snuff, which was indispensable to its period, has died out. The taking of snuff had a peculiar etiquette. A pinch pointed an epigram; it symbolized indifference, contempt and, on the other hand, the box extended in a friendly manner, expressed admiration, a desire for better acquaintance. The box was a refuge from idle questioners. A vigorous rap on the closed box put an end to argument.

The box itself was a work of art. It was adorned with precious stones, or paintings, or quaint mottoes. When a monarch wished to show his appreciation of a musician, artist, poet, he presented him with a gold snuff box filled with louis d'or. When the practice was at its height, an Earl Stanhope reckoned that if a man took snuff for 40 years, two years of his life were spent in tickling his nose and two more to the blowing of it.

Best yet. Herald Want Ads.

Personal Mention

Jack Kelleher and Hugh Farvey of Malin are in the city for a few days on business and pleasure.

Mrs. P. C. Jackson, formerly of Sacramento, and an experienced saleswoman in the sundry department of a large drug store there, has accepted a position with the Star Drug company in this city.

Harry Poole, manager of the Liberty Theatre left this morning for San Francisco on business connected with his new theatre which is to be erected at an early date.

E. T. Mass, U. S. deputy marshal, is here from Portland summoning witnesses in the cases of Ed Smith and C. C. Mers, charged with selling liquor to Indians, which will be tried before the federal court in Portland this month.

GOLD IN GRIP OF NEPTUNE

Hope Renewed That Millions Lost in Treasure Ships May Be Brought to the Surface.

Somewhere in the sea off the coast of Zululand lies the ship Dorothea, which went down on Tenedos reef, carrying with her, so some people believe, part of the fortune of Oom Paul Kruger, once president of the Transvaal, and rumor has it that plans are afoot to fit out a British expedition in the hope of salvaging her. The war has improved methods of salvaging sunken ships, and, if the Dorothea really carried it, the gold cemented into the hold of the vessel has been estimated at over \$3,000,000. Before the war a syndicate was organized to attempt recovery of the vessel, and unsuccessful efforts were made to locate her; now the project is again possible—perhaps all the more so, because time has accumulated so many treasure ships which are again under discussion. A list recently published includes: The Grosvenor, lost on the Pendoland coast, with \$9,750,000; the Ariston, in Marcus bay, with \$4,000,000; the Birkenhead, on Birkenhead reef, with \$3,900,000; the Dorothea, on Tenedos reef, with \$3,250,000; the Abercrombie, with \$900,000; the Merstein, with \$700,000, and the Thunderbolt, with \$2,750,000. If a sunken treasure enterprise falls of one treasure ship, perhaps it can find another. So far, however, the sea has proved a miser with the gold it has acquired; may the modern improvements in salvaging equipment change the habit.

Christmas Suggestions



Every man who comes to us for clothes is entitled to the best values his money will buy; we're making it our business to see that he gets just that. We do it by selling him

Hart Schaffner & Marx CLOTHES

Mallory Hats

Give him a stylish hat for a present. We have the hat of the day; that is the Mallory Hat, which is an American standard and worn by the critical man. All the season's late shapes and shades.

Florsheim Shoes

What is more correct or appropriate than a stylish and dependable shoe? Buy a pair for your friend or for yourself. An excellent gift.



SUGARMAN'S MERCHANDISE ORDER FOR ANY AMOUNT OR FOR ANYTHING IN THE STORE

The Correct Gift for a Man

K. SUGARMAN "THE HOLIDAY STORE FOR MEN"

"I AIN'T MAD AT NOBODY"

Store Opens Week Days at 8:00 a. m.
Store Opens Saturdays at 8:00 a. m.

Store Closes at 6:00 p. m.
Store Closes Sat. 9:00 p. m.

SLIPPERS

FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

More people are selecting slippers as Christmas gifts for men, women and children this year than in any previous holiday season. And we are prepared for all demands with the greatest stock of soft, comfortable, delightful house slippers in our history. House slippers of every good kind are here—all at extremely moderate prices. Of especial interest is our showing of Daniel Green "Comfy" and "Cozy Toes" felt slippers and our complete stock of men's leather slippers.

For the Men: Leather Slippers in Opera, Everett, Romeo and Moccasin styles. \$1.50 to \$3.50.

For Boys: Felt Slippers and Moccasin styles. \$1.25 to \$2.40.

For the Women: Quilted Satin Boudoir Slippers, \$2.65. Felt Slippers, with comfy or leather soles, \$1.25 to \$3.35.

For the Children: Felt Slippers with comfy or leather soles. 75c to \$2.50.

We are exclusive agents for Daniel Green "Comfy" Felt Slippers.



Van Bellen's
FOR Shoes

ENDED WITH HONORS EVEN

Rattlesnake and Pet Cat Staged Battle Which Caused Death of Both Combatants.

William Lessig, gateman at the Erie railroad crossing east of Ramapo, N. J., tells a story of a battle he saw between a rattlesnake and a pet cat. It ended fatally for both.

Mr. Lessig saw a rattler about four feet long going toward the river. He picked up a club and was about to start for it when, he declares, a cat leaped out ahead of him and set upon the snake.

The cat got a fine hold on the back of the rattler's head. But the snake fought desperately and got in a sting which caused the cat to release its hold and crawl away. In twenty minutes the cat's body was swollen almost twice its size and the poison finally caused death.

The snake had been so severely wounded it was unable to find cover and when a crow discovered it lying in the open field it was too weak to offer resistance and was soon swinging in the air as the bird made off with it.

Loves His Melon.

Watermelons have been high in price this season, but "Uncle Joe" Cannon has gone right ahead eating them. It is a habit acquired by him when he was a small boy in North Carolina.

Consequently the eighty-three-year-old statesman waits each year for the arrival of the watermelon season, and just as soon as the ripe ones begin to arrive Uncle Joe may be seen sticking a big chunk of something red into his mouth. Sometimes he goes at it "coon fashion" and plays a solo with his lips on a long, red slice, throwing away such implements as knives and forks.

Uncle Joe can tell when a watermelon thumps right and knows by the color and general appearance whether the melon is sweet and juicy or was pulled too green.

Wise Child.

A miserly landlord was going round collecting his rents the other day. At one house he was greatly interested in a little girl who watched open-mouthed and open-eyed the business of paying over the money and accepting the receipts.

He patted her on the head and started to search his pockets, saying: "I must see what I have got for you." After searching his pockets for some time he at last brought out from a remote corner a peppermint.

As he handed it to the girl he said: "And now what will you do with that?"

The little girl looked at it, then at him, and replied: "Wash it."

Long-Lived Superstition.

We wonder whether the Turkish prisoner who foretold the end of the war by means of the shoulder blade of a sheep had ever read "Giraldus Cambrensis' Itinerary Through Wales," made in the year 1188.

If so, he would have read in Chapter XI "that these people (the Flemings of Pembrokeshire), from the inspection of the right shoulders of rams which have been stripped of their flesh, and not roasted but boiled, can discover future events, or those which have passed and remained long unknown."

A footnote tells us that "this curious superstition is still preserved in a debased form among the descendants of the Flemish population of this district, where the young women practice a sort of divination with the blade bone of a shoulder of mutton to discover who will be their sweetheart. "It is still more curious that William de Rubruquis, in the thirteenth century, found the same superstition existing among the Tartars." Now, in the twentieth century, we find it among the Turks.—London Chronicle.

In contrast to former Michigan football teams, this year's Wolverines eleven was not able to get into the running.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Room with bath. 1154 Pine. Phone 475. 10-31*

WANTED AT ONCE—Lady to take charge of home and care for children. Inquire over Branderburg's store. 10-31*

A subscription to The Evening Herald for a prospective locator this year, might mean a Christmas present for all of us next year.

ESTRAYED CATTLE

One black bald face yearling heifer and one 2 year old red heifer strayed from my place. Connected J. K. brand. Crop off each ear and split in each ear. Notify Joe Koesel, Daly, Ore. 10-31*

FOR RENT—One sleeping room. Phone 447-R. Address 227 Jefferson St. 10-14*

The Herald would bring good cheer from Klamath County; not only during the Christmas season, but during every day in the year. Shop Early.

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We're there with PEP; that is why we satisfy so many people in this city when it comes to service and proper food prepared in the right way. It is seasoned to taste and is wholesome. We are here to feed your wants. A trial will convince you and make you one of our daily patrons.

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