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AMUSEMENTS.

"Potash and Perlmutter."

The firm of Potash and Perlmutter, makers of cloaks, suits and laughs, will open shop at the Grand next Wednesday, at matinee and night performances, when A. H. Woods presents, direct from his second year in New York City the most famous play of the century. "Potash and Perlmutter" was acclaimed with joy by the New York critics and the amusement public when Mr. Woods first produced it at the Geo. M. Cohan theatre in that city and for two seasons it crowded that theatre to the doors. Now it comes to us with a company of splendid artists, all of whom have won honors on Broadway in the famous roles.

Although the plot of "Potash and Perlmutter" is woven about the joys and sorrows, the trials and the triumphs of those most lovable of characters "Abe" Potash and "Maw."

TODAY'S BEAUTY TALK

You can make a delightful shampoo with very little effort and for a very trifling cost if you get from your druggist a package of canthox and dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. Your shampoo is now ready. Just pour a little at a time on the scalp and rub briskly. This creates an abundance of thick, white lather that thoroughly dissolves and removes all dandruff, excess oil and dirt. After rinsing, the hair dries quickly, with a fluffiness that makes it seem heavier than it is, and takes on a rich luster and a softness that make arranging it a pleasure.

Perlmutter who first made their bow to the public in the columns of the Saturday Evening Post, these laughable heroes of the cloak trade do not monopolize the story. There is plenty of romance in "Potash and Perlmutter" as there is bound to be wherever lovely women and appreciative men meet as they do in this delightful comedy.—Advertisement.

Mary Pickford Tonight. The Grand offers a feature program of seven reels today and tomorrow in "Madame Butterfly," with Mary Pickford, and an interesting reel of Paramount Newspictures. The regular prices of 5 and 10 cents will be in effect. Photo souvenirs of Mary Pickford will be presented free at the matinee tomorrow.

The photoplay adaptation of John Luther Long's great classic, "Madame Butterfly," in which Mary Pickford is starred by the Famous Players Film company, is a pathetic, human-interest story. This latest Paramount attraction at the Grand today and tomorrow tells how Cho-Cho-San, a maiden of the Flowery Kingdom, has been wed to Lieutenant Pinkerton, an American naval officer. Two months after the wedding Pinkerton sails away, promising his wife—"Madame Butterfly," as he calls her—to return when "the robins nest again." The scenes following the departure of Pinkerton and his return and the concluding incidents are strikingly presented.—Advertisement.

"If it were not presidential year Meredith might throw an awful scare into the republican candidate," admits the Mason City Globe-Gazette, assuming that Meredith might make the race for governor on the democratic ticket.

NEW NAMES ON DIRECTORY BOARD

James C. Davis and Edward K. Johnstone Elected Members Board of Directors Keokuk Savings Bank.

BOTH ARE WELL KNOWN

Mr. Davis, a Former Resident, and Mr. Johnstone, One of the City's Young and Energetic Business Men.

The adjourned annual meeting of the stockholders of the Keokuk Savings bank was held at 10 o'clock this morning at the banking house and the following directors were elected:

- A. E. Johnstone.
- H. L. Connable.
- F. W. Davis.
- B. B. Jewell.
- B. L. Auwerda.
- James C. Davis.
- Edward K. Johnstone.

The first five directors were re-elected, the last two being new members of the board which has been increased from five to seven members. The directors were elected to serve for one year or until their successors are chosen.

Following the stockholders' meeting which elected the directors named above, the directors met and elected the following officers:

- A. E. Johnstone, president.
- H. L. Connable, vice president.
- James C. Davis, vice president.
- F. W. Davis, cashier.
- H. W. Wood, assistant cashier.

It is noticed that two new names appear in the officers of this bank—those of James C. Davis and Edward K. Johnstone. Neither are strangers to the people of this city. Mr. Davis, before changing his residence from Keokuk to Des Moines, was vice president of the Keokuk Savings bank and his re-election to his old position is very gratifying news to his many Keokuk friends, who are glad to have him on the board again. Mr. Davis has always had great faith in Keokuk and never parted with any of his holdings here or lost his personal interest in his friends or the city. He is widely known in this city and his election as a director and officer will be received with general approval by the people of his "home town."

DEMONSTRATION WILL BE GIVEN SATURDAY

White Elk Vineyard Will Be Scene of Meeting Conducted by Experts.

At one p. m. on Saturday, Jan. 22, there will be held at Mr. R. T. Wylie's place at Keokuk an important meeting to discuss ways and means of controlling the San Jose scale.

In certain orchards in the county this insect pest has come to be so numerous as to actually cause the death of trees and lowering the vitality of others. Where San Jose scale becomes bad enough it may be found on nearly all kinds of trees and shrubs.

Two men from Ames will spend the day in this locality. The forenoon will be used to investigate conditions in orchards.

REBATE COMING TO IOWA BOARD

Panama-Pacific Exposition Board Breaks Records in Financial Matters. The Iowa commission to the Panama-Pacific international exposition apparently has broken all records, because it is going to turn back to the state treasury a considerable amount of the meager appropriation which was granted by the last legislature. The exposition is over Iowa's hills are all paid, and the entire affair has passed into history—but there still remains in the hands of the state treasurer \$15,000 of the original \$75,000 for which the commission has never made requisition. The fund was apportioned by the state treasury to the commission in sums of \$15,000 at a

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time and there is a well authenticated rumor to the effect that even part of the last \$15,000 which the commission did request is still in the banks to the credit of the commission. Undoubtedly, all of this will come out in detail when the commission makes its report.

"I notice upon return to Iowa," said Secretary Clum of the commission, "that there has crept into the newspapers of the state several stories concerning the sale of the Iowa building. In some stories the building is supposed to have been sold for \$750, and in fact three or four prices have been mentioned, anywhere from a net loss to one thousand dollars. It has also been variously stated in these stories that the building cost anywhere from \$30,000 to \$60,000.

"Just to keep the records straight, the public ought to be advised that the building—which was paid for out of the guarantee fund collected by the Greater Iowa association—cost about \$28,000 complete. There were some expenses in connection with the building which might possibly increase its net cost to around \$30,000. It was sold for \$370. This was the best price available, although bids were advertised in trade journals and all of the large wrecking companies, not only on the west coast, but as far east as Chicago, were communicated with in an effort to get a better price. One wrecking concern offered to take the building off the commission's hands, provided the commission pay the wrecking company \$1,825 for its trouble. Several of the other states did have to pay to have their buildings removed, so the Iowa commission felt that \$370 was a fair price.

"And even at that, the wrecking company which purchased the Iowa building will have a good deal of work on its hands in order to make a very small profit."

"If any fellow ever needed a friend it's the Iowa bootlegger," suggests the Marshalltown Times-Republican.

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FATHERS' AND SONS' BANQUET

Interesting Program Prepared for the Event at Y. M. C. A. on Friday Night—Two Well Known Speakers.

FREE PICTURES TONIGHT

Six Reels of Movies to be Thrown on the Screen at Y. M. C. A. at 7:30 O'clock—Variety of Films.

An interesting program has been prepared for the fathers' and sons' banquet which is to be held at the Young Men's Christian association on Friday night. The banquet will be served at 6:30 o'clock and from present indications between seventy-five and one hundred will be present. All men and boys of the city are welcome to attend if they call the Y. M. C. A. before tomorrow noon so that reservations can be made for them.

Harry Goodrich, state Y. M. C. A. boys' secretary, will be present to deliver an address on "The Relation of the Y. M. C. A. to the Boy." Harvey S. McCowan, of Dallas, Texas, the well known association writer, will speak on "The Trail a Boy Travels." Foster McGaw, who is chairman of the extension committee of the boys' cabinet, will act as toastmaster. Marshall Fulton, Gilbert Sargent and several others will speak and the high school orchestra will play during the supper hour.

Moving Pictures Tonight. Tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A., six reels of motion pictures will be shown free.

BULLETIN ON USE OF PARCEL POST

Uncle Sam Issues Some Suggestions for Producer and Consumer Which Are of Practical Value.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The farmer who wishes to sell his products by parcel post, and the housewife who wishes to use this method of securing country produce for her table, will find many useful points in Farmers' Bulletin, 703, "Suggestions for Parcel Post Marketing." This bulletin, in addition to explaining the postal rates and measurement limits for parcel post matter, discusses in some detail the types of containers which are most successful and the methods of grading and packing produce, so that it will reach the consumer in good condition, and be attractive in quality and appearance. In treating standards for parcel post shipments, the bulletin tells how to select, handle and pack the various fruits and vegetables which the average farmer is likely to market through the postoffice.

The bulletin points out that one of the common obstacles to establishing parcel post communication between farmer and consumer is that the farmer may be unwilling to offer goods at a price which attracts the customer, or that the consumer may offer a price lower than the farmer can obtain at a local market. To quote the bulletin: "Not only must the farmer have something additional to the usual price to compensate him for the extra work, container and postage required, but the consumer must also have something to attract him to marketing by parcel post. In determining what the price shall be, both the farm price and the retail price paid by the consumer when he markets in the ordinary way should be taken into consideration. The consumer must receive either a better article at the usual retail price or an article of the grade usually purchased at some concession in price.

"It is probable that the point which will make the strongest appeal to the average consumer is that he can secure by parcel post a fresher, brighter, more attractive, and thus possibly a better product than he can obtain otherwise.

"The average producer, as a rule, does not realize the importance of appearance as a factor in selling goods and frequently is careless and indifferent in preparing produce for market. The consumer, on the other hand, relies very largely upon appearance in

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General admission evenings only 10c

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WORKING GIRLS SHOULD HAVE \$8

Vice Commission Says They Cannot Live on Less Than That Sum Per Week in Illinois.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 20.—Based on theories, the Illinois vice commission says more than 100 young women in Illinois are working for a wage that is driving them into lives of immorality, officials of the state labor bureau said today.

The vice commission report, made public last night, after investigation that extended over several years, placed eight dollars a week as the lowest wage on which a young woman, under any but exceptional circumstances could live.

The state labor bureau officials said today more than 100,000 are living on less, and that this figure does not include many thousands of young women who receive very small wages and live with their parents.

The vice commission, of which Lieutenant Governor Barratt O'Hara is chairman, recommended passage of a law making \$8 a week the minimum wage for women workers.

"Thousands of girls," the report states, "are driven into prostitution because of sheer inability to keep body and soul together on low wages received by them."

Popular cafes and cabarets with indiscriminate dancing and singing, lure many girls into vice, the report states, but by far the greatest cause is poverty. Domestic, the report shows by statistics, fall to the under-

Strike at Munitions Factory.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] EAST CHICAGO, Ind., Jan. 20.—determined to prevent recurrence of the rioting which resulted in one death and many minor casualties today, authorities today announced they will disarm and arrest any strikers or strike breaker at the Edwards Valve works who appears on the streets with a weapon. The plant, making war munitions for the allies, was under heavy guard today while eleven strike breakers, arrested after a pitched battle yesterday, are held for trial.

EVERY THREE MINUTES ONE DIES IN THE U. S.

The Anti-Tuberculosis Society illustrates the frightful toll of consumption by extinguishing a light every three minutes, and shows that it is the man or woman, girl or boy, who neglects colds, whose blood is impure, who feels weak and languid, who is the very one to contract tuberculosis—and none are immune.

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