



I sat next to a gray-haired, blue, old theatergoer in the parquet at the Grand Thursday night. I knew he was biased by the way he resignedly sank into the seat...

When, with a rattle of spurs and clanking of sword, the strenuous Texas rangers romped on the stage in the first act and roared out their stirring song, the blue old gentleman in the next seat straightened up a bit and looked surprised.

From that time on, through the three acts of scintillating situations, tuneful music, mirth-provoking repartee and pleasing scenes, the Tenderfoot was a regular continuous performance of delightful astonishments, and made my gray-haired neighbor forget his ennuil and his dyspepsia.

Greatest of all surprises is Oscar L. Figman in the leading role. In make-up, in gesture and size he is an exact counterpart of the originator of the character, Richard Carle, and to say that he is every bit as good as the Chicago man in the role of Professor Zachary Pettibone, is not stretching the truth.

That chap, Jethro Warner, who plays opposite to Miss White, has a tenor voice that captivates—a voice clear as a bell and filled with rare harmonies. Incidentally, Jethro is good-looking, which happy combination accounted for the rents in many pairs of women's gloves in the Grand on the opening night.

Just a word or two about the clever dancing of Etta Lockhart and H. B. Williams; about the Irish ranger and his comrades, the hare-lip and the stammering man; of Willie Hama's characterization of the Chinese servant; of Louise Brackett's pretty face, petite figure and nimble feet; of the remarkably well-trained chorus; of all the fascinating music.

And— You can sum it all up in a nutshell by believing the bias theatergoer, who said: "This is certainly the goods!" DAN DEAN.

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Kingpin Lobbyist Will Lead Railroad Forces In Spring Campaign

George Stevenson, notorious railroad lobbyist, is the man who will lead the corporation cohorts to victory or defeat in the municipal election next spring.

That is the story that is being wafted about in cigar circles, at any rate, and in view of the municipal ownership and anti-Seattle Electric company feature of the coming campaign, the yarn is given considerable credence.

George himself is very quiet. In the lobby of the Diller hotel he quietly sits, meeting his ends and mulling over the possibilities of the coming campaign.

Glee Club Concert

Twenty-two of the university coeds will appear in Denny hall next month in the annual glee club concert. Among the new features to be given is an oriental affair, the nature of which has not been divulged.

Museum Plan Is Popular One

The plan suggested at the meeting of the chamber of commerce Wednesday to place a museum in that portion of the new Carnegie building will not be used for library purposes has met with the approval of citizens generally.

Big Fight Tonight

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