

# THE ALASKAN HEADS OFF NEXT WEEK



EDWARD MARTEINDEL AS TOTEM POLE PETE IN THE ALASKAN



FRITZ H. VON PULWIG CONTRALTO WITH THE ALASKAN

thoroughly a success from an artistic standpoint, and no one of the two audiences had anything but praise. However, many complained of the cost, and after discussion it has been decided by the Lyceum Concert Bureau to postpone the "Pop" concert until the weather is warmer and people can attend Dreamland pavilion without discomfort.

**Big Concert Announced.**  
On Sunday afternoon, January 21, at the Moore, the Seattle Symphony Orchestra will give its next popular concert, to be marked by the joint appearance of the orchestra and the Schubert club chorus of 70 voices and the Halston club choir of 40 voices, making the biggest concert event of the local season in this city. The program will be devoted entirely to operatic numbers.

**Benefit Performance Announced.**  
Next Wednesday evening's performance of "The Alaskan" at the Moore will doubtless be witnessed by a packed house, since, aside from the merit of the comic opera itself, all of the proceeds of this performance will be filled by the many friends of the house, are to be donated by Manager John Cort to the fund now being raised for the Holy Names Academy Normal school for the purpose of buying seats for the deaf-blind in the new building on Capitol Hill. Until this auditorium is opened the important educational work of the institution will be hampered, and it is hoped that the theatrical performance will not be a failure. The Holy Names Academy Normal school for the deaf-blind is a South African war veteran, and is now lord in waiting and master of the horse to his majesty, King Edward.

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**Ben Hur** Coming.  
"Ben Hur," the dramatization of General Lew Wallace's great story, is to be staged at the Moore theatre for the entire week beginning Monday, January 25. This is an announcement of no small importance, as the play has been seen before in Seattle, and is recalled as one of the most magnificent productions ever seen in the city.

Edward Martindel, according to reports, have a fine company this season, and the play is presented with as much care and painstaking as it was during its first season. "Ben Hur" had its first production many years ago, and bids fair to become for years one of the greatest attractions on the American stage. There will be no Sunday performances, but matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday.

**At the Moore.**  
Next week at the Moore theatre will be seen the famous comic opera, "The Alaskan," which was the first organization to appear at the Lyceum. When the curtains close on the opening chorus Sunday evening, it will reveal a cast of 100 artists, including the Lyceum chorus and many young and graceful show girls.

**At the Grand.**  
"Shore Acres," with Archie Boyd in the leading role, is to be the grand opera house attraction for the opening week. As long as the American public clings to its present affection for the simple pastoral drama, "Shore Acres" will be a success. The late James A. Herne made his fortune and his fame out of this play, and it is said that Archie Boyd is a worthy successor to him in the principal role.

**At the Seattle.**  
"The Lieutenant and the Cowboy" ends its engagement at the Seattle theatre tonight. Tomorrow afternoon the first performance of "The Lieutenant and the Cowboy" will be given. As its name implies, this is another play of the cattle country. The scene is located in Wyoming, and the characters are chiefly Western. The play is presented in "The Square Man" and "The Three of Us." The advance agents are responsible for 138 consecutive nights on its first presentation in New York, and had been run in other Eastern cities before being put on the road.

**At the Loie.**  
The last performance of "Peter Pan" at the Loie will be given tonight. In spite of the great crowds that have attended, Mr. Pantages has decided that the play has gone long enough. The strain of the work has been such that the players will relax the change.

**"Under the Red Robe."**  
Romance, conspiring intrigue, warfare, brave men and fair women have been in the next play at the Loie. Starting tomorrow afternoon, "Under the Red Robe" will be almost a novelty here. This play is almost a period of great romantic interest, the time of Richelieu. All the regular members of the Loie company will be seen in good parts.

**Third Avenue.**  
The Third Avenue theatre has added in popularity this week, daily performances. The play, "The Three of Us," has been a big success, displaying the versatility of the

**Pop Concert Postponed.**  
The first "Pop" concert, given last Sunday by the Seattle Lyceum Concert company, will not bring out as big a crowd as expected, was

**Retire Federal Judges.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 9.—By U. P.—The house committee on the judiciary has agreed to report favorably the senate bill providing that federal judges having reached the age of 70 years may retire after ten years on the bench at full salary.

**UP-TO-DATE URBANA.**  
(From the Toledo Blade.)  
Down at Urbana, O., the girls gave a shanty grown dance last week, and a lot of indignation has been aroused in a rival town.

## ITALIAN "RED TAPE" WAS CAUSE OF MANY DEATHS

**CHARGES OF SERIOUS NATURE ARE MADE AGAINST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.**

ROME, Jan. 9.—By U. P.—"Red tape" is today declared to be responsible for thousands of deaths among the survivors of the earthquake. It was learned that charges to that effect have been made against officials of the government.

The matter was brought officially to the attention of the chamber of deputies when that body convened today, but the most influential members persuaded those who made the charges, involving the government, to delay action until after the public temper becomes more calm.

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Another one is to the effect that if the government had acted promptly in this matter at least 10,000 lives might have been saved.

Premier Giolitti was so greatly affected by the accusations against the government that his condition is considered serious. He left the chamber with a high fever. The troops at Messina today stopped giving relief to the survivors remaining in that city, in the hope of forcing them to desert the city. Those who will not leave willingly will be driven out by the soldiers.

Edward, Miss Mills is a daughter of Oden Mills, and will inherit a large fortune.

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