

AMUSEMENTS

Auditorium Spokane Orpheum Washington Pantages

GOOD JOKES AND MUSIC AT SPOKANE

"It was fine. There were good jokes, and a good-looking and fine-voiced chorus. The male solos were the best, with the exception of that rendered by Mrs. Falcott, the widow. Pitkin was the laugh-maker and the center of the stage. The leading lady was cute. Molly Kelly deserves her Irish name as far as being jolly is concerned. And as for Tom, I fell in love with him."

That was the breezy comment of a pretty girl who attended the first night performance of "The Time, The Place and the Girl" at the Spokane theater. She liked it, and her opinion was that of the others in the large house. The musical comedy has won a place in the hearts of theater-goers, and each year it meets with the same success. Robert Pitkin was formerly a clever newspaperman, and he is now a very clever comedian. Jessie Huston is entirely acceptable as Margaret. A lot of good musical numbers help round out the production. It will run through the week at the Spokane.



EDNA AUG, AT THE ORPHEUM

Fun Makers and Beauties at Auditorium

Edward Hume and Grace De Mar are two natural makers of fun of the first rank, and they are helped by very clever and humorous roles. To see them alone is worth the price of admission and time spent in witnessing "A Knight for a

erman's Luck" is another favorite on the bill. That fish story told by Lester Alden as John Benedict, to his wife after a week at Atlantic City, instead of at a fishing resort, takes well with the audience, but not with Aida Woolcott, as Mrs. Benedict. It is all because he didn't let the butler in on the whole plan to deceive when he sent him to buy fish to make a showing and the stupid fellow bought canned



SOME OF THE GIRLS AT THE SPOKANE THEATER THIS WEEK

Day," the first performance of which was given at the Auditorium theater last night.

Added to these stars were a really pretty and graceful chorus and some fine electrical effects. The company as a whole was evidently and with good reason disappointed at the size of the Sunday night house, but they are giving a musical comedy which furnishes the desired laughs and forgetfulness of the cares of the day.

Hume takes the title role, and he is as funny as they make 'em. Miss De Mar as Tilly never fails to provoke loud guffaws from the audience. There is a big bunch of pretty girls. They look well, dress well and dance well. Taken all together, "A Knight for a Day" is decidedly worth seeing. I will run for three more nights here.

GOLD MINES AND WOMEN—WASHINGTON

"Woman is like a gold mine—you never know what she's worth." "Yes, and many a man has gone broke prospecting." Such is one of the little laugh producing bits of comedy included in the conversations of Barney Fagan and Henrietta Byron, favorites at the Washington theater this week. Another by Fagan himself is: "There's sadness in a woman's sadness when she's sad and there's gladness in a woman's gladness when she's glad, but the adness of her sadness and the gladness of her gladness is nothing compared with the padness of her padness when she pads." Aida Woolcott & Co., in "A Fish-

lobsters instead of real fish. Frank J. Parker gives a marvelous demonstration of his strength by balancing bedroom furniture on his chin. Willison and Stonaker in old and new melodies make a hit and Irma Orbasany with her trained cockatoos is the delight of the children. The birds are well trained and their performances are clever.

EXCELLENT BILL AT PANTAGES

An excellent summer bill of funny bits of vaudeville that take well with the audiences is the offering at the Pantages this week. About an equal amount of appreciation is shown each entertainer on the program, and it is difficult to decide, to which one headline honors belong. Perhaps the funniest numbers are furnished by Charles and Anna Glocker in "Fun in a Physical Culture Studio," and James Casey and Maggie LeClair in an Irish comedy depicting Celtic life in a tenement. This comes nearer being true to nature than anything that has been shown in vaudeville in some time, and makes an instantaneous hit. The Glocker act is made up of clever and difficult juggling, together with witty conversations. Barlow's ponies and dogs give a performance in a miniature ring that brings down the juvenile section of the house. Meyer Brother's "human elevator" act is one that is hard to beat for a demonstration of marvelous strength, and their acrobatic feats are astonishing. In a burlesque grand opera, the Kaufman brothers bring down the house,

even though many of their jokes are stale and their acting is much after the old style. Rogers, Sherman & Lukin, comedy singers and dancers, are appreciated. William D. Gilson, the singer of illustrated songs, pleases all with his song, "Just One Sweet Girl," and the Pantagoscope (moving pictures) is fairly good.

SPLENDID OVATION FOR JESSIE SHIRLEY

Spokane theater goers testified to the esteem in which Miss Jessie Shirley is held here by the presence of two capacity audiences at the Orpheum Sunday. Miss Shirley's efforts in the dramatic sketch, "The First Woman Governor," were liberally applauded and a number of bouquets were given both at the afternoon and night performances. The sketch deals with conflicting emotions of a woman's love for her erring son and her duty to the state, of which she has been elected the first woman governor. Miss Shirley is ably supported by Frank McQuarrie as the prisoner, Leslie Greer, both former Shirley favorites, and Daniel Edson. After Miss Shirley, the next act in point of favor was Edna Aug, a real comedienne, in character types. Her work as a chorus girl and then as a Dutch maiden drew frequent rounds of applause. The Big City quartet is one of the most popular organizations of singers that has visited the city for a long time. They have a

"BOOZOLOGY" CHAIR FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; WILL TEACH FARMERS

(By United Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 30.—A chair of "boozology" will be established in the department of agriculture, and a regular course of instruction given to those who wish to perfect themselves in the "theory and practice of fermentation and distillation."

This sounds like a swat at the prohibition movement, but as a matter of fact the brand of alcohol the department will make is not drinkable.

It is the distasteful kind, and the purpose is to show the farmers of the country how to make money out of their farm waste.

More than a year ago a big still was erected in the bureau of chemistry, and this will be used in connection with the lectures this fall. The agricultural experiment stations of the various states have been invited to send representatives to attend the lectures, and as many other outsiders as can be accommodated may also attend.

"REVOLT OF WOMAN AGAINST HER WOMANHOOD," SCORED BY SCIENTIST

(By United Press.)
WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 30.—"The most disquieting feature of the times is the revolt of women against their womanhood and their claim to an equality with men in every way."

This statement was one of the salient features of the address made by Prof. M. E. Armstrong, Ph. D. LL. D., F. R. S., president of the chemical section of the British Association of the Advance-

ment of Science, which began its sessions here today.

Professor Armstrong also expressed regret at what he called growing tendency toward premature announcement of incipient or alleged scientific discoveries. "We have been living in a time of sensational discovery," he said, "in a period when advertisement is favored and the desire for notoriety rampant. Unhappily that caution which appeared to be regarded as

a priceless prerogative of the scientific worker in the earlier part of the last century is no longer our recognized watchword."

Dr. Armstrong declared his faith in the progress of chemistry toward solving the problems of life and sex. He found fault with present conditions of society which, he said, placed no hindrance in the way of the unfit. "They who presumably are the fittest," he said, "are failing to contribute in proper proportion to the perpetuation of their race. The condition of affairs today affords a most striking exemplification of the slowness with which civilized nations are learning to appreciate the lessons of science."

"No problem can compare in importance with that of the future of our race. Not only do we discourage deterioration at the lower end of the scale of intelligence, but we now are, through our system of education, courtng failure at the upper end. It has been stated that in the United States of America the higher education of girls has been proved to sterilize them."

DRAT TAKE IT! WHERE IS MONKEY-WRENCH?

Might Have Saved Barns if Zeke Hadn't Took It
(By United Press.)
NORTH VERNON, Ind., Aug. 30.—Because nobody could produce a monkey-wrench, four barns caught fire and were totally destroyed while the volunteer fire department did its best to get a stream on the blaze. The department had just added a new hose wagon, and it had just made its trial run. After the hose was unwound the driver rushed back to the firehouse, carrying the fire-pipe wrenches with him. The fire laddies had to wait until he got back before they could turn on the water supply.

LONDON FIVE HOURS NEARER

(By United Press.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—With the sailing of the big Cunarder Mauretania from New York Wednesday it is confidently expected that the trip will result in bringing London at least five hours nearer the American metropolis. The Mauretania will take a new and shorter course and for the first time will land mail and passengers for London at Fishguard, on the coast of Pembrokeshire, South Wales. It is expected that she will land her passengers at the Welsh port so that they may arrive in London on Monday afternoon. Captain Pritchard is confident that if weather conditions are favorable he will make this experimental trip over the new route a record-breaker.

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