

AND PLAYERS

WHEELER EARL IN 'THE HOPPER'

Wheeler Earl in the Auditorium theater last night. He has not changed his methods, and his admirers, after greeting him in the heartiest manner, would not be satisfied with the many curtain calls, but insisted on a speech. And he gave them one, right off the bat, the best Hopper brand, and it was fully as pleasing as the characterization of Medford Griffin. He got off some verses which made the audience recall and recall him; in fact, as usual, he permeated the whole play with his wholesome personality. That is one charm about De Wolf Hopper. He is so full of life and

enthusiasm that he carries his audience with him and they reflect his mood. The solo, trio and choruses seem to have been written for him. Perhaps they were; at any rate he has made them his own. His scenes with Louise Dresser, who is as charming as ever, with the same blond beauty and vibrant voice, were simply perfection. Miss Dresser is a handsome object lesson to the women who insist upon bearing a bushel of hair around their faces. "A Matinee Idol" will be repeated for the last time tonight. The house will be dark on Wednesday night, with "The Kissing Girl," Thursday and Friday.

ALL-STAR CAST AT ORPHEUM

From the time the curtain rises on "The Balzars, Who Conjure With Fun," till it descends after the moving pictures the patrons of the Orpheum are treated to an all star cast this week. Wheeler Earl and Vera Curtis, in their chatty duolog, "Innocents Abroad," received liberal applause, while the Meredith Sisters in their various songs made a distinct hit. They are known as the "maids who made Hiawatha famous."

the many complications which arise in trying to spend such a vast amount of money. It's mighty hard to spend a million dollars, according to Brewster. He has excellent support. Miss Slosson as Peggy has a comparatively small part, but it was all brought out by her. The settings, especially the night scene on board a yacht, are particularly good.

HAWAIIANS HIT AT PANTAGES

The new bill at the Pantages theater is the best one in every way that the patrons of the playhouse have had the pleasure of witnessing in some time. The Frelah Brothers open the bill with a good bit of nonsense given in a funny manner and clever stunts on the bars. The Hawaiian Four were easily the bit of the performance, with their beautiful singing voices and melodious musical numbers. Their native dance is given by a pretty Hawaiian maiden. Libby and Traver are seen in a musical comedietta, entitled "A Dispute in Morocco," which is in some time. Woods and Green have a pleasing act, introducing some mirth making songs and jokes. Schepp's circus is brimming over with cleverness, and the dogs, ponies and monkeys show that their training has been of the best. An extra attraction is presented by Edwin T. Emery, in which Mlle. Marcou is seen in the classic pantomime, "Le Tragede de Egypt."

WHAT DOES B. C. MEAN?

"B. C. Don't you know what that means?" "Is it 'British Columbia'?" "Naw. B. C. means Be Cheerful."

That's one of the catching things at the Washington this week. The most successful vaudeville is vaudeville chuck full of fun and laughter. That's a fair description of this week's bill, and so you may be sure it satisfied the audiences. One of two features could be improved, but the merry notes of fun redeemed it. Fred Eckhoff, who advertises "supreme melody and superior mirth," was the big hit yesterday. He is "supreme" on the mirth end of it, and one of the best natural comedians ever seen here. "The comic conquerors," three athletes, have an acrobatic act

MRS. E. M. GALLANT DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. Margaret Gallant of 2325 First avenue died at her home yesterday morning. She had just recently returned from a tour of the world and had apparently been in the best of health. A few days ago she had an operation on her throat, which was made necessary by a small abscess, blood poison following and resulting in her death.

Mr. Gallant had just gone to the east on a business trip. He was reached at Chicago. No funeral arrangements will be made till he arrives. Mrs. Gallant was the widow of Dennis Clark, a well known mining man, who died a couple of years ago. Dennis Clark was a brother of Patrick Clark, millionaire mining man.

equal to anything on the Orpheum circuit. "Happy Jack" Gardner is clever, and he has a fair sketch well produced. It pleased the audience well. One very pretty and dainty girl in the "Tennis Trio" saved the act from falling down. The other acts are good.

GIRLS GIVE CLEVER PLAYS

Girls of the St. Aloysius parish presented two clever plays at the Gonzaga hall yesterday afternoon. "The Scheme That Failed" and "Looking for a Servant" were the vehicles employed by the young ladies. Those taking part were Katherine Smith, Geraldine Irwin, Florence Foley, Ruth Cain, Connie Williams, Rose Scholders, Anna Goodwin, Pats Hayward and Leonella Bradley. The plays were produced under the direction of Mrs. Kate Harper.

PYTHIAN SISTERS WILL DANCE

The Pythian Sisters will give the second of a series of dances at Pacific halls tomorrow evenings. Friends of the order and those holding regular invitations are expected.

MARKET BASKET

PRODUCE. Best fresh home eggs, 40@45c doz; eastern eggs, selected, 30@35c doz; best local creamery butter, 45c per pound; second grade butter, 40c per pound; eastern butter, 30@35c per pound; local flour, \$1.60 sack of 49 pounds; Cheney flour, \$1.25 sack; lard, 15c pound; compound, 18c. FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. Potatoes, \$1.50@1.75 per sack, or 12 pounds for 25c; cabbage, 4c pound; turnips, carrots and beets, 3 to 5c lb; oranges, 25@30c dozen; new apples, 50c to \$1 box; figs and dates, 10@15c package; peaches, 50c to 55c crate; bananas, 25@35c dozen; watermelons, 10@15c apiece; cantaloupes, 5@10c each; crab apples, \$1 box; prune plums, 50c to 90c per apple box; tomatoes, 35c crate; Concord grapes, 50c basket; California Tokay grapes, 50c basket; pears, \$1@1.25 box. MEATS. Pot roast, 12 1/2@15c; prime ribs, 15@20c; chuck steak, 12 1/2c; round steak, 15c; sirloin steak, 18c; porterhouse, 22@25c; boiling beef, 8c, 8c and 10c. Pork—Steak, 18c; chops, 18@20c; roast, 18@20c; whole ham, 22c; ham, sliced, 25c; bacon, by strip 23c; sliced, 25c; picnic ham, 15c. Mutton—Shoulder, 12 1/2c; leg of mutton, 16c; mutton chops, 15@15c. Poultry—Chickens, 18@25c; shoulder, 15c; loin, 20@22c. Dressed chickens, 25c to 30c. EGGS. Retail—Alfalfa, 15@19 ton; timothy, 22 1/2; straw, \$10; wheat hay, \$29; hay, \$29; bran shorts, \$22; straight bran, \$22; straight shorts, \$22; corn, whole, \$1.35; cwt; corn, cracked, \$1.30; feeding wheat, \$1.70 cwt; oats, \$1.80 cwt; barley, \$1.50; steam rolled oats, \$1.85 cwt. The Spokane Press, Delivered, 25 Cents a Month.

EMPLOYMENT SHARK GIVEN A BAD JOLT

One more local employment shark received a still little jolt, when the management of the Western Employment agency at 222 Washington street, was compelled to pay \$36 to Charles Hadway, who had been sent out by the agency on one of the fake Oroville jobs which have been so promiscuously peddled by Spokane's employment agents of late.

Hadley was sent to Oroville to work for J. J. Nelson, a contractor on the Great Northern railway, and arriving there had to pay \$2 fare in order to reach the Nelson camp. At the camp he was told that there was nothing doing, and the fore man refused to sign his ticket. After staying around the camp for two days, he paid his way back to Spokane, and demanded of the Western Employment people repayment of his fee, his expenses on the trip, and salary for the time he was occupied in finding out that the job was a fake. This he figured to amount to a total of \$36. The management of the agency refused at first to pay anything,

but finally offered to pay \$15. Hadway, however, refused to be bluffed and started suit to recover. Then the agent raised his offer to \$20, then to \$30, and finally, just before the case was to be called in court, he paid the full amount asked by Hadway.

PUBLIC NIGHT SCHOOL IS A SUCCESS

The public night school, which is being conducted in the Field school on College avenue, is doing a thriving business, according to Principal E. C. Miller. Says the professor: "We have enrolled over 300 since the school opened. We have an average attendance of 130 and were obliged to add another teacher, Miss Munroe."

ADJUTANT BALDWIN ILL.

Adjutant Baldwin of the Salvation Army is suffering from a nervous breakdown and is under the care of a physician. He is now reported to be on the road to recovery.

THIS WEEK'S OFFERINGS IN MEN'S UNCALLED FOR TAILOR MADE SUITS

Are you going to buy a suit or overcoat this week? If so, it will pay you to call in and see the stylish garments we sell for just about half what the other clothier asks you.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes \$25.00 Suit or Overcoat, \$30.00 Suit or Overcoat, \$35.00 Suit or Overcoat, \$40.00 Suit or Overcoat, \$50.00 Suit or Overcoat, \$55.00 and up Suit or Overcoat.

SKILES

knows the sample business thoroughly, having been engaged in it for several years. Samples, you know, are about the finest merchandise there is: When a manufacturer is selecting his sample line he is certainly going to put his best out, for it is by this sample line that his customers are going to judge his entire output. You know what you or I would do in that case, don't you? Why, we would send out the very best goods we had in the place, wouldn't we? Of course, we would. So that's the kind of merchandise that samples are—the very best.

But when the drummer has gone over his territory, the samples are of no further use to the house. They are glad to sell them for a small part of their original cost, because whatever they get out of them is just that much clear profit. Here is where Skiles comes in with his spot cash. He buys them for a small part of their real worth and passes them on to the public in the same proportion. Skiles offers some rousing bargains for all this week.

ROUSING SALE OF SAMPLE UNDERWEAR

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Ladies' union suits, worth \$1.25, on sale at \$1.25; Ladies' union suits, worth \$1.75, on sale at \$1.25; Ladies' union suits, worth \$2.00, on sale at \$2.00; Ladies' union suits, worth \$2.50, on sale at \$2.50; Ladies' union suits, worth \$4.50, on sale at \$3.50; Ladies' union suits, worth \$6.00, on sale at \$4.50.

SALE OF SAMPLE COATS THIS WEEK

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes \$20.00 coats on sale tomorrow at \$15.00; \$18.00 coats on sale tomorrow at \$12.00; \$35.00 coats on sale tomorrow at \$20.00; \$40.00 coats on sale tomorrow at \$25.00.

LADIES' SAMPLE BLACK WINTER PETTICOATS

A fine selection in pleated, ruffled and embroidered trimmed styles \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25 values. Choice all this week, \$1.25

SAMPLE OUTING FLANNEL GOWNS

We got two sample lines of these which we are selling at from 50¢ to a saving of about 50 Per Cent

AUTO SCARFS

Plain, hemstitched and fancy borders, in blacks and colors—Skiles sells 75c values at \$1.25 values at \$1.50 and \$1.75 values at \$1.00. Silk mull, 50c and 65c grades, at light evening shades, \$2.00

SKILES SAMPLE STORE

307 HYDE BLK. Take Elevator to Third Floor. Entrance on South Side Riverside, Between Howard and Wall Streets

YEAR IN JAIL FOR 16 ACQUITTED OF SLAYING BABE

ZANESVILLE, Ohio, Oct. 31.—Mrs. Frances Allen, a widow, was acquitted of a charge of first degree murder of a convalescing after a trial lasting one week. Mrs. Allen was arrested in September, 1929, following the accidental discovery of a murdered baby in the chicken yard of the home where she was employed. Chickens had scratched up the corpse of an infant with its throat cut and its skull crushed.

For more than a year Mrs. Allen has been in jail during various postponements of her case. PASSENGERS ON TRAIN WITNESS WONDERFUL MIRAGE IN THE SKY

KENDALLVILLE, Ind., Oct. 31.—Passengers on a Toledo and Chicago Interurban car out of this city witnessed a wonderful mirage, in which were mountains, coasts and ships. The sight was first discovered by a Detroit traveling man, who asked another passenger what large lake lay off to the west. The picture was visible for some minutes.

BUILD LIBRARY AT PASCO.

PASCO, Wash., Oct. 31.—Work on Pasco's new \$10,000 library is going on rapidly. The contractors have the foundations in and are now starting on the walls. It is hoped to have the building completed within a few months. The library will be at Fourth and Benneville streets.

WASHINGTON THEATRE

High Class Vaudeville. Week Com. Sunday Mat., Oct. 30 Presenting "A CLOSE CALL" And Six Other All Star Acts. Matinee Daily at 2:30. Admission 15c. Two Shows every evening. Prices, 15c and 25c.

SPOKANE THEATER

Every Night, Matinee Sunday, Wednesday and Saturday. The Famous Baker Stock Company This Week

Brewster's Millions

A Story of Frenzied Finance. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c; Matinee, 25c and 50c; Wednesday Mat., 25c. Next Week—"Little Johnny Jones."

Pantages THEATER

UNEQUALLED VAUDEVILLE WEEK OF OCTOBER 30 Shepp's Dog, Pony and Monkey Circus OTHER FEATURES—6 Matinees Daily.

OPHEM

First Vaudeville Tour of the Favorite Romantic Actor McWilliam FARNUM Presenting Edward Peppel's Little Classic "The Maddest Masterpiece"

THE DUFFIN REDCAP TRUPE

RADIANT RADIE FURMAN The Little American Comedienne KAUFMAN BROS in Tuneful Originalities

THE MEREDITH SISTERS

Wheeler EARL and CURTIS Vera in a Chatty Duolog "Innocents Abroad"

THE BALZARS

Comperting For Fun Orpheum and Pictures Auditorium Theater TONIGHT ONLY

DE WOLF HOPPER

with LOUISE DRESSER in A MATINEE IDOL. Tomorrow Night Only WILLIAM FAVERSHAM

Supported by MISS JULIE OPP

The World and His Wife Prices, 50c to \$2.00.

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CLASSIFIED RATES One time rate, .50c per line Three time rate, .40c per line Special rates by the month. Minimum charge for single ad 10 cents. Call up Main 375.

SITUATION WANTED—MALE

Wanted 2 boys for routes on North Division, close to river. Apply at The Press office at once.

FOR SALE—CITY REAL ESTATE

If you want a house and lot dirt cheap, drop me a card, W. C. Fish, 66115 Astor St.

Buy from Owner

\$200 cash, balance \$15 per month, buys the best 6-room modern house in city. Price \$2,000. Glenwood 460-J after 6 p. m.

Must sell; bungalow, also 1 1/2x2 1/2, sided and nicely painted and papered; lot 50x125; high and level; good well of water; gas and water; fine place to live. Terms \$10 cash, balance \$20 per month. Hughes & Allen, 301 Hyde block. Phone 2985.

\$10 plants the seed that secures for you later a home; then \$5 per month. Call and see us, F. & Barrett & Co., 122 Wall street.

LOST AND FOUND.

Found—Two Canadian Express money orders Saturday evening on Riverside ave. Main 8453Y.

Lost—Stock certificate No. 147 of Pioneer Creek Mining & Milling Co. issued to F. C. Bailey, June 24, 1928. Return to Ray Bigelow, secretary, 709 Riverside. Receive reward.

FOR RENT—ROOMS, HOUSES. For rent, a small furnished house in city. Price \$27.50. Inquire 8327 Howard street, or phone 4559, party J.

For rent, nicely furnished rooms, 6716 Superior st.

For rent—Good 4-room house, in desirable neighborhood; \$13.00 per month. E421 Rich ave. Glen. 333-J.

Newly furnished rooms. Phone 8578.

For rent—Four room modern cottage on West Riverside. Close in. Inquire 1739 Riverside.

For rent—3, 4 and 5 room houses and storeroom. Close in. Niedermeyer, 528 Rookery.

Furniture of 4 room house for sale cheap. House for rent. A few blocks from Postoffice. Address A7 Spokane Press.

Five room house, furnished, close in, for rent at \$23 a month. Address A6 Spokane Press.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

Light housekeeping suites, also some sleeping rooms, in steam heat building; best of janitor and elevator service; day and night. Corner of Monroe and Indiana. W. Greene, room 210 Monroe building.

FOR RENT.

A good location for hardware, gent's furnishings, furniture or shoe business in a steam heated building; full basement; on North Monroe; rent reasonable. W. Greene, room 210 Monroe building.

BUILDING CONTRACTOR

4-room house built for \$500; foundation and plastered. Phone M. 8472-Y. M. Wise, 710 N. Napa.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Notice to the Public—I warn the public that I will not be responsible for any indebtedness incurred by my wife, as she has left my bed and board. E. C. MURPHY.

BOARD AND ROOM.

Nicely furnished rooms for men; cheap. 512 1/2 Monroe.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING OF THE COMMERCIAL LAUNDRY COMPANY. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Commercial Laundry Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Washington, and having its principal place of business at Spokane, Washington, will be held at the office of the Company, at 19 Pacific avenue, Spokane, Washington, at 8 o'clock p. m. on the 25th day of November, 1930.

CLASSIFIED PRESS ADS

PERSONAL

The Troy Laundry

Wet wash, 45c per basket. Rough dry, 55c per dozen. Overalls and jumpers, 25c. Phone Main 2450.

CLEANING AND PRESSING

French dry cleaning, dyeing. Ladies' work a specialty. Gent's suits pressed and pressed. First class work; moderate prices. City Suits Dye Works, 323 Riverside, Main 8228.

Economy Dye Works, French dry cleaners; quick service; best work; lowest prices. Main 2561. 1701 Main avenue.

Ladies' and gent's clothes cleaned, pressed and repaired. 1036 First Main 1810.

BUSINESS CHANGES

For business changes, see Mearow, 26 W. Riverside.

EXCHANGES—REAL ESTATE

For business changes, see Mearow, 26 W. Riverside.

HIDES AND JUNK

Division Junk Co.—Dealers in all kinds of junk and tools. 10 Main. Phone Main 2100.

IMPORTED MACARONI

Nick Noco carries all sizes and varieties of imported macaroni; also all varieties of imported canned goods. 223 Bernard st.

ATTORNEYS

Samuel T. Crane, lawyer, 410 Columbia building. Phone Main 3992.

Cooper & Co., collections, 410 Columbia building. Phone 3992.

RESTAURANTS

23 Riverside Ave. 23 The Place to Eat 23

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THE LARGEST CLEANERS IN THE WORLD "E. B. BARKHOLM" 700-702 FRONT AVE COR WALL ST

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The Sam Gray Housefurnishing Co. will take your old furniture in exchange for new. Good goods sold in installment. Main 2494, 227-229 Riverside.

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Good apples, 30c per sack. Come quick; lots of these 1/2 mile south east of Moran school. J. L. Farmer, The Twin Hill Orchard.

D. Mays Hardware Co. Wholesale and retail, hardware, sporting goods, tools. 337 Main ave. Phone Main 1248.

Phone Main 2415, or call at 30 Main avenue if you want to buy or sell furniture and stoves.

Wanted—Second hand bicycles. C. F. Burch, 226 Sprague. Main 816.

CRESCENT FURNITURE CO.—Furniture, rugs and linoleum, upholstery, furniture repairing, cabinet work; goods packed, etc.; goods called for and first class. Phone Main 1937. 412 1/2 1st.

Highest price paid for second hand furniture and cast off clothing. Main 4049. 1020 First ave.

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