

BENEFIT DANCE WORTHY CAUSE ON SATURDAY

Several of the good fellows about town put their heads together yesterday and discussed a little question of doing for another what each would appreciate were they unfortunate and placed in the same position.

The result is that everyone will be given the pleasure of helping and there will be a splendid big event given Saturday night at the A. B. hall under the style of a "Benefit Dance," to which every person in Seward is invited.

From the reports received following an informal discussion of the matter it is evident that the benefit will receive splendid support. Tickets will be sold by members of several fraternal societies and the volunteer fire department, which are co-operating in the good cause. Practically most every expense of the event will be covered in advance and all of the proceeds will go for the worthy cause, for which the dance will be given.

STRONG GAME PLAYED AT A. B. HALL LAST NIGHT

More interest in athletics was shown last night than at any time since the organization of the Athletic club, when a good sized crowd attended the first basket ball game between local teams. A surprisingly fast and snappy game was played which was rough in "spots", Johnny Sullivan proving himself to be a regular acrobat at times. The game ended 39 to 28 in favor of Rich. The Frazier brothers were among the most noticeable stars. The following is the lineup:

Fonda		Rich
Sullivan	r.f.	Rich
McPhail	l.f.	Jensen
Fonda	c.	Peitch
Frazier	r.g.	Sauers
Rothfus	l.g.	Frazier
Individual scoring: Sullivan 3, Fonda 5, Duke Frazier 3, McPhail 1, Rothfus 1, Jensen 5, Frazier 7, Rich 4, Sauers 1. Fouls: Rothfus 2, Frazier 1, Rich 4.		

Several amusing boxing bouts were pulled off between quarters.

SEWARD SNAPSHOTS

C. G. Hammond arrived yesterday from Anchorage.

George Colwell left on a trip out the line this morning.

The tug Annie W. may be sent to Anchorage with oil and gasoline at the first sign of the break up in Cook inlet.

Iditarod and Anchorage mail arrived last night on the special train which brought R. J. Weir, engineer in charge in from Mile 40.

Cold weather followed the blow from the north and temperatures as low as 12 degrees below zero were registered at the north end of town this morning. It was about 10 degrees warmer in the business section.

The new tower for the fire bell was completed yesterday and the bell in-

FINE FEATURE AT EMPRESS TONIGHT

"Matrimony," unusual striking feature by the Triangle motion picture players will be the feature at the Empress tonight. It is a four reel feature, and advance notice of its reception at other houses indicates that it is a winner.

Pathe's Weekly News and a two reel Keystone comedy, "His Father's Footsteps," complete the seven reel bill.

At 7:30 o'clock last night, Chief Horner struck three taps and then called people by telephone in the remote sections to see if the clangor was heard. The results were not very satisfactory but it is probable that rapid ringing of the bell, as would occur in case of alarm, would be heard to better advantage.

All-Alaska News

The city council at Nome, at a recent meeting, elected H. H. Moller as mayor of the city to fill the unexpired term of Mayor Blake, who recently resigned the position.

M. E. Bondixen, who was sentenced at Fairbanks two years ago to the penitentiary at McNeil Island for bigamy, has been released from custody by the expiration of his sentence.

The doctors and carpenters for the new government hospital at Aniak failed to arrive before the close of navigation, only the nurses and teachers reaching there, so the building will not be erected for another year.

The Fifth Avenue Hotel at Skagway, the Waldor-Astoria of that town during the construction days on the White Pass, when it was conducted by Mrs. L. A. Burke, has been sold by the marshal on a judgment against the owner.

FOR SALE—3 dogs, well broken, harness and sleigh.—Inquire Seward Hotel. 2-1-1t.

NOTICE

I will be here until Thursday and request all whom I have fitted with glasses, to call for inspection. Any others wishing examination are requested to call at once. 1-29-5t

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O. H. POEHLMANN, Municipal Clerk.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL STOCK-HOLDERS MEETING OF THE POST PUBLISHING CO.

Notice is hereby given for a special meeting of the stockholders of the Post Publishing company, a corporation at Seward, that a special meeting will be held in the office of the Post Publishing company on February 7th, for the purpose of selling the assets of the Post Publishing company paying off its liabilities with the proceeds and dissolving said corporation.

The calling of this meeting has been authorized by the board of directors under the bylaws of the corporation.

R. G. CHAMBERS, Sec.-Treas. Date of first pub., Jan. 24th.

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EMPRESS THEATER

THURS. FEB. 1. 8 P. M.

Empress presents the big Triangle feature tonight "MATRIMONY" in 4 parts and one of the best Keystone comedies of the year HIS FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS in 2 parts, featuring Ford Sterling. Films arriving on train.

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MAIL STEAMER SCHEDULE—West Bound

Steamer	Seattle	Juneau	Cordova	Valdez	Seward	Anchorage
	Sailed	Sailed	Sailed	Sailed	Sailed	Arrived
Farragut.....	Oct. 19	Oct. 22	Oct. 23	Oct. 24	Oct. 25	Oct. 26
Watson.....	Dec. 20	Dec. 25	Dec. 26	Dec. 27	Dec. 28	.....
Mariposa.....	Jan. 21	Jan. 23	Jan. 25	Jan. 26	Jan. 27	.....
Evans.....	Jan. 24	Jan. 28	.....	Feb. 1	.....	.....
Alaska.....	Jan. 26	Jan. 29	Jan. 31	.....	.....	.....
Northwestern.....	Feb. 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

MAIL STEAMER SCHEDULE—East Bound

Steamer	Anchorage	Seward	Valdez	Cordova	Juneau	Seattle
	Sailed	Sailed	Sailed	Sailed	Sailed	Arrived
Farragut.....	Oct. 28	Oct. 29	Oct. 30	Oct. 31	Nov. 1	Dec. 4
Northwestern.....	.....	Dec. 4	Dec. 5	Dec. 6	Dec. 9	Dec. 11
Watson.....	.....	Jan. 3	Jan. 4	Jan. 6	.....	.....
Spokane.....	.....	Jan. 12	Jan. 13	Jan. 14	Jan. 17	Jan. 20
Alameda.....	.....	Jan. 21	Jan. 22	Jan. 23	Jan. 26	Jan. 30
Mariposa.....	.....	Jan. 27	Jan. 28	Jan. 29	.....	.....