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AT THE THEATRES TONIGHT. Crystal—Advanced Vaudeville. Lyric—Renfrow's Stock Co.

BRIEF CITY NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sheppard and daughter, Iva, of Enid, Okla., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Winslow, living on the Sparta road. Mrs. Charles Start of 120 West Valley street, who has been sick for the past two weeks, is reported greatly improved. Mrs. L. C. Huff of Halle, Mo., was visiting friends in the south and yesterday. Leo Ball, 303 East Kansas avenue, who has been confined to his bed for the past two weeks with the grippe, is able to be out again.

LAST SCRIP IS IN. Banks Have Now Retired All Cashiers' Checks. The last of the clearing house certificates were retired by the banks yesterday. The withdrawal of these certificates was begun more than three weeks ago. Nothing but currency has been given out by the banks of St. Joseph for a period of considerable length.

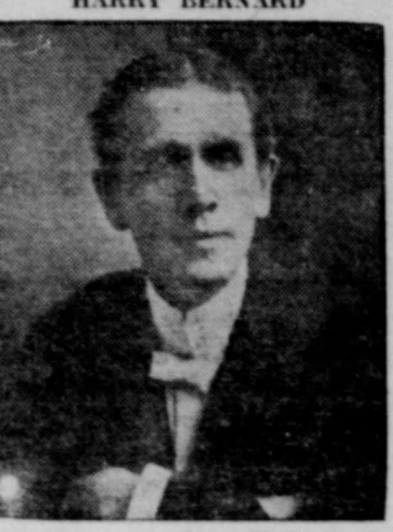
MORTUARY RECORD. Funeral of Justus Gregg. The funeral services of Justus Clark Gregg, the grain commission man who died suddenly Wednesday night, will be held at 8 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist church, Thirtieth and Francis streets. Interment will be in Mount Mora vault. The Rev. T. W. O'Keefe will officiate.

ARRANGE FOR FESTIVAL. The German-American National Alliance, an organization that has over two million members in the United States—17,000 in the state of Missouri—and over 1,200 active members in this city, will arrange for a big German-American national festival for January 18, next. The affair will take place at Turner hall and will be the biggest event ever undertaken by the present generation of German-Americans.

MONDELL HILL PASSED. Washington, Jan. 17.—Representative Mondell secured the passage in the House of his bill providing that second homestead entries may be made by persons who may from any cause have lost their prior entry, provided that the provisions of the act will not apply to persons whose former entries were cancelled for fraud, or relinquished for a valuable consideration. A similar bill has been reported from the senate public lands committee.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Lyric. The management of the Lyric Theatre has undoubtedly caught and held the attention of the entertainment offered, and the present bill, "Mother and Son," was not proven an exception. The play, with its alternating lights and shadows, was touched many who are not habitual patrons of the theatre.



HARRY BERNARD Who Appears as Lone Wolf, Apache Chief, in "A Texas Ranger" at the Lyric Next Week.

CARDS ON COOPS. New Method Adopted for Coming Chicken Show. A departure from the usual custom of indicating the prize winners has been decided upon by the management of the Interstate poultry show, which will be held in the new Patee market building for one week, beginning January 27.

ASSAULT ON KILL. Charge Against Brown, Civil War Veteran. With the exception of not having any beard and mustache, answering in every other way the description of the man alleged to have cut Patrick Sullivan, an aged laborer, Thursday afternoon, William Brown, 70 years old, a veteran of the Civil war, was arrested at Sixth and Montrose streets yesterday morning by patrolmen Hetherington and Shea.

COUNTY WILL CUT DEBT. Court to Pay Off Thirty Thousand Dollars During Year. Active steps are being taken by the county court to pay at least \$30,000 of the bonded indebtedness of the county during the current year.

ATTENDANCE ON INCREASE. Great Interest in Midwinter Show Arranged by Montana Wool Growers. Helena, Mont., Jan. 17.—An increased attendance marked the second day of the National Wool Growers' forty-fourth annual convention, many visitors from a distance arriving to take part in the sessions.

MEXICO WANTS OUR GRAIN. Grain merchants of Mexico have requested President Diaz to remove duty on corn and wheat from United States into Mexico. Mexican millers say Mexico will be badly in need of wheat this winter and spring. There will also be a good inquiry for corn, particularly white corn.

WOMAN RAISES MICE

MISS LATHROP FINDS RODENT FARM IS PROFITABLE. Supplies Medical Colleges and Universities with Animals for Experiment—Waltzing Mice Have Great Market Value.

Boston.—In the face of all tradition about woman's insane fear of a rat or mouse, Miss Abbie E. C. Lathrop, of Granby, Mass., is earning her living by managing a rat and mice farm. She says frankly she was born with a fear of the rodent tribe, but soon conquered it when she found there was money in them.

Miss Lathrop has at present more than 1,600 rats and mice of every variety, which she tenderly cares for and will put on the market as fast as they can be prepared. The stock is all carefully penned and, in spite of their gnawing abilities, it is rare that a rat or mouse escapes.

THOUGHT IT WAS A MARTIAN. Horsefly on a Stereopticon Plate Startles Jersey Audience. New Brunswick, N. J.—While Prof. Robert Prentiss, astronomer of Rutgers college, was lecturing on "Mars" in the Highland Park Reformed church the other night, there was a startling demonstration of the inhabitation of the planet.

It seems as if there would be no market for mice, but there is a good one. At first they went wholly to bird stores and fanciers to be sold again as pets. They also figured in window displays where, with training, they performed little tricks. Then there came a big demand for waltzing mice. Later a still more promising field opened up and is her best paying line, namely, supplying medical colleges with mice for experimentation.

WEST POINT SHORT ON CADETS. Col. Scott Says Poor Army Pay Diverts Men to Private Life. Washington.—The same story often told of late of the inadequacy of army pay is told with a new variation in the annual report of Col. Hugh L. Scott, superintendent of the military academy. In this case, for the first time in the history of the institution, difficulty has been experienced in securing a sufficient number of cadets to fill the ranks of the corps.

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AGED MAN A WEIGHT-LIFTER.

Fitzpatrick, a Modern Samson, Has Never Had His Hair Cut. Maple Falls, Wash.—The sporting young men of Maple Falls are trying to get up a match for strong men, and they want to back John Fitzpatrick, of this place, against all comers.

Fitzpatrick is 75 years of age and can handle a barrel of salt weighing 270 pounds with as much ease as he would if it were a kit of mackerel. He plays with a 150-pound weight, tossing it up and catching it, and can carry a good-sized man about with the ease of a woman carrying a baby.

Kansas Democrats Meet. Topeka, Kan., Jan. 17.—The democratic state central committee met here Thursday and selected Hutchison as the meeting place of the convention to elect national delegates.

Father Pays High for Caress and Wife Later Has Him Arrested. Pittsburgh, Pa.—Forty dollars a minute was the price paid by Frederick Leonard for the privilege of holding his own child in his arms, according to a statement he made in court.

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AMUSEMENTS.

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