

AMUSEMENTS

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Wed., Matinee and Night, Mar. 10 SEATS TO-DAY The De Koven Opera Company Presenting

ROBIN HOOD

Book By Harry B. Smith Music by Reginald DeKoven A Grand Ensemble of 50 AUGMENTED ORCHESTRA PRICES: Mat., 25c to \$1.00; Night, 25c to \$1.50.

Sat., Matinee and Night, March 13 The Society Event of the Season BOSTON ENGLISH OPERA COMPANY In the World's Favorite Opera

"Il Trovatore"

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"HIS ROMANY WIFE," 2 reel Biograph Drama.

"FROM A LIFE OF CRIME," Edison drama.

Special Thursday - Francis Bushman and Edna Mayo in "STARS THEIR COURSES CHANGE."

ACTIVITIES IN THE LEGISLATURE

TROUT SEASON IS TO BE CHANGED NOW!

Latest Fish Bill Would Extend It and Make Changes Regarding Other Fishes

A change of the trout season from April 14 to August 1 to a period extending from April 15 to August 31 is among the provisions in the bill to codify the fishing laws of the State prepared for introduction into the House last night by United Sportsmen officers. The bill is to be presented by Representative Hugh A. Dawson, of Scranton.

The bill is a voluminous affair and makes effective many of the present laws as well as strengthening them in several places. The authority of the commissioner for prevention of pollution of streams and to declare what are trout streams is retained.

One of the provisions in the bill punishes by a fine any person having in possession a trout beyond the legal limit and another which is designed to prevent fishermen throwing away small fish they have caught and then going on in the hope of landing larger ones. All caught must be retained.

The bass and pickerel season is to run from June 15 to December 31 and the limit of catch is unchanged, but ten inches is made the limit for keeping bass caught. At present bass under eight inches must be thrown back. Pickerel under twelve inches may not be kept.

The season for shad, alewife or herring is to extend from March 1 to June 20.

CONSERVATION ACT OUT FOR CRITICISMS

Governor Makes Public Outline of the Bill to Consolidate Four Departments

The outline of Governor Brumbaugh's proposed department of conservation to consolidate the game, fish and water supply commissions and the department of forestry, made public here last night for public suggestions, is one of the most interesting measures drafted. The chief feature is that it gives the commissioner of conservation absolute authority to appoint or dismiss any official, from deputy down, to fix their salaries and change them.

The bill, as the Governor said some time ago, will combine the activities of the branches of the government enumerated and create a department to have charge of undeveloped lands just as the Department of Agriculture has of the improved land. With approval of the act the four branches will be abolished and all powers transferred, specific mention being made of eleven provisions, while thirty-four laws are mentioned to be enforced as heretofore.

The Governor is to name the commissioner for four years, but the salary space is left blank for suggestions. The probable salary is that it will call for \$7,500. There are to be four bureaus to take over the detail work of the four branches of government, but the field forces are consolidated. The chief is also to be given authority to call upon state police.

In addition to provisions mentioned the department is to pay special attention to the development of an efficient forest fire fighting force and to take particular pains to conserve water supply, including water power for future use.

When the bill will be introduced is not known. There is some criticism of it by sportsmen's associations in the abstract, but they will make suggestions.

The proposed bill would rip out of office many prominent men who are members of commissions, including Dr. Charles B. Penrose, brother of the senator, John P. Wagner, the noted horticulturist, who is a fish commissioner; John Birkinbine, the noted engineer; S. B. Elliott, the forestry authority, and many others. The departments affected have 294 attaches with a payroll of \$317,210. Under the terms of the act all projects under way would be continued.

FIREMEN WILL PARADE

Shippensburg, Pa., March 8.—The tubermace was well filled last evening. A meeting was held for boys and girls on Saturday. Mrs. Johnson spoke and a rehearsal for the booster choir took place. To-morrow evening the firemen will parade to the tabernacle.

PASTOR RETURNED TO CHURCH

Anville, Pa., March 8.—The Rev. A. A. Koch, pastor of Zion's United Brethren church, Anville, who has returned from the annual conference held at Bethlehem last week, will serve his church as its pastor for the coming year.

CHILD LABOR BILL AND THE GOVERNOR

Chief Executive Issues a Statement in Which He Gives Reasons For Supporting It

Governor Brumbaugh considers the Cox child labor bill, which was drafted under his personal direction as the most advanced legislation on the subject the State has had and strongly recommends its passage in a statement made public yesterday. In his statement the Governor reiterates what he said in his inaugural address and backs it up.

The statement is as follows: "It was specifically set forth in the party platform in the addresses of the candidates that the present Legislature should enact as fair, just and advanced a child labor law as any Commonwealth could reasonably enact. I take this pledge as a command. I believe absolutely that it is one's duty in office to do exactly what he promised to do when a candidate. I hold that it is decent and fair to be frankly honest and let the people know exactly what the Administration thinks and does."

"In my inaugural I said no child under 16 should work in Pennsylvania. He should be in school I stand squarely by that now. Had I my way I would gladly support such a measure. I shall soon see a day in which we shall be ashamed of a law that permits a child under 16 to work for wages and to lose the inestimable blessings and benefit of an education adequate to his needs."

"If, however, the Legislature will not rise to this plan of service to childhood at this session I submit, in the next place and as a distinct advance over any existing law, the Cox bill, which provides that children under 16 and to lose the inestimable blessings and benefit of an education adequate to his needs."

"It is likewise wholly advantageous to the employer, since it apportioned to him dependable and reliable activity of great skill. It is also to the interest of the State, since it fits our young people in a thoroughly practical way to establish definite wage earning relations, found a home, rear a family and become a very desirable and valuable member of the State's citizenry."

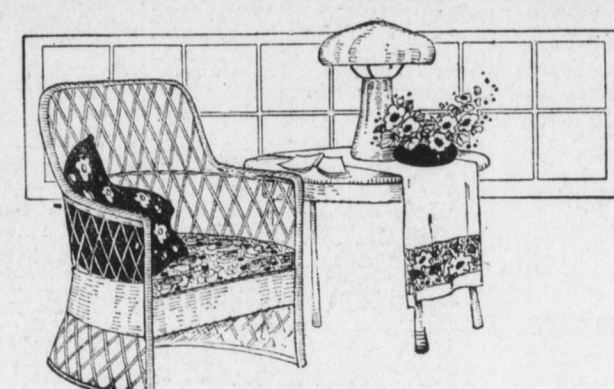
"The Phillips bill provides a forty-eight-hour week for boys and girls. In all other respects it is essentially the same as the Cox bill. The Phillips bill represents the most advanced thought of the child labor societies and the best procedure of other states in this connection. If the people want a sudden termination of school life and an equally sudden beginning of the struggle for bread, they should be enacted into law. It is with education that we must begin. But we must go further and make education one of the permanent concerns of every citizen."

"I ask all fair-minded citizens, all lovers of the State, all friends of children, to consider these measures of child labor interests must not weigh against the child and the State. We are all securely pledged to an advanced and humane child labor law. I want this great State to be the first to teach the world how to solve for industry and for childhood this problem. It is our duty to meet it and act promptly upon it."

State Charters Put Out in Large Numbers

State charters has been issued at the following places: American Fuse Co., Beaver; capital \$50,000. Joseph S. Miller, inc., theater, Philadelphia; capital, \$5,000. Circle Market Co., Easton; capital, \$5,000. Apollo Land Co., Pittsburgh; capital, \$5,000. Saccharach Industrial Instrument Co., Pittsburgh; capital, \$20,000. Brockton Shoe Co., Philadelphia; capital \$20,000. Natural Gasoline Co., Tidoute; capital, \$50,000. Oppenheimer Bros., inc., belts, etc., Philadelphia; capital, \$15,000. Ridley Park Garage, Ridley Park; capital, \$5,000. Schuer & Co., inc., meats, etc., Easton; capital, \$20,000. The Majestic Co., theaters, Wilkes-Barre; capital \$6,000. Scrantonian Publishing Co., Scranton; capital, \$125,000. State Construction Co., New Kensington; capital, \$100,000. Transfiguration Building and Loan Association, Philadelphia; capital, \$1,000,000. Youghiogheny Coal and Coke Co., Dawson; capital, \$30,000. Watt & Shand, merchandise, Lancaster; capital, \$5,000. Pittsburgh Real Estate and Mortgage Co., Pittsburgh; capital, \$100,000. E. K. Schultz & Co., insurance, Philadelphia; capital, \$15,000. Fowle Building and Loan Association, Philadelphia; capital, \$1,000,000. Fairview Mining Co., Pittsburgh; capital, \$25,000. Fowle Lumber Co., Mars; capital, \$25,000. Mt. Pocono Hospital and Sanatorium Co., Mt. Pocono; capital, \$20,000. The Kin Filled Stein and Varnish Co., Williamsport; capital, \$5,000. Harmonburg Mercantile Co., Harmonburg; capital, \$20,000. Haddock Mining Co., Haddock Coal Salt Co., Wilkes-Barre; capital of each, \$5,000.

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The First Complete Showing of Draperies for Spring

The new showing of draperies is full of vital interest to the woman who is on the lookout for an opportunity to brighten her home. The suggestions for window and doorway drapings in the new figured chintz patterns show treatments that are rich in effect and yet moderate in cost.

- Fancy Scrim, in solid cream, ceru and white with flat border in fancy design, 24 inches wide; yard 25c, 29c to 39c. Printed Etamine in a weave carrying a solid center and colored border, with hemstitched edge; yard 25c. Scrim and Cretonne Combinations in rich tones of blue, pink, maize and lavender; yard 50c.

New Dress Cottons Sound the Note of Spring in Wool Dress Goods Section

Many new arrivals make their first bid for your favor to-morrow. Beautiful qualities with dainty printings feature the new Spring Dress Cottons, and the best of these new goods are shown here first. Many exclusive novelties, too.

- French Voile in shadow floral designs, two-tone floral patterns, black and white scroll figures and many other new printings, 40 inches wide; yard, 60c. Lace Cloth—white ground in allover and lace stripe effects with colored floral designs in rosebud and large cluster floral effects, 38 inches wide; yard, 35c. Dresden Silk—a new silk and cotton fabric in white and tinted shades of maize, light blue, Nile, pink, helio and patty with colored floral printings, 36 inches; yard 50c. Embroidered Voile, white ground with neat embroidered silk figure in good range of colors, 38 inches wide; yard 59c and 79c.

Women's \$1.50 and \$2.00 Silk and Wool Union Suits, \$1.39

These are medium weight union suits in high neck with long sleeves and Dutch neck with elbow sleeves. This is a special lot of regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 white silk and wool union suits from regular stock at \$1.39.

- Women's white cotton ribbed vests with high neck and long sleeves, ankle drawers, each 39c. Women's white cotton ribbed union suits, medium weight, high neck and long sleeves 1.00. WOMEN'S HOSIERY. Black silk lisle seamless hose 25c.



High Back Rockers Specially Priced: \$3.95. An attractive furniture special for tomorrow is pictured here—a high back polished rocker in mahogany finish, upholstered spring seat. On sale tomorrow at \$3.95. Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart—Third Floor.

Rubbers for the Whole Family

Specially priced rubbers for men, women and children will be an attraction for to-morrow in the shoe section on the street floor. Men's 75c rubbers, in sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Special 50c. Women's 50c rubbers; medium weight, all sizes. Special 39c. Women's 70c rubbers, in storm style with low or high heels. Special 45c. Children's 55c rubbers, in storm style, sizes 6 to 9 1/2. Special 39c. Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor, Rear.

SEE THE GREAT NEW SERIAL RUNAWAY JUNE by George Randolph Chester in Motion Pictures Fifth Episode Today at ROYAL THEATER Third Street, above Cumberland

VICTORIA TO-DAY SIXTH EPISODE Runaway June See FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN Tomorrow In 'The Accounting' 'THE ACCOUNTING,' the sixth Esanany complete prize mystery play produced in conjunction with the Ladies' World, is a thrilling drama of love and international intrigue in which secret service officials of two nations fight a desperate battle for supremacy. Admission, 10c Children, 5c

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A CHILD DOESN'T LAUGH AND PLAY IF CONSTIPATED If peevish, feverish and sick, give 'California Syrup of Figs' Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once. When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, that sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given. Nothing equals 'California Syrup of Figs' for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious 'fruit laxative,' and it never fails to effect a good 'inside' cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle. Keep it handy in your home. A little given to-day saves a sick child to-morrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of 'California Syrup of Figs,' then look and see that it is made by the 'California Fig Syrup Company.'—Advertisement.

LUCY MARSH SOPRANO Tech High School March 18th Benefit Bethlehem Lutheran Church. Seats on Sale Thursday, March 4th at the J. H. Troup Music House 15 S. Market Sq. Prices \$1 and \$1.50.

Round's Specialty Co. Tech High School Auditorium WEDNESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 10, 1915 SEAT SALE OPENS TO-DAY 9:30 A. M. General admission, 25c. Reserved seats, 50c and 75c extra. Under the auspices of John Hartz Lodge, No. 193, K. of P. 'Quick Relief' Fund.

BIG BILLS DUE TO SHOW UP SPEEDILY Legislature Has Long Calendars to Handle at the Opening of the Eighth Week The bills for the 'big legislation' of the session of 1915 are due to make their appearance at the Capitol this week and some may be introduced into the sessions to-night. Governor Brumbaugh and Attorney General Brown will have some conferences on the workmen's compensation act and to-morrow night the Republican platform committee will meet with the Governor. It is expected that the proposed amendments to the election laws will appear soon. There are big calendars for each branch of the Legislature to-night.

The Senate has sixteen bills on third reading, nine on second, including the amendments to the Philadelphia port laws, and thirteen on first reading, including the woman suffrage constitutional amendment, uniform code storage bill, measure prohibiting un-naturalized foreigners from fishing in streams of the State and creating a third judgeship in Dauphin county. In the House forty bills are on the calendar. On third reading there is the general repealer of obsolete, invalid and other laws which have been superseded or declared unconstitutional, bills to establish pension funds in first and second class cities, for civil service in police, fire and electrical departments in third class cities and the Philadelphia housing code repealer. The Spangler bill, fixing salaries for county officials in counties having under 150,000 population, is on first reading. On second reading are twenty-eight bills, including the early closing bill for liquor selling places, juvenile court and Allegheny county court amendments, requiring all public printing to be done within the State, requiring newspaper to file advertising rates before taking state advertising contracts and making third class city treasurer elective by the people. Tuesday several committees will give hearings, including that in charge of the optometry bills in the House. The House appropriations committee will continue inspections and will start work on the preparation of the general appropriation bill. BURIED AT DAUPHIN Dauphin, Pa., March 8.—Mrs. W. Kinter has received word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Missel, of Harrisburg. Mrs. Missel, who was a former resident of Dauphin, will be buried in the Dauphin cemetery, on Tuesday. Mrs. Missel, who died from acute indigestion, survived by two daughters, Miss Charles Wilt, with whom she resided, Mrs. John Pein, of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Eugene, of McKeesport. CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. F. Stearns