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### BLAME FIRES TO MERE BOY

Baker City, Nov. 23.—Following the burning of the Standard Oil company's property in this city early yesterday morning, which caused a loss of about \$500, a Pinkerton detective, who has been in the city's employ for several weeks endeavoring to run down the incendiary, arrested Ormond Anthony, aged 15 years, charging him with having set fire to a number of buildings that were recently destroyed by fire in this city.

Ormond was found at home in bed, and the story that he was caught in the act of firing the Standard Oil company's property is not true. But the secret service man has stated that he has sufficient evidence from Ormond to connect him with the recent fires in such a way that there is little doubt as to his guilt. This, however, remains to be proved, as every person is supposed to be innocent until he is proved guilty.

If Ormond is the incendiary who has been applying the torch to property here it is a surprise to all of his friends, for he comes from a very good family and the boy has always borne a fair reputation, according to those who know him.

This afternoon the boy is undergoing a rigid examination by City Attorney Hyde, and while there has been nothing given out as to evidence, it is believed before 24 hours the authorities will either be convinced that Ormond is innocent or guilty, after which prosecution or dismissal will follow.

### "WHY GIRLS LEAVE HOME"

The story of "Why Girls Leave Home," which will be the attraction at the Sheward on Wednesday, December 2, is said to be one of the unusual dramatic plays of great intensity. The story is that of a young and beautiful girl whose character is misunderstood by her elder brother, who seeks to



YOU LOVE CANDY BETTER At the Sheward December 2.

drive instead of coaxing her and she is induced to believe that there is more in a "Bohemian" life than in the quiet life of her home. She is saved from the evils of that kind of a

life by good friends and a constant lover, and all ends happily with virtue triumphant and villain exposed and punished. E. J. Carpenter has spared no expense in staging the play; the scenic investiture being very elaborate, while the members of the company are people especially suited to the characters they portray.

### WANT MEN AT VALE MEETING

The Oregon-Idaho Development congress, which meets at Vale, Ore., on December 17, 18 and 19, issues an urgent invitation to the La Grande Commercial club to send a big delegation. This will be one of the few big development meetings that are slated for eastern Oregon. Interesting facts in connection with the congress are set forth in the following letter from the Vale Commercial club:

"The third meeting of the Oregon-Idaho Development congress will be held in Vale, Ore., Thursday, Friday, Saturday, December 17, 18, 19. It is imperative that every section of Oregon and Idaho be present with a good strong representative delegation, and your club is requested to send 15 members to this meeting. Every one interested in the development of the northwest is invited to be present at this meeting and help in its deliberations. The program has not yet been fully outlined, but your club will be apprised of its nature at an early date. Please forward us a list of the delegates chosen from your club, together with addresses. Subjects to be discussed and acted upon at the meeting will be of such a nature as to state aid for railroad building and public highways, better roads, the opening of U. S. lands, the Coos Bay harbor, cheaper markets and transportation, irrigation, closer unity between Oregon and Idaho, the needs of each state, and such other subjects as may suggest themselves to the program committee.

A five-minute talk will be given by one member from each delegation, upon the greatest need of his section, and how best to bring about the desired results. You will please designate your representative on this part of the program, and notify us early who is selected and what subject he will discuss.

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### Thanksgiving Services.

Two union meetings will be held on Thanksgiving day, the Baptist, Central, Presbyterian, Methodist and Methodist South churches participating. A meeting for prayer and praise will be led by C. E. Deal in the M. E. church South, on North Fir street, at 10:30 a. m. This service will close at 11:30 allowing people to get home for the noonday meal. The morning meeting is always a very happy one and should

attract many. In the evening S. B. Taylor will deliver the Thanksgiving sermon in the Baptist church. Other ministers will participate and music will be in charge of Chorister Greene. At each service an offering for local benevolences will be taken and turned to the Pastor's Union.

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