

THE ISIS

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

A Daring Confusion—Essanay.
Comrade Truman's War Story—Kalem.
Another Johnson—Essanay.
Reconciliation of Foes—Fathé
Song—Foxy Moon.

Beautiful dishes given to lady patrons of the matinee. See display in lobby.

ADMISSION 10c

LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Maggie Coleman is a Joseph visitor this week.

J. M. Ganse of Ogden, Utah, is a Foley hotel guest today.

Lillian Harget of Holdman is registered at the Sommer today.

Anna E. Bourne of Wheeling, W. Va., is staying at the Foley today.

William Allinston is selling La Grande flour in Baker City today.

C. G. Holts, the brickmaker at Joseph, went out to Wallowa today on business matters.

Mrs. Mabel Counsel Grandy of Ladd Canyon was in the city this morning visiting with friends.

Mrs. W. J. Roup and daughter of Joseph, were in the city this morning transacting business matters.

W. W. Brook, secretary of the Eastern Oregon Blue Rock Association, is here this afternoon from Alice.

Ransom J. Skillings and Amos B. Skillings of Wallowa made final home-stand proof at the land office today.

F. Cary, W. W. Slorah and H. Caldwell, all of Portland, are Sommer hotel guests while in La Grande today.

Chief of Police Walden arrived home this afternoon from a short visit with the fishing streams of Wallowa county.

James Wagner of Pendleton, who has been visiting at the Childers camp at Joseph, is in the city this afternoon on his way home.

The little 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jordan of Enterprise, who was operated upon here a few days ago for appendicitis, was taken back to Enterprise this morning.

Engineer Walter Parker of this city, and his brother L. S. Parker, who is chief clerk in the master mechanic's office at Portland, went to Joseph this morning, where they will spend a few days camping.

FARMERS' BUSINESS

WE GIVE PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE BUSINESS FARMERS. WE COR-
DIALY INVITE THEM TO MAKE THIS THEIR BANKING HOME.

The United States
National Bank,
LA GRANDE, OREGON.

Cecil (Buster) Brown left this morning for Portland, accompanied by his wife, from where they will leave for Chicago to spend an indefinite period. Mr. Brown will enter a school in Chicago to complete his course in window trimming and sign writing and they expect to be gone several months.

PRUNES REAL FOOD.

Homely Prune Coming to be a Staple Food Stuff.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 11.—Ledged editorials and long articles in New York newspapers declaring that the residents of Gotham have long since discarded the homely prune as an item of food, will be discredited hereafter by readers in the Pacific Northwest. The reason is embodied in the following report from Walla Walla, Wash., to the statistical department of the Spokane chamber of commerce.

"S. Goebel & Day, fruit buyers of New York have contracted for 100 cars of Italian prunes from the Blalock orchards. This is about 1,500 tons and the price is close to \$30 a ton, f. o. b. Pickers will begin work on this order in a few days.

Picking is under way on other orders. The first 17 trees averaged 400 pounds. They are of the Columbia variety, sold at three cents a pound, or about \$18 a tree. As 100 trees are planted to the acre this price means a yield of \$1,800 an acre. If the average holds out."

Some one with a taste for statistics has figured out there will be about 75,000,000 prunes in the New York consignment and that if they were placed end to end there would be a path of prunes to girdle the globe not less than four times.

REMODELED HIS OFFICES

Dr. Richardson Makes Interior More Convenient.

The remodeling of Dr. Richardson's offices to the extent of cutting an arch between the two reception rooms throwing them together, has been completed and the doctor is now awaiting the arrival of new electrical apparatus before making a final rearrangement. The room formerly used as an operating room will be used for electrical apparatus and his operating room will be alongside of it. The reception rooms as now arranged make the office very convenient.

Starts Oxford Hotel.

The old Harris hall east of the railroad track, has been put through a course of remodeling and E. C. Tuckey the architect, yesterday completed the work of converting the hall into what will be known as the Oxford hotel.

CAN ATTEND AS DELEGATE

Mayor Meyers Will Ordain Anyone Wishing to Attend Irrigation Meet.

Anyone interested in Irrigation and anxious to attend the Eighteenth National Irrigation Congress at Pueblo, Colorado, September 26-30, can be given proper credentials by Mayor F. L. Meyers. The Congress management has sent a letter to Mayor Meyers, part of which is here appended:

"Appointment of delegates should be made as early as possible to facilitate the organization of delegations, and notices of appointment with full name, occupation and postoffice address of each delegate, should be forwarded to the secretary of the National Irrigation Congress at Pueblo.

"The program will include addresses and papers by: Experts in Irrigation and Forestry, including public officials and eminent citizens; foreign delegates; governors of states and territories; senators and representatives in federal congress; statesmen and scientists; industrial and financial leaders; promoters of Cary Act Reclamation projects; officials of private irrigation enterprises.

"During the time of congress an Information Bureau will be conveniently located for the benefit and accommodation of delegates and visitors and every endeavor will be made to give them the best attention and accommodation.

"Information relative to the Eighteenth National Irrigation Congress programs, rates, hotels and other data will be furnished upon request from the office of the Secretary of the National Irrigation Congress, 339 Central Block, Pueblo, Colorado.

To Wed Mine Owner.

Boston, Aug. 11.—Miss Annie Martin, a pretty telephone girl in Lynn, will go to Alaska this morning marry Fred H. Story, a wealthy owner of that territory.

Will Universal Peace
Among Nations
Ever Be Realized?

The recent announcement that preparations have been begun already for a celebration in 1914 of the centennial of the treaty of Ghent, marking a hundred years of peace between Great Britain and America, makes the thoughtful consider if peace, universal and lasting, will ever be established among nations.

By JACOB COULD SCHURMAN, President of Cornell University.

THE WAGE EARNERS tend more and more to become the ADVOCATES OF PEACE, for wars disorganize industry, increase the ranks of the unemployed and raise tremendously the cost of living.

Citizens who have some property accumulated manage to pull through without great suffering. But the suffering of those whose livelihood DEPENDS UPON THEIR DAILY WAGE cannot be depicted or even imagined.

By Senator ELIHU ROOT of New York.

THE expense of building and maintaining fighting ships has become so large that all the great powers have concentrated their expenditures on purely military fleets for the control of the sea.

It seems probable that the practical IMMUNITY OF PRIVATE PROPERTY is not far off since the control of the sea is the vitally important object to which all other considerations must be sacrificed. War MUST CONTINUE.

By Professor GEORGE W. KIRCHWEY of Columbia University.

THIS world is filled with the clangor of INCREASING ARMAMENT, the most Christian and civilized nations vie with one another in building new and more monstrous battleships and in reorganizing their military establishments, and all in the sacred name of PEACE.

Under these circumstances you may well ask, Can any one but a dreamer speak of universal peace as anything but an IRIDESCENT DREAM?

Daddy's Bedtime
Story—The Eel and the Snake

Got Him to Take It to the House to Be Cooked

"EVELYN, did you ever see an eel?" inquired daddy as she and Jack came running up for the usual story at bedtime.

"No, but Bridget told me about 'em, and we're going to have 'em for breakfast some time," replied Evelyn. "She said they were good to eat."

"I saw one in the brook at Uncle Samuel's once," said Jack. "He was very thin and shiny."

"Well, this story is going to be about an eel and a snake. Of course you've both seen snakes, and I suppose Jack will be bragging of killing them one of these days. You know there are snakes of some varieties that are fond of the water, and it's rather hard to tell this sort of snake from an eel. When I was about ten years old and my brothers and I used to go swimming in that creek behind your Uncle Samuel's house we often caught eels, and I liked them first rate when they were cooked and seasoned well. Sometimes we'd skin them and fry them on a fire we'd build down by the creek, where we had a little hut, and then they tasted twice as good as when they were prepared at home."

"One summer a distant city cousin named Ben was visiting us, and when he went swimming or fishing or anything we often fooled him on things he was green about because he bragged so much and thought he was so much better than we, being a city boy. He seemed to think we didn't know anything at all. One day in swimming we boys saw something wriggling along in the water which we all thought was an eel at first. We caught it, and it proved to be a snake, but we didn't let on to Ben. We let him think it was an eel and fine eating, and he was eager to try how it tasted. We skinned it and got him to take it to the house to be cooked for his dinner. We had a servant who didn't know the difference. She put the snake in the frying pan and cooked it brown and served it with butter and pepper and salt all done to a turn. We boys were just choking with laughter all the time, but of course we never meant Ben should eat any of it. When he was just going to take a bite we told him it was a snake. You should have seen how pale he turned and how angry he got. Maybe it was a little mean, but I don't think we'd have done it if he hadn't been so smart. So when you go to the country don't put on any city airs or your friends in the country may get even by playing tricks on you."

"And when you're tempted to think you know more than farmers' boys or girls because you've lived in a bigger place just remember about the snake and the eel."

Humor and
Philosophy

By DUNCAN H. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

IF you want to see the bad points of your boon companions just contemplate them an hour or so the morning after.

Seeing it is so hard to please oneself, there is no wonder that it is hard to please other people.

There are some people who take light exercise regularly three times a day—at the dining room table.

The amount of feathers and fur-belows that the modern maid finds necessary to her happiness is enough to give Cupid nervous prostration.

The top must be a hoodoo or else why is there always room advertised there?

Kind words can never die, but a swift jolt does its work in fine fashion and takes its departure.



The Judge is generally the person that referees the matrimonial squabble in the divorce court.

It may not be altogether the fault of the pancakes—maybe your temper and digestion are needing adjustment.

Judging from the sensational cases in court, the sooner letter writing becomes a lost art the better it will be for the general moral tone of society.

Mistake in Makeup.

The Observer's telegraphic stories were slightly disarranged last evening. The wrong head was placed on the wrong article—an incident that occurs with the best of us—but not often.

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Sale

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Joseph, Oregon

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