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LA GRANDE, OREGON

SEVENTH

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The Isis THEATRE

"They say it's good; we'll see."

"The Traitor" Eclipse
A thrilling drama of the old smuggling days, showing how swift retribution overtakes the betrayer. Magnificent marine scenery.

"The Welcome of the Unwelcome" Vitagraph
This is a beautiful Vitagraph love story. It's a Vitagraph and you expect it to be good. You will not be disappointed.

"One of Nature's Noblemen" Selig
A great big western picture. Most realistic Indian fighting. Nothing exaggerated. A very clever reproduction.

Illustrated song — "The Same Old Dream," Sung by Miss Garrick.

Henderson Clarke of South La Grande is enjoying a visit from his brother, John Clarke and brother-in-law, Jim McFarland of Overbrook, Kansas. They will remain here for some time looking at the country.

Miss Vera Ballance, of Lincoln, Nebraska, who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. J. H. Aikens and cousin, Mrs. W. B. Sargent, left today for Seattle where she will attend the Golden Potlatch and visit friends for a time. She will return to La Grande before going on to her home.

W. F. Brock, manager of the recent Observer contest, is in the city today on his way to Rondona to inspect the realty properties there. Mr. Brock will take the Indian trail across the Blue mountains from the Looking Glass to Walla Walla when he completes business matters in this and Wallawa counties.

Rev. Dr. George G. Haley, after making an official visit of inspection over different portions of the valley yesterday, and attending a meeting at Island City last night, went on to North Powder this morning. He will be here no more until after the conference session which meets at Caldwell next month.

Just one month and two days from the day on which he was thought to have been fatally stabbed by Nick Andreola in a riot at the Martin Anderson saloon, Mike Moran today went back to his work as section foreman at Cayuse, entirely recovered from his wound. His strong constitution stood him in good stead and enabled him to survive the shock.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

Break Ground for Exposition.
San Diego, Cal., July 19.—Ground was broken for the Panama-California exposition early this afternoon, and that important event in San Diego's history was celebrated with unusually elaborate ceremonies in Balboa park. The ceremonies began when a telegraphic signal was flashed across the continent by President Taft. Earlier in the day there were religious services in the park, with the celebration of pontifical high mass by Bishop Conaty. The celebration is planned to continue through the remainder of the week and will include floral pageants, water sports and an industrial and civic parade.

King Lays Corner Stone.
Edinburgh, July 19.—The leading feature of this, the third day of the royal visit to Edinburgh, was the attendance of the king and queen this afternoon at the laying of the corner stone for Usher hall, an institution to be built from a donation by the late Andrew Usher, the noted distiller, and which is to be utilized chiefly to promote the cultivation of music. This morning the king attended historic St. Giles' cathedral and officiated at the dedication of the chapel of the Thistle.

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GYPSY FAMILY JAILED HERE

LATER RELEASED TO BE SENT OUT OF TOWN.

Score of Dirty Children Bomp About Corridors in Glee.

A score of dirty ragged children, offspring of a wandering gypsy and his concubine, played and jabbered in the city jail corridors most of last night and this morning following the arrest of the parents for telling fortunes without a license. As an example of lower planes of humanity the family stands alone; the father, a husky fellow too lazy to work and content to live on the earnings of his wife's adaptability to tell fortunes, led his tribe about the city yesterday afternoon after their return from Elgin, soliciting victims who wanted their fortunes told. They soon landed in the jail and the corridors provided a splendid playground for the tots, who ranged in years from about one to 12 and filthy and dirty as they were, happiness and physical perfection was written in no misleading lines under the layer of sunburn and what has once been soil. The troupe had no money and rather than feed them at the city's expense Chief of Police Walden showed them the way eastward this morning.

CROOKED RIVER ADJUDICATED.

August 7th Set as Inspection Day for Correction of Water Rights.

August 7th has been set by Water Commissioner George T. Cochran as the day of inspection of water rights on Crooked river in Malheur county. Mr. Cochran has just recently adjudicated rights in other streams of that county, the first time since the new law became operative that the water users of Malheur county have been accorded this right. The Crooked river water users are many and the inspection day will be of great importance to that district.

Children Face Charge Laughingly.

Grand Junction, Colo., July 19.—Laughing and joking about their arrest on direct charges of having murdered Clark A. Wolfskill, a rancher, the four children held here refuse to take the matter seriously. Lee Baker, aged 15, one of the four prisoners, declared nonchalantly today, "They can't do more than send me to the penitentiary for life anyway."

The other three held, Gladys Thompson, 17; Lillian Osborne, 14 and Virgil Watson, 17, all refuse to tell what they know about the murder, saying that they simply searched the body for money when they found him dead.

DENYS "DICK" EPISTLE.

New York, July 19.—Denying that he ever wrote or even heard of the famed "Dick to Dick" letter, Richard S. Ryan, claimant to lands at Controller bay, Alaska, started for Washington today to testify before the committee of investigation in the Alaskan matters. Ryan denied that he represents the Guggenheim syndicate and declared he never used the name of Charles H. Taft in writing to Secretary Ballinger.

MURDERESS HAS FRIENDS

WILL ESCAPE DEATH PENALTY

Thousands Exert Efforts to in the Woman's Behalf.

Ottawa, Ont., July 19.—As the day approaches which has been set for the execution of Mrs. Angelina Neapolitano, sentenced to the gallows for the murder of her husband, in April last, the department of justice is becoming fairly overwhelmed with petitions from all parts of Canada and the United States, strongly pleading for the commutation of the death sentence in the case of this Italian woman. Probably no case in the criminal history of the country has aroused such general sympathy among all classes of the population in several countries. The fact that the victim of the murder, the wo-

man's husband, was a worthless brute, who, as was shown in the trial, had attempted to force his wife into a life of dishonor to obtain money for paying for his house, had undoubtedly something to do with the sympathetic efforts to save the condemned woman's life, but the circumstance which appealed to human sentiment everywhere most powerfully was undoubtedly that Mrs. Neapolitano in her prison cell is awaiting the birth of her fourth child, whose arrival is due a short time before her execution in the early part of August.

Thousands of individual appeals and bulky petitions bearing from hundreds to many thousand signatures are arriving here constantly and how strong the feeling of sympathy is in this case may be adduced from the fact that several men and women in various parts of the United States have even offered their own lives for that of Mrs. Neapolitano, should justice demand a human life in explanation of the crime.

The countless petitions and appeals will all be carefully considered, and although no recommendation to the governor general has yet been made, it is generally believed that after the birth of the prisoner's child her sentence will be commuted.

Angelina Neapolitano, who is spending her days in prison praying or making tiny garments for the expected baby, is 28 years of age and was born in Italy. She was quite young when she married Neapolitano, an Italian laborer at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., with whom she had three children. As it appeared from the testimony in the trial, Neapolitano was a man of brutal nature and dissolute character. He was addicted to drink and frequently out of employment on that account. During the early years of their marriage Neapolitano had purchased a small house, paying for it in monthly installments. When he lost his job on account of his drunkenness, and found himself unable to make his payments for the house, he tried, it was alleged by witnesses, to force his wife into a life of dishonor, in the hope of thus raising funds.

Angelina refused to barter her honor for money and her husband, furious over her refusal, frequently mistreated her, although she was expecting to become a mother. The crisis came in April of this year, when after a prolonged spree Neapolitano again approached his wife with his shameless and inhuman proposition. Again she refused and this so infuriated him that he threatened to kill her. Crazed by the brutality of her husband Angelina took her husband's life, braining him with an axe while he was in bed asleep.

She made no effort to escape. She surrendered to the police, was indicted and after a trial before Justice

Headliner at the Arcade Theatre

"The Panama Canal in 1911"

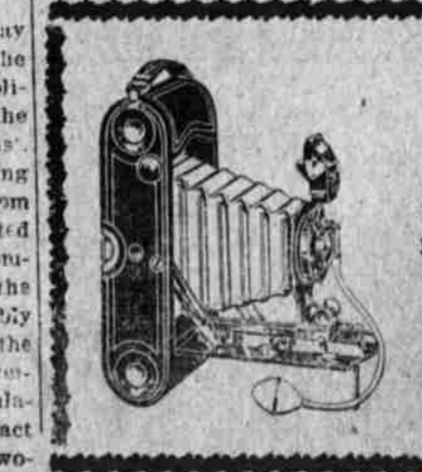
A year ago the Selig company released the picture

"ACROSS THE ISTHMUS"

showing the workings of the canal, which was shown at the Star theatre. Some three months later we run it again at the request of a number of people. Today and tomorrow we have the new release by the Edison company.

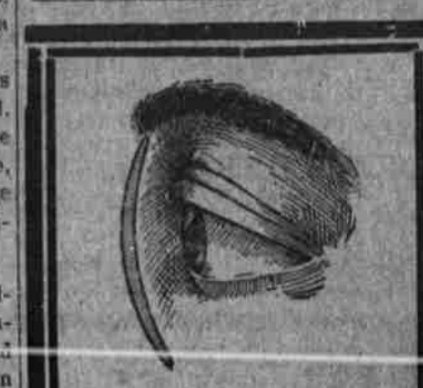
'THE PANAMA CANAL in 1911'

This pictures shows the wonderful strides that have been made in this work in one short year, and is of much interest to every American citizen. Do not fail to see it.



Britton, was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged, but in view of the fact that the prisoner was in a delicate condition the judge fixed the day of her execution for the early part of August, some time after the day of her expected confinement.

When the American newspapers published the story of the crime and later of the trial and sentence, the case aroused unusual interest and sympathy among people of all classes throughout the country. Prominent men and women, entire villages, societies and civic organizations began to send in appeals to the department of justice in this city, asking for the commutation of the death sentence in the case of Mrs. Neapolitano. Many letters were sent direct to Lord Grey, governor general of Canada and similar appeals were sent to Queen Mary of England and to the Queen of Italy.



WATCH THE EYES

If they ache after steady use for some time; if you have headaches that you cannot explain—come in and have me make

An Examination
If you are putting off getting glasses when you need them, you are adding injury every day, to your eyes. You are adding also to your discomfort and ultimate expenses. However, if you do not need glasses, I will frankly tell you so, and an

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You can save money if you trade with us. Let us show you. Ask for our Price List. The quality of our goods is second to none.

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LOCALS

DR. A. C. POSEY, Specialist for Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat diseases. Eyes fitted with glasses. Over Selder's store

Lawn Social.

There will be a lawn social at the residence of Mrs. F. Newlin, 810 Main avenue, on Thursday evening, July 20, 1911, proceed in aid of the Catholic church building fund. For that warm feeling try our ice cream home made sherbet and cake.

Don't forget the time and place. MRS. F. NEWLIN, MISS MARGARET NEWLIN, MRS. C. P. NEWLIN, MRS. F. L. MEYERS.

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For Royal Ann and Pie Cherries go to Bailey's, North Ash street.

More sherbet today at Silverthorn's fountain—try it.

Don't forget the social given by the ladies of the Catholic church Thursday evening. The church ladies are trying to swell the church fund and will see that all guests are given liberal and cordial receptions.

It is hot—go right straight to Silverthorn's and get a sherbet.

Thursday evening is the day of the church social to increase the new Catholic church fund. See other notices in this issue for particulars.

If your appetite is weak, try those sustaining egg drinks at Silverthorn's fountain. They are all right.

FOR SALE—200 White Leghorn single comb pullets. Hatched in March and April. Inquire A. J. Bishop, 2805 North Fir street. 7-19-22-24

Department Called Out.

A grass field fire under the old cemetery hill gave the fire ladders a quick run at noon today. It was soon extinguished.

Sprains need careful treatment. Keep quiet and apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely. It will remove the soreness and quickly restore the parts to a healthy condition. For sale by all dealers.

PERSONALS.

N. A. Lockwood of Logan, Utah, is a Foley guest today.

Mrs. Roger Deal, of South La Grande, is in Baker today visiting Miss Susie Deal of that city.

Rev. Roy D. Ousterhout, Missionary for Sunday schools for the Methodist church, went to Elgin this morning.

Dr. Gillilan delivered an address at Island City last evening on the subject of "The Blue Laws of Connecticut."

Ed. Kiddle, the Island City miller, took No. 5 this morning for a hurried business trip to San Francisco.

Miss Bessie Brown, one of the high school girls went to Spokane last evening for the summer vacation.

C. S. Brady of Enterprise, Earl J. McWhirter of Boise and Harry Spauling of Seattle are Savoy guests today.

John A. Ketchum is here from Boise transacting business and is stopping at the Foley.

Bert McMurren of Los Angeles is a guest at the Foley this morning while transacting business in La Grande.

S. Burnett of Denver is at the Savoy today while looking after business matters in La Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. Jap Stevens and "Bud" Thelsen were among those who took train today for Cove to attend the cherry show there.

A. J. Gilbert a business man of St. Louis, is a guest with his old time friend, John Collier of the Peoples store today. He will spend a few days here visiting friends.

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