

Thelsis THEATRE

"The Mission Worker".... Selig
A clergyman's daughter opens a mission school in the Chinese quarter of a large city. A rich Chinaman is one of her pupils and falls madly in love with his teacher. The Chinaman is an inveterate gambler and a great scene takes place in a Chinese gambling joint.

"Her Brother's Photograph".... Edson
A splendid dramatic production. Absorbingly interesting from start to finish.

"Dave's Love Affair".... Biograph
A pretty comedy. Dave's pals put up a job on him by sending a note to him signed "Clarice." He receives this note whilst in the company of his sweetheart May. Imagine the rest.

Return Engagement of La Grande's Popular Tenor
MR. C. P. FERRIN.
Illustrated Song—"There Come a Day."

LOCALS

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

Prof. F. J. Frennor, the magnetic healer, has returned to La Grande and is located at the Savoy hotel, room 10. Office hours 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. He treats all chronic diseases. If you would be well see him. All treatments by appointment only. 7-27-8-3

The Ladies of St. Peter's guild will hold a lawn social at the residence of Mrs. James A. Russel, corner of Main and Third streets, on Thursday evening. Home made cakes, cream and sherbet will be served. Everybody invited.

Photography THE BEST of Hobbies

It provides endless enjoyment in years to come as well as at the present time. Pictures taken today will be a source of enjoyment in after years as well as now.

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Wright Drug Co.

THE KODAK STORE.

Mr. Atkinson of the Old Town store was ill yesterday but is somewhat improved today.

Mrs. Winn, an aged resident of South La Grande, is not enjoying her customary good health this week, although she is not seriously ill.

Three county prisoners were taken to Elgin today where they will be employed by the county on the road making department.

Mrs. E. P. Day and her pupils are having their vacation. Mrs. Day leaves on No. 5 this evening for Portland, Seaside, Silver Park and other places of interest. She expects to return the first of September to resume her music teaching.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Sara McCall, residence 805 Washington street, at 2:30 p. m., Wednesday, August 2nd. All members are especially requested to be present. Business of importance.

Miss Ka harine Trevette of Chicago, will give a recital at the Island City Union church, Saturday, August 5th, under the auspices of the Alerts, followed by a lawn social at the home of Ed Kiddle. Ice cream, sherbet and cake will be served. Come. 8-1-5

The Ladies' Altar society of the Catholic church will meet at the residence of Mrs. Franc Wilhelm on Thursday afternoon at 3 p. m., instead of Wednesday.

PAY YOUR WATER RENT TOMORROW.

PERSONALS

D. W. Cotham, of Chicago, was among the Sommer guests this morning.

L. N. Church, a Walla Walla cattle buyer, stopped at the Sommer last night.

E. C. Quirk, representing John Roebing & Sons, wire-rope makers, was at the Foley this morning.

Dr. C. T. Bacon left last night for Portland where he was called by the illness of a relative.

Dr. W. D. Zimmerman and his parents have returned from a camping trip to Joseph.

George Bedwell of Telocaset was a business visitor in La Grande last night stopping at the Savoy while here.

Roy Ellsworth was here from Lima last night and stayed at the Savoy hotel.

Miss Jessie Booth of Pasco, Wn., is expected to arrive tonight to be a guest with her friend, Miss Etta Foley, for a few days.

F. N. Fox, a well known young man of Imbler, stopped at the Savoy last night while transacting business matters in the city.

Ward Emigh, a well known creamery man of Walla Walla and interested in the Valley creamery here, stopped at the Savoy last night.

Miss Runa Bacon, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Bacon, has returned from an extended stay in Portland where she was a guest with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Keene and Mrs. Stevenson, all of Bremerton, have returned to their homes after being guests with Mr and Mrs. J. E. Reynolds of this city the past few days.

Among the arrivals from Joseph lake yesterday where he has been on a camping expedition was George Erickson, the Newlin drug store druggist.

Misses Lynette and Genevieve Kerr, daughters of President and Mrs. W. J. Kerr of the O. A. C., returned to their homes last evening after spending a few weeks with their sister Mrs. R. E. Reynolds.

Prof. H. M. Mars of the Oregon Agricultural mining department was in the city yesterday, seeking data for the government geological department. He went on to Baker last evening. While here he was a guest of O. A. C. students who are home for the summer.

A. R. Emmons of Enterprise is visiting in La Grande for a few days.

Mrs. G. W. Walk was here from North Powder today, staying at the Foley.

J. H. Louch of Denver was a Foley guest today, while meeting business clients.

J. W. Cormach, an auto dealer of Pendleton and W. R. Wither, also of Pendleton, were Sommer hotel guests today.

Tom Burham, of Union and P. J. Power, of Union, constituted some of the Union visitors to La Grande today. They were guests at the Foley.

J. W. Wycoff, a Warren Construction company representative, stopped at the Foley today while transacting business in the city.

Mrs. Knapp Dooley went to Baker this morning and will return next Sunday to join her husband who is employed in this city, and make their home in La Grande.

J. Laird of Elgin and M. Kennedy of Elgin were guests in La Grande last evening. They were registered at the Sommer.

B. J. Gilman of The Dalles, B. A. Stone of Pendleton, C. D. Earl of Portland, E. C. Herzinger, a Portland salesman, and G. E. Sommers of Oklahoma were among the Foley guests this morning.

An Ideal Outing.

The Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company will have on sale August 23rd special reduced round trip tickets to the seashore, which will afford their patrons an opportunity to enjoy a delightful outing on the beach. Also the privilege of stopping at Portland and Astoria. The rate for the round trip is only \$10. Children half fare. Tickets are limited to fifteen days. Make your reservations at the earliest practicable moment.

LA GRANDE COUPLE MARRIED

Justice of the Peace Williams has afternoon wedding ceremony. Gilbert Dunn, son of C. A. Dunn, a resident of East La Grande and Miss Florence S. Doolittle, also of this city, were married this afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Arthur Williams in his office.

FINED FOR DEFRAUDING HOTEL

C. E. Sysner Pleads Guilty and is Sentenced in Justice Court.

C. E. Sysner, captured in Baker a few days ago on a charge of defrauding a hotel, the Savoy hotel being the one thus defrauded, plead guilty yesterday afternoon before Justice Williams and was fined \$30 and costs. At noon today he had not paid the fine.

Hitchcock Heard by Probers.

New York, August 1.—Postmaster General Hitchcock was the first witness today before the federal commission investigating second class postage rates. He insisted that the magazines should pay higher rates on advertising pages than on their news and features. He said the current fiscal year will find a surplus in the department. He promised to make the department self-sustaining.

COMBINE BUSINESS WITH PLEASURE

Enjoy an Outing at the Seashore.—A Stopover at Portland.

Visit the Astoria Centennial celebration. Take advantage of the very low round trip rate of \$10.00 offered by the O-W. R. & N. company from La Grande to any point on the Seashore-North Beach. A special train affording every accommodation will leave La Grande at 8 p. m. Wednesday, August 23rd. Ask your agent for information in detail.

FOR RENT—Part of good barn, close in. Apply this office.

Board Silent on Graft Charge.

Sacramento, August 1.—Saying the matter was not in their hands, members of the board of control today declined to make statements regarding the charges filed with the governor in which it is alleged that the state printer wasted more than \$90,000 of the state's money by illegal purchase of the supplies.

Silent Lawyers.

It is almost a maxim nowadays that a lawyer's real importance at the bar is in inverse ratio to his prominence in the papers. The truth is that lawyers of great importance seldom nowadays appear in court. In the old days the great lawyer was the eloquent lawyer; today the great lawyer is the silent one. Then bar reputations were made literally at the bar. Today they are made in the offices of the skyscrapers neighboring on Wall street. In England a visit any day to the law courts will be repaid by the sight of some famous K. C. assisting the court in a dramatization of the trial chapter from "Alice in Wonderland." But you might prowl for a month within the precincts of the New York courthouse without encountering a lawyer whose name would signify anything remarkable to the historian of the New York bar.—American Magazine.

Curious Justice.

A Paris contemporary gives us a glimpse of the administration of justice among the natives in the Lower Niger territory, which for its efficacy might be compared with Swift's account of the means adopted by judicial authorities in Laputa, we believe, to discover conspirators. If a native is accused of theft the heads of the village make a decoction of herbs and put into the essence about a grain of ground pepper. The liquid is then lightly applied to the eyelid. If the suspect weeps he is considered guilty. But the murder test is an improvement upon that of theft. The "wise man" of the district draws a vessel of water, into which he puts some poison. Then he takes a cow's tail and "asperges" the eyes of the supposed assassin. If the man becomes blind he is pronounced a murderer.

For Testing Gold.

The acid used by jewelers for testing gold is extremely powerful and has to be very carefully handled. To prevent any considerable quantity of the acid being spilled a specially constructed bottle is employed. The stopper of this is made of glass and contains a long pointed glass rod which passes down the center of the bottle. When an article of jewelry is to be tested the stopper is simply removed, and the article is touched with the point of the glass rod to which a very slight quantity of acid has adhered. Gold is not affected by the acid, but imitation metal turns green.

One Way to Arbitrate.

Commodore Vanderbilt used often to arbitrate his tenants' disputes, and one day two farmers called on him in his function of arbitrator. The commodore before consenting to act put to the first tenant the necessary question: "Now, Henry, if I consent to arbitrate will you abide by my decision?" The farmer, a hard headed old fellow, answered thoughtfully: "Well, commodore, I'd like to know what it is first."

A Cruel Apologist.

"Mr. Higgins takes himself very seriously," said the critical young woman. "Well," replied Miss Cayenne, "you can't blame him. To be thrown into a cruel world with no more brains than he possesses would be a serious matter for anybody."—Washington Star.

Her Tact.

Howard—Did she refuse you, old man? Coward—Well, in a delicate, indirect way. She told me she never wanted anything she could get easily.—Harper's Bazar.

Fixed to no spot is happiness. 'Tis nowhere to be found or everywhere.—Pope.

in Fly Time.

"Did you evict him?"
"Who?"
"The fly."
"No; he claimed swatter's rights."

The Naughty One.

"I guess I've a right to my own opinion."
"You probably have as long as you keep it to yourself."

Amicable.

"I like peace."
"Well, I'd never guess it."
"I don't want it too long or too often, but still I'm fond of it."

Softening the Blow.

"I thought he had a life job in the bank."
"They pardoned him out."

Her Defense.

"Do you sing?"
"I do—unless I find my company entertaining."

Carried the Sign.

What date and make of car is that that bumped into the truck?
A nineteen thirteen, I presume, just judging from its luck.

Boy Murderer Pleads Innocence.

New York, August 1.—Albert Geldel, the bell boy, today pleaded not guilty to a charge of murdering the aged millionaire, Jackson. The trial is set for tomorrow.

YOUR BUSINESS

If you are a customer of the United States National Bank you have assurance of our personal interest in your business success. We make it a part of our business to give such time and attention to our customers as their interests require.

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UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK

Special Train Excursion to Seashore.

The Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company will operate a special train consisting of free reclining chair cars, tourist and standard sleeping cars to Portland in connection with their steamers to North Beach resorts and Astoria. The special train will leave La Grande at 8 p. m., Wednesday, August 23rd, arriving at Portland the following morning at 7:15. Passengers may have their choice of steamer Potter, leaving Portland at 8:30 a. m. August 4th and 5th or the steamer Hassalo, leaving Portland on the same dates at 8 p. m. A round trip rate of \$10.00 will be named which includes stopover privileges at Portland and Astoria on return trip; limit 15 days from date of sale. Make your sleeping car reservations now.

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