

# The Isthmian THEATRE

**A "MONSTER PROGRAM"**  
 "Told in the Sierras" ... Selig  
 An unusual type of western story of the early days in California.  
**CORONATION PICTURES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.**  
 "The Juggler's Vengeance" ... Kosmik  
 Incident taken from actual facts of circus life.  
**CORONATION PICTURES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.**  
 "Feeding the Hungry Man" ... Edison  
 If you don't laugh we'll give you your money back.  
**CORONATION PICTURES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.**  
 "Fishguard Harbor, Wales" ... Edison  
 Transatlantic liners now disembark passengers there for London.  
**CORONATION PICTURES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.**  
 "In and Around Havana" ... Edison  
 A beautiful reproduction. This picture will tell you more about Havana than anything you ever read about that country.  
**CORONATION PICTURES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.**  
 Illustrated song sung by Mr. C. P. Ferris, La Grande's popular tenor.

# The Isthmian HAS IT AGAIN as usual.

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## THE CORONATION OF KING GEORGE V

By PATHE FRERES  
 First time in the World's History of a Coronation being reproduced by MOVING PICTURE  
 Prices just the SAME  
**TEN CENTS**  
 Come early and avoid the rush.  
**FRIDAY & SATURDAY**

### LOCALS

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

Prof. F. J. Freenor, 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 disease. If you would be well see him. All treatments by appointment only. 7-27-8-3

Place your order now for fruit tree spraying. Red 3821.

Huckleberry sundaes are the newest ice cream sodas at Silverhorn's for the season.

Miss Ka harine Trevelte 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. 8-1-5t

You will lie those huckleberry sundaes at Silverhorn's fountain.

The ladies of the Christian church will give an ice cream social at the church, corner of Washington and Depot streets Thursday, August 10th, at 7:30. Everybody invited.

Decorations and lectures for the benefit of railroad men shown in the various cities along the O.-W. are to come to Eastern Oregon, visiting La Grande and other towns. It is now at Pendleton.

The lawn social to have been held this evening by the Guild of the Episcopal church, has been postponed until more favorable weather.

**PAY YOUR WATER RENT TOMORROW.**

### PERSONALS

Frank Toney left this morning for Joseph lake to spend a few days.

Robert Hughes of Wallowa was a Savoy hotel guest today.

F. W. Johnson of Baker was a Sommer hotel guest last night.

Miss H. Meyer, a resident of Spokane, was a La Grande visitor last night and stayed at the Sommer.

Jack Bates and A. R. Emmons, both well known citizens of Enterprise, stopped at the Foley last night.

R. C. Applegate, Jr., a fruit buyer of Kansas City, was in the city today and stopped at the Foley.

E. A. Hollishead, of Portland and Albert D. Elliot of Portland were Foley guests last night.

W. E. Wilcox, a national bank examiner with headquarters at Topeka, Kansas, stopped at the Foley today.

Mrs. and Miss Forseth of Palmer Junction registered at the Savoy hotel yesterday evening.

Clyde Kiddle who has been at the hospital for some time recovering from an operation for appendicitis, is reported as improving rapidly today.

Miss Opal Barnes of Portland arrived this morning to be a guest with her sister, Mrs. Albert Hunter of Island City.

O. C. Tumar of Weston, R. C. Slakey of Elgin and James Clark of Woodland were some of the Savoy guests last evening.

W. W. Evans and W. E. Evans, representing Tootel & Campbell of St. Joseph, Mo., were Foley guests this morning.

A. J. Kight and L. A. Bair, both of Canby, Oregon, were Sommer hotel guests while transacting business in the city this morning.

Miss Ethel Gulling arrived home this morning from Portland and will spend a half month with her parents and other relatives in the city. She is employed at the head offices of the O.-W. in Portland.

Dr. Kirby of Elgin brought Miss

Fannie Mayfield an Elgin school teacher, to the Grande Ronde hospital yesterday afternoon and last evening she was successfully operated upon by Drs. Kirby and Richardson for appendicitis.

J. H. Hughes and family of Welsler are in the city visiting Bert Hughes and other relatives. They expect to return to their Idaho home tomorrow, making the trip both ways in an automobile. Mr. Hughes reports excellent crops in his state and prosperity at high tide.

## DISPUTED ROAD IS ABANDONED

**PALMER MILL YARD NOT TO BE CUT IN TWAIN.**  
**Farmers Who Started Proceedings Now Pray for Abandonment.**

A roadway over which litigation has been carried to the supreme court was given consideration, and final action taken, today, when the county court acted on a petition of Henry Young et al, to abandon the road through the Palmer Lumber company yards. This roadway was abandoned through the instrumentalities of the Commercial club when the Palmer mill was built that the company might have ample yard facilities. Several farmers living on the north side of the river opposed the abandonment and took the case through the circuit court to the supreme court where it was decided in favor of the petitioners to have the road again opened up. In the mean time, thousands of feet of lumber had been piled on this former highway.

Now, however, the farmers in that section have been offered and taken relief in a substitute road and were the ones who petitioned the county court to permanently abandon this road, even though it was contrary to the dictates of the supreme court who gave the farmers there the right to that road if they desired. The settlement ends what has been an obnoxious problem to many.

Three road petitions were considered by the court today. Mr. Cruikshank of Elgin petitioned for a road, Joe Wright of Summerville asked for a road and Gus Binglesdorf of this city asked for a road on Whiskey creek. The roads were ordered surveyed and viewed.

With the hearing of the timber dispute the county court will adjourn tonight.

## CHAUTAUQUA BOARD MEETS

**FINDS \$100 DEFICIENCY IN THE ACCOUNTS.**  
**Expenses Would Be Met If All Subscribed Tickets Were Paid.**

To go over the accounts and learn exactly where the association stands, the directors of the Grande Ronde chautauqua met last night. They found that the association is \$100 short and that there are about \$165 in tickets unsold. These tickets were subscribed and when the collections were attempted the subscribers were delinquent in meeting their promises. As an indication of how many people feel in this respect it need only be said that several checks have been received by the management to help meet the deficiencies.

There will be no passing of the hat, however, the committee depending upon the ticket subscribers to meet their obligations.

No organization was attempted last night and this will be done at a nearby meeting.

Rose Stahl, who is resting in Ireland, will return August 18, and directly afterward rehearsals will begin for the New York production of the Klein play, "Maggie Pepper," which is to open the Harris theatre the last week in August.

## NO CANADA FOR THEM

**DR. MOLITOR AND ATTORNEY HESS RETURN FROM NORTH.**  
**Had a Pleasant Outing but Believe Opportunities Are Better Here.**

Returning from Canada today where they had been enjoying an outing of several weeks and at the same time investigating commercial conditions of the Dominion, Dr. N. Molitor and Attorney Franklin Hess, the latter an old schoolmate of the doctor's, were decisive in stating that Canada was a nice place to visit but so far as they can observe no place for opportunity as compared with the land under the stars and stripes.

Mr. Hess is the chief legal counsel for the Chicago division of the International Harvester company and hails from Illinois where he and the doctor spent their childhood. They met at Vancouver, B. C., by appointment several weeks ago and together they traversed the country owned by the crown. In speaking of Prince Rupert they said it is evident there will be some what of a city there but it is doubtful if there will be what the sanguine promoters claim for it. The transcontinental railroad will reach Prince Rupert but at the same time it will also reach Vancouver, B. C., which means only a little longer haul. Some think the fact that Vancouver is already built and equipped for commerce will cause much of the business to go that way even if it is a trifle nearer to the Prince Rupert harbor.

A railroad now extends inland 90 miles. This the doctor and his friend took and after using various other means of transportation, reached Hazelton, an inland city of several thousand. They pronounced it a good inland city of its size.

When asked what advice should be given to Oregon people relative to the Canadian country Dr. Molitor said: "Tell all who are bothered with wanderlust to go and see for themselves, but my guess is they will return to Oregon better satisfied to remain here than ever before."

Mr. Hess will remain here for several days the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Molitor.

## CORONATION COMING NEAR.

**Isis Theatre to Present Authentic Pictures of Crowning.**

Coronation of King Edward will be brought manifestly near to La Grande Friday and Saturday when the Isis theatre presents the only authentic film production of the regal festivities in London in June. Thus far Portland and La Grande are the only towns in Oregon to show this picture, and as it is a Pathe production and taken with the exclusive sanction of the king himself, the makers claim for it perfection in every detail and no faking anywhere.

The film will be shown at the Isis tomorrow and Saturday and it is brought here at an expense that will require about 800 more admissions during those two days than under normal conditions, if the house breaks even. But to give the best is the aim of the house, hence this picture.

## Circumstances Alter Cases.

When Israel Zangwill was an obscure youth teaching in a Jewish school in London he sent a short poem to a leading American monthly. It came back by an early post. He kept it, and after he had achieved fame as a writer he sent the same poem to the same magazine. This time he received a cable from the editor offering to buy the "world rights" for a large sum. The poem was the same, word for word.

**Different.**  
 "Why, a year ago you told me this place was easily worth \$15,000. Now you estimate its value at less than \$10,000."

"You must remember that I was trying to sell it to you then. Now you want me to sell it for you."—Chicago Record-Herald.

**Adam Was Grouchy.**  
 The Serpent—What's Adam so grouchy about today? The Ape—Oh, he says that the arrival of woman means that all his plans for universal peace have been knocked in the head for good.—Puck.

## 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.

We make it a point that every business transaction with our patrons shall be satisfactory. We want each one to feel that they are free to come to us in all matters where our experience and advice will be of value and assistance.

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**Early Combines and Corners.**  
 "Engrossing" was an offense punishable in England by fine and imprisonment, and the laws against it struck at those-called "engrossers"—who planned to gain control over necessities, such as grain or foodstuffs in considerable quantities, either by purchase or otherwise, with the intention of raising prices. The statute book holds quite a series of enactments designed to prevent anything in the nature of what we know as a "corner" or "combine." "Regrating" was a criminal offense, and so was "forestalling." The former consisted of buying and selling the same day in the same market or near it, and the latter implied the purchase of merchandise on the way to market or before the hour at which the market commenced with the intention of selling at a profit while it was also "forestalling" to circulate rumors calculated to raise the prices of commodities. Though these laws have fallen into desuetude, they were in force in our grandfathers' time.—London Mail.

**Ruined by Jest.**  
 The Antiochenes themselves brought about the ruin of the beautiful city of Antioch, the ancient capital of the Greek kings of Syria. These people were famous for their biting and scurrilous wit as well as their ingenuity in devising nicknames. When the Persians under Chosroes invaded Syria in 538 the Antiochenes could not refrain from jesting at them. Ample revenge for this was taken by the Persians, who totally destroyed the city.

**Would Do His Own Biting.**  
 The British gentleman new to our shores stepped up to the cigar counter and requested of the "clerk" a cigar.  
 "What will you have, a bit cigar?" asked the "clerk."  
 "No; I'd rather bite it myself," replied the Briton.—San Francisco Chronicle.

## BRING US YOUR FILMS

You who haven't the time to develop your own films bring them to us and we will develop them for you in very short order. With our modern equipped dark room we are able to do this work for you quickly and at a very reasonable cost. We do developing every day so you won't have to wait long for your films. We can also print your picture on paper or post cards and guarantee satisfaction.

When you are out of town, mail us your films. They will be developed and returned to you without delay.

# Wright Drug Co.

THE KODAK STORE.

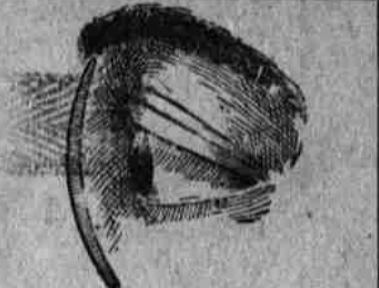
# Water Melon

## TWO CENTS A POUND

### Royal Grocery

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**Now isn't it Foolish** to keep straining the eyes! That may eventually develop into a permanent injury to the eyesight, and it is so easy to make things comfortable.

**ANY ONE** who reads, or does near work even for a short time, KNOWS TO A CERTAINTY Whether or not they are STRAINING THEIR EYES

**STOP IT** at least long enough to CONSIDER THE CONSEQUENCES

**THEN** Have your eyes examined. DO IT TODAY, IT WILL PAY Any lens duplicated in a few minutes.

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