

# The Isthmian Theatre

## "EDISON" FEATURE.

"The Cardinal's Edict" Edison  
A magnificently mounted  
drama treating of one of the  
wonderful incidents in the life  
of the great Cardinal Richelieu.  
It is historical and replete with  
thrilling situations.

"Lean Wolf's End" Kalem  
A splendid Indian story. Lean  
Wolf, enacted by that great ac-  
tor, Frank Lanning. One of the  
finest Indian pictures ever put  
on.

"That City Feller" Selig  
Comedy, drama, and love all in  
one. The wonderful intelli-  
gence of a collie dog saves the  
day for the "city feller" who  
has aroused the jealousies of  
the "country fellers." This is  
an exceptionally good one.

Illustrated song by C. P. Ferrin

### PAY YOUR WATER RENT TODAY. LAST DAY.

#### LOCALS

Dr. Posey, specialist for eye, ear, nose and throat diseases, over Selders' store, 9 to 11:30, 1:30 to 5 and 7 to 8 p. m. Eyes fitted with glasses.

The farmers should take their cream to the Valley creamery. They pay more for butter. 8-9-11

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The Valley creamery is paying 30 cents per pound for butter fat. 8-9-11

Square dealing, honest weights and tests and the highest possible price for butter fat is giving the Valley creamery the lead in the Grande Ronde valley. 8-9-11

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a lawn social Friday evening, the 11th, on the corner of Fourth and Adams. Home made cake, cream and sherbet. 8-8-11

The patrons of the Valley creamery are getting 20 cents a pound for their butter fat. 8-3-11

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#### PERSONALS

Leon K. Weise of Spokane was a Savoy guest last night.

Mrs. Lucile Johnson of Spokane stopped at the Foley last night.

J. R. Day and F. B. Hooper, well known Elgin people were Foley guests last night.

Sam Banister of Athena was in La Grande yesterday evening. He was registered at the Foley.

R. A. McKinney, of the Spokane Dry Goods company, was a Foley guest last night.

J. J. Burnett, a well known citizen of Starkey, was in the city last evening, and stopped at the Savoy hotel.

J. F. Temple, Jr., of Pendleton was a La Grande visitor this morning. He was registered at the Savoy.

D. B. Payne was here from Enterprise yesterday and stopped at the Savoy hotel.

J. M. Heckhard and wife of Boise were in the city last night and stopped at the Savoy.

S. R. Haworth, the contractor, went out to Enterprise this morning on business matters.

F. A. Wagner, a resident of Enterprise, was a La Grande visitor this morning, staying at the Savoy hotel while here.

M. E. Hotchkiss, an Enterprise stock buyer, stopped at the Savoy yesterday while on his way to the Puget Sound with stock shipments.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Williams, of Park City, a Utah mining town, are at the Foley today while transacting business in the city.

Dr. Notz, a veterinary surgeon of Baker, returned to his home today after spending yesterday in the city on business matters.

E. T. Walsh of Walla Walla, A. J. Baker of Sedro Woolly, Wash., J. W. Egan, of Quincy, Ill., W. E. Lawrence of Corvallis were some of the Foley visitors yesterday.

Father Moore, of Salem, will pass through La Grande tomorrow with the remains of his brother who died in Portland. Burial will take place in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Newhard of Portland arrived this morning to transact business matter. They will spend tomorrow here visiting old time neighbors. They are registered at the Savoy hotel.

Mrs. Phelps Long and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Moran, all of Ontario, were at the Foley last night on their way home after a camping trip to Joseph Lake. Mr. Moran is a barber at Ontario.

P. A. Foley, proprietor of the Foley hotel, left this morning for Burns in his automobile, taking with him Chas. J. Shoemaker, representing the Merchants' Protective association of Portland and a mechanic. They will tour the rugged interior for ten days and will go over the scenes of Mr. Foley's career as a cattleman of Interior Oregon.

W. N. Fisher leaves tonight for Fremont, Neb., his home, after visiting friends here for about six weeks. He is a civil engineer.

Mrs. Will E. Garland, wife of the editor of the Gooding, Idaho, Leader, is in the city the guest of Mrs. J. A. Bowlin, this week.

J. P. O'Brien, general manager of the O.-W., is expected to arrive in his

## WATER SUIT IN HIGH COURT

### RIPARIAN RIGHTS IN CATHERINE CREEK INVOLVED.

#### District Court at Portland to Hear Important Water Litigation.

Action to finally and permanently establish riparian rights in Catherine creek has been instituted by the Amalgamated Sugar company in the United States district court at Portland, with Attorneys F. S. Ivanhoe and C. H. Finn of this city as counsel for the plaintiffs. The action is brought not only to end spasmodic litigation and unsatisfactory settlements that last for the time being only, but to make permanent the rights that may exist as regards waters in that stream. The Amalgamated Sugar company has claimed prior rights over about 39 other water users in and about Union and as the water is now diverged to considerable extent before the sugar company's intake is reached, the latter concern is bringing suit to establish its claims of priority.

The fact that the Amalgamated Sugar company is aligned on one side and about 30 wealthy defendants on the other, indicate that it will be carried to the extreme end and that it will be one of the noteworthy cases in United States district court trials this year.

Among the defendants are such men as the two Hutchinsons, Mr. Schooner, Mrs. Dobbins, Mac Wood of La Grande and a long list of prominent Union ranchers.

"With malice toward none, we bring this action to end squabbles over riparian rights, and to make a permanent and lasting establishment of the rights in Catherine creek," said F. S. Bramwell, general manager of the company here, in speaking of the suit today.

### Native Pheasants Also Unprotected

Tuesday, Sept. 15, takes the band of grouse and ptarmigan are preparing a campaign that will net them their limit bags. Native pheasants also will be unprotected commencing on Tuesday and last until Oct. 1st, the same as grouse. The bag limit for both of these species is five in one day or 10 in a week.

Sage hens are already unprotected, the ban going off them August 1st and remaining off until Nov. 1st. The bag limit is the same as above for these.

Many hunters are in touch with some of the best feeding grounds and next week should see many limit bags filled up.

## Classified Advertising

FOR SALE—Young pony, safe and gentle. Just right for young children. F. D. Haisten Furniture Store. 8-7-11

FOR RENT—Four good rooms. Phone Red 42. 1505 Madison avenue. 8-3-11

FOUND—A sum of money. Owner can have same by proving ownership and paying for ad. Call on F. Geibel. 8-9-11

FOR SALE—Dry chain wood in any quantity. \$1.50 per cord at the Perry yards. Grande Ronde Lumber company Perry, Ore. 6-15-11

FOR SALE—Good header and binder combined. 12 foot cut. Deering make. Inquire L. J. Ferguson, Elgin, Oregon.

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

FOR SALE—Two steated trap in first class condition. Inquire Dr. A. L. Richardson. 8-4-11

FOR SALE—Winchester rifle. 25-20 take down 1892 model. Price only \$9.00. H. Coffin, 1107 Adams Ave. 8-5-11

LOST—A brown sack coat between

La Grande and Cove. Liberal reward. Leave at Observer. 8-9-11

WANTED—A limited number of boarders. Apply at Observer. 8-7-11

FOR SALE—Furniture practically new for 12 rooms. Have lease. phone B 3881. 905 Spring St. 8-7-11

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Modern. Close in. Gentlemen preferred. Inquire this office.

FOR RENT—Four room house in North La Grande. Almost new, and modern. Inquire Mrs. Anna Brooks, care J. A. Russel, residence corner Third and Main. 8-9-11

### FIRE ONLY SMOKE.

#### Department Called Out but Smoke Only Cause, It is Found

A stove with a plugged-up flue, caused the department to be called out at 3:20 o'clock this afternoon. Pedestrians on Washington avenue saw smoke emerging from the roof on the little shack back of the Mahaffey building between Depot and Fourth street, and turned in the alarm. The department found a Greek occupant of the place considerably indignant because of the notoriety attracted to his peaceable abode just because his stove and flue weren't working right. The house was black with smoke but the Greek worked through it all, regardless of what was going on within and without the place.

### Treasurer's Call for City Warrants.

There are funds in the treasury to pay all warrants issued against water fund of La Grande city up to and including No. 9,716, endorsed Sept. 21, 1910. Interest on all warrants on Water Fund from No. 9,616 to 9,716 inclusive ceases from date of this call.

La Grande, Oregon, Aug. 9, 1911.  
ROY W. LOGAN,  
City Treasurer.

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In addition to taking care of your business in this department we can give you an interest account or furnish you a safe deposit box at a nominal rental. Burglar proof vault. It is our aim to meet your requirements in every way. Call and see us.

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Chalmers 30	Fully Equipped F. O. B. La Grande	\$1650
Chalmers 36	SELLS FOR ONLY F. O. B. La Grande	\$1950
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Chalmers 30	Torpedo Roadster Fully Equipped	\$1650
F. O. B. LA GRANDE		

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There is no trace of tough, woody fibre in Preferred Stock brand. It is positively the best grown anywhere.

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