

The Elite Theatre

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"THE FALLING OUT" ... Imp
The old farmer gets out divorce papers but lights his pipe with them. A beautiful story.

"THE STRANGER" Rex
Powerful drama of the west. Remarkable dance hall scene.

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Well, it's a problem play. She becomes resigned to the will of the Almighty.

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A magnificent picture of the roundup in Montana last year.

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It's fast and furious comedy. The trap drummer laughed so much he forgot his cue.

Augmented Orchestra.
Solo Violin, Miss Mabel Laird
Drums and Bell, Bert Chapman
Late with the Arcade Theatre
Musical Director, Chas. E. King

PETITIONS ARE NUMEROUS

POLITICALLY AMBITIOUS HAVE PAPERS HERE.

Candidates Are Having Papers Circulated Freely in La Grande.

Petitions are buzzing like honey bees these days. Among the petitions going the rounds today—and going is

hard because so few voters have registered—are those of George T. Coenran, candidate for congress from this district, J. W. Morton of Salem who seeks the United States senatorship on the republican ticket, E. U. Flagg, candidate for the republican nomination to the office of joint senator from Union, Umatilla and Morrow counties, Ed Wright for county clerk, I. R. Snook for county recorder and others. These are in addition to those who earlier in the month started their petitions going.

MRS. LEADSWORTH DEAD

LONG AND PAINFUL ILLNESS ENDS IN DEATH.

Husband and Popular Daughters Survive—Illness Was Long.

Mrs. George Leadsworth died last evening at 6 o'clock after a long and painful illness. For a while she was treated at Walla Walla and finally was removed to her home here and after an extremely painful siege of illness was finally forced to succumb to the ravages of the disease. Her conditions has been hopeless for some time and was not unexpected.

Mrs. Leadsworth is survived by the husband and two daughters, Miss Elsie Leadsworth, the efficient Western Union operator in the local office and Miss Maude Leadsworth, a popular member of the high school student body. The sorrowing family has the sympathy of the entire community.

The burial will take place from the Methodist Episcopal church, Feb. 21 at 2:30 p. m. with interment in the Masonic cemetery. The body will lie in state at the home, 2008 Cedar street, from 11 a. m. until 1 p. m. tomorrow.

Filing Bwana Tumbo's Petitions.

George L. Cleaver was in the city today from Imbler filing petitions he had circulated for ex-President Theodore Roosevelt's name to go on the Oregon ballot. Mr. Cleaver is an enthusiastic Teddy man and claims his candidate has the nomination grabbed if he will but say the word. In the meantime the statesman sits at his desk in the Outlook office and ponders over the situation.

WANTED—Second hand office desk
Dr. Darland. 2-20-12

BROWN ASSUMES FEDERAL DUTIES

BECOMES DISTRICT BOILER INSPECTOR.

Oregon and Washington His Territory—Other Railroad Items.

Former O-W, Engineer J. B. Brown of this city, lately assigned the responsible position of district federal locomotive boiler inspector, has gone to Portland to establish his permanent headquarters and expects soon to move his family to the metropolis. Mr. Brown won signal honors when the civil service commission assigned him to the difficult task. There are 50 separate districts for boiler inspectors in the United States and Mr. Brown will have Oregon and Washington as his territory. He passed the examination splendidly being high out of a list of over 50 applicants for the job on this district. He was called to Salt Lake some time ago and given his new duties, and is now in Portland arranging his permanent headquarters there. Over 1300 locomotive boilers will be under his direct inspection hereafter.

Mr. Brown was prominent in brotherhood circles, holding the office of secretary-treasurer of the local Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

W. H. Dressel, late of the Yakima division of the O-W, was in the city last night for the first time as the new superintendent of mechanics, or what was formerly known as superintendent of motive power. He succeeds W. R. Ladd, who has been promoted to the master mechanicship of the Albina shops.

Assistant General Manager J. D. Stack was here this morning in his private car transacting company business and enjoying a tour of inspection.

Jack O'Neil, travelling freight and passenger agent for the O-W, was in the city this morning on company business.

IOWA MAN TO MAKE A ROAD

ASA F. TAYLOR MAKES PROPOSITION TO THE COUNTY COURT

Would Prove the Success of Dirt Roads in Union County.

Coming from Red Oak, Iowa, a section of country, that has to deal with road questions all the time, Asa F. Taylor, who lately located in Union county, today requested the county court to permit him to make a half mile of dirt road at his own expense and keep the same in condition. Mr. Taylor is an expert road builder. He knows the game as they have by years of experience worked it out in the state of Iowa—a very wealthy state but not wealthy enough to jump into rock roads.

With full faith and confidence in the merits of drainage, rolling and a road drag the work on a half mile of road near Alice will be begun shortly and it will act as an experiment station and a guide to the remainder of the county.

A petition was also presented the court asking that the county roller be used on roads of the Sandridge country. This petition was circulated by George L. Cleaver.

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La Grande, Oregon

CHAFIN WILL SPEAK.

Comes to La Grande in Interest of Prohibition.

Eugene W. Chafin, Prohibition candidate for president of the United States in 1908, who is touring Oregon will speak in La Grande at the Christian church Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

John Temple Graves, of Atlanta, Georgia, says: Mr. Chafin is one of the most magnetic and charming men I have ever listened to on the platform."

The press speak of him as follows: Portland Oregonian: Repeatedly he was interrupted by outbursts of ap-

plause, and the drollery of his humor, gram and satire kept the audience in mingled with optimism as well as epl- constant attention.

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The Evening Observer



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