

## The Elite THEATRE

**A Home Show Owned By Home People. Our Profits Remain Here**

**THE CRY OF THE CHILDREN** Thanhouser

In two complete reels. This picture was suggested by the poem of Elizabeth Barrett Browning and features Marie Elaine, the "Thanhouser Kid."

"All day she drives the wheels of iron

In the factory round and round"

A film showing the curse of child labor and how little lives are paid as a toll to grinding machinery. Also two other full reels and an illustrated song.

## BEST GAME SAYS SCRIBE

**WALLA WALLANS WIN IN CLOSE CONTEST.**

La Grande loses Contest at the Finish Through Long Clout.

Walla Walla, June 17.—(Special)—The Bears came up from behind in the seventh inning and beat out the Pippins at Sportsman's park by the score of 4 to 3 Sunday. La Grande got two runs in the first inning on hits and held the lead until the seventh when Martini's clout to left center for two bases scored two runs, putting the tribe of Brown in the lead by one run.

Both Pitman and McIvor twirled good ball and the contest from the spectator's point was the best seen here this year. The score:

**LA GRANDE.**

AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Naughton, ss	4	1	2	2	2
Barry, 1b	3	0	1	9	0
Luttrell, 3b	4	1	2	1	0
Harmon, rf	3	1	0	0	0
King, c	4	0	1	7	1
Bradley, 2b	4	0	2	1	2
Walters, lf	4	0	0	0	0
Forbes, cf	4	0	0	4	1
McIvor, p	3	0	1	0	2

**WALLA WALLA.**

AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Harmon, cf	4	1	1	1	0
Johnson, rf	4	1	1	1	0
Childers, 3b	4	1	1	2	1
Martini, lf	4	0	1	0	0
Davis, ss	3	1	2	1	4
Brown, c	3	0	0	8	0
Swanson, 2b	3	0	2	14	0
Rochon, 2b	3	0	0	0	4
Pitman, p	4	0	0	0	5

**SCORE BY INNINGS.**

La Grande . . . 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—3  
 Walla Walla . . . 0 0 0 1 0 1 2 0 x—4

**SUMMARY.**

Stolen bases, Barry, Walters, Harmon, Davis, sacrifice hits, Barry, McIvor, Brown; two base hits, Bradley, Martini, McIvor; three base hits, Davis, Luttrell; left on bases, Walla Walla 8, La Grande 7; hits, off McIvor 8, off Pitman 9; struck out, by McIvor 7, by Pitman 6; bases on pitch, Longanecker. Times of game, balls, off McIvor 2; off Pitman 1. Umpire, 1.50.

**The Trout Are Biting**

at Wallowa Lake and Kernan & Runyan of Joseph carry everything in a fishing line. Both partners are fishermen and they keep in touch with what the fish need. You need not worry about fishing tackle until you get to Joseph and then this firm will prescribe the right thing. 5-21-12

### PERSONALS.

W. F. Wilson is at the Sommer house.

C. A. Miller of Portland is registered at the Sommer.

Mrs. John Montgomery of Pendleton was a Foley guest last night.

J. D. Wright of Union was a guest at the Sommer Sunday.

J. A. Gillilan, a prominent citizen of Union, was a Sunday guest at the Sommer.

Mrs. C. M. Lockwood and children have gone to Enterprise to visit relatives for a week.

D. C. Mays and wife were here from Joseph last night, transacting business and staying at the Foley.

Lowell Williamson is home from Eugene where he has been a student at the U. of O.

Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. M. McMurray have returned from the Portland Rose Festival.

Mr. Williams, a trombone player, is the latest addition to the La Grande band. He comes here from the east.

George Packett, wife and child left today for Ontario where they will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Mrs. Slater and daughter Miss Olive Slater, of South La Grande, are improving after an illness of several days' duration.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Savage who have been in Portland on their honeymoon, passed through the city this morning on their way home to Enterprise.

Mr. D. J. Stants of Elgin, who has been critically ill at Walla Walla for several weeks, stopped at the Foley hotel last night while on her way home.

Miss M. Ludvig and sister of Chicago passed through the city today on their way to Cove to visit friends. They were registered at the Foley while here.

D. W. C. Nelson, an engineer of Baker, is here to commence the survey of a line from La Grande to Elgin for the Eastern Oregon Light and Power company.

Attorney J. H. Crawford and Herman Seigrist are among the local rose show visitors who returned today. Mrs. Seigrist and son will remain in the metropolis a few days.

J. J. Whitby, a student at Willamette, is home for the summer vacation. He has a guest with him, Mr. McDaniels of Illinois who has been a fellow student at the Salem school this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tod Rinehart and daughter arrived this morning from Salem where Mr. Rinehart is connected with the tax commission, and will visit friends in this, their former home city.

Harry Walters is home for the summer vacation. He is a student at O. A. C. and is a prominent member of the track team of that institution.

Claret and G. E. Stackland were over from Cove last night, staying at the Foley. While here they were boating the cherry show which is soon to transpire in the cherry home.

**Lost Purse Is Found.**

Information received from Portland last week to the effect that Mr. Atkinson had lost his pocketbook containing about \$40 and his return tickets to La Grande—by meeting with a clever pick-pocket, seems to have been false—Mr. Atkinson says he lost the purse and by advertising he has been able to regain the lost.

### ELKS GREET TREK HERO

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lands, where the hikers traveled for days without seeing a house. Just prior to reaching that desolate spot they lost the fourth man of the party to start. His feet gave out and he returned. Clark is a dispatcher on the Burlington and Lyon is wire chief for the same company there, while Stone is a rapid accounting man for the Wheeler Savings bank of Brookfield. The trip resulted from a jest about hiking to Portland and if the men make the journey they are to ride home on "the cushions."

"We would like to go on indefinitely if we always had genial Elks to entertain us and plenty of thrifty communities to pass through," said the men this morning. "Our trek through the bad lands was anything but pleasant."

The young fellows will rest here today and be in fit form to continue what is really the last lap of their long journey tomorrow.

### QUARTETTE.

Messrs. Bramwell, Davis, Stoddard and Ferrin at Sherry's Tuesday night.

### DON'T TELEPHONE, READ.

During the life time of the national convention at Chicago the observer will not answer telephone calls as to the outcome in the coliseum. This decision is reached by sheer force of necessity for even this early in the week calls have been so numerous as to occupy the time of one individual almost exclusively.

That the public may keep in touch from hour to hour with what "breaks" the Observer will conduct a bulletin board service at the office on Sixth street where those interested will be kept in touch.

### BAKER TRIMS HAINES.

**Local Twirler Working for Haines Strikes Out 14 Men.**

Baker, June 17.—The Baker club in the Eastern Oregon league vanquished Haines yesterday in a game wherein Waldo Geddes, twirling for Haines, struck out 14 Bakerites and then lost the game. The support was bad for the La Grander. The final score was 2-3.

Union and North Powder didn't meet on account of wet grounds.

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping rooms. 1914 Third street. 6-14-2t

**The Diver, the Servant and the Man.**

This strong allegorical drama is founded upon the well known story of the "Diver and the Servant in the House" and will be seen at Sherry's Monday and Tuesday. This with three other good pictures, "The Trail of Gold," presenting Ruth Roland, in a clever western drama, by the Kalem company, and "Dream Dances," performed by Virginia Myers, a baby girl of five years and produced by the Edison company, and last but not least, "How Patrick's Eyes Were Opened" by the aid of a "projecto-optican," an instrument that can be attached to the phone enabling him to see the person that he was conversing with, make an interesting program that will be enjoyed by all who see it.

### Notice for Sale of Improvement Bonds

Notice is hereby given that the city of La Grande, Union county, Oregon, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of improvement bonds in the sum of \$13,062.35, bonds in denomination of \$500.00 each, bearing 6 per cent interest per annum, up to 5 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, June 19th, 1912; said bids to be filed with the recorder of the city and to be accompanied by a certified check for 5 per cent of the amount bid. The successful bidder will be required to pay for said bonds within ten days after notice that said bonds are ready for delivery.

Recorder of the City of La Grande, C. M. HUMPHREYS,  
 Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon. 6-14-5t

### ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Current events of the world, at Sherry's Monday and Tuesday in Pathe's Weekly. See it every week.

The strawberry and ice cream social to be given by the Bible class will be held Friday, June 21, at the home of Mrs. Albert Hunter, Island City.

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The election of a school director to succeed J. W. Knowles was held this afternoon.

Help the band boys along by attending their dance tomorrow night.

At the corner of Adams and Depot streets, the La Grande band will give a concert Tuesday evening, just before the dance at the Elks club. After hearing the music on the street don't forget to attend the dance.

Remembers the band dance tomorrow night.

Everybody attend the band dance and give the boys a lift.

Mrs. Ralston has moved into her new house on Fifth street.

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# An Investment Or A Home

There is a difference between an investment or a home but when you can combine the two you have something extraordinary.

I have it!

160 acres every foot first class land, three living creeks running through it, 25 acres in meadow, 8 acres in clover, a family orchard just the right size for a general all around farm. Fair house and large barn, 110 acres under cultivation. This farm lays just right, you would think it was level as a floor, but it has just enough slope to provide proper drainage and ample water to irrigate when needed. Natural alfalfa land, plenty of wood for fuel for several years. 1 1-2 miles from churches, schools, lodges, R. E. D. within two hundred yards. The place for the man who wants to grow hogs, run a few cows, raise a few colts every year, grow a good garden, raise his own hay and sell some besides, live in a splendid neighborhood, where the things that we all love and desire are already established. You are not pioneering when you buy a home like this. I know of nothing at the price in this valley as good as this. I mean it. I have sold three genuine bargains through advertising during the month of May. I do not permit my ads to raise false hopes that the property when seen does not warrant.

Here is an opportunity that will not be on the market long.


## Geo. H. Currey

### Real Estate

## TWO OF A KIND

are very tempting, if they be two plates of our pure, delicious and refreshing Ice Cream, which we guarantee to be perfect in every respect.

**Selder's - La Grande**



## S.S.S. CURES OLD SORES

If an old sore existed simply because the flesh was diseased at that particular spot, it would be an easy matter to apply some remedy directly to the place that would kill the germs; or the diseased flesh might be removed by a surgical operation and a cure effected. But the very fact that old sores resist every form of local or external treatment, and even return after being cut away, shows that back of them is a morbid cause which must be removed before a cure can result. Just as long as the pollution continues in the blood, the ulcer remains an open cesspool for the deposit of impurities which the circulation throws off. S. S. S. cures Old Sores by purifying the blood. It removes every trace of impurity and taint from the circulation, and thus completely does away with the cause. When S. S. S. has cleansed the blood, the sore begins to heal, and it is not a surface cure, but the healing process begins at the bottom; soon the discharge ceases, the inflammation leaves, and the place fills in with firm, healthy flesh. Under the purifying and tonic effects of S. S. S. the system is built up, and those whose health has been impaired by the drain and worry of an old sore will be doubly benefited by its use. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

**THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.**

## UNION COUNTY ABSTRACTS

J. R. OLIVER, Proprietor

The Reliable Abstract firm of Union County.

**FIRE INSURANCE, MORTGAGE LOANS**

More efforts have been made by good men and women to stop the evil of child labor, and after an agitation lasting to the present day, the present congress established a federal bureau to investigate conditions. The existing conditions are shown admirably conceived and bring home their lesson in a forceful way. Vibrant with feeling and the touch that makes the whole world kin, and with a wonderful climax which makes us feel the weight of the poem's words, "But the child's sob in the silence curses deeper

Than the strong man in his wrath." Shown at the Elite theatre for the last time tonight.

Don't fail to see "The Cry of the Children" at the Elite tonight.

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**LA GRANDE DRUGGIST DESERVES PRAISE.**

A. T. Hill deserves praise from La Grande people for introducing here the simple buckthorn bark and glycerine mixture, known as Adler's-Ka. This simple German remedy first became famous by curing appendicitis and it has now been discovered that A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY. It is the only remedy which never fails. A. T. Hill, Proprietor.