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# DIGBY BELL IN FINE FILM

In "Father and the Boys," a five-reel comedy featuring Digby Bell, which will be presented at the Arcade soon, the Universal has produced a rip-roaring comedy which should make the younger generation of high rollers take another look at dad. It tells how a foxy old grandpa comes back to life, breaks the bank in the roulette game in his own home and runs off with the prettiest girl in the bunch of society belles who make a polite gambling den of his home. Incidentally he teaches his sons a wholesome lesson.—Adv.

### Sheriff Closes Confectionery.

Silverton, Or., Jan. 18.—Sheriff William Each of Salem closed the Palm confectionery on Saturday on behalf of creditors. Ben Rosheim, the proprietor, was not in the city when the place was closed up. The business was conducted in the name of Mrs. Ben Rosheim.

### Challenge Issued.

In a challenge issued to other tire manufacturers, the B. F. Goodrich company of Akron, Ohio, declared itself willing to throw open its books and records to an independent audit company if other companies will do the same, that the Goodrich company may prove it manufactures more automobile and truck tires combined than any other concern in America. The challenge states that the Goodrich company manufactured in this last year more than 2,950,000 tires.

The formal wording of the challenge follows: "To any rubber or tire manufacturing concern which claims production and sale of as many auto and truck tires combined (by any or all of its United States factories) as were produced and sold by the Akron, Ohio, factory of the B. F. Goodrich company during the latest fiscal year of each we extend this challenge.

"We will throw open our books and records of tire manufacture and sale to a fair and impartial audit, supervised by a committee of three to be mutually agreed upon, provided the competing tire concern or concerns will do the same.

"We will abide by the result of that audit, and agree that all rubber or tire concerns who are parties thereto be free to publish the certified findings of that audit as to the comparative volume of each company's combined auto and truck tire production and sale.

"We confine the audit to the production and sale of auto and truck tires combined to those made in the American (U. S. A.) factories of each concern, thus excluding our own, foreign factory and the foreign factories of all competitors.

"We do this because of the volume of these foreign factories cannot materially help in lowering the cost of production and the selling of tires, as made by the American factories of each, and because some American rubber concerns have no foreign factories.

"We claim and know that the Akron, Ohio, factory of the B. F. Goodrich company makes and sells more auto and truck tires combined than any other rubber factory in America (U. S. A.) or any rubber company which operates five or more tire and rubber factories in the United States.

"We extend this open challenge to all doubters and all tire advertisers, who should now either justify their claims for the largest volume by accepting this fair challenge or cease making such misleading claims."

Supplementary to the challenge is a statement issued by the B. F. Goodrich company in which it denies certain reports that it had abandoned the manufacturing of white rubber tires because of prohibitive war prices for white pigment, or for other reasons, and is building the so-called black tread "barefoot" tire as a substitute. To support the denial the company declares it has tons of white ingredients necessary to build white rubber tires on hand at market prices, and that it knows where plenty more is available.

## NEW PROBLEMS ARE MET

BOX CARS USED TO HOUSE O.-W. EMPLOYEES.

Pilot Rock Junction to Employ About 50 Mechanics.

Problems and conditions at Pilot Rock Junction, the new passenger engine terminal, are being met as they come up. Many points along the line are contributing toward the personnel of the permanent crews required to handle the work there. About 50 machinists and boiler makers are to be employed there, and these are taken from Umatilla, Pendleton chiefly. One machinist and a boiler maker goes from here.

Box cars have been fitted up to house employees at the terminal. A big barn has been fitted up into a rooming and boarding house, and a few substantial residences are contemplated by employees especially. While crude the facilities are said to be comfortable and keep the men warm and well fed.

Chief Hostler Joe Baker has been sent to Pilot Rock while Del Jackson is laid up from the exposure suffered a day or two ago when he tumbled into the cinder pit and lay exposed to the cold for a number of hours.

No. 17, as well as other west-bound trains, are hoary monsters when they pull into La Grande. Running gears

are invariably solidly covered with ice and snow and it requires considerable time to get the steam going when they keep steam up in the coaches and pullmans.

### War News of One Year Ago

The Russian offensive toward Posen and southern East Prussia gained momentum. Angry England demanded reprisals for German air raids on undefended British towns. Hungary's secession from Austria and Franz Joseph's abdication when Italy enters the war, were predicted at Fiume, Austria.

### University Regents in Session.

Eugene, Jan. 18.—The board of regents of the University of Oregon met today in Johnson hall for their regular first semester meeting. Robert S. Bean, president of the board, presided. Reports were read by President P. L. Campbell on the condition of the institution and the budget for the coming year was presented. Ellis F. Lawrence, of Portland, and head of the school of architecture, presented tentative sketches for the proposed addition to the group of buildings on the campus. The building, it is planned, will house the departments of law, architecture and education.

# "Save The Pennies"

Isn't it surprising how many one cent pieces that you can save by purchasing your little every-day needs at The United Store?

Dress Fasteners, per card	2c	Rickrack Braid, all sizes	8c
Linen Tape, all sizes, bolt	2c	Feather Stitch Braid	4c
Safety Pins, No. 2 size, a dozen	2c	Library Paste or Mucilage	4c
Lava Soap, large size	8c	Tattooing Shuttles, all kinds	8c
Hooks and eyes, 4 dozen	5c	Shinola Shoe Polish	6c
Wilson's Hooks and Eyes, card	8c	Peroxide, 8 ounce size	9c
William's Shaving Soap, per cake	4c	Peroxide Cream	10c
Colgate's Shaving Stick or Powder	19c	Palolive Soap	8c
Colgate's Tooth Paste	8c	"3-in-1" Machine Oil	8c
Colgate's Talcum, all odors, can	12c	Fine Mesh, extra large hair nets	5c
Mennen's Talcum, can	12c	Coat's Mercerized Crochet Thread	5c to 10c
Pearl Buttons, all sizes, dozen	3c	Envelopes	4c
Pins, 200 to paper	1c	Wash Ribbon, size No. 2, 5 yard bolts	8c
Darning cotton, spool	1c	5c Lead Pencils	1c
Coat's Thread, spool	4c	Common Pins, 300 to paper	4c
Corticelles' Silk Thread, 200 yards, spool	6c	Cube Pins	4c
Bias Binding, 6 yard pieces	5c	Collar Stays, per card	4c
Corylopsis' Talcum, per can	4c	Picture Wire a Coil	4c
Gold Metal Tooth Picks	4c	Tooth Brushes	5c
Kid Curlers	4c	Large 10c value Scratch Tablets	8c
Needles, per package	4c	Men's arm Bands	2c
Sacony Yarn, per skein	5c	Boston Garters	10c
Hat Elastic, yard	5c	Batchelor Buttons box	8c

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## SHE KNEW AMOS.

And Evidently Amos Was Fairly Well Acquainted With Her.

The man who takesrolley rides through the country, says a writer in the Boston Advertiser, sees and hears much that is amusing. On one occasion, while I was riding through the outskirts of Amesbury, an old lady—but a decidedly spry one—halled the car. She was accompanied down to the road from the house by a young woman, possibly her daughter.

The older woman put her foot on the lower running board, grasped the upright and was about to climb into the car when she turned to the young woman and said:

"Don't forget that gingerbread in the oven, Liza. You know pa just hates burnt gingerbread."

"All aboard!" shouted the conductor. But the old lady paid no attention to him.

"And, Liza," she continued, "when you pick up the eggs, bimbe, look out for that Rhode Island Red that wants to set. She'll peck you if you ain't careful."

"All aboard!" again shouted the conductor, but as the old lady proceeded to climb on to the car she paused long enough to say to him: "Ye can't scare me, Amos. I've known ye ever since ye was knee high."

Amos grinned, pulled the bell, and we were on our way.

### What Happened to Him.

"Ever been arrested for speeding?" "No."

"Ever tried to climb a telegraph pole with your car?" "No."

"Ever have it turn turtle on you?" "No."

"Ever have to fix a tire all by yourself?" "No, can't say that I have."

"Great Scott, man! Hasn't anything happened to you that happens to all other motorists?"

"Oh, yes. I've had a robe and three lamps stolen."—Detroit Free Press.

Queer Way to Display a Trousseau. An Arabian bride is arrayed in all her dresses, one over the other. She is perched on a high stool, so that they all hang down over it, and one by one they are taken off with much display and admiring comment from the guests. The last is, of course, the most beautiful. The bridegroom is hidden in some corner where he can see his future wife's dowry, which, however, he may not touch.

Beat Him to It. "As I was sitting in the crowded car coming out home tonight," said Warner at the dinner table, "a woman entered and stood almost exactly in front of me."

"And you got up and gave her your seat?" queried his wife.

"No," replied Warner; "another fellow got ahead of me. But I had to wait five minutes for him."—New York Globe.

Revenge is Sweet. He (after the quarrel)—I suppose you are going back to your mother's? She (triumphantly)—I shall do no such thing. On the contrary, I am going to the most expensive hotel I can find and let them send you the bill.—Richmond Times Dispatch.

Mistakes. Let not your mistakes and false steps embarrass you. Nothing is so valuable in experience as the consciousness of one's errors. This is one of the cardinal means of self education.

For Release Later. Willie—What does postponing the evil day mean, dad? Dad—When a politician says: "Nothing today, but I'll have a statement later."—Judge.

Volcanic Ashes. The ashes from Luzon's occasionally active volcanoes fertilize the soil and enable the Philippines to produce the world's finest hemp.

He that strikes my dog would strike me if he durst.

## FRIE IN PASSIC.

Pasic, N. J., Jan. 19.—Fire starting in the Woolworth store burned several buildings, left fifty families homeless and paralyzed factories. The damage is a half million.

## RAILROAD BILL CONSIDERED.

Chamberlain's Measure Concerning Land Grant Under Discussion.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The Public Lands committee is considering Geo. E. Chamberlain's railroad land grant bill for Oregon.

## Sheepowners Suffer Losses.

Roseburg, Or., Jan. 18.—Stockmen in Douglas county fear that half of the sheep in the county will perish as the result of recent storms. Reports from the larger flocks show heavy losses already, and there is no promise of abatement in the weather, and there is great lack of feed. There are about 20,000 sheep in the county. To add to the seriousness of the situation, lambing has started, and the young are frequently dying, where they have

not the very best of care and protection. James Ellison, a buyer for E. G. Young & Co., claims that the loss is already very heavy in the Oakland and Calapooia district.

## MAN HUNTS FOR TEAM.

Dairyman Spends Long Cold Hours Out of Doors—Likewise Team.

W. I. Wheatley, proprietor of the Lone Pine dairy, put in several bitterly cold hours last night hunting for his delivery team; during the same space of time, the team was hunting a warm and sheltered spot to stand in. Along about midnight J. G. Snodgrass investigated a noise in his alley off Washington and First and discovered a driverless team trotting up and down the alley. Some times it varied the performance by going around the block but invariably coming back to the alley. While Mr. Snodgrass was telephoning to the police the owner got into touch with a wind that would drive both man and beast, ordinarily, into seclusion and shelter.

# ARCADE THEATRE

To-day and To-morrow

A Blender Program  
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# A Local Copper Mine

An interesting discovery was made public when A Newlin of the La Grande Pharmacy stated that his firm has on display 1000 new Pennies fresh from the mint, and that one of these will be given with each purchase of 5c or over made by every boy or girl. See them in the window.

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