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The Selling of Mid-Summer Merchandise is Quickening the Already Rapid Strides of This Busy Store

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La Grande, Oregon

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Several Cases on Record of Prominent People Who Have Doubled.

"A Man of Sorrow," the William Fox production starring William Farnum, is based on the celebrated stage success, "Hoodlum Blind." It deals with a man who marries one of two sisters who look exactly alike. When he discovers his sister-in-law in the

arms of a stranger he assumes that she is his wife and leaves home. After wandering from place to place in an effort to find a place for his grief, he eventually comes upon the sister-in-law, who informs him of the fraud which has been perpetrated on him. Needless to say, such a situation is one of the utmost dramatic value, nor has it been confined to the screen or stage. There are several cases on record in actual life in which the lives of people have been blighted through mistakes in identity. Running at

TIMBER DEALS OF BIG SIZE

NEARLY A BILLION FEET HAVE CHANGED HANDS.

Prospects for New Mill at Austin Reported To Be Bright.

Baker, July 6.—Hundreds of millions and perhaps a billion feet of timber are being taken up in deals being made along the Middle Fork of the John Day river, lying between Austin and Susanville, which promise not only a continuance of the present lumber boom but a development that may make the present activity look small. This also has caused many rumors in regard to new railroads or extensions of present lines but they cannot be verified at present.

Two sets of deals for timber lying practically adjacent are being put through, in fact some of the work has already been done and deeds filed in the Grant county court house at Canyon City. These deals are for 5,000 acres of timber along the river west of the Grant county border. While the deeds call for only 5,000 acres they are said to control nearly 35,000 acres, with hundreds of millions of feet of timber, together ready for working. The deeds are in the name of Charles T. Early, who is manager of the Oregon Lumber company.

The land adjoins to the west that from which will be sold timber by the government in 90 days and which Frank B. Mitchell plans to bid on. In this tract 124,000,000 feet are today being advertised and another lot of equal or larger size is said to be advertised very soon.

That he has already commenced negotiations for a planing mill and yard site in McCrary's addition, west of the Sumpter Valley railroad tracks, to be closed if he secures possession of approximately 300,000,000 feet of government timber on land drained by the Middle Fork of the John Day river, for which he will be the chief bidder, was the statement this morning of Mr. Mitchell. A sawmill at Austin with a daily capacity of from 50,000 to 75,000 feet, is included in his plans. Mr. Mitchell estimates that the timber will cost in the neighborhood of \$750,000, with \$65,000 for an eight mile logging railroad and equipment and at least \$30,000 for the Austin mill. Other details have not been worked out.

Contradicting rumors that he was representing the Oregon Lumber company, Mr. Mitchell denied that he represented any local concern and asserted that the purchase of the timber and mill operations, will constitute an independent deal, on which he has been working for more than a year. He intended, he said, to have things in shape to start operations this spring, but that negotiations with the government required 16 months time. If successful in securing the timber he hopes to commence logging early in 1917. The available timber, he believes, should furnish work for the mill, as planned, for a period of 24 years.

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