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when Sargeant is liberated by a pardon from the governor, resulting in a happy reunion between the two leading characters.

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Thickest Tree Trunk.

The thickest tree trunk is said to be that of *Adansonia digitata*, called the Taobob tree, a native of Africa. The trunks are sometimes more than 30 feet in diameter and the tree never more than 60 feet high. Strictly tropical, but grown in the extreme south of Florida.

D. J. McLennan and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McKennon, of La Grande, were registered at the Multnomah hotel yesterday.

"YOUR SISTER EXECUTED TODAY," CENSOR WROTE

Germany Let Letter Telling of the Hunger Go Through After Adding That Line.

An account of German cruelty that is almost unbelievable came through the mails to a resident of Wilmington, Del. That it was allowed to pass the German censor, it is believed, is due to the fact that the individual handling this piece of mail desired to impress upon the world at large the punishment the German government imposes upon those who question the kaiser's authority or opinion.

The letter came from a German woman whose sister is one of that city's most respected residents. The writer said there was a lack of food of all kinds in Germany, that what they had was of an inferior quality and that old people were dying because of a lack of nourishment. The writer referred to the pitiful sights in German homes where there are children. She said the people were aroused to a point of desperation over the food situation and that they felt that their loved ones were being sacrificed to Prussian pride. They placed the blame on the kaiser.

Further on the writer said she had suffered so much and her family had been so reduced by the want of food that she felt as though she could kill the kaiser if she found the opportunity.

All these details the German censor permitted to pass.

Then at the bottom of the letter was a line signed "The Censor." "Your sister was executed this morning," this line read.

PRINCETON'S RESERVE UNIT.

War Department Recognizes University's 900 Students Now Drilling.

The 900 students who are taking infantry drill work at Princeton university have now been officially recognized as a reserve officers' training corps unit by the war department. This news, joyously received by the undergraduates, came from Adjutant General McCane in reply to a request made by the university authorities about a week ago that such a unit be established here.

Classes will be conducted as usual at Princeton, but it is the intention of the faculty to give all the time possible for military instruction. Permission will be given those men who intend to take the examinations for commissions this spring to drop one of their courses, and the requirements of the other courses will probably be somewhat lightened.

SENATOR CHAMBERLAIN URGES GOOD ROADS

Oregonian News Bureau, Washington, April 24.—(Special).—Senator Chamberlain today expressed his hearty approval of the proposal to build hard-surfaced modern roads in Oregon paralleling the Pacific Coast. He declared that such roads through all the Pacific Coast states would be of the greatest military importance. "While not familiar with the details of the Oregon road plan," said Senator Chamberlain, "as I understand it, that plan will provide roads which, from a military standpoint, are most necessary. But, as a matter of fact, we should have such roads paralleling the Coast line from Canada to Mexico. First-class hard-surfaced roads would afford ready facility for transporting both troops and supplies up and down the Pacific Coast in the event of military activity on that Coast and would greatly augment the railroad.

"Roads such as these would have the highest strategic value and ought to be built, but I do not believe the Federal Government at this time has the money to build them."

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ARCADE

House Peters and Barbara Tennant in Stirring Picture.

The story of the World Film production, "The Closed Road," with House Peters and Barbara Tennant in the leading roles will be the attraction at the Arcade theatre today and tomorrow. The picture opens with two New York physicians congratulating each other upon the almost certain discovery by Dr. Annersley of a cure for cancer. Julia, the doctor's sister, enters and states that she left Griswold, an admirer, at the door. Her brother explains to her that the reason he did not enter was because for some time he has owed him a debt of

honor and has failed to pay it.

Dr. Annersley writes Griswold demanding payment within twenty-four hours, threatening physical violence in the event of his failure to pay. A short time later Griswold is found murdered in his apartment. The threatening letter from Dr. Annersley and the doctor's pistol are found in the room. Annersley is arrested and circumstantial evidence fastens the crime upon him. How his sister Julia succeeds in having him freed, and having Frank Sargeant, whose doctor has informed him he would not live two months on account of the weakened condition of his heart, take the blame for the crime later tracing the murder to old Dr. Appledan, who confesses that he gave Griswold an overdose of medicine and used the pistol merely to divert suspicion, forms an amazingly and wonderfully dramatic story, which ends happily

The Spring Poet is Still on the Job. Hear Him Rave.



Inside Stuff

EVERY MOTHER'S BLESSED SON NOW MUST LEARN TO SHOOT A GUN, AND PRACTICE HALF A YEAR THE ART O'DITCHIN'— BUT IT'S SONNY'S FIRM INSIDES THAT MUST TURN OUR BATTLES' TIDES; NATIONAL SAFETY THEREFORE HANGS ON MOTHER'S KITCHEN.

and once more

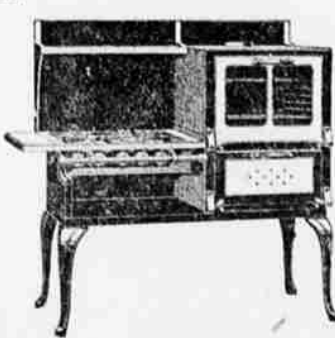
The Old Coal Stove

THE OLD COAL STOVE THAT GRANDMOTHER USED HAD ASHES AND CINDERS AND DUST; AND A COAL HOD, A POKER, A SHOVEL AND TONGS, ALL GRIMY AND COATED WITH RUST. WHEN GRANDPA GOT UP IN THE MORN WITH A GROUCH, HE'D PULL ON HIS PANTS WITH A JERK, AND CUSS LIKE A TROOPER 'CAUSE THE FIRE WAS OUT— POOR GRAMPY WAS LATE AT HIS WORK.

NOW MOTHER'S RANGE IS ELECTRIC OR GAS, A MODEL OF BEAUTY AND GRACE. NO ASHES TO MAR THE LINOLEUMED FLOOR, NO DUST THE WHITE WALLS TO DEFACE. WHEN DADDY GETS UP, HE WHISTLES AND SINGS, AND SMILES WHILE THE RICH COFFEE "PERCS;" HE TUCKS A GOOD BREAKFAST RIGHT UNDER HIS BELT, HE'S JOHN ON THE SPOT AT THE WORKS.



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High Schools Will Debate.

Debating teams from Silverton and Joseph high schools, winners in a field of 72 contestants, will decide the state championship in a contest at Eugene on the evening of May 11. The subject of the debate is compulsory health insurance. All expenses of the two teams will be met by the University, and to the winner will go possession, for one year, of the annual University of Oregon state championship cup.

Proper Food for Weak Stomachs.

The proper food for one may be all wrong for another. Every one should adopt a diet suited to his age and occupation. Those who have weak stomachs need to be especially careful and should eat slowly and masticate their food thoroughly. It is also important that they keep their bowels regular. When they become constipated or when they feel dull and stupid after eating, they should take Chamberlain's Tablets to strengthen the stomach and move the bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect.—Adv.

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