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pleasure in presenting this remarkable attraction to its patrons today and tomorrow. "The Red Woman," is the latest World Picture Brady-Made.

Mr. Al Stewart, formerly with the J. D. Lynch Co., but now employed as Train Dispatcher at Pocatello is here for a few days superintending the shipping of his household goods.



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In "The Birth Of a Nation"

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- REGISTRATION BEGINS OCTOBER 8, 1917. Information on request. Address, Registrar, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oregon.

SPANISH ACT A REAL NOVELTY

The charm of old Madrid, the light and laughter of the gilded salon, the vivacity and gaily begowned señoritas, and the peculiar charm of real Spanish music will be the attraction at the Arcade Theatre on Friday, August 24th in the form of Sananes Famous Spanish Troubadours one of the finest and perhaps the only Spanish act ever offered in La Grande. They are real Castilians and born musicians. In song dance or instrumental numbers they show the real artist thru and thru, they are just about as evenly balanced company of entertainers as one could find. Their evening's entertainment is considerably diversified, consisting of Grand Opera selections, popular and ragtime songs, interspersed with native classic and Egyptian dancing. Nello Villa, tenor and feature with the show is a marvelous singer, words can hardly express his wonderful ability, Carlos Haro, violinist, is a pupil of the far famed, spanish master Sarasate, and promises to rival his master as a musician. Signor De Leon pianist is equally brilliant on this instrument. Varda the Egyptian and Classic Dancer is wonderfully winsome and graceful in her presentations. Senorita De Leon is a pleasing little qoubrette and wins the hearts of the audience by the clever presentation of her popular and ragtime numbers. It's a show that will please all and should not be missed, there will be two shows at night only.

Sports---

LAJOE MAY AGAIN BE BIG LEAGURER

By H. C. HAMILTON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
New York, Aug. 22—Nap Lajoie's success as a manager in the International league, and the recovery of his



AT THE ARCADE THEATRE TO- DAY AND TOMORROW

batting eye are almost certain to drag the veteran back into the big league. Several clubs are known to have approached the baseball powers with a view to getting Lajoie, and at least one club has made him a tentative offer to manage it next year.

Lajoie is satisfied with his lot in Toronto. He is well liked there. His team has been in the pennant fight all the way, and the club has been prosperous. Hence, he isn't figuring very heavily on leaving. The amount of money offered him for his work as a big leaguer, however, is expected to have its effect. And there are clubs who are ready to put up a big price for the Frenchman's service.

Toronto is expected in baseball circles to have an American league club before many seasons pass. In fact it is confidently expected the transfer will be made this winter. If Lajoie could be given the managership if this aggregation, or even if he were given a berth as a player he probably would be satisfied. It may come to pass that such an arrangement could be made.

The injury to Buck Weaver probably will be pointed out as the reason if the White Sox fail to win the American league pennant. The Chicagoans could not have been struck in a more vital point.

Weaver's aggressive playing, his heady work on the field, inspiration to his fellows, and a faculty to hit in the pinches make him one of the best infielders in the game. At third base he is the equal, if not the peer, of any fielding that station.

The Sox could have suffered the loss of Eddie Collins as well as Weaver. Reports indicate Weaver will be back in the game in two weeks, but those two weeks, with the difference in the playing of McMullen and Weaver may mean a pennant.

However, Comisky and Pants Rowland can take solace in the recollection that Charlie Deal substituted so well for Red Smith in 1914 that the Braves won a pennant and a world's championship. Smith broke his leg shortly before the end of that National league session. He was one of the heaviest hitters the Braves possessed.

ELECT G. A. R. OFFICERS

Boston, Aug. 22—(By United Press)—The general business meeting and election of officers of the G. A. R., national reunion are scheduled for today.

This evening the Grand Campfire will take place in Mechanics Building. Trooping of the colors, a ceremony dear to the heart of every soldier, will be one of the features of the evening.

The principal speakers will be Governor McCall, Mayor Curley of Boston and William J. Patterson, Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army. Others who will take prominent parts in the program are Senior Vice Commander-in-Chief W. H. Westend of Kansas City, Mo., and Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief E. A. Russ of New Orleans, La.

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Only One "Birth of a Nation" It Is The Film Supreme

Others may come and others may go—but there is only one Birth Of a Nation. And any other attempt proves to be only an ineffective parody on the original.

As an old Southern darkey, after seeing it, remarked—(with his eyes all "bugged" out and the frightful memory of the Ku Klux Klan revived again in his superstitious Ethiopian hear)—"Tha don't NEED to be no udder—DIS one am plum sufficient!"

The wife of Nero is quoted by historians as having said: "May he never have a son, that there be but one Nero." and some such resolve must have taken possession of Mr. Griffith when, after having labored unceasingly for nearly a year, fought and begged threatened and coaxed performers by the thousands and squandered more than a half million dollars in its making—he looked upon his marvelous handiwork and saw that it was good and richly worth all he had expended upon it in every way.

Very few if any, of the many millions who have witnessed it since that epoch-making day, will do other than enthusiastically echo the producer's words.

The Birth Of a Nation is the spectacle supreme of all times in America. This sensation will be presented at the Arcade theatre, Tuesday, August 28th, for one day only. The prices will be: Matinee Children 25c; Adults 50c; Evenings, lower floor 50c and 75c Balcony 50c. All seats will be reserved for the evening performance. They will be placed on sale at the theatre Saturday.

Due to the length of the show there will be only one showing in the afternoon and one in the evening. This is probably the last time this picture will be shown here and it is urged that the orders for tickets come in as early as possible to assure everyone who wishes a chance to see this wonderful picture that their tickets will be held for them.

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