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Deadly Tarantula Scourge of Tropical Countries.

"The Tarantula," the Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature to be shown at the Sherry Theatre, tomorrow only is well named. The title role of the story is played by one of the large spiders which are so feared in tropical countries.

The disease tarantism has been attributed to this species of the spider although no authentic proof of this fact has ever been secured.

Unlike most of his kind, the tarantula weaves no web in which to ensnare his prey, but seeks it like other larger animals. His home is a hole burrowed in the ground with a silky lining in order to protect himself from being hemmed in by pieces of falling earth.

These spiders, which are about the size of a walnut, are the scourge of the countries in which they are found and their bites have been fatal in a great many instances. The poison glands are concealed in the lower region of the head from where the fangs protrude.

It is said that the only cure for the bite of a tarantula is dancing or some similar violent exercise, which will exhaust the victim and cause them to perspire. In this way the poison leaves the system and their chances of recovery increase accordingly.

Today (Friday) is the last showing of Theda Bara in Her Own Play "The Soul of Buddha." The many admirers of Miss Bara will find much to interest them in this mystical story of the Orient.

LADD CANYON SHOWERS BRIDE

BENEFIT DANCE IS LARGELY ATTENDED—MRS. COUNSELL GIVES BIRTHDAY DINNER—THE RED

LADD CANYON, May 17th, (Special.)—(Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fleids held a very enjoyable dance at their home Saturday evening and a large crowd was in attendance. They served a nice supper and donated a nice little sum to the Ladd Canyon Auxiliary of the Red Cross, which was gratefully received.

We intend having another Red Cross benefit dance in the old school house next Saturday evening, May 18 and hope all those who wish to attend will feel welcome. A nice supper will be served and very good music has been obtained.

Near all the ladies of the neighborhood assembled at the D. W. Miller home last Thursday afternoon for two purposes. It was Red Cross and Get-together Club day and much sewing was to be done and a kitchen shower was to be given for Mrs. Roy Titus, the eldest daughter of the Millers who was recently married. It was the first opportunity they had gotten for the shower, Mrs. Titus receiving several dozen very nice articles, and was indeed happily surprised. Mrs. Miller closed the afternoon with a tasty luncheon.

Mrs. Dick Peebler will be the next hostess to the Red Cross and Get-together Club members, May 23rd.

Mrs. Rex Conaway has been at Spokane the past week where she is having medical treatments. Neighbors hope she will return with better health.

Mrs. Mary Counsell gave a birthday dinner for her daughter, Louisa and Mrs. Pearl Stiles of La Grande Sunday. Only relatives of the two families were present and all enjoyed the day.

Special attention given to remodeling, at the Walling Millinery. 5-31f

The Ladies Aid of Island City will serve a cafeteria dinner at the Odd Fellows hall on Primary election day, Friday the seventeenth. Proceeds for the benefit of the Red Cross. 5-14-3f

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ARCADE

Pauline Frederick in "Madame Jealousy"

"The House of Heavy Hours" and "The Garden of Delight" are two of the most delightfully symbolical scenes ever shown on the motion picture screen and form only a small part of the drama "Madame Jealousy," in which Pauline Frederick is starring at the Arcade Theatre.

Today at the Arcade Theatre, Pauline Frederick is starring in her latest Paramount picture, "Madame Jealousy" which was written by George V. Hobart, author of "Experience" and is like "Experience" an absorbingly interesting allegorical play. Other members on the bill include a rattling good comedy called "Look Pleasant Please" with the funny fun maker Harold Lloyd in the leading role. This same program will be presented again Saturday.

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The W. R. C. will hold a special meeting Saturday, April 18, to make preparations for Memorial Day. All members requested to be present. 5-15-31

TO DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

Democratic voters of Union county are requested to write in the name of

ALBERT HUNTER, of Island City, on the Democratic primary election ballot, as candidate for representative for the Twenty-fifth Representative District, including Union county. This request is by order of the Union County DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE. 5-15, 21

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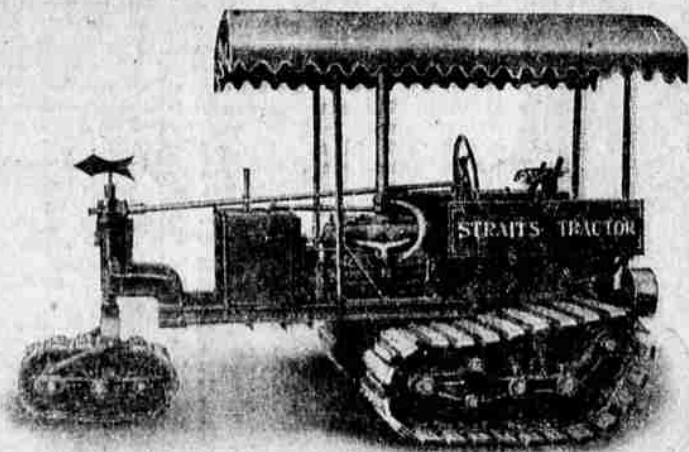
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