

# Our Greatest National Holiday JULY 4th, 1918



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## Hills Department Store

### ARCADE

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The Great Kruger & Co. Two men and a woman present a spectacular novelty number which they bill as "Almost Too Late." It consists of trunk illusions, handcuff mystery, feeling himself after being tied by ropes, and escaping from a straight jacket.

George and Mattie Brown: A talented young man and woman fresh from the fields of musical comedy are presenting for the approval of vaudeville patrons, one of their many comedy ideas which they call "The Misfit Guy," consisting of comedy songs and sayings which have made their name famous.

The Bruces are unquestionably the greatest colored singing and dancing team that has been here for many weeks. From the first to the end of their act there is something doing all the time.

Bert Lennon is a talented young man whose versatility has no limit, and he presents an offering which he bills as the "character impersonator."

These artists will appear at the Arcade Theater tonight.

### SHERRY'S

"LITTLE MISS NO ACCOUNT"

Girl Flees Home on 18th Birthday to Save Fortune.

Heiress to a great estate, but kept in ignorance of the fact and held a prisoner by a step-father and aunt who scheme on her eighteenth birthday to obtain her signature to papers which will give them the property. Patty Baring has a hard time of it. She runs away on her birthday and two men then come into her life. A suave, unscrupulous gambler who tries to win her, and a rising young assistant district attorney who falls in love with her. The gambler all but succeeds, but in the end is unmasked by the prosecutor and Patty gets her fortune and marries the attorney.

Gladys Leslie, one of photoplay's youngest and most beautiful stars, takes the part of Patty and registers even more effectively than she did in "His Own People," and "The Wooing of Princess Pat." Patty is the heroine in "Little Miss No Account," the Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature, which will be the attraction in the Sherry theatre.

Miss Leslie is supported by Frank O'Connor, William Calhoun, Eulalie Jensen, West Jenkins, Richard Wangeman, Carleton King, and Stephen Carr. A comedy also with this bill.

#### NOTICE OF MEETING

All members of the choir of the Presbyterian church are requested to meet promptly at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, and bring their music, as this will be the last rehearsal before the Fourth.

#### IMPORTANT

Everyone selling tickets for Red Cross benefit-Automobile contest, please call at headquarters, Judge Phy's office, this afternoon or evening, as the voting for queen ends to night.

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#### WITH THE HOUSEWIFE

Leafy vegetables have come into new favor. Like milk they give us some kinds of food that we cannot get along without. They are sometimes even called "protective foods." Here are some salads suggested by the United States Food Administration:

**Yellow Tomato Salad.**  
Peel and slice yellow tomatoes, lay them on lettuce leaves, and pour over French dressing.

**Kohlrabi Salad.**  
Peel and cut in two and slice thin, the young kohlrabi; parboil in salt water, pour off and stew in plain water for 25 minutes. Drain and let cool. Serve on lettuce leaves with red mayonnaise.

**Endive Salad.**  
Wash the endive thoroughly and let it stand in ice cold water for an hour. Pour over French dressing made red with paprika.

**Kentucky Salad.**  
Take several heads of crisp white lettuce, remove the hearts and spread the heads flat. Chop equal parts of white cabbage and green peppers and lay on the lettuce. Pour over bacon dressing.

**Soldier's Cough Is Cured.**  
Private Harold Humel, 60th Regiment, Ft. Adams, R. I., writes: "I was troubled with a bad cough for three months. I tried a sample of Foley's Honey and Tar and felt greatly relieved. I have since used two 50c bottles and I recommend Foley's Honey and Tar and will always keep it on hand." Foley's Honey and Tar cures inflamed, irritated surfaces with a soothing, healing coating and relieves coughs, cold, croup and bronchial affections. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

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## FOR A SANE FOURTH. KAISER'S GOLD CUP MELTED FOR RED CROSS

Governor Issues Proclamation Concerning The Subject.  
Governor Withycombe has issued the following proclamation:  
"In view of the unusual fire hazards which now exist due to the prolonged drought and because of the imperative necessity of conserving war materials, I most earnestly appeal to the people of Oregon to refrain as far as possible from the use of firecrackers and other forms of fireworks on the Fourth of July this year, and admonish all to exercise extreme caution and bear in mind the severe penalty of the law for negligence in this connection."  
"At a time of heart darkness, when so many sacrifices are being made for liberty and justice, it should hardly be necessary to recommend a safe, sane and serious anniversary observance of the Declaration of Independence. This is not quite the hour for noise and bluster as the Mayors of Oregon cities and towns have severally proclaimed, in response to a warning recently issued by the State Fire Marshal.



The war fund of the Red Cross was considerably boosted by the gift of a solid gold cup that was given an American by the Kaiser. It has been melted down into bullion and the proceeds devoted to Red Cross work. The Kaiser cup was awarded to an American yachtsman for winning a transatlantic yacht race to Kiel. Two nurses are shown sitting on either side of the Kaiser's gift.

"With all structures, woods and fields extremely sensitive to conflagration there is just now an emergency need for conservation and care which no patriotic person can overlook."  
"Therefore, I do hereby call upon the sheriffs of Oregon to instruct all peace officers in their respective counties to watch, zealously for violations of the law in connection with Fourth of July celebrations not only in the cities and towns, but also in the rural communities and especially at picnic places in the country where momentary carelessness with a single firecracker might destroy a forest or a grainfield."  
JAMES WITHYCOMBE  
Governor.

#### TAKE PAY IN FLOUR

Hoover Making Adjustments With the Mill Men  
WASHINGTON, July 1.—Food Administrator Hoover will investigate the flour millers to average their returns since January 1, and will refund to the government all profits exceeding twenty per cent. The government will take the excess profits in the form of flour at the end of the year.

#### With the Colors

A letter received yesterday from Mood Eckley in France states that he is located for the present in a place where there are apparently soldiers from all parts of the world, but none of them are so well equipped as are the men from the United States. The town is made up of very old buildings and the streets are narrow. In the purchase of supplies the boys run a chance of being "gypped" unless they go to the "Y" where they are protected in prices. According to the heading of the letter he is designated as being "in active service" and had but recently arrived but expected to be removed within a short time to another part of France.

received word from their son, Jess, who is with the hospital unit. He writes that he and all the others are getting along in good shape.  
Glenn Thompson and Claude Wright, of Fruitdale, who volunteered in the truck drivers department in aviation, are still near San Antonio, but expect to receive orders at an early date to go to an eastern point and thence across the pond. Arthur Ash, who enlisted with the same bunch, is still at an encampment in the state of Mississippi.

Mrs. Alford has received another letter direct from her son Eugene, who reports everything O. K. and he is feeling fine.  
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—ARCADE TOMORROW—

## 4--ACTS--4

- 1—Krugan, the Illusionist.
- 2—The Browns, Musical Comedy.
- 3—The Bruces, Colored Duo.
- 4—Bert Lennon, Impersonator.

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