

OFFICE CAT



BY JUNIUS

IT MAY COME TO THIS Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Williamson announce the shooting of their son-in-law...

At liberty After October first R. S. A.

Judging by the lunches she orders at the soda fountain, the average stenographer's stomach must look like a moving picture show.

Our Daily Short Story An aviator dropped out of a plane from an altitude of 1,000 feet, hit on his funny-bone and laughed himself to death.

There are just two things that break up most of the happy homes nowadays.

Women's love for dry goods and man's love for wet goods.

SOPAS AIRE SAID TO LAST ABOUT TWICE AS LONG AS THEY DID BEFORE AUTOS WERE INVENTED.

Just Like Some People. Though the firefly is most brilliant He hasn't any mind— He wanders through creation With his headlight on behind.

Winter styles are here. One season a woman's waist chokes her and the next it trips her.

Thanks. A rather awkward looking individual went into the ice cream parlor the other day and bought an ice cream cone. He went out on the sidewalk to eat it. Presently he appeared with the cone omitted of the cream, and, handing it to the astonished clerk said: "Thank you for this vase."

TO CRIB IS HUMAN, TO GET BY DIVINE.

Around the Circle. I called on my sweetie last night; Her father was out at the club; Her mother was out at the theatre; Her kid brother was out at a party; Her kid sister was out with a chum; The parlor lights were out— She was out with another fellow— I was out 25 cents taxi fare.

If a man dodges juries, he is a peddler; If he dodges taxes, he is a financier; If he dodges responsibility, he is a statesman.

Contents of Hubby's Chiffonier. Lower large drawer— Things you see in a window of a department store during a white goods sale. Drawer above—More feminine apparel. One above that one—Same as the drawer below it. Compartment to the side—Tongs and other things a man doesn't use. Small drawer at top right—Hairpins, combs, etc. Small drawer at top left—His things.

Kansas City Grabs Off Reno's Divorce Laurels

KANSAS CITY (INS)—Not content with forcing Reno, Nevada, long the last precinct of divorce-justice, to hand down its colors in many of its comparatively small number of divorces, Kansas City rushed to enlarge the margin of victory; it now claims the youngest divorcee.

Method of Quake Prediction. WASHINGTON (AP)—Earthquake records cannot be used directly in predicting earthquakes, the Weather Bureau announces, but study of a collection of these records throws a great deal of light on the nature of earthquakes generally, and it is hoped that at some future time this information may lead to successful methods of prediction.

The Hawaiian volcanic observatory of the Weather Bureau utilizes these records and has been instrumental in the saving of life and property. When a violent earthquake that appears to have occurred in the Pacific Ocean is recorded the observatory officials send out warnings by cable and otherwise to the regions likely to be affected. Such earthquakes frequently are attended by so-called tidal waves and there usually is an interval of many hours between the occurrence of the quake and the arrival of the destructive oceanic wave at any given point.

Nashville Banner: One thing which the country needs is a little more familyrehy.

THEATERS

Famed Louisiana Bayou On Screen at Sherry's Theater Today and Tomorrow

For three weeks D. W. Griffith filmed strikingly quaint historical scenes along the Bayou Teche in Western Louisiana for his newest picture, "The White Rose," a United Artists release coming today and tomorrow to the Sherry theater, and then went to Miami, Florida, where he finished the picture. Mr. Griffith had with him Mrs. Marsh, Carol Dempster, Ivor Novello, Neil Hamilton, Lucille La Verne, Porter Strong and other players.

"The White Rose" is a typical story of the old South and it was with no little difficulty that the producer was able to find scenes suited to it. The South has been fairly well cauterized in the march of progress and for a time it looked as if the foremost director would not secure the pastoral backgrounds he sought. The love of the people of the Teche country to preserve and maintain old traditions in life and architecture was of great benefit to Mr. Griffith who found in Western Louisiana the sort of settings he was in need of. There are to be found homes which have stood unimpaired by the touch of modernism for a hundred years. The people have not changed much. In many of the hamlets and towns along the Bayou Teche and where Mr. Griffith covered a range of eighty miles, only French is heard. Little English is spoken in many of these places.

The descendants of the old Acadians who settled in this Teche country when driven out of Nova Scotia by the British in 1755 are keen about continuing in the ways of their forefathers and they gained added inspiration when Longfellow immortalized the Teche land by having "Evangeline" and "Gabriel" pass unscathed along that stream. In St. Martinville the people, who are distinctly French, even keep in reverence an old oak, festooned with Spanish moss and covered by camellia blossoms as a relic of the heroine of Longfellow's poem. They even declare that the girl slept beneath this very tree when her lover passed by in the night. Out of respect to them, Mr. Griffith filmed several episodes with the oak in the background.

Strange Sight Shown In New Picture to Be Shown at Star Today and Friday.

Dramatic suspense, a tale that reveals strange sights never before seen by human eyes and red-blooded nations to set the pulses throbbing are some of the promises made for "Wonders of the Sea," J. E. Williamson's latest undersea picture, which will be presented for the first time in this city at the Star Theatre today and Friday. Add to these a thrilling tale of adventure laid among the mechanical monsters on the "floor" of the ocean" such as characterizes the J. E. Williamson undersea productions, and you have all of the elements which go to make a super-production. Newspaper critics in New York who saw the metropolitan opening at the Biatta and Bivalt Theatres, where it ran for three consecutive weeks, unqualifiedly and unanimously proclaimed this to be Mr. Williamson's greatest screen achievement.

"Wonders of the Sea," a fascinating story actually photographed in the mysteries of the floor of the sea, where adventure leads an oceanographer, a beautiful girl, an artist and a stowaway lad.

swery kind daring in and out of the peculiar tology. The flora and the fauna of undersea life are shown in all their pristine beauty. Here divers fight for their lives with a giant octopus, there is a battle with a deadly eel, the remains of sunken wrecks of ships are investigated, and a lone shark is captured. But the whole story can not be told—it would spoil the most fascinating, thrilling and interesting picture ever shown on the screen.

The swimming of Miss Lulu McGrath, the beautiful nineteen-year-old leading lady of the picture, is an entertainment in itself.

Thirsty Germans Won't Be Denied

BOCHUM, Germany, (AP)—Boycott on beer to bring down the price do not work in Germany because the public is not sufficiently self-sacrificing. Four hundred saloon keepers of Bochum recently agreed to sell no beer because the brewers fixed too high a price. Thirsty customers begged for the lager at any price, and within 24 hours the strike was over and the Wurttemberg flowing again, but at prices so high as to materially reduce sales.

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THE SALVATION ARMY CAMPAIGN STATE ADVISORY BOARD Walter M. Pierce Governor of Oregon Hon. Chairman George L. Baker Mayor of Portland Vice Chairman Statistical Report of Work Done in UNION COUNTY During Last Twelve Months Senior Work— Open Airs Held 291 Open Air Attendance 35,160 Indoor Meetings Held 279 Indoor Attendance 9,826 Conversions 98 Number of Hours of Visitation 770 Number of families Visited 1,726 Junior Work— Meetings Held 78 Attendance 2,860 Conversions 83 This Campaign has been endorsed by the Better Business Men's Bureau, \$1,000.00 to be raised in La Grande, the balance to be raised in the outlying precincts. So it is to upon the people will meet with of the official each year in slogan this year who is direct which has been as to how they deposited in appointed. Representatives call week that they is the desire appeal be made y works. The captain Graves, red a schedule people determine raised will be d a treasurer Relief Work— No. of persons given meals 51 No. of children given toys 250 No. of persons given lodgings 34 No. of families given groceries 202 No. of persons given Christmas dinner 198 No. of persons given relief 1,638 No. of persons given garments 1,735 Total number of persons helped 3,858 Total value of relief given \$1,157.36 UNION COUNTY'S QUOTA, \$2,000 ADJT. & MRS. CHARLES A. PETERSON Officers in Charge 1312 W. Ave., La Grande, Ore. Phone 581-J P. O. Box 421 Dates, November 1 to 10 Union County Quota \$2,000.00