

### What About Your Curtains?

We don't mean to be impertinent, but have you asked yourself that question? If the answer is negative, here is a splendid opportunity to correct it. Curtain values are excellent here now.



### SPORT NEWS

#### La Grande Cagers Not Up To "Scratch" Yet

Showing at Union Saturday Night Revealed Some Early Season Faults.

(By Scoop) Now that the Union game is safely stowed away in the blue and white grab-bag, a few remarks might be made before the squad takes on Elgin high school here Saturday evening in the second inter-scholastic game of the season. Over at Union, according to eye witnesses who are well versed in the ways of basketball, the La Grande team didn't look as good as it should. Coach MacFavish admitted to the writer that the team is far from being in the condition that he expects to have it in on the season.

might be stated that every basketball team looks faulty early in the season to a keen observer and therefore, the Tigers should not be considered as an exception to the rule, but merely one of many teams not going like they should. Footwork Slow. In the course of the local team at Union was just about what could be expected for a first game. That is, the team members snapped and did fall about in an expert way considering the short time for practice preceding the game. One of the most glaring faults was the slow footwork of the La Grande quintette. Had not the passing been up to scratch, the local boys would probably have been defeated for the reason that they seemed almost chained to the floor. The main fault seemed to be that the team members, although individually fast enough,

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### ELGIN BLAZE IS DAMAGING

About \$20,000 Lost Due to Warehouse Fire; Origin of Flames Undetermined.

ELGIN, Or.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a section of the Weatherpoon apple warehouse here and damaged between 20,000 and 25,000 boxes of apples. Damage, as nearly as could be estimated, was between \$15,000 and \$20,000, with fair insurance. The warehouse is the largest in the county.

The blaze was discovered by H. H. Weatherpoon, owner of the building, who sleeps in the central part of it. He closed the refrigerator doors leading out from the section where the fire was and turned in an alarm. Cold weather and snow handicapped the firefighters, and one hydrant had to be thawed out before a second stream of water could be put on the fire.

Mr. Weatherpoon is the heaviest loser. He owned the building and had approximately 34,000 boxes of apples in storage. Fire, smoke and water reached about half of these.

Case Balls Worth \$15,000,000 WASHINGTON (AP)—Approximately 24,000,000 golf balls with a retail value of \$18,000,000 were used by American golfers last year according to officers of a local sporting goods establishment. It has been determined that golf balls need to be aged several months to become durable, it was said, as newly manufactured or "green" balls cut too easily.

Colorado High School Burns. COLORADO SPRINGS, Col. (AP)—Burlington high school at Burlington, Col., 25 miles east of here, built at a cost of \$350,000, was completely destroyed by fire of undetermined origin. Lack of water and fire fighting facilities handicapped firemen.

### THEATERS

"Mark of Zorro" Gives Doug Fairbanks Fine Opportunities—Now at Sherrys.

Those who were fortunate enough to witness Douglas Fairbanks in "The Mark of Zorro," his fourth production for the United Artists yesterday at the Sherry Theatre, departed with that feeling of satisfaction that they had seen by far the best picture in which the vigorous "Doug" had ever appeared.

It can readily be seen that he has spared no expense in the assurance of creating the best theatre to further the cause in entertainment. While excessive expenditure may not be the apex of a successful picture, yet in Fairbanks' case we can surely see it as a criterion. Here is a strong romance, containing love, action and humor dominating for five full reels. We are given a very vivid insight of the times when the grandeur ruled sunny California during the last century before its acquisition into the Union. In this picture "Doug"

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has put more thrills and excitement before our view than he has ever done heretofore. In it we see a replica of the City of Los Angeles as it was a century ago. The "cast" probably must have been constructed at an enormous cost involving many thousands of dollars. Thus this rich background afforded the audience an unusual opportunity to note what California resembled when it was ruled by romance and rapier. Due to the most diligent and careful research work conducted by the Fairbanks organization that was only arrived at after the most cautious deliberation, we are able to preserve the exactness of the customs and picturesque atmosphere prevailing during those times. The plot is most mystifying from start to finish. The love interest though powerful is not as great as the mass of new facts "Doug" is called upon to perform in this vehicle. These stand, apart from being thrilling, having a tendency to provoke great laughter.

"Three Wise Fools" Will Be at Arcade Thursday For 3-Day Run.

A blending of charming comedy, thrilling reality and fascinating romance is promised in Goldwyn's first King Vidor production, "Three Wise Fools," from Austin Strong's popular stage play produced by John Golden and Winchell Smith, when it comes to the Arcade theatre on Thursday for three days. Vidor is known as one of the most gifted of the younger directors. His stories and characters have the aspect of reality without sacrificing romance and charm. In this photoplay he is said to have surpassed his own previous good work. Goldwyn gave him a most capable cast to interpret the story. There is Eleanor Boardman of "Sons of Sales" fame as Sydney Fairbank, daughter of the woman with whom the "three wise fools" had been in love in their youth. She had married another man, and upon her death, gave her daughter to the care of her three old admirers. The three men are played by Claude Gillinwater, William

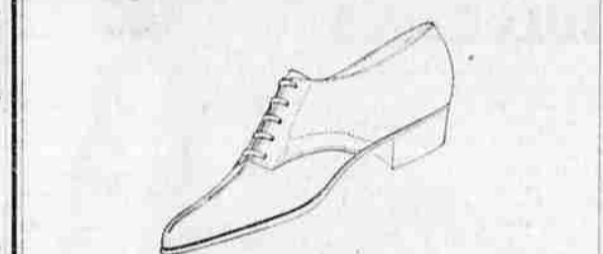
H. Crane, veteran of the stage, and Alice Francis. Others in the cast are John Sainpolis as Sydney's father, William Haines as her assistant, Lucien Littlefield, Zeo St. Pitts, Martha Mattox, Fred J. Butler, Charles Hickman, Craig Riddle, Jr., Orlington Hale and Raymond Hatton.

This picture has one great spectacular scene in which three convicts break jail in an armored motor car which is later wrecked. This scene is guaranteed to furnish thrills a-plenty. The story ends happily with Sydney's father returned to her. The photography is beautifully clear and the scenarios contain many "shots" of charming scenes.

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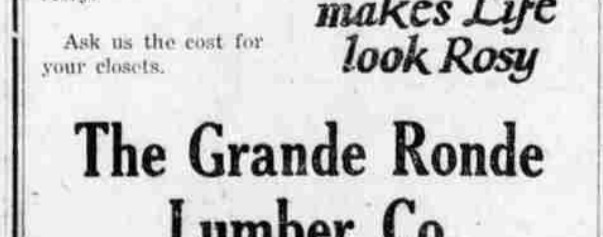
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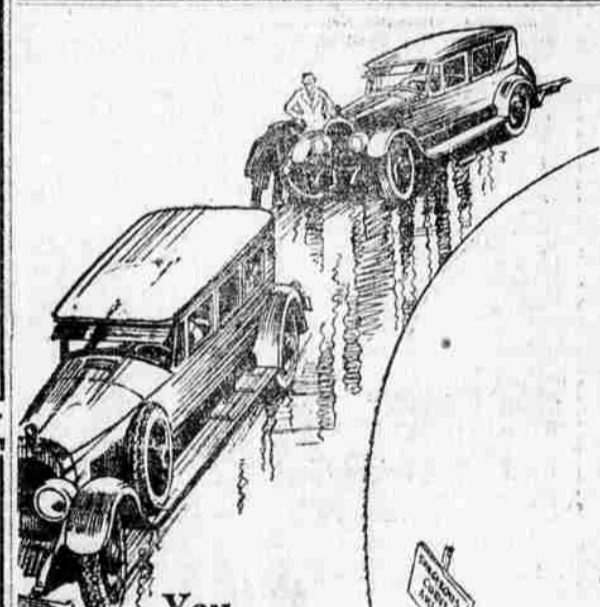
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