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## La Grande Theatres

New Fred Niblo  
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A Big Thrill.

With a highly-entertaining story of passionate love, a background of great scenic beauty, played by a cast of stars and made by one of the industry's cleverest directors, "Thy Name Is Woman," the new Metro picture which comes to the Sherry theatre for two days, beginning tomorrow promises to be one of the most thrilling productions of the year.

It is the latest film to be turned out by Fred Niblo, the director who has such success to his credit as "The Mark of Zorro," "The Three Musketeers," and recently "Strangers of the Night." The cast includes such favorites as Ramon Novarro, Barbara La Marr, Edith Roberts, William V. Mong, Wallace MacDonald, Robert Edeson and Claire McDowell. The picture is taken from Karl Schoenberg's stage play, (the American version of which, by Benjamin Glazer) had a very successful run on Broadway last season, with Mary Nash and Joe Bonomo in the principal roles.

Advance reports on the production declare it to be wonderfully effective in the power and dramatic scope of its various love interests. The story is centered around the beautiful young wife of an old smuggler in the Spanish Pyrenees. A dashing young soldier is sent to make love to her and thus finds the key that will lead to the capture of the crafty land-lord.

Comedy showing, "Why Men Love Me."

"Shell Shocked Sammy" At Sherrys Today Has All-Star Cast.

The attraction at the Sherry theatre will be a Sanford Production featuring Matty Matson in "Shell Shocked Sammy," with an all star cast that includes Vivian Rich, Mary Anderson, Leonard Clapham, Theodore Lorch and a host of other artists.

"Shell Shocked Sammy" is not a war play as the title might indicate, although the leading character was shell shocked in the great war and thus secured his nickname.

The action starts in the present day in New York city, where a retired detective, who served in the great war, is giving a reception to announce the engagement of his daughter. The detective's wife being socially ambitious, has invited only 12 guests, in order that it might be quite exclusive, and being suspicious she is greatly worried when the thirteenth guest invites himself to join the party.

So when Shell Shocked Sammy is uncovered as a burglar and recognized by the detective as his old top sergeant, the detective seizes upon the opportunity of making Sammy the fourteenth guest.

From there on the mysterious thief of \$10,000 in bonds enters

the story and interwoven with an openhearted return to the gangster who returns with the gangster girl to find himself accused as the closer and the thief.

There is a \$10,000 reward for the capture of Sammy, and the rest of the story transpires in the village of Grayville in Tennessee, where a fast and furious story of love, mystery and adventure interwoven with intrigue, snags, thrills and fights, that is said to keep the audience in suspense and completely baffled until the final sequence of the picture.

The story is a real clever one, adequately presented, with an admirable cast, and said to be one of the best pictures of the season.

Comedy showing, "Getting George's Goat."

Tornado of Fun and Entertainment Promised.

Another tornado of furious fun and mischief with two feature attractions, Arthur Maestri & company and George Stanton & girls in a merry mélange of drollery and sprightly melody and dance revues will be seen at the Arcade theatre on Monday.

Arthur Maestri & Co., offers "The Jangleville Junction," a rube ventriloquist ground on which is far above the usual standard of such acts. George Stanton & girls, the added attraction in "All Around Dance Revue" present many styles of classy snappy dances and are without exception one of the out of many who can claim grace, ability and speed. Kelly & Jean will be seen in "The Happy Sap," a comedy and musical offering replete with comedy situations and settings decorated with dancing and musical selections. Art Phillips appears in "The Merry Entertainer" with his bag of novelties.

PERMITS ARE CANCELED  
SALEM, Ore.—Because of the extremely hazardous fire conditions now prevailing throughout the state, Frank S. Elliott, state forester, sent telegrams to all district fire wardens to cancel existing burning permits. The deputy wardens also were instructed not to issue any more of these permits until further orders were received by them from the forestry department.

"The prevailing east winds with the accompanying drying effect due to decreased humidity has created a condition more serious than experienced in Oregon for many years," said Mr. Elliott.

Water in Coquille Conserved  
MYRTLE POINT, Ore.—A gate dam to cost \$1500 will be built on the north fork of the Coquille river at the head of Rock prairie. The McCarthy, Barker and Baxter dams already there do not hold back water enough to force the logs out to tide water.

### USED HOME-MADE GUN IN OLYMPICS



Larsen, of Denmark, probably the most picturesque entrant in the Olympic games as he appeared for the rifle shooting contests carrying a gun he had made by hand. He also used ammunition of his own making.

## SPORT NEWS

### KNOCKOUT WAS A FAIR PUNCH

Motion Pictures of Carpentier-Tunney Fight Reveal That Tunney's Blow Was Not Foul.

NEW YORK (AP)—Motion pictures of the Carpentier-Tunney fight made Thursday night reveal that the blow which felled the Frenchman in the fourteenth round was not foul. Many ring-side spectators had declared the blow to have been below the belt.

Carpentier and Tunney, with their managers, Francois Deschamps and Billy Gibson, and Jack Curley, Carpentier's friend and adviser, attended a public showing of the films at the Broadway theatre, at which Deschamps gave out the following statement:

"I was mistaken over the blow which knocked Carpentier to the floor in the ring, writhing in pain. It was not Tunney's gloved fist that committed the alleged foul blow, it was Tunney's knee."

"We are making this assertion merely to give our side of the battle with no attention to registering any complaint against any officials or the public. We are both satisfied that the referee was fair and honest and meant us no harm and we are satisfied to abide by his decision. In conclusion we hope for a return match with Tunney and feel confident it allowed another chance we can reverse the decision."

Despite promises made by Carpentier before the fight that if he lost to Tunney he would hang up his gloves for good and all, there is every indication that he will continue his ring activities. He is scheduled to meet Jimmy Slattery in Buffalo on August 4.

Tree Falls, Damaging Bridge.

EUGENE, Ore.—Traffic on the only road in the Indian creek valley in the western part of Lane county has been interrupted for a few days by a big fir tree falling across one of the bridges, according to word received yesterday by the county court. The bridge was partially demolished. Immediate repairs were promised.

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### SNAPPY GAME HERE SUNDAY

The national game will be played on the ball grounds near the school house tomorrow afternoon by the pick of the Bowman-Hicks forces and the town material.

The game should furnish some thrills from an exhibition standpoint for the teams will be evenly matched from the advance dope. McInnis, McNew or Oliver will pitch for the La Grande team. With Johnson catching the locals will have a strong battery. McInnis' work is well known here and at various times this season Mac has stepped into the breach and stopped sluggers started by opposing teams. McNew and Oliver are comparative strangers on the local lot but are both rated highly. The rest of the team will be composed of Garby, H. Workman, B. Johns, S. Peterson or Knight B. O'Connell, R. Rowenham, et. Guertson, if.

Bowman-Hicks walloped the Maxville nine last week and are expected to repeat the performance tomorrow.

Some good players will wear the Bowman-Hicks colors. Reblin is slated for the box with Jackson catching. The infield is said to be fast with Childs on first, Towery, second, Kilpack, shortstop and Matthes on third. Reblin played some good ball in an Idaho league before coming to La Grande. Childs is an ex-college player. Towery, Kilpack and Matthes are all rated highly. Stacey, Killet and Kinman will hold down the pasture positions.

### LADIES LEARN GAME OF GOLF

There is no longer such a thing as the much heard of "golf widow" in La Grande for nowadays wife packs her own set of clubs into the car and goes right along and in many instances the "head" of the house is hard put to to maintain his superiority in the game.

Which is by the way of saying that interest in golf among the lady members of the La Grande country club is much more general than ever before. Nearly every afternoon seen several women on the course practicing their shots and getting the fine points of the game. Mrs. W. C. Perkins hung up a record of 50 this week for the nine holes. This establishes a course record for the ladies and will also give many of the men something to shoot at.

#### Hawley Mill Finished.

OREGON CITY, Ore.—The first sheet of paper was taken from the finishing machine at the newly completed No. 1 mill of the Hawley Pulp and Paper company.

October 5, 1925, this plant, which was the original Hawley mill, was totally destroyed by fire, and a larger and much better equipped mill, fireproof in every particular, has been completed.

There are two other units of the Hawley plant, and the No. 1 building takes the pulp in the form of "logs" from the sulphite processes and beats it and spreads it into the sheets.

#### Portland Firm Gets Contract.

MYRTLE POINT, Ore.—Torrington & Hummel architects, have been awarded the contract for plans and specifications for the new theater for E. A. Dodge at Myrtle Point. The contract for the moving of the present building from the site has already been let and work will begin shortly. The new building will cost about \$25,000, and will seat about 650 people.



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### HAYNES NAMED HEAD OF DODGE BROTHERS FIRM

Present officers and directors of Dodge Brothers, Inc., with the exception of the chairman of the board, were re-elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders, according to word received by L. C. Smith, local Dodge dealer. A resolution was passed abolishing this office, Russell Huff, for nearly ten years chief engineer of Dodge Brothers, was elected as a new member of the board.

The stockholders felt that the addition of Mr. Huff to the board would strengthen it materially in view of his long experience as an automotive engineer of the highest standing. He is a former president of The Society of Automotive Engineers and one of the pioneer designers of the industry.

The officers chosen were: president and general manager, Frederick J. Haynes; vice president, Arthur T. Waterfall; treasurer, John Ballantyne; secretary and assistant treasurer, Harry V. Popper; assistant secretary R. J. Fry.

The last fiscal year was the largest in Dodge Brothers' history and the first six months of 1924 were greater than any corresponding period in point of deliveries to retail purchasers.

#### Feet of Irish Goffer.

DUBLIN, (AP)—P. K. Lave of the Miltawa, County Dublin, Golf club has just accomplished a feat unprecedented in Irish golf. For a wager he played from 4:30 in the morning until 8:30 in the evening with intervals for breakfast, lunch and tea. He had wagered that he would play six rounds of the Miltawa links in 100 strokes a round. He succeeded with 42 strokes to spare.

#### River Improvement Ordered.

MYRTLE POINT, Ore.—A retaining wall of concrete 1500 feet long, to cost \$8000, will be built in the middle fork of the Coquille river, near town, at Carlie shoals, according to the action taken today by the port of Coquille river. The purpose of the wall is to turn the river back into the old channel at this point and to keep logs from hanging over the sand bar at this bend in the river.

#### Logger Killed by Timber.

OREGON CITY, Ore.—John Stephens was instantly killed when he fell between two rolling logs at the Porter-Carlson Lumber company mill seven miles above Rainier. The only known relative is J. R. Buckover of Winlock, Wash. Coroner O. A. Pace, after an investigation, announced that there would be no inquest. The body is at the undertaking establishment of Pace & Cox at La Grange awaiting word from the relatives.

#### Reservoir Drained by Accident.

HALFWAY, Ore.—Attempting to open a head gate of the Dine lake reservoir, M. A. Christensen blew out the whole gate and let the water escape. The lake is about 15 miles from Halfway, but the water is used on land around the town and is counted on for second-crop water by several hay farmers. The loss of water is more serious than the injury to the headgate.

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