

## ARCADE THEATER WEEKLY PROGRAM

Friday, Dec. 22—"All's Fair in Love," featuring Richard Dix and Molly Malone.

"In the Days of Buffalo Bill," Chapter 16.

Saturday, Dec. 23—Charles (Buck) Jones in "Trooper O'Neal."

Comedy and Mutt and Jeff.

Sunday, December 24—"Lying Lips," featuring House Peters and Florence Vidor.

And a comedy.

Monday, December 25—Wallace Reid in "Across the Continent."

And a two-reel Northwest Mounted Police story.

Tuesday, Dec. 26—Hobart Bosworth in "Sea Lions." And a comedy.

Wednesday, Dec. 27—Cosmopolitan production, "Just Around the Corner," with Lewis Sargent, Sigrid Holmquist and Margaret Selden. And a comedy.

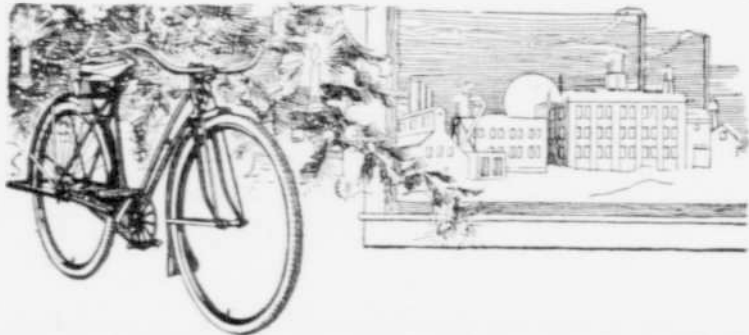
Thursday, Dec. 28—Ed. (Hoot) Gibson in "Trimmed."

International News and Screen Mirror.

Friday, Dec. 29—Frank Mayo in "Across the Dead Line."

"In the Days of Buffalo Bill," Chapter 17.

Every patron of The Sentinel is helping to give Cottage Grove a newspaper which eminent authority has stated to be one of the best country newspapers published anywhere.



### Give a Bicycle for Christmas

They are useful and you can't please a boy or girl with anything else as you would with a bicycle. ASK THEM. You can get one by paying a small payment down and a little each month—and no interest on the balance.

## HARRY RENTLE

A Sentinel Wantad will get it for you. Try it.



### How Long Will Their Presents Last?

It pays to buy children presents that will last—practical, well-made things which they can play with long after Christmas. We have an unusually complete stock of these sensible gifts which bring real Christmas happiness to children. Come early while our stock is complete.



#### WINCHESTER ROLLER SKATES

Winchester roller skates are an ideal gift for an active boy or girl. They are smooth, easy rolling, made for strength and endurance; superior workmanship and beautiful appearance.

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## S. P. SEEKS TO AVERT CAR SHORTAGE AGAIN

Transportation Facilities Increased by Railroad Company to Prevent Congestion.

Construction of 5000 standard refrigerator cars, 40 feet long and 9 feet wide, for delivery early in 1923, at an estimated cost of \$15,000,000 is being arranged by the Pacific Fruit Express company, according to C. M. Seemst, vice president and general manager of the company. The company is also arranging for the construction of 300 50-foot refrigerator cars equipped for passenger train service. These 300 cars, of steel construction and designed for high speed service, will cost an additional \$1,750,000.

The 5000 standard refrigerator cars are in addition to the 3500 new cars being built by the company. There are 1000 cars yet to be delivered on the 3500 order, and these, with the new lot of 5000 to be built, will give the Pacific Fruit Express company 6000 new standard refrigerator cars for 1923 business.

Officials of the Southern Pacific company, which owns a half interest in the Pacific Fruit Express, point out that the large increase in the latter company's equipment should counteract a repetition of the conditions which caused a car shortage this year. The main reason for the refrigerator car shortage this year was the difficulty in getting cars back from the east to Southern Pacific rails, the coal and railroad strikes having slowed up the normal movement of empties to the west. The peak demand for refrigerator cars usually varies in different sections of the country but this year every section had a peak load at the same time, which made the situation still more difficult to handle.

The new cars will give the Pacific Fruit Express a total of between 28,000 and 29,000 cars to be used exclusively for the fruit and vegetable business originating in the states of California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Utah, Colorado, Arizona, Texas and Louisiana on the lines of the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific, joint owners of the Pacific Fruit Express company.

The Southern Pacific company has authorized construction of 4525 freight cars and 141 passenger cars, in addition to the 5300 refrigerator cars, at an estimated cost of \$12,900,000.

Included in the new equipment announced are 2500 box cars, 500 stock cars, 950 gondolas, 500 logging cars, 75 cabooses, 60 steel passenger coaches for local service, 15 steel coaches for main line through service, 10 steel diners, 11 steel buffet baggage cars, 35 steel combination mail and baggage cars and 10 steel baggage cars.

The Southern Pacific has just taken delivery on the last consignment of 50 gigantic "2-10-2" type locomotives, representing an investment of \$4,000,000, to be placed in freight service on mountain divisions.

"The substantial purchases of equipment we are making," said Wm. Sproule, president of the company, "indicate our faith in the territory we serve and in the continued prosperity of the west. They are in line with the Southern Pacific company's established policy of providing its customers with the best equipment obtainable."

#### EDITOR SPEAKS IN WORDS SWEET AND ROSE PERFUMED

One of Living Is Given Credit for Many Kind Deeds Performed.

So seldom are words of compliment spoken for the living that a recent notice in the Stanley (Wis.) Republican attracts attention. It is not that there are so few worthy of compliment that so few kind words are spoken, although the number of such worthy ones is few enough, but so many kind deeds are hidden from the eye of man, or are performed for those who do not think to speak words of appreciation, or those capable of speaking kind words are not among those befriended. In this case an editor capable of expressing sweet-scented sentiments was the recipient of many of the kindnesses. Even then he did not think to speak the kind words until the subject of his comment was about to leave the city to make her home elsewhere. What he then said was as follows:

"A representative body of Stanley's fair women and good cooks got together Tuesday afternoon and paid tribute to Mrs. J. A. Evison and incidentally presented her with a token of their esteem. This was all right as far as it went. But the loss which this community suffers in the going of Mrs. Evison could have received a broader recognition than could be given it by the feminine portion of the community. Mrs. Evison has been a community institution in the Stanley country. Neither her sex, her church affiliations nor her arduous duties as a pioneer farmer's wife and mother of a family has restricted her sphere of influence. She has been a community asset whose noble inspiration has been felt in every worthy community activity for nearly a quarter of a century. She was born to the purple. Her station is with the rulers of the earth. She is a natural born executive. She possesses the rare faculty of inspiring men, women and children to do their best. She has reared for herself a monument in the hearts of this community which will endure to the end of time. And the strange part of it is that she has not been oppressed by an awful sense of duty. She has been doing this constructive work in character building because she couldn't help it. Not a home in the community but is indebted to her either directly or indirectly for some assistance in the work of maintaining right ideals for the youth. Not a man or woman in this community who has ever done anything worth while who has not had a word of encouragement and a 'God bless you' from this remarkable woman to help him on his way. She sees something good in nearly everybody and she doesn't hesitate to tell him about it. She gives a roseate tint to the sunset and puts a song in the heart of every person with whom she comes in contact. She goes to live in a land of perennial flowers but that fabled land

# Ladies' Hand Bags and Purses

We have about 100 handbags, drummers' samples, all in first class condition, no two alike, which we offer at less than the original wholesale cost. Take advantage of this opportunity.

New hats and caps—a sufficient stock to match any taste or pocketbook.

Men's union suits, cotton, wool or mixed wool and cotton. The noted "Athena" men's union suit, knit to fit and none better finished, only \$2.65.

Our grocery department is still growing.

Fresh bulk cocoa, 10c per pound, 3 pounds for 25c.

## Powell & Burkholder

has no sweeter, fairer flower than Mrs. Evison and I would that I could inspire the people of that far off land to an appreciation and an understanding of her true worth before she arrives there and for that reason and because I have had no other opportunity I am trying to throw a little garland in her pathway. The pen which writes this has had no greater inspiration for more than a decade than her cheery 'well done.' No individual in the community so much needs the stimulus afforded by the person who can tell him his faults and virtues without being suspected of a mercenary motive, as the newspaper man. And who ever suspected this woman of anything mercenary? So that which is my loss is the community's loss. May her path

be the paths of peace and may the tropical breezes of that far off land bear to her only messages of love and happiness and may the ceaseless surging waves of the Pacific make perpetual music in her ears."

#### SMART IDIOTS

Why is it that a man will let a woman make an idiot of him in his endeavor to give her the impression that he is about the smartest and manliest thing that ever donned a pair of pantaloons?

#### THE TENDER SPOT

Most people have a greater fear of public opinion than of personal injury. Most any man would rather fight than be laughed at.

#### MIGHT NEED IT.

A New York boy is to have a legacy of \$10,000 provided he does not enter the ministry. If he were going into the ministry there would be some sense in giving him something to live on.

The man who moves in a circle may be on the square.

#### BURNING CANDLE AT THE WRONG END.

If some people spent as much time in hustling for what they need as they do in wishing for what they can do without, they would be well supplied with the necessities of life.

Watch the label on your paper.



## Make Your Santa Bring Electrical Gifts

On Christmas morning the Santa Claus who represents thoughtful people will distribute lots of electrical gifts—and these are the gifts that will be remembered and appreciated.

#### For Mother

An electrical table service that makes breakfast the easiest meal of the day to prepare.

#### For Dad

A cozy reading lamp that helps him enjoy the evening paper or his favorite magazine.

#### For Sister

An electric curling iron that makes her look her prettiest when "he" comes calling.

#### For Brother

An electric train or a radio set—they will teach him useful things.

#### For Grandma

A cheery electric heater that keeps her comfortable when the cold winds begin to blow.

#### For the Home

Any of the wonderful devices that make housework a pleasure instead of drudgery.

Your dealer has all these gifts in his complete stock, and even has something for that friend "who's so hard to please."

## Mountain States Power Co.

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