

# STAR THEATRE

"HOME OF BEST PICTURES"

Program for Saturday and Sunday

## SATURDAY

Hearst-Pathé News—1 reel  
Faithless Friend—2 reels  
Trouble Enough—1 reel  
Luke's Washful Waiting—  
Why did the Cashier at Star  
Theatre wear a mask Sun-  
day?  
Show each Wednesday.

## SUNDAY

1 reel.  
"Saint, Devil and Women"  
—5 reel Gold Rooster Fea-  
ture.  
An absorbing photoplay of  
DUEL PERSONALITY and  
HYPNOTISM.  
Matrimonial Mix-Up—1 reel  
Hinnie and Louie Comedy

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

**Money to Loan**—I Have Made Arrangements for loaning eastern money, will make very low rate of interest on highly improved farms. Homer H. Smith, room 5, McCornack Bldg., Salem, Oregon, Phone 96. tf.

**FOR SALE**—Double buggy harness and light work harness, with collars. Also rubber tired buggy. All in good shape. Inquire at Gehlen's Store.

**FOR SALE**—6 horse gasoline engine, wood saw and feed roller. Apply H. Humphrey's Shaw, Ore. 5-31-x

**FOUND**—Ladies wedding ring owner may have same by applying to Miss Olive Bassett and paying for ad.

**FOR SALE**—New Lilly Cream Separator No. 2 450 lb. capacity made by International Harvester Co. regular \$75 machine \$55. Inquire Balsieger and Son R. F. D. No. 1 Scio Ore. 5-31-x

**TRAIL OPEN**—The trail from Detroit to the Brettenbush Hot Springs is now open for travel. John Outerson 5-31-22

**WANTED**—A horse weighing between 1000 and 1200 lbs. apply at Mail office. 5-24 x

**FOR SALE**—2 young Poland China Sows phone 1x7 Stayton 5-24-51

Good Oak posts 15 cents each at Chas. Gehlen's.

Don't forget to see "Thru Tempest and Sunshine" at Heins' Hall, Aumsville next Tuesday evening May 29.

Subscribe for the Mail.

**Indian Slaves of South America.** Timid, erasing, taking off his hat respectfully to every white man he meets, the Indian of the west coast of South America is a pitiable object.

In the cities he shares with the burro the honor of being everybody's burden bearer. No one but an Indian will be seen with even the smallest package, and you can engage a detachment of the "children of the sun" to carry home anything from half a pound of tea to a 200 pound trunk. You pay him what you will; he dares not chaffer about price with a white man.

On the great plantations and in the mines the Indian is a virtual slave. There is no free agricultural labor on the west coast. Four days a week the peon must work for the great landholders at the munificent wage of 10 cents a day. The rest of the time he may devote to his own acre or two, which must feed and clothe his family. —World Outlook.

### Tiny and Tireless.

Heat is not a substance. It is merely the vibration of the molecules composing the material heated. Every material is made up of molecules, and each molecule is composed of atoms. Molecules of matter are held together by a force called "cohesion."

At absolute zero, colder yet than liquid air, or minus 270 degrees, all molecules are at rest. As the temperature rises the molecules begin to move to and fro. The higher the temperature is raised the further and faster swing the molecules.

Molecules are so minute that there are about one sextillion of them in a cubic inch of air. These at freezing temperature oscillate back and forth at the rate of 1,470 feet a second. The average length of their path between oscillations is about one two hundred and seventy-seven thousandth of an inch. Each comes into collision with its fellows about 5,000,000 times a second.

### Foe of the Tarantula.

Tarantulas prefer loose, stony ground for their habitat. The foolish creatures come out for a stroll just before the sunset hours, at the very time when the tarantula hawk—which is not a bird, but a wasp—is out looking for them. The vicious wasp is quite sure to find them, and, although the fight may be long and the tarantula may make a tenacious defense, the wasp's lance will finally pierce and stupefy the tarantula, whose body will retain warmth during the required number of days for the incubation of the eggs which the wasp will deposit in her victim.

When the grubs of the baby tarantula hawks appear the ungracious little things will immediately proceed to devour the warm husk that gives them protection and life, thus fulfilling their destiny and incidentally protecting the dwellers on the border.

### Night Light in the Sky.

In studying the amount of light in the sky on a starlit night Lambertus Yutema, in Germany, reached the interesting conclusion that the luminosity of the sky is caused partly by direct starlight and partly by some other source of light. This latter he calls earth light and suggests that it may be due to a permanent aurora attending the earth. The light is variable not only on different nights, but at different hours of the same night. He found it to be from seven to fifteen times the amount of mean starlight, but it is believed that this ratio is exceptional and does not prevail everywhere. Some observations indicate that the light has its origin close to the surface of the earth. It has been suggested that it may have a similar origin to that of the light emitted by the coma of a comet.

### Norway's Capital.

The name of Christiania dates back only 300 years. The city which preceded it was Oslo, the site of which is now included in the area of Christiania. Oslo was the ancient capital of Norway and existed some 600 years before its name was changed to Christiania, in 1624, after Oslo had been destroyed by a fire. King Christian IV, resolved, in spite of the protests of the citizens, that the site of the capital should be moved a couple of thousand yards westward to be nearer the fortress of Akershus and at the same time decided that the town when rebuilt should be named after himself.

### Her Great Fear.

"What is it that makes you so nervous, dear?"  
"Why, Jack is to have an interview with papa this afternoon."  
"I see, and you are afraid your father won't give his consent."  
"No, I'm afraid Jack won't show up."—New York Telegram.

### Where He Falls.

"It's too bad the average man can't be satisfied with a good living and not be hungering for more money."  
"The average man is satisfied with a good living. The only trouble is that his idea of a good living grows with his income."—Exchange.

### Peace at Last.

Mr. Hoon—Scrappington and his wife have parted. Mrs. Hoon—Good gracious! What is the trouble? Mr. Hoon—There isn't any trouble now. They have parted.

### The Natural Result.

"Pop, when you sow wild oats what crop do you get?"  
"Lemons, my son."—Exchange.

### PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

**Fainting.**  
Anything which disturbs the circulation of blood in the brain will produce a feeling of faintness and unconsciousness. Whatever may be the cause of fainting, always place the person in a recumbent position—on the bed, sofa or floor. See that the head is lower than the feet. It is better to lift up the feet and legs so as to facilitate the flow of blood to the brain. Unfasten the shoes, wrists, belt, collar—nothing must be allowed to bind the person, as this delays the return of blood to the brain.  
Bathe the face with cold water, give plenty of fresh air to breathe and water to drink if the patient is conscious. Send for a physician if a person in a faint does not respond quickly to the fresh air and cold water treatment.

### Notice of Hearing, Final Account

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FORMERLY MARION COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henrietta Denny, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the final account of E. C. Denny, as administrator of the estate of Henrietta Denny, deceased, has been filed in the County Court of Marion County, State of Oregon, and that the 18th day of June, 1917, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. has been duly appointed by such Court for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof at which time any persons interested in said estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest the same.

E. C. DENNY,  
Administrator of said estate.

F. M. Fresh and family, of Shaw, visited Saturday with Mrs. Eisenhart.

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running ear or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness cured by our method that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CLENNY, & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Girls National Honor  
Guard Benefit  
Saturday May 26th  
Everybody Come  
STAR THEATRE

### Round Towers of Ireland.

No one knows exactly when or why the round towers in Ireland were built, but some believe that the druids erected them as watch towers and places to which to go for safety in time of danger. A good many of the towers have the tops broken down, and those which show the cone tops intact have mostly been restored. There is no door on the ground, the doors being purposely built at about ten or fifteen feet from the ground and were reached by ladders. After the people had climbed inside they drew their ladders up after them and thus were out of reach of the Danes who frequently invaded the country. The tiny windows of these towers are far up toward the top also. About eighty round towers remain in Ireland, but only a few of them are perfect. According to one authority, they were probably built between the ninth and thirteenth centuries.

### Two Freaks of Nature.

Two contrasting freaks of nature are the Island of Fire and the Lake of Snow. The Island of Fire is called the Snow of Hot Devils. It is situated in the midst of a large lake of boiling mud in the island of Java. The steam and gases which arise from the sticky mud form themselves into bubbles, attaining a diameter of five or six feet, and sail high up in the air like balloons, carried hither and thither by the wind and finally exploding with a loud crash.

The biggest snow lake is seen from the summit of Hispar pass, in the Karakoram range. It is more than 300 square miles in area. In Switzerland the sea of ice might better be called the sea of snow, as the surface is broken up by solar heat, which makes a minute fissuring in the ice, giving it the appearance of snow.

### He Went.

He (11 p. m. at the piano)—What shall I sing next? She—"Home, Sweet Home," without any variations.—Puck.

He that wrestles with us strengthens our nerves and sharpens our skill. Our antagonist is our helper.—Burke.

### About the Same Thing.

Scrubber—Can you suggest a simile for giving advice? Scrawler—How would pouring water on a duck's back do?—Philadelphia Record.

# WAR CENSUS REGISTRATION DAY

## Tuesday June 5th, 1917

ONE  
DAY ONLY

STAR THEATRE  
STAYTON

FRIDAY  
MAY 25

## SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT

Thos. H. Ince's Mammoth Million Dollar Cinema Spectacle

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40,000 People, 40 Aeroplanes, Submarines, War Ships, Cities Destroyed, Great Aerial, Naval and Land Battles, Etc., Etc.

Has played to over 60,000 people in Portland, Now on the 9th consecutive month in the Pacific Northwest.

Positively the Biggest and Best Attraction  
Ever Offered in Stayton

First Show 3:30 Second Show 7:00 Last Show 9:00 p. m.

Admission, Adults 25 Cents. Children, 15 Cents

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Hoes, Rakes,  
Weeders,  
Hand Cultivators

A complete line of all kinds of garden tools.

LILLY HARDWARE CO.

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We carry a nice line of Staple Groceries, Shoes, Trunks and Suit Cases.

Also many useful novelties in the Notion Line.

New lot of Flags and National Decorations just in.

J. R. Gardner's Cash Store, Stayton, Ore.

All kinds of Shoes for all kinds of People. For all purposes. For work. For play. For wear. For comfort. For durability. For style. For fit. For money. Boys Niehoff Shoes \$4.00. A good factory Calked Logger \$9.00  
Lancefield's Shoe Store.

Portland—Columbia Engineering Works launches 170 foot auxiliary schooner.

Eugene—Local planing mill to make 500,000 wooden pins for shipbuilding.

Astoria—McEachern Ship Co. launches another big auxiliary schooner.

How industries build up communities has again been demonstrated. Bend now has a population of 6200, according to a recent directory compilation. The increase for the past three months has been about 1200.—Roseburg Review.

Oregon City—One of the best gravel plants in state starts operation here.

Milwaukie—Preliminary work on establishment of a big ship building and equipping plant here continues.

Lebanon—Paper mill here increases wages 50 cents a day.

Some people are found arguing against the \$6,000,000 Oregon Road Bond issue on the ground that the money should not be spent at this time of involved conditions. There is about as much sense in such an argument as to urge all merchants to stop placing future orders and to close their stores when present stocks are gone.

Brookings—Oregon-California Lumber Co., sending out first cargo.

Klamath Falls may get sugar factory. Utah-Idaho Sugar Co., asks farmers to subscribe a sufficient acreage for 56,000 tons.

Weston—O. W. R. & N. Co., starts work on Dry Creek fill, cost \$50,000.

Bean cleaning plants to be erected in Eugene and Salem to cost between \$5,000 and \$10,000 each.

Astoria—Port Commission lets contract for 1,000,000 bushels concrete bins at cost of \$174,000.

Salem—New business block 82 1-2 feet square planned here by J. H. Farrar.

Philomath is a manufacturing town. Handle and furniture factory added to sawmill industries.

Corvallis—Contract let for half of \$25,000 apartment house.

Eugene—Garage warehouse to be built here.

Now is the time  
Order 4th of July Posters