

**New Edison Cylinder Records**  
FOR SEPTEMBER

Just a few samples from the list:

"Are You From Dixie?"  
"Don't Bite the Hand That's Feeding You."  
"She Sang Aloha To Me."  
"When Irish Eyes Are Smiling."  
"So Long, Letty."  
"Baby Shoes."

Also some more Hawaiian Instrumental Records, Children's Records, Vaudeville Sketches, Banjo Records, etc.

**Music and Photo House**  
Stanton Rowell, Prop.

**STAR TONIGHT**  
PARAMOUNT PHOTOPLAYS

**Victor Moore**  
and  
**Anita King**  
in  
**"The Race"**

**AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT**  
Bijou  
"A Child of the Paris Streets."

**Hawthorne and Duelling.**  
It has been thought by most of Hawthorne's biographers that his theory of the fatality of acts was founded largely upon a tragic experience of his own life. In the belief that a young lady whom he well knew had been insulted he challenged the supposed offender to a duel, but was prevented from carrying out his purpose by his friends. Pierce and Cilley, who showed him that the supposed insult was entirely mythical. A few years later Cilley was himself challenged by a political enemy, and the fact that Hawthorne had been willing to fight a duel is said to have persuaded him not to decline, and his opponent killed him.—From Eskine's "Leading American Novelists."

**NEW TODAY**  
(CLASSIFIED AD RATES—25 words, two issues, 25c; six issues, 50c; one month, \$1.50, when paid in advance. When not paid in advance, 5c per line per issue.)

**FOR SALE**—Gas range. Inquire 104-J. 851

**SALESMEN WANTED**—To sell our splendid line of fruit and ornamental trees. Good terms. Good territory. Good prospects. Cash advanced on orders. Albany Nurseries, First National Bank Bldg., Albany, Oregon. 854

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**FOR SALE**—Clarinet and case for \$10. B flat, Farney, four rings and rollers. A bargain. Phone 603-F-2. 854

**WANTED**—Lumber pilers at the Frank P. Doe Lumber company's yard. 850

**MIDDLE-AGED LADY** wishes position as housekeeper, or work in a private family. Moderate wages. Phone 266-J. 850

**FOR SALE**—100 pounds of rhodonite, unpolished. Inquire at 507 A street. 854

**THREE-ROOM HOUSE** for rent furnished. Rent very reasonable. Close in. Inquire W. E. Dean, 615 H street. 854

**KEEN KUTTER**  
We Sell and Guarantee  
**KEEN KUTTER**  
TOOLS and CUTLERY  
ROGUE RIVER HARDWARE  
The Big Red Front

**PERSONAL AND LOCAL**

**Fred Dodge** arrived this morning from Gold Hill.

**Gordon Bradford** left this morning for Corvallis to attend college.

**Mrs. Frank Nomballs** left last night for Portland to spend several days visiting.

**R. Thels, of Murphy**, left this morning for Kennett, where he will remain for some time.

**Bargains in wash waists.** Mrs. Rehkopf. 838tf

**Winfield Gilkey** left this morning for Salem to attend Willamette university.

**Miss Dolly Beck, of Glendale**, is spending the day with Mrs. Harry Hull and baby.

**Ted Cramer** went to Corvallis this morning to resume his work at O. A. C.

**Lynn Sabin** left this morning for O. A. C. to enter that institution for the coming year.

**W. C. Cornutt** left today for his home at Canyonville after spending a few days in the city.

**Miss Florence Buell** went to Oakland, Oregon, this morning to teach school at that place.

**Mrs. M. L. Opdycke** left this afternoon for Ashland to spend a couple of days at the G. A. R. and W. R. C. encampment.

**T. E. Lacey** left this afternoon for Merlin to spend several days attending to business affairs.

**F. S. Bramwell** and son, Arthur, left this morning for Glendale to look after business matters.

**N. F. Macduff, J. B. Hoffman** and **J. E. Peterson** returned last night from a trip to Holland. Mr. Hoffman and Mr. Peterson left this morning for Medford.

**Miss Lydia White** returned last night from a several months' trip to Minnesota and Pennsylvania.

**Corsets, prices up to \$2.50**, on sale now at \$1.00. Mrs. Rehkopf. 838tf

**Mrs. J. S. Bailey** arrived this morning from Ashland to join her husband, who is spending several days here attending to business matters.

**Notice to Exhibitors.**  
Miners and others who intend to exhibit ores and minerals at the approaching Josephine county fair will kindly send their exhibits to C. L. Mangum, superintendent of the mineral department, at his office, corner G and Seventh streets, by noon, the 18th instant. Let every miner and mining company who feels an interest in this laudable undertaking send in their exhibits promptly. The time is opportune to show the public that Josephine county is one of the greatest fields for mine development in this country.

**RUSSIA HAS EYE ON CONSTANTINOPE**

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—If the allies overthrow the central powers, Constantinople will become the possession of Russia, an agreement to this effect having been signed by the entente rulers, according to M. M. Itchas, member of the Russian duma, who is here today. He stated that with this prize in store the Russians, now that their munitions problems have been successfully solved, are more than ever determined to carry the war to an overwhelming entente victory.

"Russia has the solemn promise of the other allies that Constantinople and the Dardanelles will become Russian territory," he said.

This statement from Itchas is significant, as he was a member of the commission sent by the czar to confer with the other entente governments regarding matters of vital importance.

**Past Noble Grands' Club.**  
The Past Noble Grands' club will meet with Mrs. Geo. R. Dickinson, 406 North Third street, Friday, September 15.

**Englewood Dairy.**  
The best milk, cream and ice cream. Phone 222. tf

**Story Hour to Be Resumed.**  
The story hour for children, a regular department of the public library work, will be resumed on Saturday morning, September 16, after a short vacation. All children are asked to come. The hour is 10:30. On next Saturday Mrs. George Soranson will tell three short stories, "The Two Brothers," "The Jar of Rosemary," and "The King's Servant."

**Dance Saturday Night.**  
At the Waldorf hall. 850

**The Martins Celebrate.**  
Four generations of Martins, with a James of each generation, met in family reunion at Rogue River last Friday afternoon. There were present of the Martins Great Grandfather James Martin, Grandfather and Mrs. James Martin with their three sons and six daughters, the first time the whole family had been together for ten years, and there was little James. A. T. Lewis, of this city, was on hand and made several excellent pictures of various family groups.

**Tell Your Neighbor.**  
If your neighbor is not a subscriber to the Daily Courier, you can render him a service by mentioning the Courier Bargain Day. 843

**Stores Not to Close Fair Week.**  
The merchants of the city have decided that the best interests of all concerned will be served by keeping the places of business open during the three days of the county fair. There had been some discussion as to the closing of the stores on one or two afternoons that clerks and others could attend the fair. It was feared that this might inconvenience many visitors from outside who might wish to do shopping while here to attend the fair. It was also argued that the open stores made places in which visitors could congregate and find resting places, hence the decision to keep them open to the public.

**Price to Be Increased.**  
On January 1 the yearly price of the Daily Courier will be \$6. This raise is made necessary on account of the increase of more than 100 per cent in the price of print paper. Bargain day subscriptions will be received on the 18th, Monday, at the \$4 rate. No subscriptions will be allowed to remain on the books if more than two months in arrears. These will be discontinued on the 18th.

**Big Rattlesnakes Killed.**  
Two big rattlesnakes were killed north of town during the past week. The first one was killed on Sunday just below the old Wheeler barn by Robert Ingalls, Dwight Findley, who is visiting here, and another boy. The boys had chased the snake into a digger-squirrel hole the preceding day, and finding it still there Sunday, proceeded to dispatch it with a twenty-two rifle. The snake measured three feet two inches and carried ten rattles. The second snake, almost as large as the first, and having nine rattles and a "button," was discovered in the road about one-half mile from the first snake by Percy Scovill as the latter was returning from school Tuesday evening. The reptile immediately prepared to fight, but was quickly killed with stones. It is unusual for rattlesnakes to be moving so late in the season.

**Elks Will Play Ball.**  
The Elks lodge will play a game of baseball at the Medford ball park next Sunday, at 2:30 o'clock. The game is for the championship of the Elk club. A large delegation will attend from here.

**Women of Woodcraft Will Meet.**  
Regular meeting of Women of Woodcraft will be held Friday evening at Woodman hall, and all members are requested to take a lunch. A special surprise is in store for all.

**West to Medford.**  
Ex-Governor Oswald West was a passenger on train No. 13 this morning en route to Medford. He is billed to speak at the Presbyterian church at that place on "Oregon Really Dry."

**To Relieve Shortage.**  
In order to relieve the car shortage in Oregon, the Southern Pacific company is sending large numbers of empty cars to this state. Tuesday night about 150 cars were sent north and last night over 100 were sent through. Today several trains of "empties" were taken north. The principal sufferers from the car shortage were the lumber men and fruit growers.

**Stock Entered by Monday.**  
Notice has been given that all stock that is to be entered in the fair must be at the fair grounds not later than Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. As a large number of exhibits are expected, an early entry would be appreciated by the committee. The animals are required by law to be tested for tuberculosis, which takes 24 hours.

**Special Premiums for Fair.**  
Several donations have been received from different firms too late to be published with the special premium list. These are: Two spice boxes, each containing 17 different articles, from J. A. Folger company, of San Francisco; one gallon Tea Garden syrup, one gallon Magnolia brand molasses and one jar mince meat from Pacific Coast Syrup company, of Portland, two sacks white loaf flour from Balfour-Guthrie, of Portland. These will be given as prizes on worthy exhibits not listed.

**POINDEXTER'S LEAD MORE THAN 10,000**

Seattle, Sept. 14.—Miles Poindexter's predicted lead of 10,000 over Congressman Will E. Humphrey in the contest for United States senator more than materialized today, when returns from 2,046 precincts out of 2,443 in the state, showed: Poindexter, 85,256; Humphrey, 74,826.

In King county the race was nip and tuck. The count in 392 precincts of 416 gave Poindexter 30,883 and Humphrey 30,828.

McBride led Hartley, his next closest contender for governor on the republican ballot, by more than 10,000 in 1,808 state precincts outside of King county. Here the count stood in 328 precincts out of 416: McBride, 27,893; Hartley, 21,454.

Dan Landon was reported a dangerous rival against John F. Miller for congress from the Seattle-Kitsap district, although Miller had a lead of 1,200 in 350 precincts. In Kitsap county, it was reported, Landon followed Whitney, the favorite, closely.

**PATENT FLOUR IS 20 CENTS BARREL HIGHER**  
Portland, Sept. 14.—Patent flour advanced 20 cents a barrel in the Portland market today, making the rate \$6.60 for standard brands. A further increase is expected.

Job printing of every description at the Courier office.

**Coffee Golden West Coffee**  
**Royal Club**

**Our J.P. and Red Star Brands. There are none better**

**J. PARDEE**  
202 South 6th St. Phone 281

**SCHOOL BOOKS**  
Books for the grades and the High School now on sale.

**Demaray's** Drug and Stationery Store

**LORIMER FAILS TO "COME BACK"**

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Former United States Senator William Lorimer has fallen down in his "come back" race for congress, incomplete returns early today from yesterday's state primaries showing he has lost to Arthur W. Fulton in the republican congressional race in the Sixth district by about a thousand votes.

"I admit defeat. It is the fortune of the game," said Lorimer. "I have nothing to say, nothing to charge. I only wish that I had won."

James R. Mann, republican leader in the national house, swamped his preacher opponent, Rev. M. P. Boynton, in the Second congressional district by a plurality of about 15,000.

In the gubernatorial race, Governor Dunne, democrat, and Colonel Frank O. Lowden, republican, were easy winners.

**SENATION AT BILLINGS' TRIAL**

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—"Your honor, this is the first of the men we believe to be conspiring against the accused. We demand his withdrawal."

Maxwell McNutt, chief counsel for Warren K. Billings, on trial for murder in connection with the preparedness parade bomb explosion, today pointed to A. M. Kramer, detective, put on the witness stand by Deputy District Attorney Brennan, and made his demand.

Brennan clamored to have Kramer heard.

This was the first real sensation of the Billings trial and it raised a point that was the subject of argument when court recessed for noon.

In the tense court room McNutt and Brennan hotly contested their point.

"Gentlemen," warned Judge Dunne, "the jury can not listen to your quarreling."

Neither lawyer would yield; and the judge ordered the jury removed.

Warren K. Billings' past may never be bared in the present trial. For upon this issue the first determined clash between prosecution and defense has arisen.

The introduction of Billings' past into the present case is vital to the prosecution, argued Brennan, for this record, he said, will show Billings' "peculiar skill" in the construction of bombs and in plotting the explosion of them.

If the prosecution is not allowed to introduce the more remote past, it will try to introduce Billings' career in Sacramento and other dynamite incidents as evidence.

**SERBS CAPTURE BULGAR TRENCHES**

Paris, Sept. 14.—Continuing their advance west of the Vardar, the Serbians carried Bulgarian trenches between Kovil and Vetrnik, making progress also in the direction of Kaltmatchan, it was officially announced today.

Northwest of Ostrovo lake the Serbs carried a height west of Hill 1500 after violent fighting, the advance guard reaching Solkes Malkanidy. The Bulgarians suffered heavily.

On the allies' right wing, from the Vardar to the Struma, intermittent cannonading continued yesterday, but there were no infantry actions, except patrol engagements.

French artillery has drawn a ring of fire three-quarters of the way around Peronne, which is almost entirely cut off from communication with the rest of the German front.

Dispatches from the Somme battle field today said the great eastward push of General Foch's men in the last 48 hours has placed all roads from Peronne within range of French guns. On three sides the French have surrounded the city with incessant streams of shell fire. Supplies can be brought into the city only under cover of night, along roads entering from the east.

**IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT**

**Thos. H. Ince**  
Producer of "CIVILIZATION"

Presents  
**George Beban**  
Supported by Clara Williams, J. Frank Burke, Fanny Midgley and an all-star cast, in  
**"The Italian"**  
In six acts  
Next FRIDAY and SATURDAY  
**STAR Theatre**  
(No advance in prices)

**Bijou Theatre** *Where everybody goes That everybody knows*

A. D. W. GRIFFITH Drama  
**'A Child of the Paris Streets'**  
In Five Acts  
With Three Great Stars  
**MAE MARSH**  
Star in "The Birth of a Nation"

**Tully Marshall & Robt. Harron**  
Another of Those Big Triangle Productions

The Big Laugh this time is with  
**William Collier**  
of "No-Good Guy" and Keystone fame, in  
**"Willie's Wabby Ways"**  
Two Acts A Thos. H. Ince Comedy  
Produced by D. W. Griffith and Thos. H. Ince, the two greatest directors in the world, this should be an unusually attractive program.