

### Special Announcement

The Management of the Bijou has made arrangements to hold the

## "The Little Girl Next Door" FOR TONIGHT

The play is strong, interesting and convincing as a great moral lesson. Ask those that saw it last night, then go and see it. All Ministry of the City are invited to be the guest of the

# BIJOU Tonight

No Children Under 16 Admitted  
ADMISSION 25c

## PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Saturday is Chaplin day. 99412  
Lena Sabia returned Sunday from O. A. C.

I. A. Robie went to Medford this morning on a business trip.

Mrs. H. F. Ogden went to Roseburg Sunday to visit friends.

Mrs. C. N. Culy returned yesterday from a visit with relatives at Ashtland.

E. K. Miller came up from Medford to spend Sunday with his family.

Eskey's Albumenized food. Sabia has it. 65

J. W. Lucas returned last night to Grenada, after visiting his family here.

Mrs. Jos. Shaska and daughter returned last night from a visit at Medford.

Mrs. E. F. Heath returned last night from a visit at Eugene and Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dickinson are spending the day in Jacksonville on business.

Paul Day and Earl Pittinger went to Dorris Sunday and will spend the summer at the mills.

Mrs. N. E. Wood returned last night from Medford, where she visited her son.

New Crepe de chine waists at Mrs. Rehkopf's. 46tt

Emil Gebers returned last night from Eugene, where he attended the Odd Fellows grand lodge.

A. L. Allen arrived this morning from Marshfield and left for Taklima to work in the mines.

Mrs. George Smith returned last night from Eugene, where she attended the Rebekah assembly.

A. B. Holcomb went to Portland last night, having been notified of the serious illness of his mother.

A. A. Wayne, bridge carpenter for the Southern Pacific, spent Sunday with his family, returning to Eugene last night.

W. E. McBride returned Sunday morning from Portland and Eugene, having attended the I. O. O. F. grand lodge at the latter place.

Mrs. W. Deltwiler arrived this morning from Portland and will be the guest of Mrs. K. M. C. Neill at Ardenburg for several weeks.

Miss Alice Street, principal of the high school at Rogue River, returned to Grants Pass yesterday and will spend the summer with her parents.

John Hampshire and wife left Sunday morning for Spokane and other points, where Mr. Hampshire has business with prominent mining people.

Special sale in fancy Georgette crepe collars. Mrs. Rehkopf. 1f

Mrs. Mollie Hamilton returned to her home at Glendale Sunday, after visiting for a time with Mrs. Lindsay at Applegate and Mrs. Mary Taylor in this city.

Mrs. W. E. Pemberton and son, cousins of W. W. Walker, who spent the past three weeks with the Walker family, left last night on their return to Wittenburg, Wis.

Miss Alice McFarland closed her school and returned home Sunday morning.

Mrs. E. P. Greninger, of Glendale, spent Saturday in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. Grimes.

A. E. Voorhies was called to Jacksonville today as a witness in a case being tried there.

Darwin Ingalls returned Sunday morning from Portland, where he went to enlist in the navy as electrician. He is now awaiting the summons to join the colors.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burrows and children left Sunday morning for Cottage Grove. Mr. Burrows has been employed at the Southern Pacific freight depot for several months past.

Philip Crawley, superintendent of work at the new court house building, Ed. Anderson, carpenter, and Earl Murphy, electrician, went to Portland yesterday. They will return to Grants Pass later.

Barber Shops Will Close—The barber shops will close on Wednesday, Decoration day.

Births—A son was born to the wife of Gairy C. Allen at the Good Samaritan hospital on last Thursday and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. H. West on Sunday at their home on the Crescent City road near town.

The Wardrobe Cleaners—At 315 North Sixth street. Phone 147. Receiving office with Peerless Clothing Co. Cleaning, pressing and repairing. We call for and deliver. 1f

Scouts' Photograph—The Sunday Oregonian carried a full sized group photograph of the Grants Pass Boy Scouts in their garden togs. The work of this troop in planting about six acres of first class garden is attracting more than local attention. Copies of the photos can be obtained at itowell's music store.

Birthdays Celebrated—On Sunday Mrs. L. A. Sloper, 115 C street, celebrated her 73rd and W. L. Maple, 114 C street, his 53rd birthday by a splendid birthday dinner. Miss Zell Phillips, of La Grande, a daughter of Mrs. Sloper and sister of Mrs. Maple, arrived Saturday to be present at the anniversary and will spend several days here visiting. Besides the two families, Sam Barden was a guest.

Medical Freedom Lecture—"The Health Board Peril, Facts You Need to Know Right Now," is the title of a free stereopticon lecture to be given at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening in the W. O. W. hall, by Mrs. Lora C. Little, national lecturer of the Medical Freedom Education committee, whose headquarters are in Battle Creek, Mich. The public is urged to attend.

Honor Guard and Scouts Help—The Boy Scouts and Girls' Honor Guard will assist the G. A. R. and W. R. C. in the observance of Memorial day Wednesday. The Boy Scouts will meet at the court house square at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning each bringing as large a bouquet of flowers as he can obtain. The scouts, in addition to help and decorating the graves in the morning will take part in the procession of the Memorial day parade Wednesday afternoon.

### DIAMOND TIRES MORE MILES FOR LESS MONEY

### DIAMOND TUBES

Will outlast several casings. We prefer selling Diamond tires because they are better

## Grants Pass Hardware

At your service

### DIG PARADE TONIGHT TO BOOST CHAUTAUQUA SALE

Chautauqua talk and boost will be the order for the next 24 hours.

A big parade tonight, starting at 7:15 from the corner of Evelyn avenue and Sixth street, followed by free band concert will start the ball rolling; and tomorrow the chautauqua boosters are going to attempt to clear up the full \$1,000 guarantee.

A big clock in the window of the Grants Pass Banking company will register the number of tickets as they are sold and the money turned into the bank. There will be tags for everyone who buys a season ticket and those who do not may find it difficult to pass along the street without having one of these tags on their coat lapel.

### BIG QUICKSILVER STRIKE IS REPORTED NEAR TILLER

A new quicksilver strike has just been reported from the Webb and Hayes mercury property which is situated six miles north of the Tiller post office in Douglas county. A crosscut tunnel 107 feet in length ran through a continuous body of low grade ore averaging from one to two and one-half per cent quicksilver. A rick pay scute three feet wide running 15 per cent quicksilver has just been cut. The gangue is composed of lime schist and shale.

### COMING EVENTS

May 29, Tuesday—Trip to inspect alfalfa fertilizer demonstration in Jackson county.

May 30, Wednesday—Decoration day. Services at opera house at 2 p. m.

May 31, June 1, 2, 3, 4, 5—Annual Chautauqua, Grants Pass.

June 2, Saturday—Cooked food sale by Girls' Honor Guard.

June 5, Tuesday—Reserve army registration day.

July 7-14.—N. E. A. Convention, Portland.

### SEVERAL HOLIDAYS COME IN A ROW

It is seldom that several judicial holidays come in a row, but that is the outlook for next week. Saturday is usually a judicial holiday, and of course no court business is transacted on Sunday. Monday, June 4, is election day, and Tuesday, June 5, by proclamation of the governor, is military census taking day and is therefore another legal holiday.

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AT CRESCENT CITY

The city of Crescent City is waking up. Saturday last the progressive men of that city organized the Del Norte Chamber of Commerce. There had been no active commercial organization in that county for some time and the one just perfected will fill a much needed want. Clarence W. Westbrook is president and John L. Childs secretary-manager. More than 100 joined at the first meeting.

### WEEK'S WEATHER TO BE ABOUT NORMAL

Washington, May 26.—Weather predictions for the week beginning May 27 issued by the weather bureau today are:

Pacific states: Seasonal temperature and generally fair except occasional showers are probable the latter half in Washington and Oregon.

A classified ad will give results.

### DELEGATION GOING TO INSPECT ALFALFA TESTS

Tomorrow, Tuesday, a good sized delegation of Josephine county farmers will journey to the upper valley to inspect alfalfa fields on which experiments in fertilizing have been conducted for several years by Prof. Reimer of the Southern Oregon Experimental station.

When the statement is made that the yield on a field of alfalfa has been increased one thousand per cent by the use of an epsom-salts fertilizer, one realizes that the benefit to the farmers from knowing the facts taught by these tests is hard to over estimate. It is but fair to say that the work of this station with alfalfa fertilizers will entirely change the raising of this crop.

County Agent Thompson desires all who can go, to meet at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Auto owners are especially urged to go and pick up other farmers to fill their machines. There are a few extra seats which can be reserved by farmers wishing to make the trip, by telephoning Mr. Thompson.

### PROMINENT APPLE MAN VISITS ROGUE VALLEY

W. H. Stewart, of Los Angeles, president of the Stewart Fruit company made the Rogue river valley a short visit this week.

This was Mr. Stewart's first visit to the valley for several years and he was greatly surprised with the development of the fruit industry for the past five years.

He said that the Rogue river valley was looked upon by the fruit buyer of the east as the producer of the best fruit of the Pacific coast.

### MAY HAVE TAG DAY FOR THE UKRANIANS

Portland, May 28.—The United States government has officially approved the Ukrainian tag sale here today. The Ukrainians are a small band of people living near the Russian-Hungarian boundary, the boundary line cutting the people into two divisions. About 5,000,000 are subjects of Emperor Karl. The city council several weeks ago granted permission for a tag sale for these people, and then learned that a large part of the Ukrainians were living in Austria-Hungary and, therefore, citizens of a country with which we are at war. Under federal laws, it would be treason to aid the enemy, so the tag day was postponed and governmental sanction was sought and secured.

### EMERGENCY BOARD TALKS LAND FRAUDS

Salem, May 28.—The emergency board is scheduled to meet here today to consider the request of Attorney General Brown for authority to spend \$2,500 in completing the investigation of the Pacific Livestock company alleged land fraud case in Harney county. The attorney general desires to prosecute a suit to recover approximately 20,000 acres of land alleged to have been fraudulently obtained from the state.

### HALIBUT CATCHES BREAKING RECORDS

Newport, Ore., May 28.—The Washington and Oregon coast is doing its share toward conserving the nation's supply of cattle and hogs. With favorable weather and an increased number of boats out, halibut catches are breaking all records, and practically the entire catch is being shipped to eastern markets. Seven car loads of halibut left this port alone for the east by express within a few days recently.

Salmon fishermen here and elsewhere along the coast report small catches, but prices are good and the market for canned salmon remains firm.

with return address. The Courier prints them.

# Decoration Day

DECORATION DAY! What a great significance this stirring day has this year of Nineteen Seventeen.

Ushered in, as it is, in the midst of the greatest struggle for democracy the world has ever seen, it can well be called Democracy day.

It is a fitting time to fuse the spirit of "Seventy six" and "Seventeen" and so on the day we honor the veterans of yesterday, let us honor the men who are now going forth—the veterans of tomorrow.

STORE CLOSED WEDNESDAY

## PEERLESS CLOTHING CO.

"Cash Buys Cheaper Than Credit" "If Men Wear It, We Have It"

### SHELLY CREEK DISTRICT

M. A. Delano and K. J. Khoery were inspecting Otto Anderson's Lucky Boy copper property Wednesday.

John Taggart, of San Francisco, who is interested in the Diamond creek cinnabar, is at Monumental hotel, awaiting the arrival of his business associates.

J. N. Britten and Guy Gravin spent a few days last week on their Diamond creek chrome property.

A party of hunters with a pack of bear hounds, imported from Kentucky, are in this district.

The new Monumental hotel seems to be very much appreciated by the traveling public, as they are serving meals to from 20 to 40 guests daily.

A fine deposit of long fibered asbestos has been discovered and located in this district by G. W. Gravin.

Mrs. McPherson has returned from Crescent City, her health very much improved.

Ed. Henderson is employed at the Cold Spring chrome property.

Letterheads that will please you, at the Courier.

Calling cards at the Courier.

### 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.)

WANTED TO BUY—Good milch cow with calf or one soon to be fresh. Address G. H. Pease, Placer, Ore.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Maxwell runabout in good running condition. Inquire 305 West H street. 66

28 ACRES, all irrigated, on creek, new house and barn, 15 acres cultivated, finest of land, 6 cows, tools, etc. Price \$2,000, one-third cash. L. A. Launer, real estate. 70

### TAKILMA

William Hazelrig returned home Friday from Roseburg, where he has been visiting his mother, who has been quite sick.

Jack Williams got his foot hurt quite severely Friday, while working. Lena Albright has gone to the Cowboy mine to work.

Ed. Strong has been quite sick, but is improving and will soon be able to return to his work at the Queen of Bronze.

Mrs. Ben George is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sowell at Holland, for a few days.

Mrs. Ed. Hannum is spending a few days in Grants Pass.

Mrs. L. D. Corbett was visiting in Waldo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Tucker were Grants Pass visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. William Hazelrig and children are visiting friends and relatives in Holland this week.

The Ideal Fancywork club met at the home of Mrs. Ed. Strong Thursday. The afternoon was spent in fancy work and conversation. Mrs. L. D. Corbett was elected president. Refreshments were served to the following ladies: Mesdames Mary Valen, Maggie McClay, Mike McBriety, Harry Messenger, Ben George, R. C. Crowell, L. D. Corbett, C. D. Cameron, J. E. Smith, Miss Kate McClay and hostess, Mrs. Ed. Strong.

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### COOS COUNTY HAS BLACK SAND DREDGE

Bandon, May 28.—A dredge, capable of handling between 400 and 700 tons of black sand a day, is nearing completion at the mouth of Cut creek for New York capitalists. The dredge is largely an experiment and, if successful, will separate the various valuable minerals from the black sand of the southern Oregon coast. Backers of the project are spending \$20,000.

A classified ad brings results.

## Graduation Books and Booklets

Demaray's Drug and Stationery Store

1915 3-speed Twin Indian and Sidecar \$175

## McIntyre's Garage

506 So. 6th St.

### Joy Tonight

The Famous Players-Paramount picture presents the emotional actress supreme

PAULINE FREDERICK

In a thrilling romance of the Spanish Main

"The Slave Market"