BETTER STOCK TRAIN SERVICE

TRI-WEEKLY SERVICE TO BE INAUGURATED.

Monday, Wednesdy and Saturday to Be Running Days After Mar. 10

Commencing March 10, Eastern Oregon is to have a tri-weekly stock train service into Portland. This was announced this morning by J. H. Keeney, local agent for the O.-W. and the added service, supplanting the twice a week service will be greeted with delight by stockmen. The schedule will be the same as far as departure from Huntington is concerned the train leaving about 9 a. m. Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. The arriving time in Portland is the same as the regular stock train schedule. All branch line points will be given this service too.

LOW RATES EAST

At Varous Times During Year Will Cheap Rates Prevail

Eastern-bound rates have been ordered on all passenger lines for various periods during the summer. The O.-W. through local agent J. H. Keeney announces a series of low rates East and return. Return charges for which, and their dates, follow:

Presbyterian general assembly, Atlanta, Ga, May 14-June 1, inclusive. Sell tickets May 7-8, going limit May 15th final return limit July 6, 1913. Sell to Chicago or St. Louis.

Northern Baptist convention, Detroit, Mich., May 21. Sell May 14-15, going limit May 21, July 13, 1913.

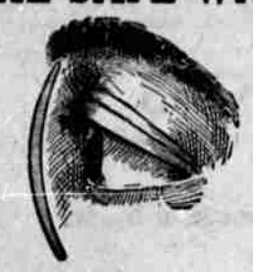
Shrine ceremonial, Dallas, Texas. May (sale dates and limits later)

For the regular "Back East" excursion travel, the sale dates will be daily from May 28 to September 30, going transit limit fifteen days from date of sale, final return limit October 31st.

Below are the fare to some of the principal points:

Chicago—$72.50.
Council Bluffs—$60.00.
Kansas City—$60.00.
Omaha, Neb.—$60.00.
St. Joseph—$60.00.
Duluth—$60.00.
Milwaukee—$72.50.
St. Paul, Minneapolis—$60.00.
Dallas, Tex., (direct)—$75.00.
Dallas, Tex. (one way via Calif.)—$82.50.
Sioux City—$60.00.
Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Denver—$55.00.
St. Louis—$70.00.
Albany, N. Y.—$104.10.
Baltimore, Md.—$107.50.
Boston, Mass.—$110.00.
Buffalo, N. Y.—$92.00.
Davenport, Ia.—$65.70.
Halifax, N. S.—$129.35.
Montreal, Que.—$105.00.
New York, N. Y.—$108.50.
Pittsburgh, Pa.—$91.50.
Philadelphia, Pa.—$108.50.
Portland, Me.—$110.00.
Quebec, Que.—$111.50.
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.—$80.00.
Suspension Bridge, N. Y.—$92.00.
Toronto, Ont.—$92.00.
Washngton D. C.—$108.00.

THE SAFE WAY



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Eye Glasses and Spectacles

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—Longfellow.

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SHERRYS OFFERING

Webster and Wade, a high class singing and dancing act make their first appearance tonight with new and up-to-date songs, together with an unusually strong four-reel picture program.

NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

Notice is hereby given that the City of La Grande, Union county, Oregon, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of improvement bonds, in the sum of $56,312.21, in denominations of $500.00, bearing interest at six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually said bids to be filed with the city recorder not later than 8 o'clock p. m., March 19th, 1913, and must be accompanied by a certified check for the sum of $2800.00.

The successful bidder will be required to pay for said bonds within ten 10) days after notice that said bonds are ready for delivery.

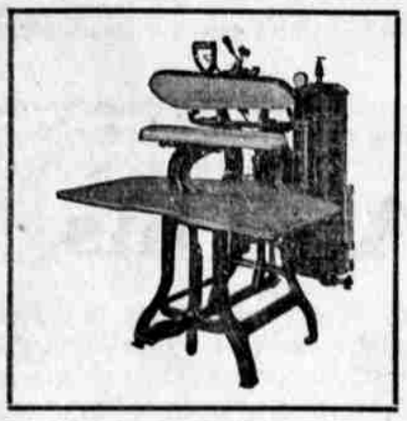
La Grande, Oregon, February 25th, 1913.

LEE WARNICK,
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon. 3-4-6t

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Wages $6.00 per week. Call between 9 and 12 a. m. at 1101 O street. 3-5-3t

HIGHBRED HORSE, BUGGY and harness; finest outfit on the coast; must sell; a bargain. Never get a chance like this one again. Address Bor 633, Baker, Oregon. 3-5-3t

COLLECTIONS—Bring your hard old collections or any other to room 9, Newlin drug building.



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JURY FINDS DEATH CAUSE

MAN FOUND DEAD YESTERDAY IS WELL KNOWN

Had Been Living in North Powder for a Year; Leaves a Family.

North Powder, March 5.—(Special)—"Died his death while in an intoxicated condition by being hit by a train," is the summary of the verdict of a jury following the finding of a man near North Powder yesterday morning. He is well known here and is known to have been drinking just prior to the time he was found at the railroad track. His name was Andy Lindquist and was killed here by the fast mail train No. 10. It was very foggy and was impossible to see a man one block away. Lindquist had been drinking and started home just before the arrival of No. 10. His body was found near the Pacific Fruit Express company's ice plant just above the depot. Lindquist was struck in the back and his skull crushed. The remains are now in the Sloan undertaking parlors.

Lindquist leaves a wife in Finland and one son, who is somewhere in Wisconsin. He has been employed by J. D. McPhee for the last year, and was about 50 years old. Officials are now trying to locate his son.

Best for Skin Diseases.

Nearly every skin disease yields quickly and permanentyl to Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and nothing is better for burns or bruises. Soothes and heals. John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich., says, after suffering twelve years, with skin ailment and spending $400 in doctors' bills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. It will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by all dealers.

ISLAND CITY NEWS.

Island City, March 4.—(Special)—The two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kennedy is suffering from a broken arm caused by falling from a bridge. It was a week before the parents knew the arm was broken.

The chicken pie supper given at Odd Fellows a few nights ago was a thorough success. Thirty-nine dollars was realized.

Lee Humphreys has suffered greatly from his broken hip of late.

Misses Grace Perrin, Clara Hunter and Flora Fee attended the Soiree party in La Grande Friday night.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call Dr. Underwood's office. 3-5-tf

Torpedo Boat Crew Killed.

Hamburg, March 5.—Blotting out 58 or more lives, the German cruiser York rammed a German torpedo boat during night maneuvers off Heligoland, and the smaller craft is sinking. Only 15 members of the crew of 85 on the torpedo boat are accounted for.

Mexicans Kill an American.

Washington, March 5.—Frank Horace, an American, was killed in the doorway of his shop at Coalcoman, Mexico, according to telegrams received by the state department from Consul Kirk, at Manzanillo. The same bullet is said to have killed a Mexican.

Akron Strikers Oppose Harmony.

Akron, O., March 5.—Officials of the rubber companies have predicted dissension among the workers themselves will soon bring an end of the strike at their plants. Chairman Pollock, of the strikers' executive committee, has resigned. William Haywood, the industrial organizer, arrived today and addressed a number of mass meetings.

There is as yet no Teddy bear or Billy possum for Wilson. Why not invent a Woodrow woodchuck?

Eggs are only 19 cents a dozen in Chicago, but then there are so many bad eggs there.

A BADLY ABUSED WORD.

Many Base Uses to Which "Infinite" Is Put Nowadays.

What is happening to the word "infinite?" It used to have great and rare associations and serve great needs.

Now I meet it everywhere and with every possible application. One bonnet is infinitely more beautiful than another, one brand of wine infinitely preferable to the next. He has an infinite desire to see her; she would infinitely prefer a hobble skirt to one with gores. One novel is infinitely superior to its predecessor; a character in it infinitely prefers game to domestic fowl. There is no association too trivial for it, no use too petty. Our books and our newspapers alike bristle with misused "infinites." The word, like Lawrence Sterne and Lord Byron, has become a social literary success, and no worse fate can befall a great author or a great word. It is taken up by the fashion papers and by society journals, and this season's styles are usually infinitely prettier than the last.

Infinitely pretty!

Not only careless journalistic folk who like to produce an emphatic effect—at any cost—are guilty. My learned friends put it to common use. So do I when I forget. We are infinitely obliged nowadays to one who gives us a lift of a few blocks and infinitely grateful for our Christmas presents. Our greatest and best authors vie with one another in bringing this great word down from its high estate, and it is only a few days since I heard a most fastidious man of letters lecturing in Boston say that the Sunday supplements would be infinitely more diverting if something--I forget what—were different. The robin's note in "Fiona Macleod" is "infinitely winsome." Even as critical a writer as Mrs. Anne Douglas Sedgwick speaks of a heroine "infinitely malleable" through love and of a fat young German musician as feeling "infinite compassion." That, to be sure, is better than Arnold Bennett's description of a woman as "infinitely stylish."—Scribner's.

ALPINE CURLING.

Almost Surgical Skill Used on the Ice to Make It Perfect.

Scotch players regard the conditions of Alpine curling as somewhat too luxurious. The ice is almost too perfect, and the tactics that proved successful on the rough ice of a Scottish pond have to be abandoned in favor of more subtle methods.

The ordinary visitor to the Alps has very little idea of the science and work which are necessary to insure a good rink, and the Scotch curler who has been accustomed to the rough ice formed by a few nights' frost is somewhat startled when he sees an army of icemen working through the night. A rink in the Alps is a costly business. The ground is carefully leveled in the spring, and after the first fall of snow a squad of icemen tramp the snow down as evenly as possible. The flooding is done in a series of elaborate stages, which can be carried out only when the sun is shining.

The secret of good ice is to go slowly. This was proved by a clever experiment. The discovery of this was due to Rudolph Bauman, perhaps the best iceman in the Alps. He filled two wooden tubs with water, and the first froze hard in a night. The second was allowed to fill gradually, drop by drop, throughout a fortnight. The two blocks of ice were then put in the sunshine, and, whereas the ice that had been formed in a single night disappeared within a week, the other block survived for three weeks.

The ice is carefully doctored every night with the skill of a first class surgeon. Small holes are trimmed and scooped out with a knife. They are then filled with finely powdered ice and sprinkled with boiling water. The result is an absolutely even surface of good ice.—London Times.

A Handy Measure.

If you have a pint jug and wish to measure off half a pint with tolerable accuracy it is useless to try and do so by guessing when the jug is half full. A better way is to tilt the jug until the contents just reach to the upper end of the bottom of the vessel and just touch the lip at the lower end of the mouth. In this way the space in the pint jug is practically cut into two equal portions, each half representing the space taken by half a pint.

Clogs.

Clogs, against which the Lancashire mill girls are rebelling, were at one time worn by women of all classes. The more refined variety of the clog had a thin wooden sole, which was cut transversely in two pieces, attached to each other by a hinge. Dainty brass and polished leather appurtenances gave a finish to the article. Anne Bracegirdle, the most beautiful actress of her day, was a wearer of clogs. Horace Walpole relates in one of his letters that "Mrs. Bracegirdle breakfasted with me this morning. As she went out and wanted her clogs she turned to me and said, 'I remember at the playhouse they used to call for Mrs. Oldfield's chair, Mrs. Barry's clogs and Mrs. Bracegirdle's pattens.'"—London Spectator.

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WHEELERS SCORE AGAIN.

Big Audience Sees Last Night's Show Put on at Steward.

A packed house greeted the Wheeler players on their third night in the side-splitting comedy, "Charley's Aunt." The comedy has been played in La Grande several times before, but it was never handled as it was last night by this popular company.

The audience were in an uproar from the time the curtain went up until the final curtain. It would be hard to speak individually of any member as they were all excellent each one handling his part with ease and keeping an atmosphere of origination throughout.

The ladies' dresses were gorgeous, especially in the last act and the stage settings were beautiful.

La Grande theatre patrons should feel elated in having so fine a company in their midst and at the prices of admission the houses should be capacity each night.

Mr. Wheeler announces "A Southern Romance" for tonight.

Best Known Cough Remedy.

For forty-three years Dr. King's New Discovery has been known throughout the world as the most reliable cough remedy. Over three million bottles wereused last year. Isn't this proof? It will get rid of your cough, or we will refund your money. J. J. Owens, of Allendale, S. C., writes the way hundreds of others have done: "After twenty years, I find that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds that I have ever used." For coughs or colds and all throat and lung troubles, it has no equal. 50c and $1.00 at all dealers.

ARCADE PROGRAM.

Change of Pictures Today.

1—"PECOS PETE," WESTERN COMEDY DRAMA.
2—"THE BRIDEGROOM'S OFFENSE," COMEDY.
3—FREDRIK THE GREAT, IN VAUDEVILLE.
4—"THE ALLIGATOR," EDUCATIONAL.
5—"WHEN THE LAST LEAF FELL," DRAMA
6—TUSCAN JOE, IN VAUDEVILLE
7—"HIS UNCLE'S WIVES," CLEVER COMEDY.
8—CLARK & CHAPMAN, MUSIC.
COMING TOMORROW, "THE HARTFORD SISTERS" IN VAUDEVILLE.

Delayed Blast Kills.

San Bernardino, March 5.—Three men were killed and several seriously injured ten miles north of here by a delayed dynamite blast. They were laborers in a Santa Fe construction camp.

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