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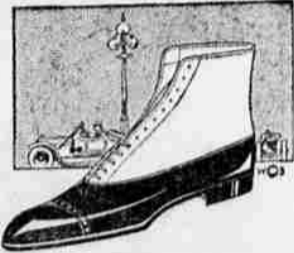


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"THE DESERTER"

Triangle-Ince Western Drama Is Spectacular. Reviewed by Thos. C. Kennedy in Motography.

Some of the most spectacular Indian battle scenes ever incorporated in a five-reel picture are to be found in "The Deserter," which will be shown at the Arcade today and tomorrow. That many of the scenes were directed by Thomas Ince is plainly evident, for they have the bigness which he so skillfully imparts to ensemble effects.

The thrills afforded by daring horse riding and the beauty and reality of the long expansive views of an Indian attack on a band of pioneers crossing the desert are the principal portions of the picture. They assume the lead over a story which tells of a young army officer who in moments of haste and temper commits two offenses. The first causes him to be held for trial before a court-martial and the second and most serious is his desertion.

The story is by Richard V. Spencer and Mr. Ince. Its greatest point lies in the opportunities it presented for spectacular production and that these were utilized so well will account for the popularity "The Deserter" seems bound to win.

Charles Ray gives a fine characterization as Lieutenant Parker. After deserting the army in preference to facing the disgrace of a court-martial he wanders the desert until exhausted and is rescued by some travelers. They are attacked by the Indians and he makes the sacrifice of riding to the post to obtain aid for the women and children. He arrives at the fort in a dying condition and though recognized, the heroism of his act causes

the authorities there to dispense with all formalities, even to striking out the line "deserted" in his record and according honorable burial.

The other characters are well interpreted by Rita Stanwood, Wedgewood Nowell, Hazel Belford and Joseph J. Dowling. The photography is excellent and altogether "The Deserter" is impressive. Its spectacular effects and thrilling action make it so.

Notice.

In the Circuit court of the State of Oregon for Union county.

William E. Burnap and Hettie Burnap, plaintiffs, vs. Juanita Frakes, Merle Frakes and James H. Frakes, defendants.

To Juanita Frakes and Merle Frakes the above named defendants: You and each of you are hereby notified to be and appear in the above entitled court and answer the amended complaint therein filed against you, within six weeks from the first publication of this summons and you and each of you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiffs will, for want of such answer, apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: That plaintiffs, William E. Burnap and Hettie J. Burnap be declared to be the owners in fee of an undivided 5-6 interest in and to the following described land, to-wit: East half of Northwest Quarter and North half of Northeast Quarter of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Four South, Range Thirty-seven (37), East of Willamette Meridian in Union county, Oregon, and that defendants, Juanita Frakes and Merle Frakes are jointly the owners of an undivided 1-6 interest in said lands and that defendant, James H. Frakes is the owner of an unassigned courtesy estate for his life in the undivided interest of said defendants, Juanita Frakes and Merle Frakes and that the said real property be ordered sold as by

law provided and the proceeds thereof of partitioned among the plaintiff's and defendants according to their several ownerships therein.

This summons is published in the "La Grande Evening Observer," a newspaper published at La Grande, Oregon, once each week for six consecutive weeks by order of the Hon. J. F. Phy, County Judge of Union county, Oregon, made and entered on the 4th day of December, A. D., 1916, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 6th day of December, 1916.

J. D. SLATER,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.
—Adv 12-6-13-20-27; 1-3-10-17.

Stomach Trouble and Constipation.

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England Wants, But Cannot Borrow Money in Argentina

Buenos Aires, Dec., 13—(United Press)—A London newspaper having suggested that maybe the allies could borrow some money in Argentina, English periodicals published here today say there is not the ghost of a chance of such a thing.

The Buenos Aires Standard indorses an estimate that more than 373,685 390 pounds, or about \$1,868,000,000, in English money is invested in the republic, adding that the Argentines need more for development purposes and would be borrowing it if times

were not so "tight" that it is not to be had.

"Of course," the Standard admits, "England's Argentine bonds might be transferred to American purchasers but that is not precisely what our London contemporary wants."

Teachers' Examinations.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Union county, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at La Grande High School as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, December 20, 1916, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, December 23, 1916, at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

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U. S. History, Writing, Penmanship, Music, Drawing.

Wednesday Afternoon.

Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Reading, Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday Forenoon.

Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography, Mechanical Drawing, Domestic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art.

Thursday Afternoon.

Grammar, Geography, Stenography, American Literature, Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate.

Friday Forenoon.

Theory and Practice, Orthography Physical Geography, English Literature, Chemistry, Physical Culture.

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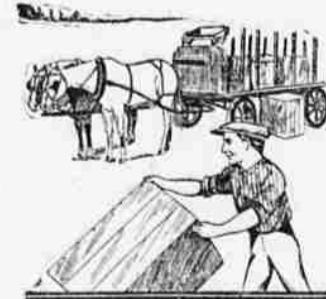
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