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HELIOS THEATER. (Eleventh and Morrison)—Motion picture, "From the Manger to the Cross." This afternoon at 2 and tonight at 8:15. ORPHEUM THEATER (Broadway and Taylor)—Vaudeville. This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15.

EMPRESS THEATER (Broadway and Yamhill)—Vaudeville. This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15. LYRIC THEATER (Broadway and Stark)—Musical comedy, "The Pawnbroker." This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:15.

PEOPLE'S STAR ARCADE. OH JOY, TIVOLI AND CRYSTAL.—First-run picture, "The Sign of the Cross." 11 A. M. to 11 P. M. GLOBE THEATER (Eleventh and Washington)—Continuous first-run motion pictures.

Advertisements intended for the City News Brief column to Sunday's issue must be handed in The Oregonian business office by 5 o'clock Saturday evening.

TRIP CASE THREATENED.—Construction of the street on Halsey street and the Barr road from Sandy boulevard to the city limits may be made a test case as to the power of the City Council to require the Grand Railway, Light Company, to build extensions. Property owners in that vicinity have been trying to get this line built for the past six months and have raised about \$15,000 to help defray the cost of construction.

Bill Provides Seats for Employees.—One seat for every three employees in workshops and stores in Portland for use when the employees are not busy will be required by ordinance. If an ordinance, adopted by the health and police committee of the City Council yesterday, becomes a law, the measure which was introduced by Councilman Clyde originally provided that seats should be installed for the benefit of female employees.

GRANE GIVES SECRET

Actor, "Frisky" at 68, Tells How He Stays Young.

"DON'T WORRY" HIS CODE Dean of American Stage, in Portland, Avers His Wrinkles Not Product of Mental Harassing. Moderation Found Aid.

BY LEONE CASS BAER. William H. Crane, who is 68 years old, only one year younger than Sarah Bernhardt, says the reason he can gallop about like a young, frisky colt is because Sarah has lived abnormally and he has lived normally.

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MANDAMUS IS POSSIBLE

SUIT MAY BE FILED AGAINST JUDGE MORROW. Delay of Sentence for Convicted Man Arouses Deputy District Attorney.

Refusal of Circuit Judge Morrow to issue a new commitment for W. H. Whitteaker, convicted of swindling Emma Smith and Mary Cole in an oil stock transaction and sentenced to from one to five years in the State Penitentiary, may lead to a mandamus suit being instituted against the judge by Deputy District Attorney Maguire. This is contended on the District Attorney's office deciding that it is necessary to resent the prisoner, whose conviction was affirmed recently by the Supreme Court and the mandate in whose name came down last week.

Mr. Maguire appeared in Judge Morrow's court yesterday and informed him that the mandate had been received and that Whitteaker should be recommitted to serve his sentence. Judge Morrow responded that he had decided not to send Whitteaker to the State until he saw what was going to be done in the cases of Whitteaker's co-defendants, L. C. Hammer, C. F. A. Peck, H. G. Luker and J. C. Luker.

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For instance, he has a few rules of his own for longevity. One of them is, "Don't worry." This is the first rule in his own little book of life, and the first aid to the injured he applies when he sees the distress signal flying. "Nothing is better for it. And you say your energy—energy that might be applied in looking trouble in the face. Nothing truer was ever written than that gear about every cloud having a silver lining. Not one wrinkle in my face comes from worry."

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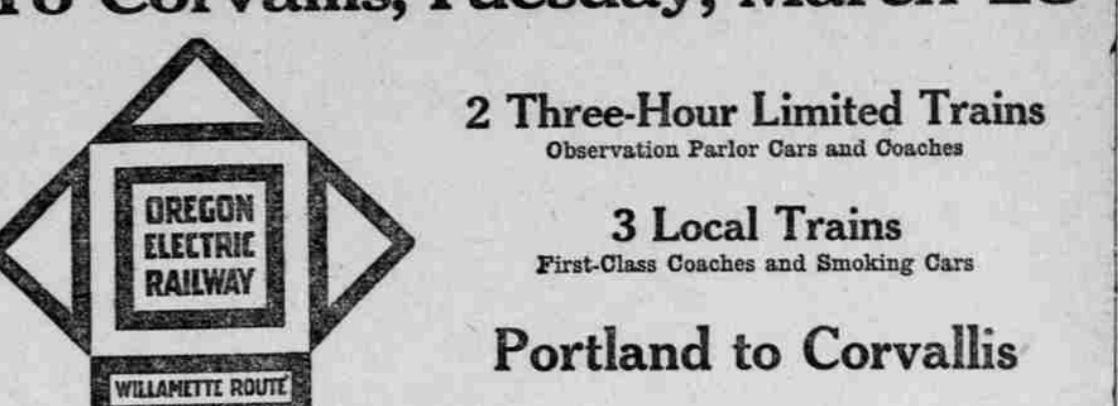
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Oregon Electric Railway Opens New Line To Corvallis, Tuesday, March 25



DAILY SCHEDULE table with columns for LOCAL, LIMITED, LOCAL, LOCAL, LIMITED and times for various stations like Portland, Salem, Albany, Corvallis, Eugene.

Portland time shown is at Jefferson-street Station; at North Bank Station time is twenty minutes earlier. Trains leaving Portland start from North Bank Station, making stops to accept passengers at Tenth and Stark streets, Tenth and Morrison streets, Fifth and Salmon streets, Second and Salmon streets and Jefferson-Street Station.

CITY TICKET OFFICES: Tenth and Stark Streets, Tenth and Morrison Streets. PASSENGER STATIONS: Eleventh and Hoyt Streets, Jefferson and Front Streets.

enough the beginning of a total eclipse of the moon, staged exclusively for the people of the Pacific Coast. In the Eastern states, if the almanac makers and astronomical experts are to be believed, investigators were able to see only the beginning of the occultation. The eclipse this morning was of more than two hours' duration. The center of the eclipse was at 3:55, when the moon was full, and the shadow of the earth discreetly threw a veil entirely over its condition.

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LEAGUE WILL WAR ON VICE. Ex-Ranchers of Coos County Incorporate to Fight Slavers. "To wage an aggressive campaign for the suppression of vice and vicious practices; to lend protection to individuals and to ferret out and bring to justice all offenders against the laws and especially those engaged in the white slave traffic," is the avowed object of a new organization known as the Anti-Vice Crusade League.

BISHOP FOUKE TO SPEAK. Head of United Evangelical Association to Tell of Union Plans. Bishop Fouke, of the United Evangelical denomination, will arrive today from Illinois and will be the principal speaker at a union meeting to be held at the First English Church, Evangelical Association, East Sixth and East Market streets.

MOON WHOLLY ECLIPSED. Phenomenon Visible on Coast and Lasts More Than Two Hours. Whoever had a scientific instinct developed highly enough above his love of a warm bed to permit him to slip out at 2:19 this morning might have seen, when the clouds cleared away

LILIES TO BEDECK DINERS. Eating Cars of O.-W. R. & N. to Be Decorated Easter Sunday. Easter lilies will form the principal decorations in the dining-cars of the O.-W. R. & N. Sunday.