



Special Fares For Year-End Trips

OREGON ELECTRIC RAILWAY

The Popular Willamette Valley Route

Round Trip Fares

In effect Between Willamette Valley points Dec. 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 31st, 1915, and Jan. 1st, 1916.

Final Return Limit on Tickets sold these dates is January 4, 1916.

Plan Your Christmas and New Year Holidays Accordingly

Round Trip rates of \$30 and \$26.70 from Portland to San Francisco via "The North Bank Rail and S. S. "Northern Pacific" Dec. 20, 21, 24, 25, 29, 30. Return limit Jan. 4. Meals and berth included in fares.

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ANNUAL MASQUERADE BALL

ALL NIGHT DANCE

MOOSE HALL

Hillsboro, Ore.

Friday, December 31, 1915

Four Piece Orchestra

Four Prizes Four Prizes

Tickets \$1 Ladies Free

Spectators, 10 cents

Floating a Loan.

"I want to see if I can't borrow a little money from the Brokers and Stokers' bank."

Well!

"What sort of man is the president of it? Is he one of these fellows who are impressed by a rusty suit, or does he think a man is a good rick who affects loud vests and gay spats?"

The Soft Answer.

"He-ugh! I'm going out of this, and you won't see me again until the day of judgment."

She (sweetly, getting the last word, as usual)—All right, dear, and if you aren't feeling in a better temper please let it be well on in the afternoon.

London Saturday Review.

Heard Out of Doors.

"Well, look at the billygoat! He's the first one I've seen for ages."

He's hardly an impressive looking object.

"He may not be impressive looking, but he certainly has a striking forehead."—Boston Transcript.

Muddled.

Customer—Is this bread today's? Shopkeeper—Yes'm. Customer—The reason I ask is because the bread I got here yesterday wasn't.—London Telegraph.

Big Spiders.

The South American bird eating spider is as big as a mouse, and its furred feet are so formed that it can walk up glass with practically no difficulty.

Odd Cures For Seasickness.

Among curious remedies for seasickness is that which is popular among the mariners in the Levant—the daily swallowing of iron rust, which is obtained by the simple process of scraping it off the anchor or anchor chain. But this is only part of the treatment. For a small pouch containing roasted salt and fowers of thyme must be tied upon the abdomen as firmly as can be borne, this being considered to counteract the effect of the internal disturbance caused by the rolling of the vessel. Known to the ancient Greeks as "thyman salt," the preparation has at least the authority of old age, while its efficacy is not without modern testimony. And the belt is better than salt and faith better than the belt.

A Martyr.

"When we were married you said there was nothing you wouldn't do for me," said the spoiled darling.

Well, my dear,

"answered her husband patiently, "I was thinking the matter over the other day, and it seemed to me there was nothing you hadn't said you'd do for me, but if there is one little thing on your mind you haven't mentioned yet speak, and I will do the best I can."—Chicago News.

His Double Loss.

"I've been advised in that hospital" declared the busy ex-patient as he met a friend.

What's the matter?

"I've lost you, and what did they do?" asked the patient.

Well, one of the orderlies took my watch, and all the doctors took my money."—Baltimore American.

Advertisement for 'SHADY BROOK' feed, featuring a cow illustration and text: 'Increase Your Milk Flow... Feed Your Cows... SHADY BROOK... The wonderful alfalfa and molasses feed...'

The dance advertised by the Women of Woodcraft, to be held at Cedar Mill, Dec. 31, has been postponed, owing to death of a member.

OREGON ELECTRIC TRAINS

Table with 2 columns: Destination and Time. Rows include: To Portland—56 minutes, 6:32, 7:18, 8:28, 9:58, 12:43, 3:58, 5:43, 8:10, 9:18 (Sat. only), From Portland—55 minutes, 7:54, 9:20, 11:25, 2:12, 4:27, 6:25, 7:13, 8:26 (Sat. only), 12:25.

Spirella Corsets—Not sold in stores. A question and a suggestion. Have you any corset troubles? If so, let Spirella service cure them. Over three million satisfied Spirella wearers testify to the ease, comfort and perfection of style produced by Spirella corsets. Many exclusive designs from which to select the corset best suited to your individual needs. A Spirella residence corsetier in this field. My advice, experience and training are at your service, without obligation. Appointments by letter or telephone given prompt attention.—Phone Main 384. Residence, Fifth and Jackson, Hillsboro, Ore. 23-46. J. Selling, the new Orenco merchant, was in town today.

Entered at the Post-office at Hillsboro, Oregon, as second-class mail matter. A. A. LONG, Editor. County Official Paper. Subscription: \$1.50 per Annum. Issued Every Thursday. -37- LONG & McMINNEY

The Argus wishes all, old, young and middle aged, or otherwise the most happy and prosperous New Year. It has no advice to give, except that you so live that you can look every person in the eye and wish them all good will. In this manner good will must cover you like a mantle—except, of course, from those who never pay any good will, and who assume that the world is all to the bad and that they are the only wise and beneficent creatures. And their ill will should do you no harm.

As the New Year breaks, be careful of your speech. Even if you are satisfied that a person should be in some feeble-minded institute, or in the Hospital for the defective minded, be careful in your converse. Do not say, in speaking of such, that he, she or they, "should be at Salem," no matter to whom you are speaking. The best intentioned person in the world might get it twisted, and think that you meant the "pen," and so relate it. Thus you would get in bad, when preciseness of speech would save you trouble.

A. B. Flint, of Scholis, was a city caller Tuesday.

B. Fleischhauer, of Gaston, was a city caller today.

Miss Hazel Johnson, of St. Johns, is visiting relatives in the city this week.

Born, to Albert Foore and wife, of Umatilla, formerly of Hillsboro, Dec. 27, 1915, a son.

St. Johns Day was celebrated Monday evening, and a program and installation were features.

R. P. Foster, of Chehalis, Wn., was over Christmas, a guest of H. T. Bagley.

Abraham Zahler, of Helvetia, was in town Tuesday, a spectator at circuit court.

Marriage license has been granted John Von Bergen and Marie Claus, of Hillsdale.

Wheat ranged at from 97 cents to one dollar per bushel in Portland, Monday.

Wade Zumwalt, of near Eugene, was a Hillsboro visitor Christmas week.

Sam Sorensen, of near Witch Hazel, was in town the first of the week.

Mrs. Ruth Blair is spending the week with her son, H. T. Blair, and family, of Ryan Place.

Fred Stevens, of Farmington, now in his eleventh business year there, was a city visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wald Jones and little daughter, of Tacoma, Wn., are holiday guests of Mrs. Johanna Jones, of Second Street.

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. will hold public installation at Odd Fellows' Hall, Friday, Jan. 7, beginning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Julia Dennis, of Pendleton, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday, a guest of Mrs. J. O. Lammie and other friends.

Roscoe Morris, of Portland, spent Christmas with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gifford, of the Washington.

BENJ. KING HAINES

Benjamin King Haines died at his home on Fir Street, Dec. 29, 1915, after an illness of several weeks. He was born at Springfield, Ill., Aug. 20, 1884, and was married on June 9, 1873 to his cousin, Nancy Haines, who survives him. He enlisted in Co. G Seventh Ill. Inf., and served 8 months, then re-enlisting as a veteran in the 2nd Ill. Artillery, serving 3 years, when he again enlisted and remained until the close of the war.

He was in Idaho several years, and came to Portland in 1878. Besides the widow, an adopted daughter, Mrs. J. P. Magruder, survives.

The funeral takes place tomorrow from Donelson's, at 1.30. Deceased was a member of General Ransom Post, and the veterans and Relief Corps will have charge of the body.

TO THE PUBLIC

We desire to thank you for the business given us during the year just closed and to wish you the compliments of the season and hearty good wishes for a Happy New Year. GRAY & POWELL, Cash Grocery, one-half block east of P. O.

'GRAU-STARK'

The Greatest Historical Novel, Featured by Francis Bushman and Beverly Bayne

at the

GRAND THEATRE

Sunday, January 2, Only

SIX MAGNIFICENT REELS



Friday and Saturday Edmond Ables in a Four-Part Comedy for New Year's Patrons After Five A matinee has been arranged for Saturday Afternoon. Prices 10 and 5 cents.

A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL

SHERIFF'S SALE. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County. T. S. McDaniel, plaintiff, vs. The Portland Company, a corporation, John Montag, T. S. McDaniel, Frank Hildner, Eugenia V. Richter, T. P. Bagley, and the United States of America, defendants. By virtue of an Execution, Judgment out of the above entitled Court in the dated the 22nd day of December, 1915, upon a Judgment rendered and entered in said Court and cause on the 22nd day of December, 1915, in favor of T. S. McDaniel, plaintiff, and against Frank Richter, Eugenia Richter, his wife, defendants, for the sum of \$155.60 with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 22nd day of October, 1915, and the further sum of \$18.75 together with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 22nd day of October, 1915, and the further sum of \$50 attorney fees and disbursements, and the costs of and on this writ, commanding me to make sale of the following real property, situate in Washington County, State of Oregon, to-wit: All of Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Three (3) in Map Addition to Keweenaw Bluffs in City of Portland, Oregon. Now, the clerk, by virtue of said execution, Judgment Order, Decree and Order of said Court in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will, on the 24th day of January, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court House of the County of Washington, in Hillsboro, Wash., at public auction, subject to redemption to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of either of them, excepting the interest of T. S. McDaniel, Defendant, had in the mortgage herein foreclosed, or any said date had in and to the above described property, or any part thereof, to satisfy said execution, Judgment, Order and decree, interest, costs and attorney costs. J. R. KERRIN, Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon. Dated D. C. 23, 1915. First published Dec. 23, 1915; last publication, Jan. 2, 1916. Wheeler & Williams, Attorneys for plaintiff.

SUMMONS. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County. Lena Ball, Plaintiff, vs. Arthur Ball, Defendant, In the name of the State of Oregon.

To Arthur Ball, the above named Defendant:

You are hereby notified and required to appear or answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before December 31st, 1915, and if you fail to do so for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for relief prayed for in her complaint, to-wit: for a decree forever dissolving the marriage and marriage contract by and heretofore existing between yourself and the plaintiff upon the grounds of desertion alleged to have occurred on the 16th day of October, 1914, without cause or provocation, and without the consent of the plaintiff and against her will, which said desertion is alleged to have continued since said date. This Summons is served upon you by publication thereof by order of the Honorable George R. Bagley, Judge of the above entitled Court, made and entered on the 17th day of November, 1915, and which said order requires that said Summons be published in the Hillsboro Argus, once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of said newspaper of November 18th, 1915, and ending thereof with the issue of December 20th, 1915, and which said order requires that you appear and answer said complaint on or before the 31st day of December, 1915. William G. Hare, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Washington. Emma Cooper, Plaintiff, vs. Lloyd C. Cooper, Defendant.

To Lloyd C. Cooper, defendant above named: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff's filed herein against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 14th day of January, 1916, and date being after the expiration of six weeks from the first publication of the Summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer the complaint for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the defendant and the plaintiff upon the grounds of willful desertion on the part of the defendant, and that the care, control and custody of the minor child of the plaintiff and defendant, Frank Cooper, be given to the plaintiff, and for such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and equitable. This Summons is served upon you by publication thereof in the Hillsboro Argus, a newspaper printed and published in Washington County, State of Oregon, and pursuant to an order of Honorable George R. Bagley, Judge of the above entitled court and cause, duly made and entered on the 29th day of November, 1915. Said Summons will be published for six consecutive weeks. John C. Shillock, Attorney for Plaintiff, Portland, Ore. Date of First Publication, December 2nd, 1915. Date of Last Publication, January 13th, 1916.