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EQUALIZE TELEPHONE RATES

Charges for Greater Distances Are Less Than for Shorter Lines

Tualatin Valley people are wondering why a telephone call from Beaverton to Portland is 10 cents, while a charge of only 5 cents is made on a call from Oswego and Oak Grove to the city, the latter lines being longer by 1/2 a mile and 1 mile. The correct mileage is as follows:

Oswego	8 1/2 miles
Oak Grove	9 miles
Beaverton	8 miles

This has become an important question with the residents of the Valley, and they are discussing the matter seriously, with a view possibly to the formation of some organization to secure an equitable adjustment of rates.

The telephone system is a monopoly. That is all the more reason why local phone companies should be fair to every section in rate making. The people of the state cannot logically be expected to abide long with any arrangement that will permit the exaction from one locality of a rate that is one hundred percent greater than the rate applying to another district of equal or greater distance.

These remarks echo expressions which are becoming more and more frequent among the residents of the Tualatin Valley, who deem this the proper time to protest the discrimination shown by the telephone system in its maintenance of a rate in the Valley that, in comparison with the charges for service to patrons of more remote sections, is unreasonably high.

EVERYTHING JUST A LOT OF FUN

Some Few Know How To Play. They Are Natural Bubbling Fountains of Joy

Some few people know how to play. They are natural bubbling fountains of joy. They don't give a darn who's looking at them, but forget everybody and everything as they give off smiles that couldn't help being. We note this at the lake resort.

Everything to them is just a lot of fun, as they are born to be merry and to make others merry with them. They are not so extremely self-conscious as are some other people. They don't care two whoops about who may be commenting on the bathing suits they are wearing, and are unconcerned about the criticism some may have to offer regarding the figures which they make in those suits. They don't do things just to have some one observe and remark on their antics. They do everything thus or so, merely because that is the natural expression for them.

Too many people carry their conventionally long faces with them to the playgrounds. They are afraid to relax, afraid to be sensibly unbound and free, and they give the impression that they are taking the air as a medicine, and that they are not sure whether the preparation isn't somewhat bitter.

Here's the sunshine girl, not as beautiful as some of the other young women, but a brilliant little jewel herself, sparkling with her own happiness and making her companions reflect the same happy spirit. Yonder small business man from town, we take it, is uneasy with his feeling that the buoyancy of this sunshine group is a little unrestrained, and evidently he feels that behavior in such a public place ought to be more controlled. The trouble is, he's afraid to be himself and it hurts him when some one else casts aside all the harness like inhibitions which repress him.

Playing is an art, and one has to learn how to play. The fellow who gets the most out of any game, though it be just idle recreation, has to have some training before he can play it splendidly. He doesn't get the most enjoyment out of the game until he has become able to play it like a prince, not for the satisfaction he may derive from the praise one earns as a real winning player, but for the sport of it all, for the physical and mental benefits he may gain from it, and the opportunity it will give him to help make others forget their everyday selves and become just kids again.

We imagine it's no fun to be a millionaire. What the government doesn't get the waiters and bell-hops do.

What is done is done, but it is idle to say that some one might not have done better.

Half your life may have been wasted but that is the greatest reason why the other half should not be wasted.

HITEON

Mrs. Sophia Olson spent last week with her daughter Mrs. Jenny Davies.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Struthers and son Kenneth spent Sunday at the Pioneer picnic at Sandy.

Mrs. Herman Metzentine and Mrs. C. W. Struthers were Portland visitors Wednesday.

Mr. Chas. VanKleek and Lloyd Metzentine responded to the fire alarm given when the Richards home at Kinton burned but arrived too late to be of assistance.

Deepest sympathy is extended the A. F. Peterson family by the community on the death of Mr. Peterson's father which occurred in Portland last week.

All Odd Fellows of Hiteon enjoyed the day Sunday at Elsners park at the annual picnic of the order.

Mr. E. D. Hite called on Mr. Peter Olson Friday evening. Mr. Olson is confined to Emanuel hospital following an operation. His Hiteon friends wish him a speedy recovery.

HAZELDALE NEWS

Farmers are busy in the harvest fields and threshing will start on Cooper Mt., Wednesday.

A charivari and shower were given to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robinson (Agnes Syverson) at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Syverson on Saturday evening. Refreshments were served consisting of ice cream and cake.

Mrs. John Carlson and little daughter of Pe Ell, Washington, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Blomquist for a few days.

Mr. John Nylund and family have moved back from Warrendale, Ore., to their home after an absence of several months.

Asa Griffiths and Betty Wagner of Portland were supper guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Griffiths.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Griffiths and Miss Susan Gragg of Salem visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Young in Orenco, Thursday evening. Mrs. Young is very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Greer and Courtney Syverson, of Timber, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Syverson over the week end.

INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Multnomah—Doll and umbrella repair shop opened for business in Parker building.

Seaside—Prouty Lumber Box Company being extensively improved.

Forest Grove—Bids opened for construction of two-story memorial legion building on corner of First Avenue North and Main Street.

Bids will be opened August 29 by State Highway commission for widening and straightening Old Oregon Trail Highway between Kamela and Hilgard.

Molalla—Shot Gun Lumber Company will start operations September 1st.

Coquille—Music store will be established in quarters in Gould building.

Portland—Plans underway for erection of three-story Spanish type apartment house at 640 Flanders St., at estimated cost of \$150,000.

Redmond—\$14,000 bond issue approved for erection of new gymnasium.

Coquille—Roosevelt Super Service station changed hands.

Klamath Falls—Postal receipts for fiscal year, ending June 30, 1929, showed gain of \$10,912 over previous year, according to John A. McCall, Postmaster.

Newberg—New water mains being installed from city limits north to reservoir.

Salem—Bids opened for construction of new \$500,000 State office building.

Vale—Additional equipment installed at Rex Theatre.

Clatskanie—Construction underway on \$15,975 Harvey and Hatton building.

Tillamook—Contract awarded for improving courthouse.

Mt. Angel—Local Libby McNeil & Libby pickle plant started operations recently.

Seaside—Associated Oil Company will erect modern service station in this place at cost of approximately \$10,000.

Tillamook—Plans underway for improving local streets.

HOME POINTERS

In making oatmeal muffins the milk is heated, then poured over the oatmeal which is added to the rest of the mixture. This method gives a finer texture to the product.

To insure a flaky product in pastry have all the ingredients cold, then cut the fat into the flour in particles about the size of small peas.

It is much easier to cut potato balls with a French vegetable cutter before cooking, as they hold together better.

If flour is browned for gravy or sauce add a small amount of white flour or cornstarch because browning flour changes some of the starch to sugar and lessens its thickening power.

The flavor of meats or cooked vegetables for salads are greatly improved by marinating them, that is, soaking them in French dressing.

Less sugar will be required and a better flavor will result if sugar is added to fruit sauces after cooking. Cooking fruits in sugar syrup helps to preserve the shape because the cellulose of the fruit is toughened by the sugar.

One cup of molasses in a recipe is the equivalent of 1-3 cup of sugar and one cup of liquid. One egg equals 1/4 teaspoon leavening agent. If one cup ground nuts is used 1-3 cup less butter is required. Three tablespoons cocoa equal one square of chocolate.

Cheese and soda crackers are often served as a last course at dinner. Roquefort, Camembert or Neufchatel cheese is especially desirable at this time. It may be cut in small squares and served on small plates with a butter spreader.

Something From Nothing

The Volstead law will be put to a severe test when alcohol shall be successfully made out of air and water.

A German professor, Herr Plauson, has perfected a high-speed electronic tube that, he thinks, will so effectually bombard the molecules and atoms of air and water that synthetic alcohol will result.

The new cathode-ray may be exercised to such an economic efficiency that it will transform the waste products of the petroleum stills and of the coke ovens into rubber, alcohol, acetic acids and valuable drugs and perfumes.

Indicative of Oregon's outstanding leadership in the field of cooperative marketing, three men from this state have been invited to attend the fifth annual conference of the American Institute of Cooperation at Baton Rouge, La., this week, where they will confer with the federal farm board. George O. Gatlin, cooperative marketing specialist of the college, has been asked to preside over two afternoon sessions. Paul V. Maris, director of extension at the college, and R. A. Ward, manager of the Pacific Cooperative woolgrowers, will be the other Oregon men at the conference. Mr. Ward will speak on "Needed Changes in the Federal Warehouse Act."

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