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THE SOCIETY GIRL'S IDEALS.

"What sort of a man would I marry? Well, in the first place he'd have to be successful. Not terribly rich, though, because I have money of my own. Save five thousand a year and good prospects. Don't care how he makes it, but he must be a good spender and have plenty of small talk. Dress? Why, of course, the men in our set have to dress swell or the girls wouldn't look at them.

The speaker, Miss Winnie M., says Robert Haven Schaeffer, in Success Magazine, was a popular member of the Smart Set in the large northeastern city which she called home. She was tall, slender, animated, with a charming figure, light, curly hair and extraordinary flashing blue eyes.

"Of course I'd like him older," she continued. "About fifteen years older would do. The elderly ones can give a girl a better position, and I would not mind if he were a widower—either grass or sod. I know lots and lots of divorced people. And of course, if I didn't hit it off with my husband I'd not be long about getting a divorce.

"Would I prefer remaining single to marrying a man I didn't love." The great eyes opened in naive astonishment. "Why don't you know that after a few years if a girl doesn't marry, she simply has no position? Love's all very nice, of course, but it isn't really necessary for marriage." "Children! Oh, yes. I'd want one or two, but no more. Heredity? Now what does that word mean, anyway?"

The average income demanded by the Smart Set girl on which to start married life, is \$7000 a year and excellent prospects. Besides that, as a rule she expects to have money of her own. "I simply couldn't be happy," declares a spoiled child of fortune in the middle west, "without certain luxuries such as opera seats, trained servants to care for me, and beautiful surroundings. I simply couldn't ride in the trolley cars. It may seem snobbish, but it's a fact. I hate crowds, and one cannot have privacy without money."

KEEP CONSTANTLY AT IT.

There is but one way to accomplish results—keep constantly at it. The quitter never achieved anything for he had no right to. The man who never quits is the man to tie to. It is so with community building. People who would have the best town on the map never lose an opportunity to talk about it. Their home city is first and uppermost in their minds. La Grande has a great many who use this system, but there are still many who do not. Lethargy will not do. Be up and doing. If nothing else, make an effort to find some stranger at the hotels and tell him the story of prosperity and opportunity that abounds in this part of Oregon.

If you will follow this for a few weeks it will become second nature and the battle is won. Gradually the information will percolate through the northwest that La Grande, Oregon, is the very best town of its size to be found, and the information will be correct.

But, above all things, get over the idea of being satisfied. The completely satisfied citizen is a block to progress. He is in the way and of no value. The person anything but satisfied with his business and the city, demanding that both advance, is the person who builds. He is not a leazer; he is lifeter, and if there is a roll of honor in this world or the next, the names of all lifters will appear upon it.

Sending apples to Chicago and Spokane is a good thing to do. In fact any advertising is a good thing. But in doing this outside advertising do not overlook the fact that Union county's great exposition will be held in La Grande soon and there is a great deal of preparation to be done for it. It needs the loyal support of every man, woman and child in the county. Another important thing that is close home is fitting up the exhibit hall with proper displays for this season. These things must not be overlooked.

At Placerville, California, the owner of an orchard was plowing among his trees and discovered a bunch of gold nuggets. Here in the Grande Ronde valley orchards produce the gold from the fruit that is sold. It is not necessary to have the ground mineralized for an orchard owner to grow rich in this valley.

Already La Grande people have an example of what paved streets mean. The street in front of the Foley hotel is finished and it is the admiration of all public-spirited people. The more paving we get in La Grande, the higher place this city will take in the commercial world, and the more valuable property will become.

In settling the public school question Chicago has decided that foreigners may become pupils. Now it is up to Chicago to find teachers who can teach seven different languages, finally eliminating all but English. The life of the school teacher continues to grow more complex each year.

Over at Dayton, Washington, a minister was dismissed because he was too popular and "dressed like a traveling man." Watch the preacher take on a national reputation. His congregation did not realize what it was doing for him.

Report of the Condition of The U. S. NATIONAL BANK

at La Grande, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business, September 1, 1910.

Table with columns: Resources, Dollars, Liabilities, Dollars. Includes items like Loans and Discounts, U. S. Bonds, Bank House, Furniture and Fixtures, etc.

Total 383,573.60
State of Oregon, County of Union, ss. I. T. J. Scroggen, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. J. SCROGGEN, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of September, 1910.
W. M. RAMSEY, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
WM. MILLER
N. K. WEST
H. E. COOLIDGE, Directors.

HUSBAND'S FOURTEEN ERRORS

- To tell her how to run her club.
To bank his money in her name.
To expect her to like his female relatives.
To forget to praise her.
To expect her to be grown up.
To expect to have the last word.
To take her opinions too seriously.
To forget that she will change her mind.
To let her open his letters.
To get mad because his bed is not tucked in at the foot.
To tell her how his mother used to cook.
To hesitate to tell her where he is going and where he has been.
To work for her so hard that he has no time to devote to her.

Notice to Creditors.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon for Union county, administratrix of the estate of Perry Stephenson, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers, to the administratrix, at the offices of Cochran & Cochran, La Grande National Bank Building, in La Grande, Oregon, within six months from date hereof.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 5th day of August, 1910.
LULA SHAW
Administratrix of the estate of Perry Stephenson, deceased.
Daily Aug 6-13-20-27 Sept 3

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account as administrator of the estate of Nick Armoas, deceased, and the county court of the State of Oregon for Union county, has fixed Tuesday, the 6th day of September, 1910, at the court house in La Grande, Union county, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing any objections to said account and the final settlement of the same.
Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this

OUR MENS CLOTHING FOR FALL and WINTER

Includes

S. NATHAN & CO'S.

\$15.00 \$17.50 \$20.00

Hand Tailored Suits.

Blue Serges, Fancy Serges, Fancy Cheviots and Tweeds

ALFRED BENJAMIN'S CLOTHING--Made in New York
SINCERITY SUITS--For Young Men and Men who stay Young
SOCIETY SUITS--For the Particular Dresser
EIDER HEIMER STEIN & CO'S.--Young Mens Clothing.

We cordially invite you to come in this store and see the new fall styles.

N. K. WEST THE QUALITY STORE

New Kodaks

We have just received a shipment of Cameras and supplies, and can supply your wants in this line.

Get the habit of buying your FILM PAPERS and CHEMICALS etc. of us.

Wright Drug Co. Reliable Druggists

4th day of August, 1910.
JAMES G. SNODGRASS
Administrator of the estate of Nick Armoas, deceased.
Daily Aug 6, 13, 20, 27 Sep 3.

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY
A Splendid Boarding and Day School for YOUNG MEN AND BOYS
Extensive courses in College, High School and Commercial work. Grammar grades taught to boys over 11 years. School opens Sept. 13, 1910. Catalog Free. Address, Rev. JOSEPH GALLAGHER, C. S. C., Free, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, PORTLAND, OREGON.

Big Wheat Sales.

Half the wheat produced in Umatilla county this season, or 2,500,000 bushels, has passed from the hands of the grower to the exporter and the miller, according to estimates made by local buyers, says the Pendleton East Oregonian. Though the market seems to be on the down grade at present, with the quotations at 78 cents per bushel, practically all of the selling has taken place in the last ten days. Fortunately for the growers most of them secured 80 cents per bushel and it is

Political Announcements

This column is open to any candidate regardless of Faction or Party and is paid advertising

S. F. WILSON, Athena, Oregon, candidate for joint senator for Umatilla, Union and Morrow counties subject to decision of republican primaries. "I firmly believe in the direct primary law, economy in the use of public funds, good roads, better schools, strict and prompt enforcement of law, the square deal and eternal progress of man and his institutions."

C. A. BARRETT, Athena, Oregon.—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for joint senator for the district embracing Union, Umatilla and Morrow counties, subject to the choice of republican voters at the primary nominating election to be held on September 24th, 1910. If nominated and elected I will work for the interest of all the people of my district to the best of my ability.

favor the maintenance of the correct primary law and people's choice for senator and believe people are as competent to nominate as they are to elect their officers. Very respectfully yours, C. A. BARRETT.

DR. C. T. BACON, La Grande, Oregon.—The Observer is authorized to announce the candidacy of Dr. C. T. Bacon for coroner of Union county subject to the decision of the republican voters at the primary election.

DR. CLYDE T. HOCKETT, Enterprise, Oregon.—I wish to announce my candidacy for joint representative for the 24th representative district subject to the voters of the republican party at the primary nominating election to be held in said representative district, September 24, 1910. CLYDE T. HOCKETT.

OPEN DINING ROOM SOON.

Foley Hotel Will Open as American Institution Temporarily Only.

The Foley hotel will open its dining room next Sunday or Monday and conduct the hotel on the American plan again for a time. Shortly the dining room will be converted into grill, but not next week. The kind of flooring which has been found so satisfactory for the lobby, has been placed on the dining room floor, and the new kitchen paint and papering done by O. F. Coolidge, is completed.

SHIPS STOCK TO FAIRS.

Mr. Chandler Sends Fine Shipments Local Stock to Fairs.

Intending to make the fair circuit at Portland, Salem and other places, Chandler, the stockman, today shipped a fine carload of stock to Portland, has long been conceded that Grande Ronde valley stock was the finest in the country and it is not a wild guess to say that Mr. Chandler will come home with prizes.

GEORGE PALMER, Pres. W. L. BRENHOLTS, Ass't. Cash.
F. J. HOLMES, Vice-Pres. EARL ZUNDEL, 2d Ass't Cash.
F. L. MEYERS, Cashier.

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