

BIG DAMAGE SUITS FILED

GEORGE COLP ALLEGES PERMANENT INJURIES.

Mrs. Rider Files Suit Against the City for Injury.

George Colp, through attorneys, has brought a \$10,000 damage suit against the O-W for damages he alleges were sustained last August. He claims that as foreman of a track crew, he had been sent out from Kamela to repair a piece of track torn up by a wreck, and that he had orders to rush the work for an approaching train. He claims that he was not given suitable appliances to haul the ties and had to place them on the pilot of an engine. He sets out that when they reached the scene of the wreck, the ties fell from the

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engine upon him because of insufficient light, it being a dark night, and that he sustained serious and lasting injuries.

Attorneys R. J. Greene and Eugene Ashwill are attorneys for the plaintiff.

SUIT AGAINST CITY.

Fifteen Thousand Dollars Damage Suit is Filed for Mrs. Rider.

A second suit for damages against the city of La Grande has been filed by attorneys for Mrs. Elizabeth Rider. Mrs. Rider asserts that she was caused much pain and permanent injuries by falling on a defective sidewalk, claiming damages to the amount of \$15,000 for these injuries.

A suit for \$25,000 had previously been filed against the city by Mr. Coleman, a former employee, who was hurt while digging a trench on Jefferson street sewer last year.

Attorneys R. J. Greene and Eugene Ashwill are counsel for the plaintiff.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED STREET IMPROVEMENT.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified that the Committee on estimates appointed by the Commission of the City of La Grande, Oregon, to make an examination of the property, upon which assessments are to be levied to pay the costs and expenses of the street improvement hereinafter described, as to the valuation and extent, if any of the benefits to be derived by said property by reason of said improvement, have made their report in writing to said council, which report has been received by said Commission and is on file in the office of the Recorder of said city, and is open for your inspection. That it is the intention of said Commission to levy a special assessment against all the property herein-after described for the purpose of paying the costs and expenses of improving South side of N Ave., from West curb line of Fourth Street to the East curb line of Oak Street by grading and placing thereon a standard 5 foot concrete sidewalk according to the plans and specifications therefore heretofore adopted by said Commission and on file in the office of the Recorder of said city.

That the real property included in and the boundaries of the district benefitted and affected by said proposed improvement are as follows: Beginning at a point on the intersection of the center line of Fourth Street with the center line of "N" Avenue the boundary line runs thence west along the center line of "N" Avenue to the center line of Oak Street, thence south along the center line of Oak Street 80 feet to a point opposite the south property line of Lot 12 in Block 3 Wisdom's Addition to the City of La Grande, Oregon, thence east along the south property line of Lots 1 and 12 in Block 3 Wisdom's Addition to the City of La Grande, Oregon, to the center line of Cedar Street; thence south along the center line of Cedar Street to a point opposite the center of Block 78 of Chaplin's Addition to the City of La Grande, Oregon; thence east and through the center of Blocks 78, 77, 76 and 75 of said Chaplin's Addition to a point west 100 feet from the west property line of Fourth Street; thence north to the southwest corner of lot 5 in Block 75 in Chaplin's said Addition; thence east to the center line of Fourth Street; thence north to the place of beginning—all in the City of La Grande, Oregon, and the estimated cost of said proposed improvement is \$1,327.19. You will further take notice that said City Commission will meet at the Commission Chamber in the City Building of said city on the 13th day of May, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. of said day to consider making said proposed levy and will then and there grant a hearing to any and all persons feeling aggrieved against, or on account of said proposed assessment.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon this 23rd day of April, 1914.
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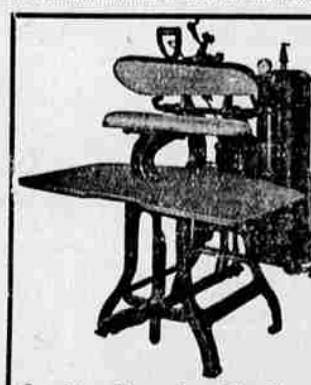
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