

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Malheur. James S. Stark and Marietta Stark, Plaintiffs, vs. Minnie B. Smith, George F. Smith, Dora S. Lockett, F. M. Lockett, F. D. Stark, Belle Stark, J. P. Stark, Inez Stark, Rary Stark, Selby Stark, Annetta McDonald, and Charles McDonald, Defendants.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that the Committee on Streets of the City Council will receive bids on the cost of improving Oregon Street from its intersection with Illinois Avenue to its intersection with Tennessee Avenue as follows, said portion of Oregon Street to be levelled or filled with dirt to its established grade and a roadway sixteen feet in width in the center of said street, or as nearly as possible, covered with gravel, fine enough to pass through a one inch mesh screen, to a depth of six inches in the center of said roadway and grading down to a depth of four inches at its outer edges.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CLAY M. STEARNS, City Recorder, Pub. Oct. 17, 1917.

FOR SALE—Single Comb and White Leghorn Pullets. A. B. Cain, Ontario, Ore. Phone 206J1 Adv41

Miss Estelle Currey announces that she has resumed her classes in piano. Studio one block south of the High school. Adv40 3t

Building and carpenter work of all kinds. Reasonable prices. Write or call. Wm. Kerchen, 620 California Ave., Ontario. Advtf

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H. H. Tunny fighting the Germans. Adv.

STARS IN BASEBALL.

They Are Really Essential to the Success of a Club.

It is absolutely necessary for each and every major league club to have at least one unusually brilliant performer on its roster to be a good gate attraction, and more often than not these stars are pitchers.

Remember the Chicago White Sox of 1906? Ed Walsh was the star who did most to place that team in baseball history, though he received not a little assistance from Doc White. Who made the Giants of a few years ago the most talked of team in baseball? Why, Christy Mathewson, to be sure. He was a star of stars, and in fair or foul weather it was he whom the rooters paid to see.

Bill James in his time came pretty close to making the Braves, and Bill Donovan, Ed Reulbach, Mordecai Brown, Babe Adams, Joe Wood and Grover Alexander all have played leading roles as gate attractions.

What would the Senators have been for years without Walter Johnson? Is it the Tigers or Ty Cobb whom the fans want to see at play? Hal Chase featured the Yankees for years, for many seasons Speaker has been the leading figure with the teams with which he played, and Joe Jackson, Marquard and Lajoie all had large individual followings.

Today a new crop of stars has just about "arrived" and are pulling the crowds.—Ed A. Goewey in Leslie's.

THE "EROICA" SYMPHONY.

The most notable example of a masterpiece with a political origin is Beethoven's "Eroica" symphony. General Bernadotte during his residence in Vienna in 1798 as ambassador from the French nation suggested to Beethoven the composition of a symphony in honor of Napoleon. At that time Napoleon was looked upon as the champion of freedom, the savior of his country, the embodiment of republican ideals, with which Beethoven was in thorough sympathy, and he willingly accepted the proposal.

Before the symphony was published Napoleon became emperor, and when the news reached Vienna Beethoven was violently angered. "After all, then, he is nothing but an ordinary mortal! He will trample all the rights of men under foot to indulge his ambition and become a greater tyrant than any one!"

With these words he seized the music, tore the title page in half and threw it on the ground. He never again referred to the connection between his work and Napoleon until news of the latter's death reached him. Then he said, "I have already composed the proper music for that catastrophe," meaning, of course, the funeral march. But the whole symphony, with its essentially revolutionary character, is a musical portrait of Napoleon as Beethoven idealized him.

Why 1881 Was Chosen.

In 1881 a so called prophecy of Mother Shipton's was in every one's mouth: The world then to an end shall come. In eighteen hundred and eighty-one.

A traveling tailor denied inspiration to this prognostic, nor, as now appears, was it remarkable for accuracy. But he went further. He demonstrated in the dust of the road why that exact date was chosen. Not only was it cabalistic, a multiple of nine, etc., but it was the only date available to Mother Shipton which in Arabic numerals was the same backward, forward and upside down. Eleven hundred and eleven was past, and not till 1881 would the coincidence recur. The next Mother Shipton will select 8008, which is not tomorrow or next day.—London Globe.

Ant Strength.

An English scientist weighed a small ant and a dead grasshopper which it was dragging to its nest. The weight of the grasshopper was found to be sixty times greater than that of the ant. The force exerted by the ant in dragging the grasshopper along the road was therefore proportionately equal to that of a man weighing 150 pounds pulling a load of four and one-half tons or a horse of 1,500 pounds a load of thirty-six tons.

The Noblest Public Virtue.

That patriotism which, catching its inspirations from the immortal God and leaving at an immeasurable distance behind all lesser, groveling, personal interests and feelings, animates and prompts to deeds of self sacrifice, of valor, of devotion and of death itself—that is public virtue; that is the noblest, the sublimest of all public virtues.—Henry Clay.

He Knew Better.

Gentleman—Why don't you get out and hustle? Hard work never killed anybody. Rustus—You're mistaken dere, boss. I've lost foun wives dat way.—Boston Transcript.

She Knew.

Mother—Oh, Mary, why do you wipe your mouth with the back of your hand? Mary—'Cos it's so much cleaner than the front.—London Punch.

A commonwealth ought to be immortal and forever renew its youth.—Cicero.

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AUTO TOURIST TRAFFIC CONTINUES UNABATED. Despite the fact that the season is rapidly drawing to a close many tourists traveling in flivvers, automobiles and by teams are continuing to pass through Ontario enroute to various points east and west. One car well laden with camping paraphernalia and with her nose pointed eastward bore the announcement in glaring letters, "Kansas to Oregon" as she gilded over the city's main street this week; another car containing a party from Caldwell spent their first night in camp in the vicinity of Ontario as they started on their overland journey in a Maxwell enroute to Portland. American Falls, Idaho was the destination of another, and many others passed through headed in both directions. Many of these tourists in passing are on the lookout for desirable camping places where water and wood are convenient and inquiries have been made as to the prospects of finding such a place in Ontario.

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HORSES! HORSES!! This is the time to sell horses. Hay will be high and it will be expensive to feed this winter. The market is right for horses now. I want to get good sound horses from 5 to 10 years old from 950 pounds upward. Mules Wanted, Too. Will also buy good sound mules from ten years old, from 14-2 upward. Address A. McWilliams Ontario Oregon

Home Visitors Excursions EAST. Via OREGON SHORT LINE (Union Pacific System). October 27; November 24, and 27; December 20, 22, and 24; Limit, Three months from date of sale. Rates apply to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Memphis, Chicago, Minneapolis, and many other points. ASK ANY OSB AGENT FOR DETAILS.

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