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SANE AUTO SPEED WANTED.

The accident on the high bridge between St. Johns and Portland Tuesday, in which an automobile was wrecked and two men killed and three others injured, is another example emphasizing the fact that the day is not far distant when the State must take up the subject of speed and determine what speed is permissible when two autos are running side by side, when meeting or when passing in the public roadway.

This accident was the outcome of racing, and the wrecked machine shows that it was running 33 miles an hour when the accident occurred. There were five machines in the race. Whether the men in question were running to get out of the way of the other four machines or was a participant in the races makes not for safety, though it may for the responsibility.

If the men were running to get out of the way of the other four autos that were racing then the men who were killed were victims of the carelessness of the other men. If they were participants in the race then they were principals in endangering the lives of any of the other four who were running to get out of the way. And if five machines were equally guilty in all being participants in the racing, then each is equally guilty in the death of the two men who gave up their lives in the sad catastrophe.

In any event it is high time that there was a sane manipulation of autos as well as a sane Fourth of July. The auto is a magnificent machine and a noble "steed" when used aright. But when used carelessly it combines more of danger than any other vehicle for transportation in the gift of man. Those machines which might be harmful not properly controlled aside from the auto are shorn of their greater danger in that they must keep a made roadway, but with the auto it is different. The natural sequence then is that there must be more restrictions thrown around it that it may become safe to the pedestrian and to the man who in its use knows moderation.

One reckless driver may endanger the whole neighborhood. Twenty careful drivers on the road may all be set on nerve by the advent of one who is ignorant or careless. Careful men may be forced to drive like "Jehus" in an effort to get out of the way of one who is likely to take a wheel with him in passing. The one driver, because of his reckless career, makes it necessary that bounds be set for all; and all should acquiesce from the fact that in no other way is the careless and reckless trouble-breeder to be put under control.

Some day soon there must come a law that makes the reckless autoist as careful in the country—when meeting and passing teams and brother autoists—as in the city, and the speed at which he may meet or pass another should be no greater than that allowed in the city now.

While the gain of Oregon City in population in the last 10 years was disappointing, we have consolation in the figures shown in the census of Baker City and Pendleton, which are calculated to make the residents of those towns sit up and howl. In the 10 years ending 1910 the gain of Baker City as shown by the government census is 160, while Pendleton gained only 54 people in the last 10 years.

The Morning Enterprise joins the Commercial Club and the Oregon City business men in extending to its friends in the country a cordial invitation to come here next Saturday and spend Booster Day. There will be wonderful bargains in the stores that advertise in our columns, and a fine programme of attractive events that will please old and young. Come early and stay all day and evening.

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CORN GROWER WINS

KELLOGG FINE TROPHY

R. A. JAMES, OF CHARLESTON, ILL., PRODUCES THE EAR DECLARED BEST.

R. A. James, of Charleston, Ill., has the proud distinction of having grown the best ear of corn in all the 3,125, 713,000 bushels of last year's bumper crop. At the National Corn Show just held at Columbus, Ohio, this gentleman was awarded the W. K. Kellogg National Corn Trophy, donated in 1909 by W. K. Kellogg, president of the Kellogg Toasted Corn Flake Co., of Battle Creek, Mich.

Thousands of ears of corn from all parts of the country and of all varieties were entered in the competition. The selection of the grand champion sweepstakes and the award of the Kellogg trophy were made on general points of superiority.

The ear of corn grown by Mr. James



R. A. James, Winner of W. K. Kellogg National Corn Trophy for 1910

is of Reid's Yellow Dent variety. It is 10 inches long, 7 1/2 inches in circumference and has 20 rows of kernels, 6 to the inch in the row, average 5.8 of an inch in depth, and 5-16 of an inch in width. It is indeed a very correct type of yellow dent corn.

Mr. James, the winner, is a vigorous farmer about 40 years of age and of pleasing personality, a man who has given careful study to corn culture, and who has achieved his success as a grand champion winner only by years of hard work and painstaking seed selection and careful breeding from season to season.

Illinois growers are especially elated over the result for the reason that this is the first time in four years that the honors have been wrested from the State of Indiana. Last year's champion ear, the first winner of the Kellogg trophy, was grown by Fred C. Palin, of Newton, Ind. It was also of Reid's Yellow Dent variety, crossed with Alexander Gold Standard. Last year's prize winner is the most perfectly formed ear of the two, though it requires a careful judge to distinguish the points of superiority.

The trophy awarded to Mr. James was made by Tiffany, of New York, for Mr. W. K. Kellogg, at a cost of \$1,000. It is made of sterling silver, bronze and enamel, and is a truly artistic creation. It stands 30 inches in height. Mr. Kellogg's interest in corn growing can be understood when it is stated that the Kellogg Toasted Corn Flake Co., of which he is president, has an output requiring 10,000 bushels of corn a day, raw product for its manufacture. A peculiar feature is that while the Kellogg product is made exclusively from selected white corn, the Kellogg trophy has been won each time by a yellow corn exhibit. The trophy is offered for annual competition until won twice by the same grower.

The National Corn Show at which the award was made, was an event of tremendous magnitude. At one of the sessions President Taft was present and delivered an address.

Has Earmarks of Rare Old Fiddle. Frank Busch, Jr., has an old violin that he is very proud of. While it has great promise of being a good "fiddle," he secured it while in pieces and is now repairing it and putting it in shape for a trade. It is a fine piece of work, has age, and acts as if it would turn out to be one of those good violins that are made by accident—no special effort being made to get a record-breaker in its manufacture.

SOCIAL CENTER FOR SCHOOLS

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discuss anything you wish in your public school buildings. This Social Center movement at Rochester became the worder of neighboring towns. Buffalo sent a delegation to see how they run it. The Mayor of Rochester presided at the meeting, and the women of Rochester provided a banquet, right in the public school building. Then Governor Hughes went out to see what was going on at the Rochester Social Centers. They gave him a banquet in the school building. Then Governor Hughes went out to see what was going on at the Rochester Social Centers. They gave him a banquet in the school building.

The men started with one Civic club, now there are eighteen Civic clubs, and no end of boys' clubs, and women's clubs all interested in boosting the Rochester school. More than that, the foreigners in town came in and formed clubs, there are two Italian Civic Clubs. "This is what we dreamed of in Italy," they said, "but had to come to America to get it."

No one, said the president of the school, "has a right to try to regulate what citizens shall talk about in their own building." Columbus, Ohio, Boston, Philadelphia, all sent delegates to see what was going on in Rochester, and have adopted the system. It has spread to Cincinnati, Chicago, Los Angeles, and now Portland is about to open the Ladd school building for a Social Center. Rochester has introduced a moving picture, show, and so has Los Angeles, with educational films to interest the children in things worth seeing and knowing. Free dental clinics have been added. Portland started one four months ago, and already 200 children have been treated, whose parents might not have been able to incur so great expense.

We have a gold mine in the public school buildings. Now we must learn how to mine it. The time is coming in Oregon City, if it has not already arrived, when the neighborhood of every school building should find there its social center, not interfering with the school, but making it all the more the people's popular palace. Boys and girls of the day schools will have advantage of all this equipment in the day time. Older boys and girls, working in shops and mills and elsewhere, will have an uplifting, helpful and healthful place for evening study and recreation. Men and women of middle life can here renew their youth. Orchestras and singing classes can be conducted evenings. The orchestra clubs together to hire a leader or a trainer, and practice once a week, preparing for the grand Friday night general lectures in the large assembly halls of each building where all gather as they gather at a Chautauqua lecture. Sunday afternoons are given to choral singing, under a paid teacher.

Rochester found that nearly all her lectures were contributed; it did not cost a cent any more now and then some speaker's car fare. In Oregon City with its hundreds of mill boys, it is our duty to open to them our school houses, and to go ourselves and meet and make their acquaintance. We do not know enough of one another. Eighteen years ago our Chautauqua here grew out of a study circle at my home. Now we need a Chautauqua all need more, we need a Chautauqua all need more, where everybody can receive the best American institutions have to give—good citizenship, social recreation, and educational uplift.

NEVER KEPT CONTRACT SISTER'S AVERMENT

ASKS THAT ESTATE BE TAKEN FROM BROTHER AND GIVEN RIGHTFUL HEIRS.

A new case in the Circuit Court is that of Dora Toedtmeier vs. Louis Toedtmeier, Jr., a brother. As the story goes the father and mother separated several years ago and securing the divorce the mother received the custody of the children—nine in number. A few years later, having a premonition of death, the mother made a will in which she gave all her property to a son Louis, with the proviso that he should keep the family together, supporting them and schooling them, the boys to have a home till 16 and the girls till 18 years of age. The farm was 40 acres with much personal effects.

It was on the 15th day of October, 1903, that Mrs. Lulah Toedtmeier made and signed her last will which gave her son Louis all of the real estate, personal and mixed, and to her children, Henry, William, Dora, Ruby, George, Otto, Edward and Margaret Toedtmeier, each \$1.

Plaintiff avers that the brother has never kept faith with the mother, that soon after her death he began to abuse and plan to drive the brothers and sisters away from home, that he did not try to school them, that he later began to be abusive, and that he has not tried to live up to the terms of the contract.

Since Louis Toedtmeier has come into possession of the property he has failed and has refused to support the children left by his mother, and especially Dora, who has filed the suit. He commenced to abuse his sisters and brothers, curse, swear and to make life miserable, and Dora was with other children compelled to leave home, and go to their father. In the fall of 1904, she went to her old home to get some school books her mother had purchased for her, but the brother refused to let her come to the place or to give her the books and told her to go to her father, he could buy her books for her, as he had plenty of money.

By the terms of the bequest any excess on the part of the legatee was to subject the estate to an escheat, and plaintiff asks that the court return the estate to the heirs, share and share alike.

TAFT WON'T COME TO COAST. SEATTLE, Wash., April 19.—(Special.)—According to Richard Ballinger, just home from a vacation, President Taft will not visit the Coast this year, and probably not in 1912. This information was given him before he left Washington, he says, and he is satisfied that Taft will not leave the East this year. Bruce C. Shotts will be Ballinger's law partner here.

WILBUR CHILDERS FOUND.

Body Discovered Monday Morning Not Over a Mile From Accident.

ESTACADA, Or., April 17.—(Special.)—The body of Wilbur Childers, well known in this city who was drowned in the Clackamas some two weeks ago, was found this morning in the backwater of the Cazadero dam, and but a short distance from where he was drowned. The parents have been notified at their St. Johns home.

It will be remembered that the young man was crossing the dam on a swing bridge that gave way with him and two companions. He jumped and was drowned while they clung to the bridge and were saved.

WILL IS PROBATED.

John C. Vaughan Made Administrator of Mary Susan Vaughan Estate. The will of the late Mrs. Mary Susan Vaughan was admitted to probate Wednesday, and John C. Vaughan was appointed administrator.

The family Bible was willed to William O. Vaughan, a son-in-law, and two pillows to John C. Vaughan and a mahogany rocking chair to Stonewall J. Vaughan. One dollar was devised to two daughters, Mary Frazier and Virginia Cutting, and a son, Hardy Longstreet Vaughan. Seventy-five acres in the William Vaughan donation land claim was willed to William O. and John C. Vaughan, share and share alike, and the remainder of the property was willed in equal parts to Frank W., Isom C., and Stonewall J. Vaughan, and Viola Engle, Susan Moody and Sarah McCown.

Summons. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County.

Florence E. Newell, Plaintiff, vs. Cyrus P. Newell, Defendant.

To Cyrus P. Newell, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 3rd day of June, 1911; and if you fail to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the said Court for the relief prayed for in her complaint, to-wit: A dissolution of the marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant, for an absolute divorce and for costs and disbursements in this suit.

This summons is published by order of Hon. J. U. Campbell, Judge of the said Court made and dated April 18, A. D. 1911, date of first publication April 21st, 1911.

WHEELLOCK & WILLIAMS, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Portland, Oregon.

Summons. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas—ss.

Lucy Odell, Plaintiff, vs. Charles Odell, Defendant.

To Charles Odell, Defendant: In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within ten days from the date of its service of this summons upon you, if served within this county, or if served within any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof, the plaintiff will pray the honorable Court for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant herein as more fully stated in plaintiff's complaint herein. This summons is published by order of James U. Campbell, Judge of the Circuit Court of Clackamas County, Oregon, which order was made and entered on the 19th day of April, 1911, and the time prescribed for publication is six weeks beginning with the issue of Friday, April 21, and continuing each week thereafter to and including Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1911.

GEO. C. BROWNELL, WM. M. STONE, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Summons. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County.

Charles Winkler, Plaintiff, vs. Anna Winkler, Defendant.

To Anna Winkler, the above named Defendant: In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 5th day of June, A. D. 1911, said date being more than six weeks from and after the date of the first publication of this summons as per order of court; if you fail to appear and answer for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint, to-wit: For a decree of divorce forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem meet and equitable.

This summons is published in the Oregon City Enterprise, a newspaper printed and published and having a general circulation in Clackamas County, Oregon, pursuant to an order of the Honorable James U. Campbell, Judge of the above entitled Court, duly made and entered on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1911. The date of first publication is April 21st, 1911, and the date of last publication is June 2nd, A. D. 1911.

OGLESBY YOUNG, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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MOUNT PLEASANT EASTER PROGRAM

VERY GOOD TIME BY THOSE PRESENT—COMMITTEE COMPLIMENTED.

MONEY FOR FOURTH OF JULY USE. Contest on For "Goddess of Liberty" Impersonator—Will Receive Honors on the Fourth of July.

The Easter entertainment given on Tuesday evening by the Mount Pleasant Civic Improvement Club at the Mount Pleasant school house was a decided success. The auditorium was filled to its capacity with an enthusiastic audience, and following the excellent program refreshments were served. The room was beautifully decorated appropriate for the occasion with Oregon grape, ferns, Easter lilies and festoons of yellow crepe paper.

The following program was given during the evening: Tableau, "Christ Is Risen," Miss Alene Christenson; recitation, "She Sang to Him in Heaven," Melva Kants; recitation, "Little Bo-Peep," Cora Carver; in costume; chorus, "Jolly Boys," six boys; duet, Alene Christenson and Alvin Benoit; Easter drill by 14 girls; chorus by 14 girls, "When the Song Birds Bow Their Heads;" recitation, "My Dolly Does Not Learn at All," Dorothy Blount; tableau, "Rock of Ages," Violet Truax.

Miss Helen Hartke was the organist during the evening. Every number on the program was well received. The entertainment committee was composed of Mrs. G. A. Bickel, Mrs. T. G. Clark, Mrs. W. B. Stafford, Miss Luella Kellogg, Miss Myrtle Christenson; program, Mrs. A. C. Warner, Prof. Sievers, assisted by the pupils of the Mount Pleasant school.

One of the features of the evening was the voting in the Goddess of Liberty contest. The young ladies who were voted upon last night were Miss Luella Kellogg, Miss Christenson, Miss Roma Stafford, Miss Violet Truax. The ballot box will be at the Mount Pleasant store, and five cents a vote is to be charged. There is already much interest taken in the contest by the young ladies, as well as the members of the club, who are anxious to see who the winner will be. The committee in charge of the Fourth of July celebration is already at work, and will no doubt have a celebration that will long be remembered by those attending.

REBELS SURROUND JUAREZ.

EL PASO, Texas, April 19.—(Special.)—Rebels have surrounded Juarez and are demanding its surrender. The General Navarro says he has received no demand to surrender. Americans believe that the demand has been made and that unless the city surrenders within 24 hours there will be an attack.

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TREATS HIM CRUELLY IS HUSBAND'S CHARGE

CLAIM MADE SHE HAD HIM ARRESTED FALSELY FOR NON-SUPPORT.

Clarence W. McGahuey has filed a suit for divorce against Elva E. McGahuey. They were married at Brewster, Wash., September, 1910, and since their marriage the husband states that his wife has treated him cruelly and rendered life burdensome, and unbearable. They moved to this city on September 25, 1910, and shortly after their arrival here Mrs. McGahuey became jealous of her husband when he talked to any of his friends. She had a quarrelsome disposition, and called his mother names including "a red headed fool."

When he would return many times from his work he would find his wife lying on a couch reading a novel, and no supper prepared, after he was tired from his work. She also told him that she wished she had never seen him in her life. McGahuey says that his wife had wished many times to visit her parents at Gordon, Douglas county, and that he had gone as far as Wenatchee, Wash., with her and had given her money for her own use, and after she had been there for some time, after promising to return to Oregon City,

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson. PARIS TAKES CENSUS. PARIS, France, April 19.—(Special.)—A census taken here last month shows this city to be still the third largest in the world. Population 2,846,986, an increase over 1906 of 124,255.

SEPARATE CHURCH AND STATE.

LISBON, Spain, April 19.—(Special.)—The Spanish cabinet, has finished the decree separating church and state and the order will be promulgated Friday or Saturday. The State codes entire liberty of creeds.

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