

DID HE PROMISE TO WED?

ANNE SCHMITT SAYS "YES," AND SUES C. A. RHEA. She Charges ex-Husband With Shying at the Altar, and Asks \$15,000 Damages.

A breach-of-promise suit in which \$15,000 damages is asked, was filed in the State Circuit Court yesterday by Anne Schmitt against C. A. Rhea, a former banker at Heppner.

MORE PAY FOR FERRY EMPLOYEES.

County Commissioners Agree to Raise Their Wages. County Judge Calkins and County Commissioners Showers and Mack yesterday decided unanimously to increase the salaries of the ferry employees on the Albina free ferry \$10 per month each, which makes a total increase of \$600 per year.

Captain W. H. Foster, superintendent of the ferry, appeared before the board and stated that the men have long been of the opinion that they should receive more wages, and that the men were not well paid as those employed by various steamboat companies.

Commissioner Mack remarked that other salaries of county employees had been increased, and the boardmen had been given an eight-hour shift. This could not be done on the ferry without doubling the expense.

SHOWERS HAS NO CONTEST.

No Candidates Are Running for His Office as County Commissioner. County Commissioner Showers has no contest on hand for the place now held by him, but will be allowed to complete his term of four years.

MAY TURN ROAD OVER TO CITY.

County Commissioners Discuss St. Helens Road Improvement. Roadmaster Steele yesterday, for the second time, called the attention of the County Court to the matter of the improvement of part of the old St. Helens county road in the city limits, near the North Pacific lumber company and other manufacturing establishments.

SEEK TO RECOVER \$400.

Suit Against George Welsense for Alleged Breach of Contract. G. R. Funk and Alfred Groener, partners as Funk & Groener, have filed an attachment suit against George Welsense in the State Circuit Court to recover \$400 on account of the sale of 250 shares of stock of the Package Delivery Company.

DECISION IN INJUNCTION CASE TODAY.

Judge Sears will announce a decision today in the case of the Northwest Door Company et al. vs. Local Union, No. 66, Amalgamated Woodworkers of America, motion to vacate restraining order.

SMITH'S DANDRUFF CURE

Positively cures dandruff, itching scalp, eczema, and scales falling hair. Price, 50c. All drug stores. Sample free. Address Smith Bros., Fresno, Cal.

CHEAP RATES EAST.

The Rio Grande System announces greatly reduced excursion rates to Eastern points via the world-famed "Scenic Route."

YOU KNOW ANY OF THESE?

FULL LIST OF DELEGATES TO T. P. A. CONVENTION. Coming to Portland Next Month From All Parts of the United States.

Following is a complete list of delegates to the forthcoming convention of the Travelers' Protective Association of America, to meet in Portland in June: Alabama—J. A. Daugherty, president; E. L. Hilden, secretary; H. Andrews, R. E. Collins, R. Cunningham, O. P. Gant, H. H. Price, E. M. Johnson, L. M. Hopper and J. M. Kennedy.

NOT A TRUE BILL RETURNED.

Not a true bill was returned by the District Attorney Chamberlain in the case of C. H. Stone, charged with larceny of \$20 in the dwelling house of William Van, on May 4.

COURT NOTES.

H. R. Patterson was appointed in the County Court yesterday administrator of the estate of his wife, Minnie E. Patterson, deceased, consisting of a bank deposit of \$500.

GEN. SUMMERS' ORDERS.

For Memorial day exercises tomorrow the following general orders have been issued: FORMATION OF COLUMN. Platoon of police.

First Division. Colonel Everett commanding. Staff. Third Regiment Band.

Second Division. Colonel G. E. Calkins, commanding. Drum corps.

Third Division. Captain Frank Freeman, commanding. Aids.

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Tenth Division. Captain Frank Freeman, commanding. Aids.

Eleventh Division. Captain Frank Freeman, commanding. Aids.

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Thirteenth Division. Captain Frank Freeman, commanding. Aids.

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Sixteenth Division. Captain Frank Freeman, commanding. Aids.

Seventeenth Division. Captain Frank Freeman, commanding. Aids.

POWER PLANT IN BAKER.

Nebraska Company Will Make Investment of \$200,000. The Oregon Electric Power Company, which was incorporated in Nebraska about a year ago, has just completed the construction of a large electric power plant in Baker County.

WILKE REFRIGERATOR.

OAK EXTERIOR. Wilke Porcelain Tile and Glass Lined also Leonard Dry Air Cleanable Refrigerators. Prael, Hegele & Co. Agents for Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

WEAKNESS AND ITS CURE

Perhaps no ailment that afflicts humanity has so baffled medical science as functional weakness in men; and it is certain that at the present time no disease is so unscientifically treated by the profession in general. We can safely say that until the perfection of our system of treatment, weakness was commonly regarded as incurable.

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, May 28—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 62; minimum temperature, 51; wind, light S. W. breeze; clouds, light; rain, 0.00 inch; total precipitation, 0.00 inch.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR County Assessor

Official Ballot No. 126. Vote for the initiative and referendum amendment.

Pastor's Office is always open

Brewed in a plant as clean as the cleanest home kitchen—always open to your inspection—\$8.97 visitors last year. CHAS. KOHN & CO., Distributors, Portland.

RALLY FOR MISSIONS.

Interesting Meeting at First Congregational Church. There was a large attendance at the union missionary rally at the First Congregational Church yesterday, and much interest was manifested.

THE HARDMAN PIANO

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CLASSIFIED AD. RATES

"Rooms," "Rooms and Board," "Housekeeping Rooms," "Situation Wanted," 15 words or less, 15 cents; 16 to 20 words, 20 cents; 21 to 25 words, 25 cents, etc. No discount for additional insertions.

NEW TODAY.

NOTICE—THE STOCK SUBSCRIPTION books of the Building Trades Co. Operating Building Units Co. are now open to receive subscriptions, at 125 First St., C. Bombrage, Treasurer.

MORTGAGE LOANS

On improved city and farm property, at lowest current rates. Building and installment loans. MacGuire & Trust Co. 7 Chamber of Commerce.

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Small cash, balance monthly. HARTMAN, THOMPSON & POWERS, 3 Chamber of Commerce.

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Buy your butter before the advance. Best creamery butter, 1 lb. cans, 40c; 5 lb. cans, \$1.90. French brand eggs, 2 dozen, \$1.00.

La Grande Creamery

284 Yamhill st.

Lewis and Clark Centennial

The choice of sites offered for the Exposition has narrowed down to University Park and Abrams & Knox tracts.

UNIVERSITY LAND CO.

151 Sixth St.

\$950 WITH HALF-ACRE

Contains large reception-room, hall, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and pantry.

Terms: Very small payment down and monthly rental.

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COLUMBIA BRIDGE

The new bridge over the Columbia river will bring another boom to University Park.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

\$3500—CHOICE NEW WEST SIDE RESIDENCE property, producing handsome interest.

MOUNT SCOTT REAL ESTATE OFFICE.

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