

WIDOW PROPOSED SAYS THOMPSON JR.

Defendant in \$50,000 Heart
Balm Suit Denies Nup-
tial Promise.

REQUEST MADE AT TAVERN

Accused Man Declares He Told Mrs.

Helen M. Goodeve He Could Not
Marry Her—Character of
Plaintiff Attacked.

Robert H. Thompson, Jr., never proposed to Mrs. Helen M. Goodeve, of San Francisco, but, on the contrary, she proposed to him and insisted upon marrying him, according to Thompson's story told on the witness stand in Judge McGinn's court yesterday when he was testifying in his own behalf in the \$50,000 breach of promise suit brought against him by Mrs. Goodeve. He declared that she had asked him to marry her at Erickson's Tavern, on the Clackamas River, whether they had gone together with R. E. Gaut, an architect, and Mrs. Lucille M. Ayres, for a dinner on June 19, 1911. Thompson testified that he told Mrs. Goodeve his financial and other circumstances were such that he could not make her his wife.

Continuing, he spoke of Mrs. Goodeve's return to Portland in September following, which she had declared was for the purpose of marrying him. Thompson said she came to Portland because she had complained that her health was bad in San Francisco and that she felt better in this city. About this time one of the jurors broke in with a question.

Juror Asks Question.

"If you weren't engaged to her why did you write her love letters to hurry her along?" Thompson was asked.

"Because she was a good fellow and I liked her company," was the reply of the witness.

The witness said that on September 26 or 28, 1911, the plaintiff had again taken up the subject of matrimony with him and they had taken an automobile to Clatsop to Clatsop, on the Linnton road, at 2 o'clock one afternoon to talk it over. He had there told her that their marriage was impossible and she had upbraided him, calling attention to many things she said she had given up and sacrificed she declared she had made for him.

Attorneys Elden and Arnold, for the defense, continued their efforts to reflect on the character of the plaintiff. By means of depositions from San Francisco they sought to show that she had been consorting with other men during the period of her alleged engagement to the defendant, particularly with a man whom she is alleged to have introduced as A. J. Trimble, her husband.

Grocery Clerk Testifies.

George E. Terry, a grocery clerk, who declared that he had been employed in a store at 1355 Washington street, within a few doors of 1259 Washington street, where Mrs. Goodeve is alleged to have lived with a man presumed to have been her husband, said that she lived with this man from the fall of 1910 to June, 1911, and that their relationship was resumed upon her return to Portland in July, 1911, and continued till September of the same year. The name of H. C. Clunie, who had registered at the Hotel Van Dora, San Francisco, as from Salem, Or., was also brought into the case as one of the men with whom Mrs. Goodeve is alleged to have had improper relations.

Depositions were read of Miss Mary Sawyer, who had been in the grocery store at 1355 Washington street; John T. Kincaid, a San Francisco furniture salesman; J. A. Halladay, manager for the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company in San Francisco; and G. G. Gillespie, the owner of the flat in which Mrs. Goodeve lived at 1359 Washington street. All knew her under the name of Helen M. Trimble.

They all testified, over the objections of the defense, that they had been acquainted with the mysterious Mr. Trimble. The plaintiff declares that her maiden name was Helen M. Goodeve and she simply adopted it for a time. In some of the depositions men were spoken of as having been seen around the flat.

Witness Is Reproved.

The attitude of Terry, the grocery clerk, on the stand appeared so partisan to the defense that Judge McGinn found it necessary to reprove him, and several of the jurors asked him pointed and pertinent questions relative to his interest in the case.

C. F. Bartholme, of Portland, testified that the plaintiff and defendant were at his home one day and that he jokingly referred to wedding bells. Thompson had replied that he knew nothing about anything of that kind and Mrs. Goodeve demanded to know how the witness could say that he and Mrs. Thompson were engaged.

R. F. Le Fevre, the chauffeur who drove the party to Erickson's Tavern on the day the contract of marriage is alleged to have been made, swore that he did not remember any discussion of it among the members of the party. He said that Mrs. Goodeve had summoned him to her apartment and had asked him if he could remember such discussion.

Chauffeur Important Witness.

Le Fevre's testimony is particularly valuable, the defendant's attorneys assert, as contradicting the testimony, by deposition, of R. E. Gaut, of Chicago, one of the architects who built the Multnomah Hotel and a member of the automobile party which went to Erickson's Tavern. Gaut said in his deposition that the proposed marriage was discussed among the people in the automobile. He said further that young Thompson had frequently spoken to him of his approaching marriage to Mrs. Goodeve and of his intention to buy a lot and build a home in money matters. He had ever made statements to Thompson damaging to the character of Mrs. Goodeve. Judge McGinn allowed Thompson to testify, over the objections of Attorney Mallory, representing the plaintiff, that Gaut had told him of the plaintiff's improper relations with men in San Francisco.

The cross-examination of Mrs. Goodeve was concluded before noon yesterday. Testifying further with regard to the rich Seattle and Portland property holder who she testified Thursday had befriended her lavishly in money matters, Mrs. Goodeve said that he once sent her a deed to real estate in Seattle which he represented as being worth \$50,000, but that she had returned it because of her engagement to Thompson.

PERSONAL MENTION.

R. S. Johnston, of Spokane, is at the Bowers.

H. C. Albert, of Salem, is registered at the Bowers.

C. A. Kelley, a Los Angeles capitalist, is at the Annex.

Ed Larkin, a Grays Harbor logger, is at the Oregon.

Martin Finberg, a California wine-

grower, is registered at the Multnomah from San Francisco.

R. W. Macy, of Oregon City, is registered at the Annex.

John F. Stever, of Lincoln, Neb., is registered at the Annex.

W. H. Brown, of The Dalles, is registered at the Annex.

W. E. Balsinger, a Boise merchant, is registered at the Oregon.

R. P. Wehr, a merchant of Condon, is registered at the Perkins.

E. A. Boese, a San Francisco lumberman, is at the Multnomah.

W. R. Thorburn, a tourist from Marshall, Minn., is at the Perkins.

A. E. Disney, a Seattle business man, is registered at the Cornellius.

Alfred Buchholz, a business man of Walla Walla, is at the Cornellius.

T. Scharghamoff, a tourist from St. Petersburg, is at the Portland.

E. B. Hazen, a lumberman from Bridal Veil, is registered at the Portland.

W. L. Steinweg, a banker of North Yakima, is registered at the Portland.

P. W. McRoberts, a business man of Twin Falls, is registered at the Perkins.

Horace S. Clark, a San Francisco business man, is registered at the Bowers.

Dr. H. Bodenheim, a manufacturing chemist of New York, is at the Multnomah.

R. M. Hotelling, a San Francisco

wholesaler, is registered at the Multnomah.

H. J. Frear and A. G. Sutherland, business men of Roseburg, are registered at the Multnomah.

Henry Blakeley, general Western agent of the Northern Pacific at Tacoma, is registered at the Multnomah.

George H. George, president of the Columbia River Packers' Association, is registered at the Portland from Astoria.

B. Howard Smith, who is known at his home in Kansas City as the "Bread King," has been at the Portland for a few days looking over this city with a view to extending his operations here. He has practically decided to do so and has expressed his intention of starting in Portland one of the most extensive bread-making establishments west of the Mississippi River.

EDITOR SAYS TAFT GAINS

T. M. SHEARMAN THINKS EAST DISGUSTED WITH ROOSEVELT.

Nomination of Wilson Put "Crimp" in Colonel's Third Term Plans, Declares Traveler.

T. M. Shearman, editor of a trade paper of Portland and San Francisco, has returned to Portland after a two months' absence, visiting the principal trade centers and cities of the East, in which he made a study of trade and political conditions.

Mr. Shearman says that eight out of every ten business men with whom he talked advocated the election of President Taft, and that the Taft sentiment is steadily growing. Men who formerly advocated the election of Mr. Roosevelt have become disgusted with the methods and self-seeking desires of the Colonel and are turning to Mr. Taft.

The nomination of Mr. Wilson put quite a "crimp" in Mr. Roosevelt's third term plans. While Mr. Wilson was probably stronger than Mr. Clark among the Democrats of the East, yet there are many Democrats who Mr. Shearman thinks will not vote for Mr. Wilson by reason of the methods and tactics resorted to by Mr. Roosevelt in securing the Governor's nomination. Clark adherents in the Middle West are especially sore, said Mr. Shearman.

Eastern business men generally do not expect the campaign to have any appreciable effect on trade, which is remarkably healthy in tone, and the outlook is especially bright. Crops have been late all over the country, due to the late spring, but every prospect is for a big fall trade.

Business men generally are looking forward to the completion of the Panama Canal and many are making arrangements to establish themselves somewhere in the West. Almost everyone has a desire to visit the Pacific Coast and increasingly larger numbers of settlers may be expected.

Mr. Shearman says the hotels of the West will compare most favorably with any in the East—in fact, in many respects the Western hotels look after the pleasures and comforts of the travelers and tourists far better than do the Eastern hotels, which have yet to learn how to properly anticipate the wants of their patrons.

Mr. Shearman is at the Hotel Multnomah with his family.

WEAPON BILL IS AMENDED

Minimum Fine Fixed at \$50 for Violating Proposed Ordinance.

Amending the original ordinance by placing the minimum fine at \$50 for

selling a weapon without a permit from the Chief of Police, the health and police committee of the City Council yesterday morning recommended the measure for passage. As drafted by the City Attorney at the request of Councilman Jennings, the minimum fine was \$5.

The ordinance is designed to prevent the sale of firearms, deadly weapons, such as knives and dirks, without the authority of the Chief of Police in the form of a written permit. Those wishing to sell weapons must first obtain a license through the City Auditor and must comply with all the provisions of this ordinance, in order to purchase a revolver or

dangerous knife, such as a dirk or dagger, one must first present to the Chief of Police an application, signed by two citizens satisfactory to him. He must ascertain the purpose of the purchase and if he is satisfied everything is all right, he has authority to issue the permit.

SHOW GIRL GETS DIVORCE

Unada Samuels Tires of Waiting for Husband to Make Good.

Glances and murmurs of admiration called forth by her beauty greeted

Unada Samuels, an ex-show girl, when she appeared in Circuit Judge Gatens' court yesterday morning to testify in her divorce suit against Irving Samuels. She said that Samuels had proved useless as a provider and had even tried to force her to clean his spittoon. She declared she was tired of waiting for him to "make good." She was allowed the decree.

Other divorcees were: Olga from Wade H. Moreland, cruelty; Bertha from William Borchert, desertion; George from Bertha La Duke, desertion; Emma from Robert W. Stevenson, cruelty and inhuman treatment; Calvin W. from Ida May Stockwell, desertion, and Robert B. from Clara B. Harpole, desertion.

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Gossard Corsets

Front lace corsets have come and gone, but the original lace front, the Gossard, is still the favorite of every woman who has worn them. We are Portland agents.

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Make your husband bring you here to lunch on Saturday. Tempting viands, tastefully served, will make you enjoy your meal, regardless of the weather.

Ready With Good Bargains for Saturday

Boys' Suits \$3.35

A rare opportunity to save on natty Suits for Boys of 9 to 18 years. Double-breasted models in the leading shades—blue serges only excepted. Wise mothers will look a couple of months ahead and purchase one of these for school wear. **\$3.35** These suits are regular \$5, \$6.50 and \$7.50 values.

All Boys' Suits at 1/4 Less

Boys' \$1.50 to \$5 Straw Hats **\$1.29**

Boys' \$2.48 to \$7.50 Wash Suits 1/2

All Other Boys' Wash Suits at 1/4 Less

Men's \$25 to \$30 Suits for **\$15.85**

All Men's Clothing Offered at 1/4 Less

Fairy or Ivory Soap 3c

Now buy Soap for your toilet, bathroom or laundry—the purest and best to be had. We must limit the amount to one customer to six cakes, and please do not ask us to deliver soap except with other goods, the cake, 3c.

Sponges, regular 50c values, at **33c**

Domestic Castile Soap, it **25c**

Packer's Tar Soap, 25c cake, **15c**

Woodbury's Facial Soap for **15c**

California Medicated Soap for **5c**

Verdura Glycerine Soap, cake, **6c**

10c Lilac Rose Soap, the cake, **6c**

Listerine, large \$1 bottle for **65c**

TOILET PAPER, WALDORF BRAND, 5c ROLLS, DOZ. ROLLS, **45c**

TOILET PAPER, EXPOSITION BRAND, 1500 SHEETS, 15c ROLL, **10c**

Tiz, for tired feet, 25c pkg., **15c**

25c pkg. Sal Hepatica, special, **19c**

50c bottle Bromo Seltzer for **40c**

25c bottle Malt Nutrine only **19c**

35c bottle Abilena Water for **21c**

\$1.00 bottle Swamp Root only **79c**

35c bottle Calvary Phosphate at **25c**

Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder, **25c**

regular 50c size, special at **19c**

35c pkg. Absorbent Cotton at **29c**

Sanitary Napkins, one doz. in box, reg. 5c each, box at **39c**

Sanitary Belts, 35c grade, for **25c**

Talcum Powder, 15c box for **9c**

Falmolive Cream, 50c jar for **29c**

Hinds' Honey-Almond Cr'm, **40c**

50c Pompeian Massage Cr'm, **31c**

Witch Hazel, 35c bottle for **21c**

Pebecco Tooth Paste, 50c size, **39c**

35c Tooth Brushes, special at **15c**

Hair Brushes, 75c quality for **50c**

Nail Scrubs, 25c quality for **15c**

Whisk Brooms, 25c values at **19c**

Household Rubber Gloves, pr. **49c**

Fitch's Hair Tonic, 1/2 size, **69c**

50c Carmen Face Powder, box, **29c**

Bath Caps, 25c quality at only **19c**

RUBBER SYRINGE—Best white rubber, with best rapid flow **89c**

tubing, 3 hard rubber fittings; 3-qt. size **\$1.00**, 2-qt. size **89c**

Combination Coffee at 28c

Our superb blend, the Imperial brand. Even though coffee is rapidly advancing in price, we offer another chance to save. Superbly future needs; 40c grade, **28c**

New Potatoes, 20 pounds for **25c**

Dill Pickles, the dozen only **15c**

Ripe Olives, quart, special at **30c**

Norway Mackerel, 2 lbs. for **25c**

Brick Cheese, the pound, only **20c**

Table Peaches, 3 cans, special, **50c**

Appricots, 3 cans, special only **50c**

Phone Clerks on duty in Grocery Department at 8 A. M. Saturday.

Waists at \$2.29 Bargain Circle

Decidedly clever styles in Lingerie and Marquisette

Waists. The low neck, short sleeve, that every woman is demanding now. Decorated in several **\$2.29**

styles with lace, insertions, pin tucks, etc.

House Dresses Serviceable garments at a price that will appeal

to the woman who has been making her own garments. Percales and chambrays, low neck, some two-in-one,

which can be worn as dress or kimono. You may take choice of entire lot at this price **\$1.19**

Rompers Only 50c

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Usually at this price you buy a garment that can't be made to look right on any child because it isn't cut to fit properly. Our "Little One" Rompers fit and wear. No rough edges; every seam felled. Plenty of elbow and knee room. 12 styles for boys and 6 for girls. **50c**

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House Dresses \$2.75

The really well-dressed woman is the one who looks neat at her housework as well as on special occasions. With prices so low as this on neat House Gowns that will give sturdy wear, 'tis easy indeed to be well dressed. Materials are Indian Head, Chambray and Gingham. The gingham are plain colors, checks and stripes, and made with round, low necks and short sleeves. Indian Head are plain white with square neck. Chambray are neatly embroidery trimmed. The Clara Barton reversible front included. The entire lot on sale at this remarkably low price **\$2.75**

Remnants Wash and White Goods 1/2

Saturday will be remnant day in the first floor White Goods and Wash Goods Departments. A huge table piled high with short lengths of best materials at 1/2

Neckw'r 25c

In the women's neckwear department, first floor, a sale of Jabots, Stocks, Side Frills and other popular styles, slightly soiled but originally sold at up to \$1.00, each, special for today at **25c**

Collar Supporters

Pearl Collar Supporters, keep the collar from crumpling and aid greatly in maintaining a dressy appearance, will not chafe or discolor the neck, regular 35c values, on special sale, priced at **19c**

\$1.25 Union Suits at 89c

Plain top with narrow shoulder straps. Made of fine mercerized lisle yarn—fitted or lace-trimmed knee; sizes 4, 5 and 6. Cool garments for warm days. **89c** Reg. \$1.25 quality

Reduced Prices on All Our Fine Imported Zimmerli Silk Underwear for Women.

Men's Hose

In the center aisle in the men's department for today, a sale of men's Summer weight Socks. Plain colors, fancies or black, in lisle, broken lines, 25c values, on special sale today, two pairs **25c**

Built to Wear Hose

A light-weight Hose that is of strong yarn and will wear. Black, tan, gray and a great assortment of other colors to choose from; a regular 25c grade, on sale Saturday at 3 pairs for only **50c**

Lily of France Silk Hose

Dainty, shimmering Silk, the sort that milady loves to wear, to know that she has the best to be had. Still, in spite of their richness, they're made to wear. Lisle garter tops prevent tearing and lisle soles withstand the wear. All sizes, **\$1.50** black, white, tan; pr.

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Corset Covers Priced at 49c

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