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"HOW A MAN SHOULD PROPOSE" (?)

THE RECENT CONTEST in the Telegram offering prizes for the best answers on "How Should a Man Propose?" would have served a better purpose had the following question been propounded to the young ladies of Portland: "What are your qualifications for assuming the burthens of wifehood?"

Many of the fair sex who have gushed over the manner in which they would like to have the knight errant of their fondest dreams supplicate for their hand were too prone to place money above every other earthly consideration.

OREGON.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway in a magnificent booklet of which it has just issued 100,000 copies says in its introduction of Oregon: "A land of fertile hills and valleys, mountains of untouched forests, a climate unequalled anywhere, and scenery of which the eye never tires and the mind never ceases to wonder."

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for special improvements in Road District No. 6, Coos County, Oregon, will be received by the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon up to 10 o'clock A. M., Thursday the 6th day of May, 1909, as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at one mile stake on west fork road and running in a westerly direction, widening and grading of road according to plans and specifications; also beginning at quarter mile from mile stake No. 4 or two hundred feet from the Southwest corner of Section 8; then extending Northeast about four miles to Douglas county line.

Bids will be received for the two improvements separately. Successful bidder to extend the road as far as special fund for that purpose may be available. Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check or undertaking to the amount of 5 per cent of bid to be forfeited in case bid shall be accepted and bidder refuses or neglects to enter into contract within three days from the date of acceptance.

Dated this 20th day of April, 1909 JOSEPH LARSON, Special Road Master, Road District, No. 6 Coos County, Oregon.

WITH THE TOAST AND TEA

GOOD EVENING.

There is a divine promise in every seed. If planted under right conditions and properly cared for it will develop and bring forth other seed a hundredfold or a thousandfold.

FOILED AGAIN.

A neighbor, Jones, who lives next door, Has bought a motor carriage, For which he's built a sort of barn That Bobby calls a gar-rige.

With shingles stained, it looks quite nice, Although not very large, And Jimmie says that "Mr. Jones Has got a fine gar-rige."

Is gar-rige right? Or is gar-rige? In truth, I could not say; Nor would I show my ignorance—I knew a better way!

I waited till my college niece (Who thinks she knows it all) Came down last week, one afternoon, For her vacation call. I asked her where her uncle was, And this is what she said: "He's out there, aunty, gossiping, In Jones' bubble shed!" —Exchange.

And He Did.

A young man named Du Bose invited his sweetheart to take a buggy ride with him. The young woman had a very fetching lisp. When they reached a very lonesome bit of road the young man announced: "This is where you have to pay toll. The toll is either a kiss or a squeeze."

Johnny's Last Speech.

You'd scarcely expect one of my age, in merchandising to engage and hope to get a paying trade without the local paper's aid. And yet I did that very thing; I opened up a store last spring—this month the sheriff took my stock and sold it at the auction block.

An Editor's Love Letter.

"Dear darling delinquent! Our precious subscriber in arrears! You are shy. Do you think we have sold out and gone? No, little sugar plum, we could not get away if we wanted to. We are still at the same old stand dishing out the advertisers on sweet promises and bright expectations. They make an excellent diet, darling, with a little pudding flavored with a word of encouragement to serve as a dessert. We are waiting and watching for thee, our turtle dove. We long to hear thy gentle footstep in the front office and to hear the ring of happy dollars within our drawer.

AT THE HOTELS.

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