

CONCRETE BASE FOR PAVING

North Bend City Council Changes Plans for Hard Surface Work on Sherman Avenue; Meet Next Tuesday.

At a meeting of the North Bend City Council, it was decided to retain the bituminous paving but to require a six-inch concrete base and a two-inch wearing surface. An ordinance to this effect was passed in compliance with the demands of many citizens. Four blocks on Sherman avenue are to be paved. Final action will be taken next Tuesday night, when City Attorney Derbyshire returns. Mayor Simpson is expected back Saturday. The Warren Company agreed to lay the new paving for \$2.05.

BARNUM WILL IS PROBATED

Bequeathes \$500 Each to Mr. and Mrs. Walrath—Divided Into 13 Shares.

The will of Guy C. Barnum, formerly of Boise, Idaho, and one of the big property holders in this section, was probated before Judge Hall today. The will was made July 13, only a short time before he died. It was witnessed by Dr. A. L. Houseworth and John D. Goss.

Mr. Barnum remembered the kindness shown him during his last illness by Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Walrath by bequeathing them \$500 apiece. Col. Walrath was also named as one of the executors of the will, Claude Nashburg being the other executor.

The will provides that all his just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of his estate. After this is done, the will provides that the balance of the estate be divided into thirteen shares and apportioned as follows:

To his step-daughter, Freda Barnum Cliff, of Provo, Utah, who was with him during his last illness, four shares of the estate in addition to sixty-five lots which he had deeded her, the deed being in escrow in the Provo bank. He requested that the mortgage on the lots be paid out of his estate.

To his sister, Helen Barnhart, of Fort Worth, Texas, four shares.

To Frankie M. Lucy, of Fort Worth, Texas, one share.

To Philip Dordridge, his nephew, at Denver, Colo., one share.

To Henry Wing, of Provo, Utah, one share.

To Mrs. Fernie Moon, of Kimberly, Idaho, two shares.

It is hard to estimate the value of the Barnum estate. He has big holdings of property in Idaho besides the big holdings on Coos Bay, but there is considerable indebtedness.

When the will was probated, the estate was valued at \$65,000, of which about \$15,000 was given as personal property and \$50,000 real estate. This is inclusive of the debts, the amount of which is not exactly known.

ACTIVITY IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, July 30.—Several sections of the British special defense force were called to duty today on the east and south coasts to relieve the regulars in guarding bridges and railroad sidings and in manning the coast defenses.

RUSH NAVAL VESSELS.

CAPE TOWN, July 30.—The German gunboat Eber, which has recently been overhauled here, put to sea hurriedly today.

COOS BAY TIMES DAILY CONUNDRUM

Answer to yesterday's: "A boy got ten cents worth of cut nails, what did he get them for?" Ten cents.

Here's one for today:

"There are many useful things we know, but, after all, what's the most useful in the long run?"

Answer tomorrow.

PORTLAND MEN TO VISIT BAY

Make Plans for Trade Excursion Here Soon—Will Inspect Railway.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 30.—Plans for a trade excursion to Coos Bay are being considered by Portland business men at the instance of the Oregon Development League, which sent out circulars today to find out the sentiment regarding such a trip.

C. C. Colt, chairman of the excursion committee, and C. C. Chapman, secretary, announce that the tentative plan is to run an excursion during the latter part of August, going by rail to the end of the Southern Pacific's new line and thence by stage. Returning, either the stage and rail or the boat route might be used, at the option of the excursionists.

It is proposed to take about a week to this excursion, giving time to visit other sections in and around Coos Bay.

GOES TO JAIL WITH HUSBAND

Mrs. J. C. Rumpf Insists on Remaining With Him—Charged With Fighting.

Rather than leave her husband in jail alone, Mrs. J. C. Rumpf insisted on remaining in the city jail with him last night. She was given the privilege of going home by Officer Stutsman, but she declared that she would not go unless her husband could go also. This morning she was released, but Stumpf was kept in until his hearing this afternoon.

Stumpf and his wife and H. P. Gurda, Jr., of North Bend were arrested at the Palace Restaurant for fighting about 3 o'clock this morning. It seems that Stumpf and wife were occupying one booth and Gurda was in an adjoining one and words finally led to blows. The waiters in the restaurant were unable to stop the melee and called for the police. Officers Stutsman and Doane responded.

Officer Stutsman said that when he got there, Stumpf was hiding under the table.

Gurda put up \$10 cash bail and was released. Whether he will return and face the hearing was a question.

Allegation Case.—Constable Cox is to return late this afternoon from Allegany with Mr. and Mrs. Petro-mou, who are charged with stealing a calf from Chas. Rodine. He was delayed serving subpoenas.

Auto Smashed.—While en route to Coquille today, Capt. Edgar Simpson's auto skidded against a bridge and smashed the wheels, but he escaped uninjured.

Quality and Price

Before one can judge a position, fix a criterion, or estimate a quality, it is necessary to be in possession of at least two facts upon which to base one's conclusions. One fact alone is useless and it only serves its purpose when taken in relation to the other. Thus PRICE, when used as an indicator of the value of a piece of FURNITURE, is useless unless we also consider QUALITY. QUALITY, together with PRICE will bring you to the conclusion that VALUE and VALUE giving are first considerations at this FURNITURE STORE.

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BREAKWATER TO RAILROAD DOCK

Steamship Will Not Use Ocean Dock Henceforth—Plan New Building.

Agent Sheldon of the Breakwater announced today that the steamship offices and dock would be henceforth located at the railroad wharf. The Breakwater has been using the Ocean Dock for the past year, but beginning tomorrow the Railroad dock will be used exclusively for both passengers and freight.

The change is made to concentrate the business. The railroad docks will be practically as handy for the general business as the Ocean dock and for the Coquille Valley business will be much more convenient.

Agent Sheldon has arranged that in the new dock the local freight will be unloaded first for the convenience of local shippers. He has also arranged so that the sidetrack will be kept clear to enable draymen to handle the freight promptly.

Some time ago plans were prepared for a large warehouse and office building for the Breakwater business and it is expected that these will be carried out before long. For the present, however, the Railroad dock has been altered to meet the requirements.

ELDER SAILS NORTH TODAY

Steamship Arrives from Eureka and Leaves for Portland With 70.

The George W. Elder arrived in this morning from Eureka and sailed this afternoon for Portland. She had seventy passengers northbound as follows:

Harry Thoes, L. E. Bailey, A. Baker, Ella Panter, W. Walters, Miss Laura Lawler, Ruth Crocker, Ruby La Painter, Nellie La Painter, Nels P. Adomson, Joe Gussalovs, C. E. Roberts, Mrs. C. F. Roberts, D. J. McKinnon, E. M. Laird, Inez Johnson, Louise Royer, Mrs. Ella Miller, Mrs. Lester Eaton, Chas. Hochberg, R. C. Young, W. H. Payne, Geo. E. Richards, J. G. Shingler, Elwood Wiles, A. G. Mink, Ralph Hicks, Mrs. W. A. Hicks, John Gustafson, Miss George Hewitt, Mrs. G. H. Hewitt, L. Holverson, Mrs. L. A. Hunt, Mrs. L. L. Schofield, Miss Gladys Roddy, Mrs. F. C. McNelly, O. S. Wolf, E. Wolf, Hal-la Wolf, Bertha Duff, Edith Shore, Vere Penton, S. Cully, F. Davis, F. L. Perkins, D. B. Hill, L. J. Watson, Roderick MacLeay, Mrs. Greenough, Miss C. Phillips, Mrs. T. F. Grady, Mrs. J. J. Englehart, Melwin Leslie, Mrs. H. B. Leslie, Van H. Smith, R. S. Gourley, Madge Rinehart, B. F. Rinehart, Beryl Rinehart, Mrs. B. F. Rinehart, Olive Rinehart, Joe Parris, J. F. Galliger, Peter Stekel.

Incoming List.

The Geo. W. Elder arrived in early this morning from Eureka, after a good trip up the coast. Among those arriving on her were: C. A. Peterson, A. B. Donohoe, D. Roderick, Mrs. Nell Petty, S. O. Whitney, F. L. Landers, Mrs. J. C. Manuel, Nick Battino, C. V. Imeson, Mrs. Alice Everett, Joseph Powley, Ruth Crocker, Joe Gussalovs, Bertha Duff, Edith Shore, W. H. Walters.

Play Bandon.—

The Marshfield Elks' baseball team will play the Bandon Elks at Bandon a week from Sunday.

J. E. SCHILLING is here from Myrtle Point.

MIL0 PIERSON and wife are in from Ten Mile.

BRUTAL CASE IN NORTH BEND

M. B. Adams Taken to Coquille on Charge of Threatening to Kill Wife.

M. B. Adams, of North Bend, has been taken to the county jail at Coquille on the charge of threatening to kill his wife. According to the story told by Mrs. Adams to the North Bend police, Adams was most brutal in his treatment of her.

The couple have two children, one two years old and one about two weeks old. They are a young couple and were married in Hood River about three years ago.

Adams will have his hearing later.

HOLD AGATE CARNIVAL SOON

Port Orford Preparing for Annual Festival August 6, 7 and 8.

HOLD AGATE, Ore., July 30.—On August 6, 7 and 8, Port Orford will hold its annual Agate Carnival. Many permanent improvements are being made in preparation for the carnival, among the most important of these being a new road to the beach which considerably shortens the distance to Agate Beach.

A large tent 60x80 feet has been purchased to cover the dance platform. All events are to be held on the picnic grounds near Garrison Lake. There will be a power boat on the lake. Two free bathing pavilions will also be provided on the banks of the lake for the convenience of visitors. A free bathing pavilion has also been built at Battle Rock to facilitate sea bathing.

BOY KILLS BEAR.

Lad Has Thrilling Experience on Smith River.

The Roseburg Review says: On the farm of R. T. Ashworth, near Gardiner, there was an exciting adventure with a bear a few days ago.

Early in the morning of July 29, as his 17-year-old son Elbert went out to the pasture to drive in a bunch of calves, he was surprised to see a big black bear leisurely enjoying himself in a little canyon. As it was not over 200 yards from the dwelling, Elbert went home for his gun, and cautiously made his way back near the vicinity of the bear, who was still unaware of anyone's approach.

Waiting until it started to climb over a fallen tree, he fired one shot, then hastily put some distance between himself and the bear, and the boy and calves raced down the road in wild confusion. Stopping to listen, he heard tremendous growls, so concluded the shot had taken some effect.

On a little later examination they could still hear more moderate growls from the brush, so decided it was not wise to investigate a wounded bear without a good dog.

Procuring one that afternoon and going to the scene of battle, they soon discovered Mr. Bruin had expired, and he was brought to the house for inspection. Elbert says he is going to keep the hide for a souvenir.

He also had an experience with a bear when he was seven years old, as he and his younger brother discovered one in a field only a few rods from where they were playing. Not being an expert with a gun at that time, his father killed it for him.

Elbert was formerly a pupil of the Benson School, but is now engaged in ranching on Smith River.

Many a soldier's first engagement has ended in a wedding.

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PUTER AGAIN IN LAND TANGLE

Charged With Beating Youth Out of \$200 on Bogus Land Location.

The following from a Portland paper will be of interest here as S. A. Dufur and his son operated in Coos county not long ago:

S. A. Dufur, who figured notoriously in the fraudulent land cases prosecuted several years ago by Francis J. Heney, was again brought into the limelight unfavorably by an administrator's report, in which he is charged with swindling Douglas F. Dufur, an incompetent, of \$200 by promising to locate him on imaginary lands in Washington.

The accusation against Puter is made by E. B. Dufur, father of the young man, now in the asylum at Salem. The elder Dufur represents that Puter and W. L. Murray gave his son a receipt for \$200 in cash, promising they would see he was located on choice land in Washington. This was in July, 1911. In May, 1913, after vain efforts by his family and friends to restore his mental balance, young Dufur was declared incompetent and his father appointed as his guardian.

It was in going over his son's affairs that the elder Dufur discovered the receipt for \$200. He wrote to Puter, he says, telling him of the family's poor circumstances and asking for an explanation of the transaction. Puter, he says, agreed to adjust the matter satisfactorily, but has so far failed to make any accounting. He says his last two letters to Puter still remain unanswered.

Young Dufur was a stenographer in one of the county courts. He was the inventor of a reversing typewriter carriage, which a certain company agreed to manufacture for sale, but the father says he has never been able to get any satisfaction out of this concern with reference to the status of the invention. The agreement his son had with these people, he asserts, has been lost.

AT THE HOTEL

At the Chandler, J. B. Fitch, Astoria; W. B. Norton, St. Joseph, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hobart, Grants Pass; J. C. Norton, Coquille; J. G. Shingler, Portland; E. G. Howe, Fort Stevens; Alf Johnson, Coquille; Mrs. O. Stemmler, Myrtle Point; Mrs. J. Flack, Chicago; G. W. Barton, Portland; Mrs. L. Beane, Bandon; Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Van St. Louis; Bessie Berry, city; Mrs. M. Wolff, San Francisco; Mrs. Meeder, Harrison, Idaho; Mrs. Kelly, Coquille; B. Church, Francisco; D. B. Hill, Mill City; Dudley Evans, Walla Walla; P. Tebben, Portland; A. G. Mink, Portland; Mrs. H. M. Childers, Bandon.

A NATURAL QUESTION.

"Woman," growled the villain, "the crime is on your own head. 'Is it on straight?' anxiously demanded the Villainess."

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