

# WINNIEG TO HOLD FAIR IN 1912

## FOUR ERRORS IN THE PUBLIC PROTECTED Judge Gantenbein Grants Divorces to Three Wives and Two Husbands.

Once each week one of the four circuit court judges draws the unlucky lot of trying the divorce cases set for Friday. Usually the divorces are tried on that day, but sometimes all the jurists are busy with important trials and then misdated couples are compelled to grin and bear the agony of married life until some Alexander of the bench finds time to come and untie the Gordian knot tied by erring Cupid.

Such was the case last Friday and the witnesses were compelled to assist the plaintiffs were compelled to go back home and rehearse their testimony all over again. However, President Judge Gantenbein found time yesterday afternoon to listen to the tales of three much abused women and one unhappy man whose wife had sworn at him and otherwise made his life miserable and burdensome.

That John W. Bevan had hardly been sober for 15 years was the principal allegation of Mrs. Elizabeth Bevan, who charged cruelty and inhuman treatment and habitual drunkenness. Sometimes, she said, her wayward spouse would fall to put in an appearance for a week or 10 days at a stretch, and again he would return while on one of his debauches and threaten her life. At least that was the way she understood it; he said he would "fix" her. Once he grabbed the family alarm clock, she said, and slammed it across the room with such good aim that it struck her squarely on the head, making a big lump. Besides, she alleges, he had only given her \$35 with which to clothe herself and child and keep up the expenses of the household for three whole years, and she was forced to go to work in an overall factory in order to provide for herself. The Bevans were married in January, 1903, and have been separated for the past 18 months. The separation was made permanent.

Strong also was the cause for the granting of a divorce to Elizabeth C. Parker, who was married to H. B. Parker Jr. in this city on November 9, 1903. At the time of their marriage, she knew that he "took a glass of beer now and then," but she never imagined that he got drunk. Lately, she testified, he became intoxicated three times a week. Furthermore, he had never supported her and she had always been forced to contribute toward her own board bill. About a year ago he left her and went to Astoria and although she pleaded and begged him to return to her, he refused.

Lottie May DeLashmutt testified that Albert DeLashmutt tired of her five years after they were married and deserted her. She had always been true and dutiful to him, she declared, and even after he had left her to struggle alone in the world, she followed him to Seattle to try and persuade him to come back. He told her that he didn't love her any more and didn't want anything to do with her. Mrs. DeLashmutt asked that her maiden name, Lottie May Castro, be restored and the court granted her the request.

That M. Marietta Filkey was in the habit of using profane and abusive language, which ruined his married life, was the testimony of C. R. Filkey, the one man who was given a divorce. Marietta had accused him of mistreating her and of infidelity, he alleged, all without the slightest cause and had charged that he mistreated her when he never thought of such a thing as being unkind to her. They were married in Illinois, February 28, 1901, but haven't lived together for the last two years, since she refused to come west with him.

## Jefferson Myers Returns From Trip to Canadian Wheat Metropolis—Oregon Man Went to Give Citizens Advice on Exports.

Jefferson Myers returned from Winnipeg, last night, expecting to find the usual Oregon weather. Imagine his surprise to find it colder here than in the frigid province he had just left but a few days before. Mr. Myers and Tom Richardson, manager of the Portland Commercial club, attended a meeting of the Canadian club of Winnipeg to confer with its members on the plan to hold an exposition there in 1912.

Mr. Myers left Mr. Richardson at St. Paul, the Commercial club manager going on to Chicago and Mr. Myers hastening back to Oregon to get out of the cold. The exposition planned will be in celebration of the centenary of the arrival of the Selkirk colony in western Canada some 100 years ago. The two Portlanders made the trip at the expense of the Canadian government, having been invited to attend the meeting for the purpose of giving the exposition promoters practical pointers on getting up a big show of this kind and carrying it to a successful conclusion. The Canadian club men and the government officials had heard of Mr. Myers and Mr. Richardson—head of Portland's famous Lewis & Clark exposition.

Both Portland men talked to the Canadians at length. They talked of the great country they were visiting, about the great country they called home and how the Portland exposition of 1905 had been started and made a great success and of the wonderful benefits which Portland had derived from it. The meeting had been called merely to talk over the possibilities of an exposition in 1912.

Exposition Is Assured.  
After the two Portlanders had finished with their addresses and told the Canadians what could be accomplished and pictured to them the wonderful results that would be brought about, the exposition in Winnipeg was practically assured. Enthusiasm was more than aroused.

Winnipeg has a population of about 125,000. Mr. Myers said last night, "and is a particularly wealthy city for its size. The weather up there when I was there was about the same as I struck here. I didn't think it was so chilly here in Portland. They tell me it's the coldest December in 12 years."

Winnipeg has a department store, which, considering the size of the town, is the largest in the world. In this store there are 3525 persons employed. Think of that! A small army in that one store. The people there tell me this great force in this department store is a result of this system.

Winnipeg is a great city. And there are some mighty fine people up there. Let me tell you that. I like Winnipeg. There are a great many things there and all in all it's a beautiful city in every respect.  
But to get back to the business end of the town, Winnipeg has the largest harness and saddlery house in the world, they told me. There are 50 carloads of wheat every day that it is running. That is going some, sure, in my estimation.

Western Canada is to become the greatest wheat raising country in the world. There are millions of acres of land under cultivation at the present time but when you figure that there are something like 75,000,000 acres of ground which has not as yet been ploughed one can imagine the extent of this great wheat field.

West Fringe Country.  
But western Canada is not strong in the fruit line. This is where Portland merchants will get in, in the course of time. And maybe you think we didn't tell them a lot of truths about Oregon fruit. Vegetables are not raised to any great extent, but there is a great deal of fruit of our kind in this part of the country and telling the Winnipeg people what we had for sale down here.

Uncle Sam has a mighty fine representative in Winnipeg. He is a Virginian—Dr. John Edward Jones. Dr. Jones is the consul and is one of the finest fellows I ever met. And he's not only a fine fellow, but he is smart and he knows most everything. Dr. Jones is greatly interested in Oregon. That is, he became interested by the time Mr. Richardson and a certain other Portlander had told him a few things about this country. Dr. Jones asked me a fine question. We answered all he would. Then he wanted reading matter. Next week I am going to send him a Christmas present—a whole box of Portland and Oregon literature. And what a fine time Dr. Jones will have with it.

Winnipeg's main thoroughfare is 200 feet wide. It reminds one of Pennsylvania avenue in the White House in Washington. The other streets also are well paved. Winnipeg does a great business—probably as much shipping and trading in this line as any other city on this continent. Minneapolis Mr. Myers and Mr. Richardson were entertained by the business men and in both cities made addresses. Mr. Richardson will return to Portland in time for Christmas.

Notaries Commissioned.  
(Salem Bureau of The Journal).  
Salem, Or., Dec. 18.—Commissions as notaries have been issued to M. E. Von Kester, Astoria; W. W. Burrows, B. W. C. Brown, Condon; J. O. Stearns, C. E. Johnson, Grace G. Ford and Susie Tripp, Portland; and William A. Oliver, Astoria.

A dinner for epicureans. At the Perkins grill, Christmas.

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## SCENIC RAILWAY WILL BE BUILT

Council Crest Park Owners Plan Improvement for Coming Summer.

A scenic railway that will pick you up and carry you around Council Crest at the rate of a mile a minute in some places will be one of the attractions at Council Crest park next summer. The Council Crest company, through A. Duchamp, has closed a contract with a scenic railway company of New York to build the road and operate it for 20 years. It is expected that the road will be in operation in time for the Rose Festival in June.

## TRACTION COMPANY IS HOST AT LUNCHEON

F. D. Hunt, traffic manager of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, entertained several hundred Portland men, most of whom are identified with the mercantile and shipping interests, at a house warming and buffet luncheon yesterday afternoon in the newly completed building of the Oregon Water Power company at East Clay and East Water streets.

## PASTOR WILL TELL HOW TO BE HAPPY

Every man has his own idea of what would make him most happy. Probably the majority of men think perfect happiness for them can be bought by the almighty dollar, while others think that some particular position or place of service, regardless of remuneration, would make them happy.

**Music Cabinets**  
Oak or mahogany, 20 patterns,  
\$7.65 to \$39

**Ladies' Desks**  
Mission, mahogany, maple, golden, 26 patterns,  
\$5 to \$40

**Morris Chairs**  
Spring seats, automatic backs, 19 patterns,  
\$7.50 to \$45

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All grades, in sizes '27x 54 in. to 11x15 ft., 1000 patterns,  
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Chairs and Rockers in endless variety,  
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Best selection in the city; oak, mahogany or walnut; 50 styles,  
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Solid or imitation mahogany, with French bevel mirrors, surprising values,  
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the program by which the varying individuals hope to obtain happiness.

Dr. Brougher seems to have obtained a large degree of satisfaction and joy in life, and he has been asked to tell what he thinks is the principle underlying the finding of real happiness in a man's life. He will probably say some pretty radical things. His subject indicates that he believes it will require a hard fight with some one or some thing, but the only way to find out just what he means, and just what principles he thinks should be employed, it will be necessary for you to come to the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 8 o'clock.

Thinks She Was Insulted.

Suit for \$5000 damages has been brought against the Meter & Frank Co. by Miss Ethel Swearingen, through her attorney, Waldemar Seton, on the grounds that she was grossly insulted and humiliated by one of the employees of the big department store. The complaint sets forth that while the young woman was in the store on November 29, she was accused of shoplifting by the woman detective of the store and taken to the police station. She was also employed to look out for the safety of the company. She was taken upstairs and searched and nothing which did not belong to her was found.

## CZAR TAKES NEW TACK WITH PERSIA

(United Press Special Wire.)  
Budapest, Dec. 18.—Disgusted with the shah's wavering between constitutionalism and despotism, Russia has given up trying to influence Persia's future through its ruler, according to information from Austrian secret agents at Teheran, and is conspiring with high Mohammedan ecclesiastics to bring about the condition the czar believes

will enable him to fasten his grip on the country.

The Austrian agents report that Colonel Lukhoff, acting secretary for the czar, has been responsible for repeated attempts to bring the shah to repudiate the Persian constitution and parliament but that each time he has been unable to hold the shah to his purpose when prodded "pressure from Russia and real pressure from England has compelled the shah to comply with the constitutionalists' wishes.

Djeng's regency and then to make a fresh attempt under the new administration.

That the czar is determined to stir up a sufficient commotion between the Persian liberal and reactionary elements to warrant him in occupying the country under the pretense of restoring order, Austro-Hungarian officials are firmly convinced.

Youth Bound Over.  
(Special Dispatch to The Journal).  
Oregon City, Dec. 19.—Ben Akers of Klamath was brought before Judge Samson this morning for examination on charge of a statutory offense. He waived examination and furnished bonds in the sum of \$2500. Akers was brought from Marshfield last Monday by Constable Miller, where he was arrested.