

Cupid Balked By new Laws

Blanks not Provided, so no Marriage Licenses Can Be Issued

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 1.—(AP)—Dan'l Cupid, the boy with bow and arrows, went out of business in Oregon today.

Romance went right on, but Dan'l was all balked up in a new law. He could get his couples together but couldn't get them married to save his arrows.

Love's predicament goes back to November 8, when Oregon voters passed a new law, providing that would-be brides and bridegrooms had to prove they were in their right minds before they could get married. Dan'l Cupid couldn't help much there. They also had to show a certificate of good health and good mentality as well as Dan'l's usual weapon, the marriage license.

Today the law went into effect because Secretary of State Earl Snell said it was okay. He'd checked the ballots.

All Had Trouble For the inside dope on the fuss, just ask Margaret Klees, head of the Multnomah county marriage license bureau—or the county clerk of any county in the state. They all had trouble.

Mrs. Klees couldn't issue a marriage license. The reason? The law says the state board of eugenics must supply county clerks with application blanks,

Sailors' Defense Closes Testimony

PORTLAND, Dec. 1.—(AP)—The defense finished its testimony today in the trial of Albert B. Rothrock and Ross Edwards, members of the crew of the U. S. Tuscaloosa, charged with second degree murder as a result of the death of James Vierra, 52, last July 31.

Arguments will be made to the jury Friday morning. Rothrock testified today that Edwards was being menaced by two civilians and that he went to his aid. He asserted Vierra threatened him and he struck the man. Vierra, a cook aboard the freighter Coloradan, died from injuries suffered in a beating.

So Dan'l proceeded cautiously in Oregon, but he worked up a faint smile anyway. You see, right across the Columbia river at Vancouver, Wash., marriages still are being handled in the old-fashioned way and Dan'l says things look right smart over there.

Gate Tender Dies In Bridge Mishap

PORTLAND, Dec. 1.—(AP)—William Hart, 86-year-old Steel bridge gate tender, was fatally injured by an automobile early today as he closed the draw to traffic.

Hart apparently stepped in front of the last car permitted to cross. The driver, Florian Church took Hart to a hospital. Another tender, William Schoeder, said Church was traveling at a moderate pace.

Hart was Portland's 51st traffic victim of the year.

Chunkers Win out In Row With WPA

PORTLAND, Dec. 1.—(AP)—The chunkers won out in their quarrel with WPA folks over the right to hunt a living on the garbage dumps.

Recently the chunkers—pittiable persons who live by scavenging off the dumps—complained to city officials that WPA workers were running them unfair competition. A WPA man, they said, was in the lap of luxury compared to themselves. Today Commissioner Ralph

Clyde was told by the city council to see that only deserving persons were allowed to pick scraps from the dumps to earn a respectable living. Mrs. Charles H. Randolph told

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