

DAN CUPID BEAT JUDGE BY OVER 4 TO 1 DURING JUNE

48 PLEDGE TROTH 11 GET DIVORCES

Even House Shortage Fails to Stop Matrimonial March.

The housing problem as an antitoxin couldn't stand Cupid's poisoned arrow and his lieutenant June, the month of brides, and as a result 48 Umatilla county young people paid the supreme sacrifice on the altar of matrimony between June 1 and yesterday. While Dan was mowing 'em down at the rate of almost one a day, Judge Gilbert W. Phelps signed the papers which ended 11 matches in a draw.

Of the 48 who said "I do" before minister or magistrate, 39 professed to having been infected by the love bug for the first time. Seven of the principals fell a victim to Dan's accurate aim a second time, while two fair ones are entitled to their third gold stripe. It was a big month for new converts to Cupid.

Those who married early in the month were not of the tender age at which Dan Cupid usually strikes in June. The combined ages of the first eight bridegrooms was 250 years, or an average of 31, while their respective brides totaled close to 30. After the middle of the month, when the moon ceased to shine at night, the younger couples came to the altar and the average age of men was brought down to 29 years and 2 months. The June brides average 24 years and 9 months, with 16 years and 2 months as

Holland as Member Must Inform Kaiser

AMSTERDAM, June 30.—The Paris correspondent of the Telegraaf today said Holland as a member of the league of nations, will be asked to inform the ex-kaiser he must appear for trial before an international court or leave Dutch territory. The correspondent further said he understands the court will inflict either the death penalty or imprisonment.

the minimum age. One man gave his age as "legal." June's record outstripped by far that of any month so far this year. April, with 19 marriages, runs second. The first six months of the year produced 57 licenses in the county. The average age of marrying couples during June is slightly slower than the first five months, the figures at the end of May showing the men to average 30 and the women slightly more than 25.

Besides the 11 divorces granted during June, a like number of actions were started but have failed to come up for settlement. The separations were all carried over from cases filed in months prior to June.

San Francisco Police Say Connors Admits Haines Bank Robbery

Lee C. Carter, arrested by San Francisco police Sunday, is none other than Charles Connors, Pendleton jail breaker and Haines bank robber, according to latest word from the south. Connors, as he is known here, is alleged to have confessed to the Haines job and also admitted having broken jail here.

A new angle to the case is his charge against Miss Hazel Perry, a San Francisco girl, that she robbed him of \$1700 in Los Angeles. Connors was arrested when he made the complaint to the police which resulted in Miss Perry's arrest.

CHAIRMAN CUMMINGS VISITED PORTLAND

Mass Meeting Was Held at Heilig Theatre Last Evening.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 1.—Portland Democrats came out in full force last night to attend the mass meeting held in the Heilig theatre to inaugurate the tour of the Democratic national committee, which is to be made throughout the state. The house was thronged before the rally opened and wild applause and tumultuous cheers greeted the speakers of the evening.

Addresses were made by Homer S. Cummings, chairman of the national committee; J. Bruce Kremer of Montana, vice chairman; W. J. Cochran, publicity director; W. R. Hollister, executive secretary; Mrs. George B. Bass, chairman of the women's bureau, and Mrs. Alexander Thompson and M. L. T. Hadden.

The meeting was presided over by Harvey G. Starkweather, chairman of the state central committee. In addition to the speakers, prominent Democrats occupying the stage were Senator Samuel L. Garland, Walter M. Pierce of La Grande, Oswald West, F. S. Myers, Colonel Robert Miller, Dr. J. W. Morrow, national committee man for Oregon; Milton A. Miller, George A. Lovejoy, Judge Thomas Crawford, Col. J. H. Bailey of Pendleton, Judge William Gatens, Bert Haney, C. C. Bryant, Otis L. Longley, G. E. Welter, George Smith and Newton McCoy.

NEWS NOTES OF PENDLETON

Co-Operated With Committee.
The co-operation of Pendleton people with the committee in making a success of the Neighbors of Woodcraft convention Friday and Saturday is praised by the members of the committee, who say that local people were eager to assist them.

Realty Man Buys Home.
P. W. Dayton, of the firm of Snow & Dayton has purchased the S. Hugo property at 108 Beauregard street and will use the same for residence purposes.

Members of Blanche Chapter No. 19, O. E. S., will meet at the home of the secretary, Mrs. Mary E. Johnson, 634 Johnson street, on Thursday evening, July 2nd, at 8 o'clock, to make plans for a visit to the chapter at Milton on July 3.

Power Sues to Recover Note.
Judgment against Frank Johnson for \$34.75, alleged due on a promissory note, and \$10 assigned to the plaintiff by C. E. Anderson, is asked by E. L. Power in a suit filed in circuit court today by his attorney, D. W. Bailey.

Miss Walsh Here Wednesday.
Miss Stasia P. Walsh, Pendleton nurse who has been in France as a member of base hospital 46, has landed in New York and will be in Pendleton on Wednesday. Miss Walsh will arrive on No. 17, according to word received here today.

Buys North Side Home.
N. J. Blydenstein has purchased the property of Mrs. Elma Wiley at 493 Garfield street, including a house and lot on Garfield street and a half block facing on Lincoln street. The property sold for \$3800, the deal being made by Snow & Dayton.

Coyotes Becoming Scarce.
Coyote scalps cost the county but \$147 during June, only 16 returns of scalps being made. The biggest item was for \$40, ten puppies and two females having been brought in. Females killed before May 29 were paid for at the old rate of \$5 each, while those killed after that date are worth but \$4 to the killer. In April \$896 was paid out in bounties and in May \$577. Since January 1 the pelts have cost the county \$2808.

Returns From Month's Trip.
Mat Deming, who has a farm 10 miles northeast of Pendleton, near Havana, has returned from a four weeks' trip to Lake Norton, South Dakota, Iron Mountain, Michigan, and Minneapolis. He was accompanied on part of the trip by Peter Enbusk and daughter Esther. They attended a district convention of the Apostolic Lutheran church at Lake Norton and Mr. Deming visited relatives and friends in the other places. No where did he see wheat looking as well as in Umatilla county. Mr. Deming said, and in Montana the crop is very short. South Dakota and Minnesota will have good yields, he said.

Complete County Books' Audit.
Miss Bessie E. Roberts, Miss Edith Jackson, Miss Gertrude Hanks and Kenneth Crandall, accountants employed by the Crandall & Roberts Co. of Portland, yesterday completed the audit of the county's books for 1918 and the final report will be made by Max Crandall, senior member of the firm, as soon as he can come here from Portland. Miss Hanks and Kenneth Crandall left today for Vale where they are under contract to audit the books of Mather county.

Motor Company Has Sub Agency.
The Blue Mountain Motors Co., today opened a sub agency in Baker with Ogden Marshall, recently with the Pendleton Tribune, in charge. Mr. Marshall will handle the agency for the Elgin, Wescott and Harroun cars in Baker and La Grande under the name of the Blue Mountain Motors

Co., of Baker. This is the first sub agency the local company has established, it being its plan to go into each of the eight counties in northeast Oregon.

Asks Judgment for Goods Sold.
The Economy Grocery today began suit against P. P. Kearns to recover \$76.78 alleged due for merchandise sold and delivered. It also asks \$45.90 on a claim assigned by M. A. Rigby. D. W. Bailey is attorney for the plaintiff.

Investigation Ordered of Faulty Pavement

SALEM, July 1.—Immediate investigation of the paving of the Salem-Aurora stretch of paving of the Pacific highway was ordered today by the state highway commission, and a further investigation was ordered of the work of the inspection division on this section of the highway. This action was taken following complaint of a farmer living near Cervia, and a brief investigation of the engineering force of the commission.

The paving, which is being laid by the Blake-Compton company of McMinnville, is supposed to be of five-inch, non-patented hard surface material. Investigations already made show that the paving varies from three to 4 1/2 inches, the report of the commission says, and that it is not mixed according to specifications. The Blake-Compton company's bid on the job was \$153,812.

Until the investigation is made and a report prepared, the June estimates have been held up, and the contracting company will get no payment for the work it has done during the past month. All work on the road has been ordered stopped until the inquiry is completed. The road is a post road, the federal government paying half the cost of construction, and the state paying the balance.

Engineers of the highway commission have reported that the mixing machine used by the contractors is defective and that it does not deliver paving material in proper proportions. This stretch of road work is the only contract from the state which the Blake-Compton company has been awarded.

AMERICAN FLIER KILLED.
COLEMAN, June 30.—Captain Walter Schulze, an American aviator was killed today when his airplane side-slipped and crashed into the main street at Montabauer.

WORK IS NEEDED FOR ROOSEVELT HIGHWAY

State Declared Negligent in Action Before Congress.

PORTLAND, July 1.—Oregon is not following up the Roosevelt coast highway program since voting the bond issue and putting the project before the government. This is the message Le. J. Simpson, who is in Washington as a representative of the Pacific Coast Safety league and the coast counties in behalf of the highway, sent to George Quayle, secretary of the State Chamber of Commerce Monday.

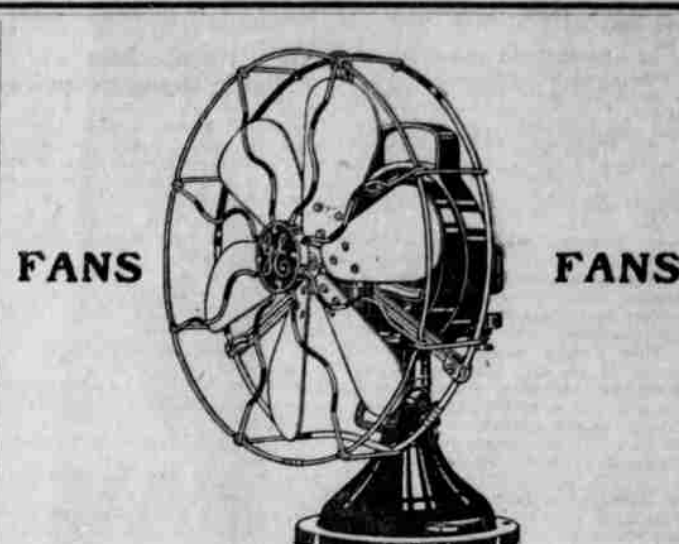
Mr. Simpson, accompanied by Charles Hall of Marshfield, president of the state chamber, and Ben P. Jones of Tillamook, representative of the reconstruction committee went to Washington last week in the interest of the highway measure. The message sent by Mr. Simpson is the words of all three men, and they make an appeal for Portland and the entire state to awaken to the need of support.

"Oregon gave support to the measure at the referendum early in June, but seems to have forgotten that support from the government in assuming half the expense of building the road is just as vitally necessary if the people of the state really want the road," said Mr. Quayle.

The message from Mr. Simpson is being sent broadcast over the state to various commercial organizations and has been given to every member of the Portland chamber. It is as follows:

"Please have the state chamber and the Portland Chamber of Commerce and as many influential citizens of the state as possible wire the Oregon delegation to use their best efforts in the support of the appropriation for the Roosevelt highway. Do not believe this measure is receiving serious consideration. Words of support will help materially at this time."

CLEMENCEAU SUBMITS TREATY.
PARIS, June 30.—Premier Clemenceau submitted the German treaty to the chamber of deputies Monday. He also submitted the Anglo-Franco-American protective alliance.



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