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CUPID AND PSYCHE.

Essay by Myrtle DeLong, a Tenth Grade Pupil in Coquille High School.

The following legend has been taken from Grecian mythology, and I think it is one of the most beautiful stories of the olden times. We like these old legends because they give us some ideas of those shadowy ages.

A certain king and queen had three daughters. The two eldest were very beautiful but words could not describe the beauty of Psyche, the youngest. People came from far and near to pay homage to her, and even the admirers of Venus, the goddess of love and beauty, left her and sought the presence of Psyche.

Venus was very jealous and thought that her beauty deserved more praise than she was receiving so she desired her son Cupid to destroy Psyche's beauty. Cupid took some water from a bitter and a sweet fountain and went to the couch where Psyche lay sleeping. He poured a few drops of the bitter water on her lips but when he saw the frown spread over her face he poured the sweet water upon her hair and restored all her former beauty.

Psyche's parents became very much worried because she had never received an offer of marriage. At last they went to consult an oracle. The oracle said that when she wished to marry she must go to the top of a mountain where a god awaited her. The parents were nearly heart broken because they had hoped that their daughter would marry a king or one of nobility. When she started for the mountain she was accompanied by all the people of the valley who were mourning because they must lose her. She was always kind to them and they loved her dearly.

When she had reached the top of the mountain, Zephyr, the gentle breeze, carried her to a beautiful meadow where she soon fell asleep. When she awoke she saw a beautiful mansion which was nearly surrounded by a grave. A voice told her to enter and said, "We are thy servants, go to thy room to sleep and after taking a bath come to this room where thy dinner will be served thee." When Psyche entered the room a table loaded with fruits was set before her and she knew that her husband was sitting at the same table although she could not see him. Every morning he disappeared in spite of Psyche's pleadings.

For a few days Psyche was very happy but the novelty soon wore off and she desired the companionship of human beings and asked her husband if she could invite her sister to visit them. He seemed to think that they would make trouble so he gave his consent very unwillingly but he finally ordered Zephyr to bring them.

When the sisters arrived Psyche greeted them affectionately and offered them everything she had. They were much astonished at the beautiful mansion, which increased their jealousy and hatred, of their more favored sister, and they began to wonder how they could obtain it for their own.

They soon asked what kind of a person her husband was and were glad when she confessed that she had never seen him. After plotting together they told her that her husband was a giant who was feeding her in order that he might eat her at a feast.

They advised Psyche to conceal a lamp and a knife and to cut off her husband's head in case he turned out to be a monster.

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her heart would break. Cupid felt sorry for her but he said that he must leave her because she thought more of her sisters advice than she did of his. She sobbed herself to sleep and when she awoke she was in a valley near her home.

When Psyche told her sisters, they pretended to be sorry that Cupid had left her but really were very glad. They thought that he would take one of them for his wife now. The next morning they were up very early and went to the mountain believing that Zephyr would catch them if they jumped from a precipice but he did not, and they were dashed to pieces on the rocks below.

Psyche spent all of her time roaming over the mountains in search of her husband, she felt that she had done him a great injustice while listening to the evil words of her sisters.

One day while Psyche was wandering over the mountains a god advised her to go to Venus and ask for forgiveness. Venus was very angry and told Psyche that she must perform certain tasks given her, before she could ever see Cupid again, then taking Psyche to a room where all kinds of grains and vegetables were mixed together told her to have them all separated before night. Psyche was bewildered by the immensity of this task and sat down to think it over. While she was thus pondering Cupid commanded an army of ants to do the work for her and then to disappear. When Venus returned at night she knew that Psyche had not done the work and she did not give her anything excepting black bread for supper.

The next morning Venus sent Psyche after some wool but she did not have very much trouble in getting it because some god had commanded the grasses and weeds to tell her which way to go. When Psyche returned Venus was still angry and commanded her to go to the lower world to get some beauty from Proserpine.

Psyche thought she must kill herself in order to go to the lower world and went up on the top of a high wall but was prevented from jumping by a god who gave her directions which would take her to the under ground world. She found a large cave that led to Hades the entrance way being guarded by Cerberus the three headed dog.

Pluto invited her to stay for supper but when he found that she could not see him. Every morning he disappeared in spite of Psyche's pleadings.

After travelling for a long time she began to see day light and wish to open the box in order that she might rub some of the beauty upon her cheeks and win the good will of Venus. She opened the box but did not find anything beautiful at all; instead there was a serpent that bit her and made her sleep. Cupid flew out of his window and put the serpent back in the box, and after restoring Psyche to consciousness he flew to the throne of Jupiter and told him to persuade Venus to consent to the marriage with Psyche. Jupiter finally succeeded in getting Venus' consent, then he sent Mercury to the earth after Psyche. When she arrived Jupiter gave her a cup of ambrosia to drink and said "Drink this and become immortal and Cupid will be your husband for always."

Biliousness and Constipation.

For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally. Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by R. S. Knowlton.

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Happy Reunion of Relatives.

Two reunions of relatives long separated occurred here this week when brothers and sisters who had not seen each other for more than thirty years shook each other's hands and rejoiced.

The first was when A. E. Pattee of Leavenworth, Kansas, arrived here to visit his sisters, Mrs. Alice Kruse of Marshfield and Mrs. C. A. Rogers of Bandon. It has been thirty-eight years since they met. Mr. Pattee will also visit a sister, Mrs. Moore, in the south, whom he has not seen in years, before he returns to Leavenworth.

The other was when Thomas Robinson arrived here from Athens county, Ohio, to visit his brother William Robinson, whom he had not seen in thirty years.—Times.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon in and for the County of Coos. D. J. Baker, Plaintiff, vs. C. H. James and J. W. Meadows, Defendants.

To C. H. James and J. W. Meadows, the above named defendants, IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON.

You are hereby notified that you are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit:

Within six weeks from the 9th day of March, A. D. 1910, and if you fail to appear and answer on or before the 20th day of April, A. D. 1910, that date being the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$100.00, plus an attorney fee in the sum of \$40.00, and for his costs and disbursements in the action.

Service of this summons is made by publication in pursuance of an order made by the Honorable John F. Hall, County Judge of Coos County, State of Oregon, dated the 8th day of March, A. D. 1910.

A. J. SHERWOOD, L. A. LILJEQUIST, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received for the grading of a portion of the County road, known as the Coos Bay Wagon Road, in road district No. 12, in Coos County, Oregon, according to plans and specifications on file with the County Clerk. Bids will be received for any part or the whole of said improvement.

Five per cent of the amount of bid to be deposited with the County Clerk with bid, to be forfeited to Coos County, Oregon, in case contract shall be awarded to bidder, and he fail to enter into contract within five (5) days with bond and sureties in an amount equal to 1/2 of the amount of the bid.

All bids to be deposited with the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, on or before the 5th day of May, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The County Clerk reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated this 18th day of April, 1910. H. E. WILCOX, Special Road Master R. D. No. 12.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received for the grading and planing of a portion of the county road known as the Coos Bay Wagon Road, in road district No. 30, in Coos County, Oregon, according to plans and specifications on file with the County Clerk. Bids will be received for any part of the grading or planing, or the whole of such improvement. Five per cent of the amount of the bid to be deposited with the County Clerk with bid to be forfeited to Coos County, Oregon, in case contract shall be awarded to bidder and he fail to enter into contract within five days with bond and sureties in an amount equal to 1/2 of the amount of bid. All bids to be deposited with the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, on or before the 5th day of May, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The County Clerk reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated this 18th day of April, A. D. 1910. H. E. WILCOX, Special Road master of R. D. No. 30.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received for the grading and planing of a portion of the County road known as the Upper North Fork County road in road district No. 11, in Coos County, Oregon, according to plans and specifications on file with the County Clerk. Bids will be received for any part of the grading or planing, or the whole of such improvements.

Five per cent of the amount of the bid to be deposited with the County Clerk with bid, to be forfeited to Coos County, Oregon, in case contract shall be awarded to bidder and he fail to enter into contract within five (5) days, with bond and sureties in an amount equal to 1/2 of the amount of bid. All bids to be deposited with the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, on or before the 5th day of May, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. The County Clerk reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 18th day of April, A. D. 1910. H. E. WILCOX, Special Road Master for R. D. No. 11.

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NOTICE
All Coos County warrants drawn on the general fund and endorsed prior to July 1st, 1908, will be paid on presentation at my office in Coquille, Oreg. No interest will be allowed on any of these warrants after December 10th, 1909.
Dated this 7th day of Dec. 1909.
T. M. DUNNICK,
County Treasurer.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for the improvement of that certain county road known and designated as the East fork road, commencing at Marlow Creek bridge, in said District No. 6, and that certain county road known and designated as the West Fork road, commencing between mile posts 6 and 7, and running westerly from Alleghany, in said Road District No. 6, Coos County, Oregon, said improvements to be made in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Clerk of said Coos County, Oregon.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. A deposit of 5 per cent of the amount of each bid to accompany bid to be forfeited to Coos County, Oregon, in case contract is awarded and bidder fails to enter into a contract within five days with bond and sureties in an amount equal to one half of the amount or bid.

All bids to be filed with the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, on or before 10 o'clock a. m., May 3, 1910.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1910. JOSEPH LARSEN, Special Road Master, Road District No. 6, Coos County, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of J. H. Schroeder, deceased, did upon the 26th day of June, A. D. 1908, file her final account in the matter of said estate, and that the Judge of the County Court of Coos County, Oregon, has named the 6th day of May, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. as the day, and the Courthouse at Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, at the place for hearing objections to said final account and for the settlement of said estate.

Dated this 5th day of April, A. D. 1910. EMILY SCHROEDER, Administratrix.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court his final report and account in the matter of the estate of W. L. Hayter, deceased, and said Court has named Monday, the 8th day of May, 1910, as the day and the Court House at Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections to said final account and for the settlement of said estate.

R. S. KNOWLTON, Administrator of said Estate.

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