

2 CASES DISPOSED BY CIRCUIT COURT

Jury Returns Verdict in Favor of Defendant in Case of Churchill Vs. Miller.

MANY WITNESSES WERE CALLED IN PROCEEDINGS

Nickerson Against R. Volkman Take an Appeal from the Justice Court.

Continued from Wednesday, June 18.

Bringing in a verdict at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in favor of the defendant, the jury in the case of Isabelle Churchill against Leona Miller, to settle the dispute of the boundary of lands and to recover damages, reported within an hour after it was excused.

The case went to trial before Circuit Judge Kelly Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock and lasted until yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock when the taking of testimony was completed. Many witnesses were called by both the defense and the prosecution. Attorneys Hewitt & Sox represented the plaintiff and attorneys L. M. Carl and Gale S. Hill the defendant. The case was continued from the last term of court and tried this time on an amended complaint, which allowed new parties to be brought in.

The following is the personnel of the jury: H. D. Haight, Albany; Henry Dittmer, Tangent; Leonard F. McClain, Albany; J. W. Miller, Halsey; W. M. Abbott, Seio; W. P. Pfeiffer, Albany; J. R. Morris, Albany; J. W. Pickett, Lebanon; R. S. Acheson, Shedd; H. R. Sherrill, Harrisburg; M. Shelburne and John Robson, Albany.

The jury in the case of an appeal from the justice court of S. B. Nickerson et al against R. Volkman, brought in a verdict this morning in favor of the plaintiffs. Attorneys Weatherford and Weatherford appeared in behalf of the plaintiffs and attorneys Hewitt and Sox for the defendant.

The case was tried yesterday afternoon and the introduction of evidence was completed before court adjourned. This morning Judge Kelly instructed the jury and they were excused at 9:30 o'clock, returning their decision shortly after 1 o'clock.

The personnel of the jury in this case is as follows: M. L. Forster, Tangent; W. Wilson, Shelburne; C. W. McKee, Albany; Percy Parker, Plainville; Frank Caldwell, Crabtree; Carl Cook, Coquille; R. B. Miller, Albany; Winfield Churchill, Plainville; Frank Conch, Shelburne; I. W. Miller, Shelburne; Rouben Hilliard, Albany and A. E. Gough, Shelburne.

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL TOOK BRIDE THIS MORNING

Floyd A. Marquam and Miss Grace Clelan Were United in Marriage

Prof. Lloyd A. Marquam and Miss Grace M. Clelan were quietly married this morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. A. L. Giddies, 206 East Fourth street. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate family of the bride and was solemnized by Rev. Franklin H. Gessell.

Shortly after the ceremony the couple left on a south bound train for Eugene where they will be the guests of relatives for a week after which they will proceed to Ashland to visit the parents of the groom. The first of the month Prof. Marquam will go into the forestry service in the University reserve where he will be employed during the coming summer. The couple will return here in the early fall to make their home.

Prof. Marquam is the principal of the Albany High School, which position he has faithfully and efficiently held during the past two years. At a recent meeting of the school board he was re-elected to the position. Miss Clelan is well and favorably known here among a host of friends and during the past winter was a popular student in the high school.

Rev. P. W. Emerson and son Frank left on the one o'clock train for Tangent today to attend the state convention of the Christian churches which convenes there tomorrow evening. The rest of the family will follow tomorrow after camp has been established.

Tennis Court Being Prepared.

Members of the Y. M. C. A. are busily engaged today in erecting the new tennis court around the two tennis courts which have been constructed on the vacant lot at the corner of Third and Ferry streets. Within the next two days the courts will be marked and ready for play. A hand roller will be used to smooth them off before they are opened.

MISS EULAH WRIGHT BECOMES WIFE OF NELSON WILBER

Five Hundred Witness Ceremony Last Night at the Presbyterian Church.

The marriage of Miss Eulah Lee Wright to Mr. Nelson Wilber of Payette, Idaho, took place last night in the First Presbyterian church in the presence of 500 relatives and friends.

The church was prettily decorated with pink roses, ferns and palms. Miss Willetta Wright was her sister's maid of honor while Miss Carrie Wright acted as flower girl. Misses Kate Stewart, Christine Pipe, Anita Schultz, Claire and Mae Tillman were bridesmaids.

The ushers were Messrs. Wm. Dedman (Portland), Arthur Corbin, Neil Bain, Reade Dowlin and Henry Vollstad. Mr. Hiram Torbet served the groom as best man. After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wright, to 75 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Wilber left on the midnight train for a trip to Southern Oregon. They will make their home in Payette. Just before the bride left her home, she announced the engagement of Miss Anita Schultz and Mr. Reade Dowlin.

LOCAL BANKER RECEIVES HIGH HONOR AT CORVALLIS

A. C. Schmitt Is Elected Vice-President of the American Bankers' Association.

- To be elected state vice president of the American Bankers' association is an honor which few bankers receive, but that distinction was given to A. C. Schmitt of the First National Bank of Albany at the annual meeting of the Oregon Bankers' association at Corvallis yesterday.
- The American Bankers' Association includes on its membership roll every bank of importance in the country and each state is represented on its list of officers by a vice president who is appointed upon a recommendation from the state association.
- The next meeting of the national association will convene during the month of September at Boston and Mr. Schmitt will in all probability attend the meeting.

SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH TO BE ADJOURNED

It Is Desired That Everybody May Have Opportunity to Attend Camp Meeting.

The First Christian church has adjourned its services for next Sunday to give everybody an opportunity to attend the Sunday services at the convention and camp meeting in Turner which will be in session at that time. A special train leaving Albany at 8:30 Sunday morning has been arranged for, and it is hoped a large number will take advantage of this to attend.

The first service of the day will be at 10 o'clock and will be held in the evening meeting. A round trip fare of sixty cents has been arranged for those who go on the special and the tickets will be good coming back on an earlier train if it is so desired. More than 100 tickets have been sold up to noon today and the train is an assured thing now. See J. F. Watson, Ralph McKee, Geo. Richards, for your tickets if you want the opportunity for a days enjoyment of one of the largest and most uplifting religious events in the state.

Dr. F. D. Kershner of Texas Christian University will preach in the morning. President E. C. Sanderson of Eugene Bible University will preach the communion service in the afternoon, and Dr. J. N. McCash of Cincinnati, Ohio, preaches in the evening. The great Bible School will be held at 9:45 in the morning. This is always a great service and Sunday school experts from all over the state will assist on this occasion.

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Mrs. Henrietta Brown went to Rosharing this noon to attend a county convention and joint institute of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Brown is the state president of the institute and is the vice president of the state W. C. T. U.

After transacting business here Charles C. Miller returned to his home at Klagen yesterday noon.

LAWN FETE WILL BE HELD FRIDAY

Residents of Fifth Street Will Gather to Promote Interests of Throughfare.

EVERYONE INTERESTED IN MOVEMENT INVITED

Seek to Make Street Worthy of Name of Fifth Avenue by Beautifying It.

The following is a notice sent out by the Fifth Street Improvement club:

On Friday evening commencing at 6:30 o'clock the Fifth Street Improvement club extends a cordial invitation to all residents of Fifth street to attend an ice cream social which is to be held on the court house lawn. Come on and all enter into the spirit of the occasion.

The Panama Pacific exposition in 1915 will be the event of the present century and will attract thousands of home-seekers. People from all quarters of the world will flock to this coast and the cities outside of San Francisco will profit as much by the event as that city. Therefore: When these thousands pass through Albany in the spring and summer of 1915, it behooves us to be prepared to extend the glad hand. Let our signal at this door of opportunity be boost and our pass word be welcome to our homes and city. Your improvement club aims to place Fifth street on dress parade for this special occasion and the object of this meeting is to enlist all citizens in the work outlined. Albany's activity and prosperity as a progressive city, depends much on the effectual development of civic pride.

We wish to establish and maintain a system of landscape gardening and such other commendable improvements as will make Fifth street worthy the name of Fifth avenue. We wish to make this street the most beautiful and dressiest avenue along the electric line from Portland to San Francisco. This accomplishment would do wonders by way of stimulating the minds of tourists to the fact that Albany is a live wire, a city of progress and that its business activity is safe, sound and enduring. Albany will benefit from the opening of the canal in direct proportion to the enterprise manifest. Home-seekers can find land tributary to Albany. Opportunities equal to any found on American soil are waiting in Linn county for those seeking their fortunes anew in the golden west. We ask for the voluntary support of all patriotic citizens to assist this movement.

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High grade, registered A.J.C.C. Jersey bull of very famous strain, good breeder in fine condition, very OAKWOOD STOCK FARM, Tangent, Oregon, Tel. 13-47120.

WATER FIGHT WILL BE HELD TOMORROW

Second Contest Will Be Given in the Evening by Members of Fire Department.

CORNER OF FOURTH AND BROADALBIN STREET SCENE

Termination of Battle Will Decide Matter of Championship Feature.

Teams composed of members of the Albany fire department will treat the residents of the city to another spectacular water fight tomorrow evening.

Commencing at 7:30 o'clock, the battle will take place at the corner of Fourth and Broadalbin streets and the spectators will be assured plenty of room on the Central school grounds and the court house lawn. An alarm of fire will be turned in a few seconds before 7:30 o'clock and the department will make the run down Lyon street to Fourth. The fire engine will be stationed at Ellsworth street, from which the two lengths of hose will be stretched.

The same teams which competed in the last water fight will tussle for supremacy tomorrow night and upon the termination of the battle the matter of championship will be decided. Keen competition is expected as the last fight was won by the team captained by Fireman Gloor and Fireman Stringer's men are determined to win out this time. In the event they do win, the contest to decide the championship will be held at a later date.

This time the weapons, which will be the big service nozzle, will carry a much heavier pressure than during the last fight and a formidable battle is looked for. Last time the hose carried a pressure of 75 pounds but during tomorrow's tussle, the pressure gauge will register from 85 to 95 pounds.

Another unique feature has been planned by the firemen, which promises to be an exceedingly interesting contest. At the conclusion of the water fight, a heavy box laden with weights and containing a sum of money, will be placed in the middle of the street. It will be locked with a padlock and the idea of the contest will be that each fireman in turn will be given the opportunity of making an effort to unlock the box and secure the money, which will be his if the refreshments were served the guests, steady stream of the hose which will be stationed 20 feet away.

J. R. Gill of Seio, transacted business here yesterday morning. He returned home last night.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS PLAY JOKE ON PRINCIPAL

Distribute Posters Bearing Information to Train Passengers of Marriage.

Because they had had a march stolen on them, an army of high school students, bent on having their fun at the expense of their victims, appeared at the depot last noon armed with flaming posters and distributed them through the south bound Southern Pacific train. The posters read in big letters: "The pair in blue, Watch for the newlyweds at Eugene. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marquam."

Laughing under the belief that the newly married couple would take the Southern Pacific train for their objective point at Ashland, the posters were distributed to every passenger and nearly every conceivable corner of the train and there is no question but that the marriage will be thoroughly advertised upon the arrival of the train at Eugene. Mr. Marquam is the principal of the Albany High School.

SCIO COUPLE WERE MARRIED LAST EVENING

Last evening W. A. Ewing and Mrs. E. J. Miller of Seio were united in marriage by Rev. W. Emerson at his residence, 717 Broadalbin street. The short ring ceremony was used in the presence of only a few witnesses. The couple will reside at Seio where the groom has been engaged for some time in the banking business. A wide circle of friends will wish the newly wedded pair unbounded happiness.

Lyons Couple Married.

On Monday evening, June 18th, at 6 o'clock, Mr. D. R. Bradley and Miss Mabel E. Wilson were married by the Rev. P. W. Emerson at his home on Broadalbin street. The young couple left immediately for Seio where they will make their home.

FRANK DEVINE MARRIED IN PORTLAND TODAY

Claims Former Albany Teacher As Bride; Parrot Included Among Wedding Gifts.

This morning at St. Mary's church in Portland, Frank J. Devine claimed as a bride, Miss Catherine Lucal Tierney, the ceremony being witnessed by only the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

The bride is well and favorably known in Albany, having at one time been a teacher in the local schools. The groom has a host of friends here and is a prominent member of the Elks lodge.

In addition to a beautiful chair, the Elks presented him with a parrot which at one time was kept in the club room and to which Frank had taken a strong dislike. A chicken, the age of which was not properly vouched for, was also sent to the new bride and groom for their first meal.

Elmer Churchill, a student in the Hill military academy of Portland arrived home last night to spend his vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Churchill.

O. B. Peters and wife left today for Montana where they will spend several days. Mr. Peters has been in Albany for the past month.

LANDSCAPE ARTIST WILL BE UNABLE TO ATTEND FETE

Arrangements to Be Made Later for His Visit to Confer with Committee.

Professor Peck, the O. A. C. landscape artist, will be unable to attend the lawn fete of the Fifth street Improvement club as he has arranged to spend Friday in Portland in connection with the school garden work, according to a letter received this morning by Rev. W. P. White from President Kerr.

In his letter President Kerr stated that the college authorities would be very glad to give the club any assistance in the matter of improving the street and said that upon Professor Peck's return, he could arrange for him to visit here at such a time as may be most convenient for the committee of the Fifth street club. Professor Peck's visit will not cost the club anything except his expenses.

CREAMERY IS PROMISED NEWPORT IN 90 DAYS

Will Have Capacity to Take Care of All Bay Country Tributary.

Newport, Or., June 18.—Newport expects to have a creamery in operation in 90 days, of sufficient capacity to take care of all the bay country tributary to this place. The Newport council has granted the Newport Fish & Ice company a lease on 50 feet additional water front for that purpose. According to the lease, construction must start at once and the machinery be in operation by September. This is the same company which has erected the gold storage plant here and the creamery will adjoin that.

The machinery for the addition to the Yaquina Electric company's plant arrived this week on the Alameda. The improvements to the plant total about \$2500. In addition the Alameda brought some more machinery for the gold storage plant and the cement for the new 850,000 gallon reservoir being built by the city. She carried in all over 100 tons, which is the largest cargo ever brought across the Yaquina bar by a 65 foot boat.

Albert L. Gates, a pioneer resident of Linn county, after visiting for several weeks with friends at Gates arrived in the city yesterday and is the guest of friends here. He will soon return to his home in Arizona.

J. J. Horsky and son Frank Horsky left yesterday for Cascadia where they will spend a week outing. They intend to bring back a big string of fish. N. R. Morgan, a business man of Marshfield, returned to his home yesterday after attending business matters here.

Miss Bettrice Fitzwater who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bert Stevenson, returned to her home in Lebanon yesterday.

Funeral of Miss Yantis

The remains of Miss Anna Yantis will be brought here on the 9:30 A.M. Oregon Electric train from Seio. They will be taken to the cemetery where a short service will be held. Conveyances will be furnished to all friends who desire to go. Rev. W. P. White will conduct the service.

PIONEERS' PICNIC BIGGER THAN EVER

All Plans Have Been Completed For Biggest Event in the History of County.

JUNE 18, 19 AND 20 ARE DATES SET FOR FETE

Special Attractions Added to Program to Commemorate Quarter Century Celebration.

All of the plans have been completed for the twenty-fifth annual reunion and picnic of the Linn County Pioneers association to be held at Brownsville, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, June 18, 19 and 20.

The event promises to be attended by the largest crowds and that it will be bigger and better than ever before. The coming picnic being the quarter century celebration of the organization of the association, numerous new attractions and features have been added to the program this year to commemorate the event and a most joyful time is fully anticipated.

The following is the official program as authorized for publication by the association:

Wednesday, June 18—9 a. m.

Parade of pioneers will form at the Southern Pacific depot and proceed to Coshov's Park, led by the Brownsville band, where the exercises of the reunion will take place.

At the Park.

Music—Brownsville Band
Song—"America"—Everybody
Invocation—Chaplain
Address of welcome—A. A. Tussing
Response—J. S. Van Winkle
Music—Band

Dinner.

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Music—Band

Dinner.

Thursday, June 19—1:30 p. m.

Parade of pioneers will form at the Southern Pacific depot and proceed to Coshov's Park, led by the Brownsville band, where the exercises of the reunion will take place.

At the Park.

Music—Brownsville Band
Song—"America"—Everybody
Invocation—Chaplain
Address of welcome—A. A. Tussing
Response—J. S. Van Winkle
Music—Band

Dinner.

Friday, June 20—9 a. m.

Parade of pioneers will form at the Southern Pacific depot and proceed to Coshov's Park, led by the Brownsville band, where the exercises of the reunion will take place.

At the Park.

Music—Brownsville Band
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Invocation—Chaplain
Address of welcome—A. A. Tussing
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Music—Band

Dinner.

Friday, June 20—1:30 p. m.

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At the Park.

Music—Brownsville Band
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Address of welcome—A. A. Tussing
Response—J. S. Van Winkle
Music—Band

Dinner.

Friday, June 20—3:30 p. m.

Parade of pioneers will form at the Southern Pacific depot and proceed to Coshov's Park, led by the Brownsville band, where the exercises of the reunion will take place.

At the Park.

Music—Brownsville Band
Song—"America"—Everybody
Invocation—Chaplain
Address of welcome—A. A. Tussing
Response—J. S. Van Winkle
Music—Band

Dinner.

Friday, June 20—5:30 p. m.

Parade of pioneers will form at the Southern Pacific depot and proceed to Coshov's Park, led by the Brownsville band, where the exercises of the reunion will take place.

At the Park.

Music—Brownsville Band
Song—"America"—Everybody
Invocation—Chaplain
Address of welcome—A. A. Tussing
Response—J. S. Van Winkle
Music—Band

Dinner.

Friday, June 20—7:30 p. m.

Parade of pioneers will form at the Southern Pacific depot and proceed to Coshov's Park, led by the Brownsville band, where the exercises of the reunion will take place.

At the Park.