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## THE PUBLISHING GAME.

If a newspaper printed every item of news which has a news value, the editor would spend most of his time nursing his bruises, negotiating loans and fighting libel suits. If a newspaper omitted every item of news which is calculated to make unpleasant reading for the party concerned, the subscribers would soon lose interest, and the circulation and the advertising patronage would dwindle to insignificant proportions.

What to print and what not to print is the problem with which every newspaper man is daily confronted. He often makes mistakes. He would not be human if he did not, but years of close contact with the public have taught him the lesson which many other business men have failed to learn, and that is that criticism hurts only the critic. If he publishes an item of news which loses a subscriber and makes a score of enemies, he smiles. If he omits an item of news which the public believes should have found a place in his columns, he smiles again. It's all in the game, and it's a game which requires the diplomacy of a Chesterfield. The man who expects to conduct a newspaper without making enemies is a fool. It can't be done. No experienced publisher attempts to please everybody or to be pleased with everybody. If he loses a subscriber he knows that there is always someone else who is willing to take his place on the subscription list. If an advertising patron withdraws his patronage he knows that the space will be taken by some more progressive and wide-awake merchant.

In a word, to be a successful newspaper man one must have the patience of Job, the diplomacy of an ambassador and the charity of a Lincoln. You must be an optimist and the word "worry" must be erased from the office dictionary. The lunatic asylum yawns for the editor who takes criticism to heart. His profession invites it and if he is so thin skinned that he can't stand public censure, the sooner he finds another vocation the better.

## GOOD OPINION OF HIMSELF.

In the October American Magazine a contributor writes an article entitled "Humors of the Courts," which consists largely of funny stories that lawyers tell of their experiences. The following is a story about a man who was placed in a position where he was obliged to express a good opinion of himself:

"There is a story about Roland the great electrician. Roland had a fine opinion of himself as have many competent men. After he had finished a hard task years ago for a big company he sent his bill to the president. It was a good bill—for ten thousand dollars. It wasn't long before a check came, but it was a check for only one half the amount, and with it was a note saying that doubtless a mistake had been made. It angered Roland to think that anyone should estimate his services at five thousand dollars. He returned the check with a message that an error had certainly been made, as the president had suspected, and that the bill should be twenty-five thousand dollars. Of course payment was refused and in time, as was inevitable, suit began. The great Joseph Choate examined Roland.

"Upon what grounds," he demanded of the witness, "do you base this exorbitant charge of twenty-five thousand dollars for your services as electrician?"

"On the ground," replied Roland, "that I am the greatest electrician in the world."

"Choate was wretched and every-

one in the court room presumably shared the feeling. When Roland left the stand a friend accosted him gravely. "Oh, that was awful, Roland," said he. "That was terribly conceited to say you were the greatest electrician in the world."

"I know it was," replied Roland. "It certainly was, and I felt like a cad sitting up there saying it, but, damn it, man, I was under oath."

## NEW CORSETS INDICATE DESIGNERS HAS SOME SENSE

### No More Will My Lady Attempt to Crowd a Large Waist into a Minature Corset.

By Margaret Mason (Written for the United Press.) In the days of old the clinging vine was highest type of feminine. And she who was the winning maid was, she who was demurely staid. Today though styles have changed apace. Arent the fair sex of the race. Yet still the highest court is paid To her who is correctly "stayed."

New York, Oct. 10.—The newest corset spells woe to the lady of generous embonpoint. Her nearest approach to a fashionable figure will be a swell one. The new models are so low of bust as to come scarcely above the waist line. The fewest possible bones are used and the material of the corset is thin and flexible. To be sure they look as though what has been cut off above the waist line has been tacked on below so far down past the hips do they come but fortunately insets of elastics in the sides and back make it possible for the wearer to assume a sitting posture and saves her the embarrassment of being forced to take her meals off the mantle piece. The front laced corset is being shown in many models and is a great favorite not only because it is easier to adjust and more comfortable to wear but because it actually tends to reduce a too generously chubby "tummy."

Triot is the ideal fabric for the flexible corset of 1913, especially for evening wear. Indeed the smart woman whose purse is as well filled as her 36 stays has different corsets, for different purposes. One of silk tricotee lightly boned serves her beautifully for dress and evening wear while a heavier silk broche boned a trifle more strongly offers her ample support for street wear.

Certainly the new stay ought to be here to stay for it is a boon from a hygienic standpoint. The days when a squeezed up corset in many models and is a great favorite not only because it is easier to adjust and more comfortable to wear but because it actually tends to reduce a too generously chubby "tummy."

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## DISCOVERS COUGAR IN ACT OF LEAPING UPON HIM

Jordan, Or., Oct. 10.—(Special to Democrat.)—Mr. Jeff Thomas, who lives 4 miles east of Lyons, had a narrow escape last Sunday evening and it is lucky for him that he is quite a sprinter. He had been to his barn doing his evening chores and was returning to the house when he heard a slight noise behind him, when he turned and looked back and saw a large mountain lion close at his heels and preparing to spring. He gave a leap and a whoop and the next thing he was down a quarter of a mile to one of his neighbors, "Doc" Goodman's. There happened to be some hunters and dogs in the neighborhood, as quite a bunch from Stayton and surrounding country were out in that section hunting a bear that had been using an old orchard nearby so they immediately started in pursuit, treeing and killing the cougar in a short time.

## LAST TICKET SALE GANVASS IS NOW BEING MADE

### Six Hundred Tickets Must Be Sold for Y. M. C. A. Course to Make It Possible.

The last canvass for season tickets for the Y. M. C. A. lyceum course is now being made. Six hundred tickets must be subscribed for by tomorrow evening to make this course possible. Three hundred and fifty have been served.

All who wish season tickets and have not been seen by the solicitors are urged to telephone their order to the Y. M. C. A. by tomorrow evening.

This year's course is believed to be made up of the best attractions ever secured for Albany. The course will be made up of the following: Ralph Parlette, humorist, Wednesday, Oct. 22. Dixie Quintette Jubilee Singers, Friday, November 14. Governor Herbert S. Hadley of Missouri, January. The Four Artists, violinist, pianist, soprano and baritone soloists, Friday, February 20. Alton Packard, America's foremost cartoonist, Thursday, March 26, and the Weatherwax Male Quartette, Friday, April 17. Season tickets are \$1.50 for adults and \$1.00 for all school and college students.

## PERSONALS AND NEWS ITEMS FROM SHEDD

Shedd, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special to Democrat.)—Mr. C. W. Burdumont of Portland was in Shedd Monday on business.

Mr. T. F. Jensen and family arrived from Los Angeles, Calif., last week and will run the ranch of J. A. Crothers. Mrs. Jensen is a step-daughter of Mr. Crothers.

McNeil & Hoover of Albany were here hunting China pheasants last week.

Mr. N. R. Howard, of Halsey was in Shedd last week.

Rev. Richard Hopkins of the M. E. church has been transferred to Stayton. Rev. Hopkins made many friends while in Shedd. He was liked generally as well as by the members of his church.

Mrs. B. V. Crawford spent the latter part of last week in Mohawk.

Mr. J. E. Painter of Fayetteville was in Shedd on business Monday.

Mr. J. F. Kline of Seattle, was in Shedd on business Tuesday.

About 200 persons attended the fair from this city last week. On Thursday there were 53 fair tickets sold at the S. P. depot.

Mr. H. O. Pinkstaff of Tangent was in Shedd Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Margason was an Albany shopper Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis were Halsey visitors Sunday.

Mr. Lloyd Templeton of Halsey was in Shedd on business Monday.

Mrs. William Wiltch of Klamath Falls is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Spranger this week.

Mr. F. Nicewood went to Albany on business last Monday.

Mr. R. M. Moore of Brownsville was in Shedd Sunday.

## PERSONALS AND NEWS FROM PEORIA AND VICINITY

Peoria, Oct. 8.—(Special to Democrat.)—The W. H. M. S. (Women's Home Missionary Society) of Peoria, met Wednesday afternoon for its regular monthly business session at the home of Mrs. Will Muller. After the business routine was gone through a delightful luncheon was served by the hostesses to the following members: Messdames G. W. Barcus, F. M. Campbell, E. L. Bayne, J. W. Lamar and C. W. Barcus.

Rev. E. H. Mowbray, came down from Portland Saturday to hold his regular quarterly conference here at the M. E. church Sunday.

W. Lamo was one of the first to take advantage of the open season and came home bearing four birds and a broad smile.

Amos Taylor and family have returned from a weeks stay in Salem.

Seth Hulbert from Benton county transacted business here on Monday. Jesse Nordlyke of Oakville was a business visitor on Monday.

C. C. Chadwallader has returned from a short stay at Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newman left Wednesday for Roseburg to spend the winter.

Fulton and Elbridge Wooldridge, and Joel McPherson of Alpine, Benton county, and Harrison Holman of Madisonville, Ky., spent several days camping at the Wooldridge Bros. peach orchard near Peoria, returning to Benton county on Monday.

Mrs. B. B. Wooldridge returned home Monday after spending a week here with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fruit.

The Misses Flora and Lucie Barcus were shopping in Albany one day during the week.

Sunday visitors to Peoria to attend the quarterly conference were: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bell from Oakville, Mr. and Mrs. Findley, James Herron and Ross Barclay from McFarland, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams, Newton Cummings and J. Owens from Lake Creek.

R. M. Lamar has disposed of his live stock and household goods by public sale, and expects to leave soon with his wife and son for Sacramento, Calif.

Ed and Louis Mason, Wayne Baker and Fred Mason have returned from a two weeks' hunting trip on Blue River. Two deer and a bear was the result of the expedition.

## SURPRISE IS IN STORE FOR RETAIL MERCHANTS

### All Members Are Urged to Attend Meeting Tonight at Hammel Hotel.

A surprise is in store for the members of the Albany Retail Merchants' Association, who attend the meeting in the banquet room of the Hammel Hotel, this evening, commencing at 6:30 o'clock.

That surprise, which was especially planned, will be in the form of an entertainment by one of the city's leading song birds, who will render several solos during the banquet. Other features have been planned, for the pleasure of the merchants attending the meeting. The program as a whole is an elaborate and interesting one.

Tonight's meeting will be the first meeting after the summer season and all of the members of the association are urged to attend. From a banquet standpoint, the meeting is guaranteed to be worth their while alone not to speak of the program. No excuses will be expected and positively none accepted. Remember, the place and the time, the banquet room of the Hammel, commencing at 6:30 o'clock.

## CITY NEWS

**Promise Early Building.**—Bids for the Albany federal building are to be readvertised within two or three weeks, is the promise made to Congressman Hawley today by officials of the treasury department. The same plans and specifications previously advertised will be used without change, thus making possible early construction.

**Lebanon to Be Host.**—Lebanon will be called on next week to entertain about 150 members of the Baptist ministry who will meet here October 14 to 17 in their annual state convention. Many of them will be accompanied by their wives and altogether it is expected that fully 200 people will be there for the four days.

**Paving Practically Completed.**—The paving work in Lebanon for this year was practically completed Saturday evening last and the big force of men and teams that have been at work on the streets since the middle of July has been disbanded and some of the machinery used taken to other places where the company have contracts.

**Motor Will Turn Draw.**—A motor is being installed at the C. & E. bridge crossing the Willamette river, for the purpose of running the mechanism employed in turning the drawbridge. Heretofore the bridge has been turned by hand. By the new method, all that will be necessary to cause the bridge to open, will be to couple up and turn an electric switch. The motor is being installed by two men in the employ of the electrical department of the P. E. & E., who have been here for the past week, engaged in raising the trolley wire of the street car line. The trolley wire was formerly seventeen feet from the ground and now it is 20 feet.

Immediately following the ceremony they went to their home on the farm east of town. Many friends will wish the young couple a pleasant and prosperous journey over the matrimonial sea.

**Chicken Dinner.**—At the Methodist church, Thursday, October 16, beginning at 11 a. m., the ladies of the Methodist church will give an extra toothsome chicken dinner, not a chicken pie dinner, just a delicious chicken dinner. The proceeds are to go to the Ladies' Aid Society work of that church.

## SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Linn County.  
Evelyn M. Christie, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Martin K. Christie, Defendant.

To Martin K. Christie, the above named defendant:  
In the name of the state of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear in the above entitled court to answer the Complaint of plaintiff filed in this case, on or before 6 weeks from the date of the first publication hereof, which date is the 30 day of Sept., 1913, and you are notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint in this suit as herein required, the plaintiff will take a decree against you for the relief prayed for in the said Complaint, to-wit: For a decree dissolving and holding for naught the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant; for a further decree granting and decreeing unto plaintiff the care, control and custody of Carl Christie, the minor child of plaintiff and defendant; for a decree granting and decreeing unto plaintiff the furniture now owned by plaintiff and defendant and that it be decreed that defendant pay the sum of \$25.00 per month for the support of said minor child and the costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is published by order of Hon. D. B. McKnight, County Judge of Linn County, State of Oregon, made and dated at Albany, said County, September 26th, 1913.

Date of first publication to be September 30, 1913, date of last publication to be Nov. 4, 1913.

WEATHERFORD & WEATHERFORD,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff  
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## PHILADELPHIA WON FOURTH GAME OF WORLDS SERIES

### Game That Ended Five to Two Threatened to Go into Extra Innings.

By Hal Sheridan.  
THE SCORE:

	R	H	E
New York	8	8	2
Philadelphia	6	9	0

Philadelphia, Oct. 10.—In a game which threatened to go into extra innings, Philadelphia won the fourth game of the Worlds series by a score of six to five. New York made a strong finish, getting three runs in the eighth but the team couldn't overcome Philadelphia's lead. The Athletics started scoring in the second inning and made three more in the fourth inning and two in the fifth. They failed to score after this but had secured enough runs to win the game. A feature was a home run by Merkle of the Giants, scoring Burns and Murray ahead of him.

At twelve fifteen the day was perfect and by far the best day during the Worlds series so far. A light breeze, a clear sky and a temperature that is mild, made just the right kind of weather for comfort.

Both teams appeared on the field at twelve forty. The sun shone at intervals. The park was crowded. The batteries were New York, Demaree and McLean; Philadelphia, Bender and Schang.

**Congress Gets Returns of Game.**  
Washington, Oct. 10.—The United Press wire from Shibe park, was cut into the house of representatives and the members of congress received the complete returns of the game from Philadelphia. The returns were taken by Congressman McDermott, a former telegrapher. Congressman Mann acted as announcer.

Score by innings: R H E  
New York .000000320—5 8 2  
Phila . . . . .01030000—6 9 0

Batteries: Demaree, Marquand and McLean; Wilson, Bender, Schang.

**Exterior Woodwork Painted.**—The exterior woodwork of the Southern Pacific depot has been painted a dark green color. The interior of the depot was recently repainted and redecorated and now the station is ready to survive the winter.

**Albany Couple Marry.**—A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Rev. F. W. Emerson on South Broadalbin street last Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock when Carl M. Miller and Lula B. McKeever were fromannited in the sacred bondsmen is a brother of Mrs. Frank Froman of Albany, who accompanied the happy pair.

**Railroad Commission at Plainview.**—Passing through the city this morning, the Oregon State Railroad commission headed by Hon. Frank J. Miller and accompanied by Manager Hector of the Home Telephone company, went to Plainview where they will hold an inquiry into a rate case. Particulars of the hearing could not be learned this morning or up until this afternoon at the hour of going to press.

**Judge Galloway Back to Salem.**—After holding court here yesterday, Judge Galloway returned to Salem yesterday afternoon and will return here tomorrow to hold court during the day.

**Haley Funeral Held.**—The funeral of Mrs. Anna E. Haley, wife of E. L. Haley, took place this p. m. at 2:30. Rev. N. C. Erntson, pastor of the Adventist church, delivered the sermon. The house was decorated with many floral tributes from loving friends. The deceased's maiden name was Anna E. Dougherty. She was married to S. L. Haley in 1880. Moved from Webster county, Mo., in 1884 to Montana. In the season of 1909 they came to the Willamette valley. There were 15 children, 6 girls and 9 boys. Mrs. Haley is survived by her mother, four sisters and two brothers. Nine children are left to comfort the husband, all but one being present at the funeral.

## SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn county:  
M. Bassard, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
S. O. Rice, Defendant.

To S. O. Rice, the above named defendant:  
In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff now on file with the County Clerk in the above entitled cause in the above entitled court on or before the 21st day of October, 1913, the same being the last day of the publication of this summons and you are further notified that unless you appear and answer said complaint as herein required the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$7600 with interest thereon at legal rate since Aug. 16, 1911, and for costs and disbursements of this action and will also take an order of said Court directing the sale of real estate heretofore attached in this cause and described as follows, to-wit:

The south west quarter of section 36 in township 16 south, of range 6 west of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, and containing 160 acres in Lane county, Oregon.

The date of the first publication of this summons is Sept. 26th, 1913, and the last date of such publication will be October 21st, 1913.

This summons is published in pursuance of an order of Hon. D. B. McKnight, County Judge of Linn County, Oregon, dated Sept. 26th, 1913.

J. N. DUNCAN,  
Attorney for Plaintiff,  
s16-23, M-07-14-21

## ESCAPED DROWNING IN FORDING STREAM

### E. E. Greiser, Manager of the County Poor Farm Had Narrow Escape.

In fording the Calapooia river the day before yesterday just southwest of the city limits, E. E. Greiser, the recently appointed manager of the county poor farm, possibly escaped drowning, when his wagon was overtaken by the swift current.

## SNAKED OUT OF CALAPOOIA RIVER BY HIS HORSES

### Driver Did Not Know That the Stream Has Risen Since Recent Rains.

Greiser, not realizing the stream had risen several feet during the recent rains, was on his way to town, driving a team attached to a heavy wagon. The ford is provided as a route to take the place of the bridge, crossing the Calapooia river, which is undergoing repairs. The bridge is located on the Corvallis and Peoria Peoria road, just southwest of Hazelwood addition.

Greiser drove his team down to the bank, which is rather steep on the west side of the river and before he could check the horses, they were plunged into the rapidly moving stream and into several feet of water.

The body of the wagon was swept off of the runninggears, taking the driver with it. However, he maintained his hold on the lines. The horses struggled desperately in the water, which was over their backs. Managing to swim to the shallow water on the opposite side, they snaked the runninggears of the wagon out with the driver still clinging to the lines. The water was considerably over Greiser's head and it is believed that had it not been for his clinging to the lines he would have not been able to gain the shore.

Driving his wagon to town, without the bed, he secured dry clothing. The body of the wagon was found yesterday some distance down stream.

C. W. Nixon of Harrisburg arrived in the city yesterday afternoon to attend business.

W. F. Mendenhall, of Harrisburg, is attending business here this morning.

R. S. Cooper, of Salem, is a business visitor here this afternoon.

F. K. Campbell, of Salem, returned home this noon.

Isaac Miller, of Lyons, transacted business here this morning.

L. W. Taft of Newport is a visitor in the city today.

T. J. Anderson, of Harrisburg, is in the city this afternoon attending business matters.

Mrs. B. C. Wood, of Harrisburg, transacted business here this morning.

J. L. Carrio, of Lebanon, transacted business here this morning.

**Petition to Sell Property.**—A petition for the sale of personal property in the estate of the late Ben McEhaney, was filed in the probate court yesterday afternoon by Attorney W. S. Risley, in behalf of James H. Scott, administrator of the estate.

**Marriage Licenses Issued.**—Yesterday and today marriage licenses were issued to the following: Otto L. Steel, age 28, of Albany, and Gladys Rexford, age 15, of Albany; William A. Sawyers, age 33 and Nellie G. Martin, age 26, both of Brownsville; Roy Elliott, age 23, and Corla C. Brower, age 18, both of Albany; Carl M. Miller, age 26, and Lula B. McKeever, age 19, both of Albany.

**Estate Accounting Filed.**—The second semi-annual account in the estate of Eugenia Davis, deceased, was filed this morning with the county clerk by Attorney Sam M. Garland of Lebanon, as executor of the estate.

## Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Portland, Oregon, September 30th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that the Northern Pacific Railway Company, whose postoffice address is St. Paul, Minnesota, has this 29th day of September, 1913, filed in this office its application to select under the provisions of the act of Congress approved July 1, 1898, (30 Stat. 597, 620), Lot 7, Sec. 14, T. 10 S., R. 4 West, W. M.; Lot 1, Sec. 25, T. 7 S., R. 2 West, W. M.; Lot 5, Sec. 14, T. 10 S., 4 West, W. M.; Lot 10 Sec. 31, T. 4 N., R. 9 West, W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 26th day of November, 1913.

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