

## COMMITTEE IS WORKING HARD

JUDGING OF BEST LAWNS AND GARDENS IN THIS CITY TAKES CONSIDERABLE TIME — ANNOUNCEMENTS TO BE SOON

The committee chosen to make the award of prizes in the lawn contest inaugurated by the Women's Civic League started out this morning to inspect the premises offered in competition, but was unable to visit all the places during the forenoon.

It was planned to continue the investigation during the afternoon on a second trip, with the possibility of reaching a conclusion this evening.

The committee consists of Mrs. Levi F. Willis, Mrs. J. P. Lee, Mrs. Wright, Elmer Applegate and Max A. McCall, instructor of agriculture in the Klamath county high school.

## RICH ARRESTED IN CALIFORNIA

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home accompanied by his first and legal wife.

That Rich was heading in the direction of his mother and home was evidenced by the fact that he was arrested in Dunsmuir, en route south with a ticket to Chico.

Miss Jessie Layton, who, it is alleged, was deceived into an illegal marriage with Rich, was well known in Grants Pass, where her parents still reside. She was married to Rich at the home of her parents, February 14, 1912.

Rich remained at his home until after dark last night, then he started out in an automobile for Dorris, where he expected to catch a train for San Francisco this morning.

Late yesterday afternoon Rich's parents sent to this city by wire an order to pay over \$100 to the young man. This money, in the shape of a check, was given to Mrs. Rich No. 2.

The Northwestern this morning credited Mrs. E. M. Marple with having given out considerable information concerning Mrs. Rich No. 2. In newspaper parlance, it was "sob stuff" that the well known Klamath Falls woman said in an interview. Here is what Mrs. Marple has to say about her interview with the Northwestern:

"The Northwestern, as seems to be its general practice, had one grain of truth and 500 grains of falsehood in the statement attributed to me this morning. The only statement for publication made by me to the Northwestern was the fact that Rich married Miss Layton at Grants Pass on February 14th, which information was given at the request of Miss Layton. The rest of the statement was created in the Northwestern office."

## WITNESSES ARE BEFORE JURY

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session this morning because of business in the circuit court. His place was taken by Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Ferguson, who arrived in the city last night from San Francisco.

This afternoon Mr. Kuykendall is in charge of the investigation.

James Wheeler was the first witness called in connection with the graft charges. He, it is charged, negotiated the deal with the councilmen for the transfer of the Livermore bar license.

Leslie Rogers, cashier of the First National Bank, was also before the jury. It was in the First National bank that the notes given in payment for votes on the license transfer were deposited. It is presumed that Mr. Rogers was asked concerning these notes.

L. Montgomery, a former bartender in the Livermore bar. I. T. Taber, present proprietor of the Livermore bar, and William Davis were other witnesses called in connection with this case.

Several witnesses were examined to testify in connection with the charges made against Willis O'Brien, now in the county jail, charged with robbing a fellow workman of \$35.

WANTED—Woman or girl for general housework. Apply at once, No. 12, corner Cedar and Pine, or address P. O. box 324, Klamath Falls, Oregon. 11-4t

J. F. Kimball, local representative of the Weyerhaeuser Timber company, and W. Y. McCormick of the Tacoma office of the company, left this morning for Portland.

John V. Houston gave an auto party to Merrill and return last evening, dinner being taken in Merrill. The guests included Frederick Moore, his son Albero and E. A. Dunham.

## ATTORNEY ACTS AS AUCTIONEER

COSTELLO RESTAURANT IS SOLD AT AUCTION THIS MORNING. CHATTEL MORTGAGE IS REASON FOR THE SALE

The Costello restaurant on Fourth street was sold at auction this morning, W. H. Shaw acting as auctioneer. The place was closed Monday after Mr. Costello had concluded that he could not make a reasonable profit out of the business. E. M. Reidy held a chattel mortgage on the place, and was willing this morning to sell the entire place and lease, but there were no bidders, and it was a piece sale in which the well known attorney acquitted himself with credit as an auctioneer.

## NO BLAST TO BE SET OFF

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of them got some headache from handling the nitro-glycerine in the composition. Nitro-glycerine acts on the blood, and creates a greater pressure on the circulation, when handled without gloves.

The cartridges especially made to "shoot up" the dam between the two streams were about three feet long and 6 inches in diameter, and of about the same power and size as the ordinary 6-inch shell used in the army, whose power is such as to throw the 10-pound missile a matter of half a dozen miles or so.

The container for the explosive was made of black building paper shaped as a cylinder, open at one end, into which was put a patent powder containing 5 per cent of nitro-glycerine. In the midst of this patent powder was put a fulminating package of one dozen 4-ounce sticks of dynamite, containing the primer, to which was attached a wire to lead to the electric battery several hundred feet away, which was to set off the dozen or so big cartridges.

After each cartridge, containing 27 pounds of composition powder and three pounds of dynamite, was finished, it was painted with a mixture of cylinder oil and paraffine candle grease to make it impervious to water. This was necessary because the charges were put below the water level, in postholes eight feet deep.

Project Engineer Patch today planned to turn on the water at the diversion dam at 1:30 o'clock, full head, which, it was calculated, would reach the scene of the blast three hours later, or just after the charges were fired. It was calculated that the sudden rush of water coming just when the earth was freshly broken would clean away all the debris and make a clear channel leading into the Klamath River. The dozen or so cartridges were set in the earth across the channel in two rows, like a double file of soldiers would stand. Mr. Patch said the charge would hardly be heard more than a mile or so from the blast, as all the explosives were under water, which would deaden the sound. The location is five and one-half miles southwest of the city-center.

Early in the week the water in the channel measured one and a half feet higher than the river level, and that was while the channel was carrying only one-third of its capacity.

A sample charge fired this morning threw dirt in every direction, and caused some consternation among a drove of horses in an adjoining field.

## COLLINS WILL INVOLVE WOOD

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day that he would submit the evidence to the grand jury in an effort to discover how many of the officials of Lawrence knew that the dynamite would be planted.

## CITY PROPERTY

If you are looking for a good home, bungalow site or income property, better see Chilcote. Please note the following prices:

A level lot, 20x110, at First Fairview, \$150.

Excellent view lots on the hill at \$600, \$850, and \$950.

Six lots in Nichols addition, desirable location, \$2,500.

Four room home and two good lots, Fairview, \$1,500, easy terms, good location.

A bargain in Main street property, with good new building. Ask me for fire insurance rates. A few good homes to rent. CHILCOTE, Next to American Hotel. Phone 661

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following realty transfers, contracts, deeds, mortgages, etc., recently filed with the county clerk, are furnished by the City and County Abstract company:

Oregon Valley Land company to Hannah White, warranty deed, \$200, N 1/4 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 29-26-14.

Ora S. McGregor to Jas. Taylor, warranty deed, \$1,000, N 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 12-27-14.

The Klamath Development company to C. W. Coseboom, warranty deed, \$10, lot 18, block 26, Hot Springs.

Chas. Loomis to John Loomis, warranty deed, \$10, part of lots 3 and 4, block 17, original town.

F. D. Miles to W. F. Hopka, warranty deed, \$10, 30 feet of lot 1, block 4, original town.

City Attorney Drake and County Surveyor E. B. Henry left this morning in an auto for Mr. Drake's Wood River Valley ranch, where some surveying will be done.

Notice for Publication (Not Coal Lands) Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, August 26, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that Cora M. Dodge, as widow of Frank F. Dodge, of Port Klamath, Oregon, who, on August 11, 1908, made Homestead Entry (Act June 11, 1906) No. 0329, for the SW 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 23; E 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 26, Township 24 S., Range 6 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. R. De Lap, County Clerk of Klamath county, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the 5th day of October, 1912.

Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur Morrison of Port Klamath, Oregon; George J. Weiss of Port Klamath, Oregon; Alice A. Voss of Port Klamath, Oregon; Restora French of Klamath Falls, Oregon. A. W. ORTON, Register.

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## BAND TO PLAY THIS EVENING

IN THE EVENT OF WEATHER NOT PERMITTING, THE CONCERT WILL BE PLAYED IN THE OPERA HOUSE

The weather permitting, there will be a band concert in court house square tonight. In the event of the weather not being favorable, the concert will be given in the opera house.

The program for the concert follows:

March—"Hero of the Isthmus." Lampe

Overture—"Barber of Seville." Rossini

"Story of a Flower." Idyl. Knoff

Ballet music from "William Tell." Rossini

Waltz—"Third Degree." Tobant

Gems of Stephen Foster. National Anthem

Leader Daniel announced this afternoon that he had received several requests for a concert solo by Mr. Newham. This will be given during the evening, and it will be Schubert's Serenade.

Skating is a healthful, graceful and enjoyable pastime. Roller rink opens next Friday. 9-tf

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40 acre wood claim on Long Lake road. County value 300,000  
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Beginning Wednesday, September 11  
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We cordially invite your inspection

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F. L. Turpin—A. W. Turpin (Reinforced Concrete Building)  
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Rooms—With private bath, \$1.50 per day up; without bath, \$1.50  
European plan. Both phones in each room

**THE LONG, HOT, WEARY DAY**  
is sure to have a pleasant and refreshing close for those who have awaiting them at home that luxury which only a properly appointed bathroom can give. And modern sanitary plumbing has placed them at the disposal of rich and poor alike, for few purses nowadays are so limited as not to be able to afford what was a few years ago an almost priceless luxury. If you desire to know all about that a moderate sum they can be installed, call up GREELEY



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On the floating Pullman houseboat  
**MALLARD CLUB**  
at Winema Landing Saturday night. In the morning you will be in the  
**MIDST OF THE DUCKS**  
Busses leave the leading hotels about 8:30 p.m.  
Buss fare, water transportation, three meals and bed **\$5.00**  
TICKETS ON SALE AT HOTELS

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**Tomorrow - Thursday**  
and hope to have the pleasure of your presence

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