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SCHUMANN-HEINK AWARDED DECREE; THREE PROPOSALS

CHICAGO, June 9.—Judge Sullivan today sustained the motion of the attorneys for Madame Schumann-Heink, and directed the jury to find a verdict for her in her divorce action against William Rapp Jr.

As a result, the madame is jubilant. Since it was announced that she would get a decree, the songstress today received three proposals.

"I shall not marry again," said the madame today. "I am getting too old. I am not even going to sing so much any more, as I have enough money to care for my children."

"I am entirely happy, now that I can devote my life to my children and my music."

Commenting on the outcome of the case to friends, Wm. Rapp, the ex-husband, remarked:

"I had about as much chance to prevent the divorce as a celluloid cat chasing an asbestos rat through hedges."

CIRCUS LICENSE FEE IS RAISED

Circuses will hereafter have to pay a license fee of \$100 a day, instead of \$25, if an ordinance which has introduced Monday night is passed.

The city has been operating under an ordinance, regulating licenses, which was passed in 1889, when Klamath Falls was the town of Linkville, and some time ago the old council instructed the city attorney to draft an amendment to the ordinance, raising the license of circuses from \$25 a day to \$100, and also wording it so as to cover dog and pony shows operating in tents and enclosures.

This ordinance was introduced Monday night, and passed to its second reading, but will probably be amended, as it is believed that the wording of the portion covering dog and pony shows is too broad. This portion of the amendment now reads as follows: "Every building, tent, space or arena, where feats of horsemanship or acrobatic feats or sports are exhibited, shall be regarded as a circus under this ordinance."

Councilman Matthews stated that he was afraid that this might be construed to cover local entertainments and ball games, and he would ask to have it worded different before final passage.

BANTAMWEIGHT TITLE AT STAKE

LOS ANGELES, June 9.—After an absence from the ring of over a year, Bantamweight Champion Johnny Coulton will defend his title tonight against Kid Williams, who has practically every other man of his weight of note put back into the discard.

Coulton, fresh from three weeks in the California mountains, claims to have reached his old time condition. Williams trained at the sea shore, and he, too, seems to be in perfect shape. The McCarey diamond belt will go to the winner.

BONHAM BOUND TO THE GRAND JURY

Charged with assaulting J. H. Angove with a dangerous weapon, John Bonham, an employe of the Long Lake Lumber Co. was Monday night bound over to await the action of the grand jury. The hearing was held in Justice Gowen's court, the hour being one that did not interfere with the operation of the mill, where the assault occurred.

Several witnesses were put on the stand for the state. They testified that Bonham attacked Angove with a canthook at the mill, knocking him from the carriage. No testimony was introduced by the defense.

Miss Sadie Maxwell of Bonanza left on Tuesday for Portland, where she will be one of the party of young women Phil S. Bates of the Pacific Northwest will take to Washington, D. C. The party will stop at all the principal places of interest, going and returning by different routes. Miss Maxwell has a supply of advertising matter, and will boost Klamath Falls on her peregrination.

THREE ARRESTS MADE TODAY AT CRYSTAL CREEK

For the fifth time in the last two weeks an officer of the law journeyed to Crystal Creek Tuesday to serve warrants of arrest on some of the belligerents in the Crystal Creek feud. This time S. A. Brown, Fred G. Brown and C. O. Brown are the defendants, and they are charged with the destruction of a fence. They were arrested this afternoon by Sheriff C. C. Low.

These cases are coming into court regularly, and as yet the only thing that has been accomplished has been the running up of mileage charges against the county by officers with warrants of arrest, officers with subpoenas to serve and witnesses summoned to appear.

A synopsis of the trouble since it got into court follows:

May 19.—W. F. Wyland and Clarence Hunt arrested, charged with obstructing a highway; Cora Wyland, Blanch and Irene Dodge and Mildred Vose arrested, charged with threatening and advocating the commission of a felony. These arrests were upon complaints filed by S. A. Brown. All were bound to the grand jury.

May 22.—S. A. Brown, F. G. Brown and C. O. Brown arrested, charged with assault without a deadly weapon; complaint made by Cora Wyland. Also arrested upon charge of robbery, complaint made by Mildred Vose. Also arrested upon charge of malicious and wanton destruction of a fence, complaint made by Cora Wyland. All bound over to the grand jury.

May 29.—W. F. Wyland and Clarence Hunt arrested, charged with obstructing highway, complaint made by S. A. Brown. Also arrested on charge of advocating and threatening the commission of a felony, complaint made by S. A. Brown.

June 4.—The charge of obstructing a highway against Wyland and Hunt dismissed by Justice of the Peace Gowen after a hearing.

June 8.—Civil suit brought against Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Brown, C. C. S. A. and Fred G. Brown, by Mrs. Wyland through Stone & Gale, asking an injunction to restrain Browns from going on her homestead.

June 9.—S. A. Brown, C. O. Brown and Fred G. Brown arrested, charged with willful destruction of fence.

CITY HALL WORK HELD UP A WEEK

Work on the new city hall will not begin until next week, as it was considered best to wait until after Saturday night, when the ordinance authorizing a contract between the city and Cofer Brothers will be formally adopted. The ordinance was introduced Monday night, and passed to its second reading, and the council then took a recess until Saturday night, at which time it will be placed on its final passage and adopted.

A tentative contract between the city and contractors was read to the council and was favorably received. This contract provides for a penalty of \$25 a day for failure of the contractors to complete the building by January 1, 1915.

A number of changes in the original plans and specifications have been suggested by the city, and these changes, with the additions or reductions in cost, will be drawn up as supplemental articles and attached to the contract.

MACDOELTE GOES BY POISON ROUTE

MACDOEL, Calif., June 9.—The second suicide within ten days occurred five miles from here at 9:30 Sunday morning, when Milton A. Long took a dose of strychnine.

Mrs. Long and the two children had started to church, but only went about half a mile when Mrs. Long decided to return to her husband, who had been acting queerly during the morning. As she neared the house her husband ran out and fell into her arms, murmuring "send for the doctor."

Doctor was summoned, but death came before his arrival.

The deceased was a native of Iowa, coming west several years ago. He owned a good farm, was out of debt, and seemed prosperous and healthy. No reason for the rash act is known.

Undertaker Earl Whitlock of Klamath Falls came over Sunday evening and took charge of the remains.

AUTO ROAD SIGNS WILL MARK ROUTE

The road from Klamath Falls to Crater Lake will be fully marked with road signs this year. These road signs are to be put up in a short time by the Goodrich Rubber company, a well known automobile tire concern.

The matter was taken up with the concern last year by the Dunham Auto company, the local agent.

Back to Wolf Creek

After spending a few weeks with relatives here, Mrs. A. W. Piel has gone to Wolf Creek.

PEACE CONGRESS NOW IN SESSION

LIVERPOOL, June 9.—All kinds of political, social, religious, educational, labor and co-operative organizations were represented by the 500 delegates who met at the Church Hall here this afternoon for the Tenth National Peace Congress of Great Britain, under the presidency of Lord Channing of Wellingborough.

Particular interest attaches to the congress this year on account of the preparations it is expected to make in connection with the forthcoming conference at The Hague.

Among the special questions to be discussed are: Immunity of private property in naval warfare, floating mines, rights of neutrals, the effect of armament expenditure on commerce and industry, the effect of militarism on wages, and the promotion of international peace through universities and schools. The congress will be in session four days.

MT. LAKE NEWS NOTES

MT. LAKE, June 9.—There will be regular preaching services at the Mt. Lake church each Sunday at 11 a. m. Sabbath school at 10, and Christian Endeavor at 7:30. Rev. Avery is the pastor.

Mrs. E. S. Phillips and friend, Mrs. Bush, are visiting at the home ranch.

The Country Needle Club will meet with Mrs. Henry Morrison Thursday afternoon, June 11.

The Christian Endeavor held its annual business meeting for the election of officers Sunday evening at the close of the regular meeting. Theodore Case was elected president, Wray Murphy vice president, Faye West secretary and Mabel Morrison treasurer.

A large representation from this district attended the Water Users Association meeting Friday.

Mrs. Will Morrison and daughter, Mabel, and Miss Myrtle Morrison are at home for the summer.

The Mt. Lake school closed Friday with appropriate exercises. Material for the new school house is being hauled.

MORE SIDEWALKS ARE ORDERED IN

The council Monday night passed a resolution directing that sidewalks be constructed on the west side of Eighth street from Main to Pine, and from High to Canal.

The city attorney was instructed to draw up a resolution directing the construction of a sidewalk on the north side of Wantland avenue, from Sixth street to Division street, at Mills Addition hall. A considerable portion of this is along property owned by the Southern Pacific company.

WATER USERS BOARD MEETS

The following officers have been chosen by the new board of directors of the Klamath Water Users Association:

President—Abel Ady. Vice President—John Irwin. Secretary—Albert E. Elder. Treasurer—J. W. Siemens. California Agent—J. J. Beard. Ady, Irwin and Elder are all re-elected, as they have all done efficient work for the irrigators for several years past.

Monday morning Ady left for Washington, where he goes to work for the passage of the extension bill which gives the water users twenty years in which to pay off the reclamation costs.

BROWNS RELEASED ON IRWIN MOTION

Upon oral motion of District Attorney John Irwin, Justice of the Peace Gowen Wednesday dismissed the charge of tearing down a fence, on which C. O. Brown, Sherman Brown and Fred Brown were arrested at Crystal Creek Tuesday.

The information upon which the warrant was issued was signed by Mrs. Cora Wyland before Attorney H. S. Gale, instead of the district attorney. In a civil suit against the Browns, filed recently, Mrs. Wyland alleges that the Browns have told others that they "have the district attorney, and will continue to file criminal suits until she leaves the land now in dispute."

Stevenson Here Soon

George Stevenson, who this year graduates from the engineering department of the University of Oregon, is expected Friday evening from Eugene, to take employment on the E. P. McCormack project to reclaim several thousand acres of marsh land along Upper Klamath Lake. Stevenson is well known here, as he attended the local schools before entering the university.

RODEO PRIZE LIST IS COMPLETED

According to the program just arranged by the Rodeo Amusement Association, four thousand dollars in cash, besides a large number of valuable trophies will be distributed among the contestants in the Elks' Rodeo, to be held July 3, 4 and 5.

In addition to containing the list of events and prizes, the program just prepared by the directors of the Rodeo also gives the conditions that will govern each contest. These follow:

Championship Bucking Contest—Purse \$400; first prize \$250, second prize 100, third prize \$50. Conditions—One-half contestants entered to ride first day and one-half to ride second day. Riders for each day to be determined by lot. Horses to be furnished by management. Not less than six riders to be chosen from first two days to ride on last day. Each contestant to ride any horse and as often as the judges may deem necessary to determine winner. Riding to be done with plain halter, two reins, and of rope free. Chaps and spurs to be worn. No quirts allowed. All riding slick. No saddle forks over fifteen inches wide to be used. No bucking rolls allowed. Rope or reins shall not be knotted or wrapped around the rider's hand. Free hand in air so that the judges can see it. Pulling leather or being thrown disqualifies. Everything rider does from time he starts until pistol will be checked for or against him.

Steer bulldogging contest—Purse \$150; first prize \$90, second prize \$40, third prize \$20. Conditions—Steer to be given fifty feet start of mounted contestant. Contestant to catch and throw steer with bare hands and hold with teeth. Best total time for three days wins. Steers drawn and furnished by management. Each contestant allowed one helper to haze steer down track. Time to be taken from drop of flag until contestant's hands are in air. Contestant must complete all three days unless excused by management for reason.

Bull Riding Contest—Each rider to receive \$5 per mount. Time taken from time bull is turned loose. Longest time on bull during any of the three days. First prize, bridle contributed by Farmers' Implement and Supply House.

Relay Race (3-day event)—Purse \$300; first prize 200, second prize \$100. Conditions—Two miles each day. Each rider to have four horses. Riders to saddle, unsaddle, mount and dismount unassisted. Change horses each half mile. Full range rig, saddles to weigh not less than twenty-five pounds. Riders to wear range costume with chaps and spurs. Same horses to be used each day, barring accidents. Each rider to have two assistants, one to catch finishing horse and one to hold starting horse. All changes to be made on outside of track. Leading contestant in stretch to have right of track. Any kind of cinch allowed. Best total time for three days wins. Deposit of \$25 will be required to insure teams competing all three days unless excused by the management. Deposit will be returned if conditions are complied with.

Steer Roping Contest—Purse \$100; first prize \$75, second prize \$25. Conditions—Contestants to rope one steer each day for three days. Best time during contest wins money. Steer to be given start, rider to start at gun, rope, throw and the steer unassisted. Time to be taken when arms are thrown in air. Time limit, three minutes. Entrance fee of \$5.

Wild Horse Race—Purse \$150; first prize \$75, second prize \$50, third prize \$25. Conditions—Unbroken range horses will be furnished by the management and riders to draw for mounts. Each rider to saddle and ride once around the track, left hand to pole. Each rider allowed one assistant to hold horse in saddling. Each rider to return his mount to paddock after race. Each rider to wear range costume with chaps and spurs. Limited to twenty riders. Riders not in money paid \$2 to mount.

Tug of War—Purse \$15 each day. Conditions—Four cowboys to team. Each team to start facing center. Not to start pulling until starting gun. Teams to pull two minutes. Center mark denotes winner. Teams having center mark on their side of line at finish wins. Same horses and riders to be in each team all three days unless excused for cause by management. All contestants to wear range costumes with chaps and spurs.

Chariot Race (teams of 4 horses)—Purse \$100; first \$75, second \$25. Each chariot. Race to be half mile each day. Teams to compete three days. Winner of first day to take outside of track next day.

Half-mile Dash (free for all)—Purse \$150; first, each day, \$25; second, each day, \$15; third, each day, \$10. Same conditions as quarter-mile dash; deposit of \$20 to comply with conditions required.

Potato Race—Purse \$15 each day. Four cowboys to team. Same conditions as other events as to rig and

range dress. Riders to be provided with prod poles and to start at signal from starter. Each team to take potatoes from the same box and place them in their own box 100 feet up the track. Contest to last three minutes. At end of time team having greatest number of potatoes in its box wins. Teams to compete all three days unless excused for cause by management. Individual members may be substituted for good reason if permitted by management.

Cowgirls' Quarter-mile Dash (girl riders only)—Purse \$90; first, each day, \$20; second, each day, \$10. Conditions—All riders to wear cowgirl costumes. No saddles under twenty pounds allowed. Bridles to be range bridles with stiff bits. Winning horse of first day not to compete second day. Deposit of \$10 required that riders will compete during entire rodeo unless excused by management. Deposit will be returned if conditions are complied with. Second prize will not be paid unless three horses compete.

Quarter-mile Dash (free for all)—Purse \$150; first, each day, \$25; second, each day, \$15; third, each day, \$10. Conditions—All saddles to be range saddles weighing not less than twenty-five pounds; riders to wear full range costume consisting of range hats, chaps and spurs; winning horse of first day's event to lay off second day and compete in finals in third day. Deposit of \$20 required that horse will compete each day unless excused by management. Deposit will be returned if this condition is complied with. Second prize will not be paid unless three horses compete and third prize will not be paid unless four horses compete.

Quarter-mile Indian Race (Indian riders only)—Purse \$90; first, each day, \$20; second, each day, \$10. Conditions—Only horses actually owned by Indians to compete. Riders to be Indians. Indian costumes to be worn. Winning horse of first day not to compete until final day. Second prize will not be paid unless three horses compete. Horses to compete each day unless excused by management. Prizes will not be paid unless this condition is complied with.

In addition to competitive events exhibitions will be given each day of trick riding, roping, bull riding, fancy rope work, Roman riding and riding bucking horses by lady riders.

In addition to the cash prizes arranged by the committee there will be many valuable trophies offered in nearly every event by the business houses of Klamath Falls.

Following are the general conditions governing all contestants and events:

Management assumes no responsibility for accidents to stock or contestants while on the ground.

No contestant under the influence of liquor will be allowed to compete in any event.

The judges' decision in all matters of contest or protest must be final. No roydism or cruelty will be tolerated.

In all cash prizes money will be paid to the rider unless other arrangements are made with the management.

All contestants must sign entry blank for events in which they desire to compete and agree to be governed by and abide by the conditions governing the show and different events.

Contestants must wear their numbers in full view on their back at all times while on the grounds.

Contestants must remain at the places provided by the management and be ready for their event. Events will be called as arranged by the management. Contestants not ready will be denied the right to compete.

Contestants will be ruled out by the starter or judges for refusal to obey rules and orders.

All contestants must at all times while on the grounds wear full range costumes consisting of chaps and spurs.

No one will be permitted in the arena or on the track excepting those participating in event taking place at the time.

Prize moneys will be paid each evening excepting in three-day events. All deposits required will be held by the management until after the show.

Feed for stock will be furnished by the management on the grounds.

TRI-COUNTY MEET HERE JUNE 23

At Tuesday night's Chamber of Commerce meeting the directors set June 23 as the date for the meeting of tri-county boosters here. At that time there will be perfected an organization to work for the advertising of the scenic attractions of Southern Oregon, and elaborate plans will be made for the entertainment of the visitors.

At this meeting W. A. Delzell was elected a director in place of C. R. De Lap. Other matters were taken up at the meeting for the upbuilding of this region.

Henry Boivin and daughter, Miss Pearl Boivin, have gone to Portland to attend the Rose Festival.

A CHILD DIES UNDER CHLOROFORM

The following statement was given the Herald this afternoon by Elder S. D. Harlan, regarding the sad death of his little son:

"It is my desire to have the public know the straight of how my little boy's death occurred, as the opinion seems to have gone forth that blame should be attached to some of the four doctors in attendance. Death was due directly to strangulation.

"The administering of the anesthetic was entirely successful, the operation, also successful, was nearly completed when the little fellow, becoming nauseated by the anesthetic, began to vomit. In his semi-conscious condition, he tried to breathe, sucking some of the substance he had vomited into his windpipe, causing strangulation.

"I was present throughout the entire time, and I wish to state that the attending physicians did everything within the pale of human possibilities to save the little fellow's life. It was one of those accidents that nothing could have prevented."

Elder S. D. Harlan. Little Brooks Harlan, the 5-year-old son of Elder and Mrs. Elder S. D. Harlan, who died Monday while coming out from under the influence of anesthetic, will be buried tomorrow at 2 o'clock p. m. The funeral services will be conducted by the Ministerial Association, and the singing will be by all the singers of the city.

The singers of all churches are invited to meet this evening at the Christian church to arrange a program for the song service. Rev. Harlan has received many telegrams today from friends at his old home in Missouri, extending sympathy and condolence.

The boy was undergoing a minor operation at the time his death occurred. According to his parents about eleven hours had elapsed between the time he last ate and when he went on the operating table.

CRESCENT SCHOOL CLERK BOUND TO THE GRAND JURY

E. G. Rourke, a prominent merchant and clerk of the school district of Crescent, was tried before Justice of the Peace F. M. Cleaves at Crescent on Monday on a charge of misuse of the school funds of the district. He was bound over to appear before the grand jury.

Mr. Rourke and his attorney, Vernon A. Forbes, accompanied by Mrs. Forbes, came in from Crescent on Tuesday to take the matter up with the prosecuting attorney, Mr. Cleaves, Chas. Thomas and James Davis, who handled the prosecution in the justice court are also here, having come down by auto Tuesday afternoon.

The charges against Mr. Rourke do not seem to be very specific, but as far as can be learned the trouble seems to be in the nature of a local quarrel.

There has always been a considerable surplus in the Crescent school district fund, and apparently it has been the custom of the school clerks in the past to loan this fund out at interest. It is claimed that this custom has been followed by the present clerk.

Mr. Rourke's term of office will expire soon, and he claims that he is ready and willing to turn over all the funds of the office to his successor when he goes out of office. The grand jury will meet within the next few days, and if the case is not disposed of sooner it will be considered at that time.

Ladies' Night at Elks

Thursday evening will be Ladies' Night at the Elks Lodge, and the entertainment committee has arranged a "shirt waist" dance, with excellent music and refreshments. All those attending are expected to dress for comfort in shirt waists.

Club Members Picnic

Members of the Klamath Literary Club left Wednesday for the vicinity of Sandy Beach, on the McCormack ranch on Upper Lake, where they will hold their annual picnic. This picnic is the finale of a highly successful season's work, during which many literary topics and literary subjects were taken up and given intelligent study.

Back From Ashland

Tutt Weeden arrived in Klamath Falls Tuesday from a two months' sojourn in Ashland. He expects to remain in this city the rest of the summer.

Visiting at Fort

Mrs. P. E. Hannon and her sons, Francis and R. K., left on Tuesday for a visit at Fort Klamath. R. K. Hannon will go from the Fort to Crater Lake, where he will be employed for the summer season.

Here for Summer

Miss Alma Jones has returned from a sojourn in California. She will spend the summer here.

FLAG DAY TO BE OBSERVED

The observance of Flag Day by the Elks Lodge will be held at the opera house Sunday afternoon at 2:30. The Elks will meet at the club rooms at 2 o'clock and march to the opera house in a body.

The program for the observance will be completed at a meeting of the committee this evening, and will be published later. The regular officers of the lodge will put on the ritualistic work. A special orchestra has been secured and special vocal numbers will be given. The history of the flag will be given by Past Exalted Ruler E. B. Hall, the tribute to the flag by W. O. Smith, and a patriotic address by R. H. Dunbar.

A special invitation has been extended to the G. A. R., Woman's Relief Corps and the Veterans of the Spanish-American War, to attend. In addition the services will be open to the public.

Notice for Publication

(Not Coal Lands) Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, at Lakeview, Oregon, April 15, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Piny A. Jerome, whose postoffice address is Dairy, Oregon, did, on the 19th day of March, 1914, file in this office sworn statement and application No. 67376, to purchase the W 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 26, Township 38 south, Range 10 east, Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," as such value as might be fixed by appraisal, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised at a total of \$2400., the timber estimated at 200,000 board feet at \$1 per thousand, and the land at \$40; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 22d day of June, 1914, before J. O. Hamaker, U. S. commissioner, at Bonanza, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

JAMES H. BURGESS, Register. 4-20-6-22 s

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Klamath County. Joseph H. Seeds, plaintiff,

vs. Alice Seeds, defendant.

To Alice Seeds, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 6th day of July, 1914, that being the last day of time within which the defendant is allowed to answer herein as fixed by the order of the court for publication of summons herein; and if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint filed herein, to-wit: for a decree of said circuit court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Klamath, forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief as to the court shall appear just and equitable.

This summons is published in the Semi-Weekly Herald, a semi-weekly newspaper published at Klamath Falls, Oregon, by order of the Honorable Henry L. Benson, Judge of said Circuit Court, dated the 21st day of May, 1914, directing that such summons be so published once a week for six successive weeks. Date of first publication, May 25, 1914.

C. C. BROWER, Attorney for plaintiff. 5-25-6-29 aw

Notice to Creditors

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Klamath County.

State of Oregon, County of Klamath, ss: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, having been duly appointed by order of the county court of Klamath county, Oregon, administratrix of the estate of Prentiss S. Puckett, deceased, having qualified as such administratrix, all persons having claims against said deceased of whatsoever name or nature, is hereby directed and required to present said claim, duly verified, as by law required, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice to said administratrix for allowance and approval.

Said claim to be filed with E. L. Elliott, attorney for said estate, at 212 Willets building, Klamath Falls, Oregon, that being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate. First publication of this notice dated the 1st day of June, 1914.

KITTIE E. PUCKETT, Administratrix. E. L. ELLIOTT, Attorney. 6-1-6-29 aw