

FILED PETITION TODAY

Heirs of Late S. Marks Ask For Administrator

SUGGEST R. L. STEPHENS

Petition Covers Many Pages of Typewritten Matter and Goes into the History of Samuel Marks' Holdings.

Clara Marks, Rachael De Bow, Sura Hathrod and Meir Marks, heirs of the late Samuel Marks, today filed a petition in the county court asking that R. L. Stephens, of this city, be appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel Marks, and that letters of administration be issued to him in due course.

The petition covers several pages of typewritten matter and goes into the history of the famous Samuel Marks estate from the time of the death of the intestate at Canyonville, in September 1893, up to the present day. The petition sets forth that at the time of the death of Samuel Marks, the firm of S. Marks & Co., of which the deceased was an equal partner with Asher Marks, was the owner of real and personal property in this county of over \$126,856.33, and that the firm of S. Marks and H. Wollenberg, of which the deceased was also an equal co-partner with H. Wollenberg, was the owner of property of the aggregate value of over \$184,240, and also that Samuel Marks of a large amount of individual money and property.

The petition further alleges that H. Wollenberg, as administrator of the estate, on his own verified petition, represents that the probable value of the estate at the time of the death of Samuel Marks, did not exceed the value of \$50,000, and that "Hymon Wollenberg while acting as administrator disposed of a large portion of the estate, so that the probable value of the remaining portions which will come into the possession and control of his successor in office will hardly exceed the amount of \$100,000."

SPOKANE RAISES PAY OF LABORERS

(Special to the Evening News.) SPOKANE, Feb. 24.—On the showing of facts concerning the laboring of the city, the council last evening directed that an ordinance be drawn authorizing an increase of 25 cents a day in the wages of city employes. The new scale will give the city laborers \$3 per day.

ACTRESS FAINTS ON THE STAGE

(Special to the Evening News.) NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Ethel Barrymore, one of America's most charming footlight favorites, collapsed last night at the Empire Theater, where she appeared in "Mid Channel." Her millionaire husband, Russell T. Colt, of fore-arms fame, will now use every effort to get her to retire from the stage.

GLENDALE TAKES ACTION.

Will Expend \$50 Per Month for Special Advertising.

The Glendale Commercial Club held a special meeting last night to consider Publicity Manager Richardson's proposition to establish direct working relationship between the Glendale and Roseburg clubs. While Mr. Richardson intends to advertise the whole of Douglas county, he proposes that each principal section which desires special extra advertise-

ing shall pay for the same. The members of the Glendale Club who were present last night expressed themselves as all in favor of Mr. Richardson's proposition, stating they thought it the best advertising for the money that had been presented to them.

President Colvin, of the Glendale club, was absent in Portland, but Vice-President Cunor, who occupied the chair, appointed a committee of three to immediately secure the necessary subscriptions to pay the \$50 for the special extra advertising to be given by the Roseburg Publicity Department to Glendale and vicinity. All the members present said there is no doubt but that the \$50 a month for 6 months will be raised at once.

WARM WEATHER OVER NORTHWEST

(Special to Evening News.) PORTLAND, Feb. 24.—Reports from various sections of Oregon and Washington indicate an improvement in weather conditions, although floods are threatened in some localities where the warm rains and chinook winds are melting the snow in the mountains. Springlike conditions are reported from Walla Walla. The snow is rapidly disappearing and the rivers are consequently rising and floods are feared. Hood River and The Dalles report heavy rains last night, and a silver thaw is threatened. No danger of floods is anticipated in this city as the river will probably reach the flood stage at Eugene by morning. A warm wind is blowing and apparently the cold snap has passed.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Presbyterian Church. J. E. Burhart, pastor. Bible school at 10 a.m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Junior C. E. at 3 p.m. Young People's meeting at 6:30 to 7 p.m. Big Union service in the Tabernacle in the evening at 7:30. You will find a cordial welcome awaiting you at all of our services. Come and bring a friend.

South Methodist Church. K. M. Mears, pastor. Regular services at 11 a.m. Sunday morning, conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 10 a.m., W. L. Cobb, superintendent. It is urged that every scholar be present Sunday. Junior League at 2:30 Sunday-afternoon. Miss Effie Cobb, superintendent. Senior League at 6:30 Sunday evening. Vivian French, president. No services at night owing to the Tabernacle services.

Christian Science. Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Wednesday evening experience and testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. Southwest corner of Main and Lane streets. The subject for Sunday morning, February 27, is "Jesus Christ."

LOCAL NEWS.

W. L. Cobb will leave tonight for a business trip to Portland.

Lafe Engels, the Peel merchant, came to the city today on business.

Postoffice Inspector S. H. Morse arrived from Ashland on this afternoon's train.

J. B. Pape has brought suit against C. E. Bull in the circuit court to recover \$94 alleged to be due on promissory notes Frank McCall and John Long are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

The corps of deputies under County Clerk Lenox are busily engaged on the tax rolls and it is expected that they will be extended and ready to turn over to the sheriff by next Monday. As soon as the rolls are balanced and the gross amount of the tax ascertained, the warrant will be issued to the sheriff and tax collecting will begin.

Peerless Packard for Particular People—There is no better shoe made for men than the original Packard—to be found only in the Cass Street Shoe Shop. d-tf

FOR GENERAL STRIKE

Opinion is that Every Unionist in City Will Walk Out.

BUSINESS AT STANDSTILL

State Militia May be Called Out to Assist Police in Maintaining Order—Some Schools Have Been Ordered Closed.

(Special to the Evening News.) PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 24.—Leaders and platform men of the Rapid Transit company street railway strike admit this morning that the arrival of four companies of the state constabulary, and the possibility of the calling out of the state militia to assist in maintaining order, is a severe blow to their cause. Rumors are in circulation throughout the city that before night every union man, woman and child in Philadelphia will be ordered to strike. Both sides admit that a grave crisis confronts them. Business is seriously affected, and in some instances is practically at a standstill. A number of the public schools have been closed pending the settlement of the trouble. The first disturbance today resulted in injury to several rioters who stoned a car in West Philadelphia, but the police dispersed the mob, and in doing so clubbed a number of those inciting the fight. More cars are running today than at any time since the strike was inaugurated. A force of constabulary surrounds the car barns, and are distributed throughout the Kensington district which has been the scene of the most trouble.

ENGINEER KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

(Special to the Evening News.) STOCKTON, Cal., Feb. 24.—After 30 years of service in the employ of the Southern Pacific Co., Alfred Phipps, an engineer, was killed last night at French Camp.

The accident occurred within a few yards of the spot where he ran over and killed a man Christmas eve. During his 30 years' service as an engineer, Phipps has killed 18 men and one woman. His own life was crushed out today, his heart being torn out and thrown 150 feet from the track.

Phipps' train, the regular Southern Pacific afternoon local for San Francisco, was standing on the main track at French Camp, four miles south of here, waiting for siding orders. Passenger 124 came along and whistled for Phipps to get out of the way. He was just getting into motion when the engines came together.

The airbrakes of 124 had refused to work. Phipps stayed until the crash and then jumped, to be caught and crushed. Several passengers received slight injuries.

TUNNEL CAVES IN STOPS ALL TRAINS

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cal., Feb. 24.—Passenger and freight traffic was suspended on the Southern Pacific coast line today by the caving in of a tunnel near this place. All trains are diverted, and it will be a week or more before the damage is repaired and service can be restored.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE MEET.

Among Other Business Transacted Publication of Magazine is Authorized.

The following report of the meeting of the publicity committee was received too late for yesterday's issue. The meeting occurred at the club rooms with Mr. Josephson in the chair, with Messrs. Booth, Hart and Seeley present. The following bills were presented by the publicity manager:

- Review Pub. Co., printing ..... \$52.00
P. Benedict, cabinet work ..... 3.25
Douglas Ptg. Co., printing ..... 8.55
T. McCarthy, bill posting ..... 4.50
Fred Tolles, sign painting ..... 30.00
Mrs. H. N. Edwards, overtime ..... 5.00
T. D. Richardson, itemized expenses ..... 10.35

The above bills, total amount of \$114.75, were ordered paid.

It was resolved that the publicity committee make the following offer to the A. Y. P. Programme Company: That the committee will pay the sum of \$250 cash in full settlement of their claim amounting to \$377.50.

The committee will pay the full amount of the bill within ten months, provided the A. Y. P. Programme Company will accept the amount proffered to them as funds become available.

Mr. Richardson, publicity manager, was authorized to effect satisfactory settlement of the amounts due the Pacific Monthly and Sunset Magazines. Settlement not to extend over a period of ten months. The issuing of 20,000 copies of the

March magazine was authorized and bids for the same will be submitted to the publicity committee.

Mr. Richardson was authorized to employ another stenographer and to rent another typewriter, the rent to apply on the purchase of the machine, if it is decided to keep it. Many other topics were discussed, but no definite action taken.

WILL INVESTIGATE MORE FRAUDS

(Special to Evening News.) PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 24.—United States District Attorney McCourt today made special application for the calling of the federal grand jury to investigate the acquisition of more than 100,000 acres of Baker county timber lands by the Oregon Lumber company and the Sumner Valley Railway company. Judge Bean granted the order and the jury was called to report March 1. The investigation promises to rival in importance and sensational features the famous Oregon land fraud cases, and more than a score of prominent men in eastern Oregon business and political circles will figure in the case.

GREAT NORTHERN TRAINS BLOCKADED

(Special to the Evening News.) EVERETT, WASH., Feb. 24.—Fifteen feet of snow for a distance of ten miles in the Cascade mountains has completely blockaded the Great Northern railroad today. Six passenger trains, with between 500 and 600 passengers aboard are stalled in the mountains, and have no prospect of immediate relief. The weather moderating as it has, there is no danger of the passengers suffering from cold. The Northern Pacific line was cleared at midnight.

LAND FRAUD DEFENSE ALL IN

(Special to the Evening News.) DOISE, Idaho, Feb. 24.—The defense in the land fraud trial is closing its case today. William Dwyer has been on the stand for several hours and has entered a general denial of all the government's allegations.

SPOKANE JURY OUT FOR 15 HOURS

(Special to Evening News.) SPOKANE, Feb. 24.—The jury in the Industrial Workers' trial for conspiracy has now been locked up for 15 hours, and indications point to a disagreement. It is rumored that the jury is evenly divided.

Shoes Polished—Have opened up a stand at Maddix Barber Shop, and will shine shoes in first class manner. Try us. f-28d

YEGGMEN BLOW SAFE

Rice Bros., Myrtle Creek Merchants, Lose \$700.

NO CLEW TO ROBBERS

Two Strangers Who Were in Town Yesterday are Suspected as Being the Guilty Parties—No Arrests.

(Special to Evening News.) MYRTLE CREEK, Ore., Feb. 24.—Sometime early this morning before the people of the town were stirring yeggmens entered the store owned by Rice Bros., blew open the safe with dynamite, stole about \$100 in cash and nearly \$7,000 worth of notes, and made good their escape. The safe was totally wrecked. So far as can be ascertained no goods were taken by the men who committed the deed, which would indicate that they are old hands at the business, as the criminal who has played the same long never carries away anything that may become evidence against him later. The notes, of course, if their negotiation is attempted, might lead to the apprehension of the men, but if they are shrewd they may get rid of some of them without much danger. The only clew that is entertained at present as to the identity of the men is that yesterday two strangers were noticed loitering about town, and it is believed by some that they might possibly be connected with the affair. At any rate the men are gone, and so is the money and valuables taken.

The sheriff's office was communicated with, but as Mr. Featon was in the southern part of the county on business, Deputy Sheriff Asher will go to Myrtle Creek on this evening's train to investigate the robbery. In speaking to a News reporter concerning the workings of the yeggmens, Deputy Sheriff Asher stated it as his opinion that the men were old hands at the business. A Smith & Wesson revolver and shoulder strap that had been taken by the robbers, with the evident intent of using it if interrupted in their work, was found just outside the door this morning. This further fact indicates that the men were desperate characters and that they did not want anything that could be identified as coming from the store. The gun was simply held in reserve for use in case they were detected.

Deputy Asher also stated that the door of the Myrtle Creek bank was also found open this morning, and it is believed that the same men gained an entrance there, but for some reason gave up their design of blowing the bank safe. Whether they were compelled to abandon the blowing of the bank by coming daylight, or found the safe too hard a job, is not known.

Quite a large party of local music lovers will leave tomorrow for Eugene to hear the celebrated singer, Madame Schumann-Heink, who will

appear at Eugene tomorrow evening. Among those who will attend are: Mrs. M. Josephson, Mrs. A. Wollenberg, Dr. and Mrs. G. J. Bacher, and the Misses Campbell, Black, Hazel Coshaw, Lucy Bridges and Harris.

PRESIDENT TAFT NOT AN EARLY BIRD

(Special to Evening News.) WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 24.—All traffic was tied up for an hour this morning at the Union Station because President Taft wanted to sleep. The train bearing the president arrived from Newark this morning at 7:30 o'clock. In order that the executive should not be disturbed in his morning nap, the yardmaster gave strict orders that no whistles were to be blown, nor any couplings made while the president sweetly slept. These orders were obeyed, and during the hour that Taft's dreams were interrupted business in the yards of the railway company stood still.

CREW OF STEAMER IN GREAT DANGER

DOVER, Del., Feb. 24.—Five tugs are struggling desperately today to rescue the crew of an unidentified steamer which is being broken to pieces on the Goodwin Sands. On account of the gale and high sea it is thought that the life savers will be unable to reach the wreck or render any assistance to those on board. The steamer was driven in shore last night by the gale.

DR. CHEADLE DEAD.

Former Roseburg Dentist Dies at Forest Grove. FOREST GROVE, Ore., Feb. 23.—Dr. E. M. Cheadle, who died in this city Tuesday, was born on the Cheadle land claim near Lebanon, Ore., January 16, 1852. He was a graduate of the Chicago College of Dental Surgery, class of 1886, and practiced in Spokane, Portland, Roseburg and elsewhere in Oregon. While in Spokane, he was elected a member of the State Dental Board for two years. He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Since last June Dr. Cheadle and his wife made their residence in this city, coming here from Lebanon. He leaves a widow, one brother and four sisters.

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