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COURT NOTES.

Circuit Court To Adjourn This Week.

PROBATE COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Grand Jury's Report—Found County Records and Finances Correct—Some Recommendations.

After a continuous session of fourteen days the grand jury was discharged last Tuesday morning. It reported twenty indictments, five bills not true and examined a dozen cases upon which no report was made. Following is the

GRAND JURY REPORT.
 In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Clackamas county.

To Hon. Thos. A. McBride, judge of the above-named court:

We, the undersigned grand jury for the November, 1894, term of said court, make this as our final report and respectfully report to the court:

That we have carefully investigated all charges of crime which have been presented to us, and have disposed of the same in such manner as we deemed warranted by the evidence.

That we visited the county jail and found it neat and well kept, and the prisoners as well cared for as can be done with the present appliances. We recommend that the county court procure a box stove for the county jail with proper utensils for heating water and a tub in which the prisoners can wash their clothes and bathe.

That we visited the city jail and found it neat and well kept.

That we visited the offices of the county clerk, sheriff, recorder, treasurer, assessor, surveyor and school superintendent and found their offices neat and their books and accounts well kept, and each of said officers properly performing the duties of his respective office.

Not having the time while we were in session to make a careful examination of the books and accounts of said officers, we called to our assistance J. U. Campbell, a competent expert, who made an examination of the books and accounts of the county clerk, sheriff, recorder, treasurer, assessor and school superintendent, these being the officers who receive public money, and he reported his investigations to us. We are pleased to state the expert found the books and accounts of said officers correct, and that the fees collected by the county clerk, sheriff and recorder are being daily paid over to the county treasurer as required by law.

We found from examination of the fire proof vault in the court house that it is too small to accommodate all of the books and records of the county offices that should be safely kept from fire. We therefore recommend that the county court either increase the size of the present vault or have another fire-proof vault built at an early day.

We further recommend that the county court have a telephone connecting the court house with the central office in Oregon City put in, and that the assessor and treasurer's offices be supplied with proper furniture.

And now having completed our labors we ask to be discharged.

R. D. WILSON, Foreman.
D. B. MARTIN,
F. P. LARSON,
ED GREAVES,
JOHN GORDON,
A. C. SHARP.

PROBATE MATTERS.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Vielsmeier, deceased, Anna M. Vielsmeier was appointed administrator.

J. F. Meyers was appointed appraiser of the estate of Ira W. Lacy, deceased, vice O. B. Taylor, who is absent from the county.

John Closer, administrator of the estate of Isaac Closer, deceased, having filed his final report in said estate, Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. was appointed as the time for final settlement.

Eliza A. Hutchins, administrator of Thos. A. Hutchins, granted leave to rent the farm belonging to said estate for a period of five years.

Jabesh Wilson, guardian of Clarence M. Wilson, authorized to mortgage the real estate belonging to said Clarence M. Wilson.

David Zimmerman, the administrator of the estate of Fred Dien, deceased, having filed his final report, January 7, 1895, was appointed for final settlement.

CIRCUIT COURT.

State of Oregon vs Jas Drake; grand jury returned not a true bill.

State of Oregon vs S Phillipps and Ed Bolds; not a true bill.

J W Cooke and Chas Scott vs T W White; judgment for plaintiff.

Woodburn Milling Co. vs T W White; judgment for plaintiff.

FD Ball vs B L & A Reduction Co.; judgment for plaintiff.

Theresa Krame vs Rudolph Winterer;

Louis M Trennett substituted for Rudolph Winterer.

John Renke vs M J Broderick et al; judgment for plaintiff.

Thomazine Eady, executor, vs Thos Charman; jury disagreed.

W H Fitzpatrick vs Clackamas county; plaintiff allowed ten days to file amended answer.

City of Portland vs C W Ganong and Clackamas county; ten days to file an amended answer.

Nellie P Brown vs H W Wescoe et al; confirmation of sale.

Sam Johnson vs J S Williams et al; judgment for plaintiff.

Thos Charman vs Geo C Weston et al; confirmation of sale.

State of Oregon vs Jos Teasdale; not a true bill.

State of Oregon vs Wm Wallace; not a true bill.

State of Oregon vs John Murphy; fined \$50 and costs.

Ellen Sawyer vs Edwin Sawyer; decree of divorce granted.

Nancy J Landergeran vs J Landergeran; decree of divorce granted.

Annie K Greaves vs W C Greaves; decree of divorce granted.

State of Oregon vs Jos Peoples; dismissed.

Henry Meldrum vs Dormick McIntyre; judgment for plaintiff.

Holman & Warner vs W J Davis; judgment for plaintiffs.

Alva Alyn vs Wallace J Bruce et al; confirmation of sale.

State of Oregon vs Lottie Green; guilty of simple assault.

Agnes Summers vs Alva Summers; decree of divorce granted.

State of Oregon vs T E Linn; verdict of not guilty.

State of Oregon vs Geo Powers and "Bob" Garthorne; indictment dismissed and resubmitted to the grand jury.

Amos L Lovejoy et al vs W F E Co. et al; transferred to Multnomah county.

Carrie McQuinn vs J McQuinn; decree of divorce granted.

V O Harding vs J W Chase et al; dismissed.

W R Worthington vs R Theissen; continued for the term.

Laura B Cass vs A B Stroupe; dismissed.

Mrs. Emma McDonald vs Sarah McCown; foreclosure.

C. T. Hickman vs Sarah McCown; foreclosure.

State of Oregon vs Mort Green; not a true bill.

The First National Bank of East Portland vs John H Miller; foreclosure.

State of Oregon vs Geo. Powers and "Bob" Garthorne; set for trial January 9, 1895.

State of Oregon vs Al V Names; sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

In the case of Joseph Peoples, of Eagle Creek, who was arrested for pointing a gun at J. Davis, defendant was released as a flaw was found in the indictment, as it did not state whether he was over fifteen years of age or not. As soon as he was given his freedom he went to the stable and got his horse and started for home. Soon after reaching home he was re-arrested and brought back to town by the deputy sheriff. He is again behind the bars awaiting his trial, the date of which has not yet been set for hearing.

Fifty-Two Dividends.

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M. L. MOORE, Treasurer of Clackamas county, Oregon.
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FIGHTING AGAIN.

Three Battles Between Chinese and Japanese.

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Reported That the Chinese Soldiers Are Becoming Mutinous—A Fight at Sin Yuen.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—A Shanghai dispatch says severe fighting is reported to have occurred at Port Arthur November 15. An English merchant captain has been appointed vice admiral of the Chinese fleets. Two trained women nurses of the Red Cross Society, who were on the way to the seat of war to aid the wounded had to turn back, the Chinese authorities refusing to guarantee them protection. They strongly represented the humanity of their mission, but Sheng, the taotai of Tien-Tsin, said to them: "We don't want to save any wounded Chinese." A dispatch is published here saying the Chinese are fleeing from Port Arthur, within fifteen miles of which place the Japanese and Chinese have just had an engagement, resulting in a loss of 100 Chinese and 300 Japanese.

CHINESE SOLDIERS MUTINOUS.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—A dispatch from Shanghai says the feeling in favor of the Japanese in the invaded districts is growing. Mutinous Chinese soldiers are reported pillaging and outraging the inhabitants. The Japanese force under General Ozaka is announced to have left Taku Shan November 10 to attack Suiyen (Siooh Yan), which the Chinese have fortified. It is added that the Japanese reached the town named Sunday morning and found the Chinese had fled. The Japanese are said to have captured five guns. It is estimated the Chinese force to the number of 6000 troops of all arms are reported to have retreated in the direction of Hait Cheng. There was no loss on either side.

A FIGHT AT SIN YUEN

LONDON, Nov. 20.—A Tokio correspondent says Japanese Marshal Yamagata reports, under date of Chiu Lien, that General Osako attacked the Chinese army under General Ma at Sin Yuen November 15. A second Japanese army was only forty miles from Port Arthur and was advancing on that place.

A Yokohama dispatch says a transport with 1100 Chinese soldiers and coolies on board was burned while crossing Talien Wan bay. Five coolies were burned to death and all the others saved.

Japanese Splendid Soldiers.

PROVINCETON, Nov. 19.—An officer of the United States ship Concord, writing from Chemulpo, Corea, October 9, to a friend here says: "The Japanese are splendid soldiers, well drilled and fight like tigers, showing no quarter to the Chinamen. In the battle of September 17, 1,500 Chinamen were killed and only 300 men were lost by the Japanese. For quick work and skill in engineering, the Japanese exceed any man I ever saw. Everything with them goes like clock work. They laid pontoons across the river and marched over a body of troops, consisting of 20,000 men with heavy guns and artillery, and had everything completed in a little over two hours. They are landing troops here every day and marching them on toward Peking, and should not be surprised if before this letter reached you they have taken that city.

"September 29 they captured a place and \$300,000 with it, and the reports are that they killed every Chinaman in the place. Oh, they are fighters from fighterville, and if no foreign nations interfere, or China does not come down on her knees soon and surrender on such terms as the Japanese see fit to make, they will wipe the Chinese off the face of the earth. No matter if they have got millions and millions of men in China, they are no fighters and the Japs are. The Japanese are also a progressive nation. They have all the latest improvements in warfare, and know how to use them with effect, while John Chinaman is no further advanced than he was in A. D. 1. Just think of fighting with bows and arrows by any nation at the close of the 10th century.

Sensible Japan.

TOKIO, Nov. 20.—The Japanese government has replied to the note of United States Minister Dun, asking whether the tender by the president of the United States of his good offices in the interest of restoring peace in the East would be agreeable to Japan. The minister is informed that, although the friendly sentiments which prompted the offer are deeply appreciated, the success of the Japanese arms has been such that China should approach Japan directly on the subject.

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