

LOCAL BRIEFS

Orlando and Harry Romig, sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Romig, of Willamette, spent Christmas with their parents. These young men have enlisted in the United States army, and are to take up radio work. Orlando Romig, a graduate of the Canby high school, and taking a post graduate course in the Oregon City high school, has been a student of Pacific university at Forest Grove until accepting the position as chemist at the Carnation condenser at Hillsboro. This position he resigned to take up radio work. Harry Romig, the youngest graduate in his class of the Oregon City high school, is a student of Pacific university.

Miss Evangeline Dye, a student of the Oregon Agricultural college, who is spending her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dye, went to Portland Friday, where she met and accompanied a group of young women from Oregon Agricultural college to a number of large bakeries of that city, where an inspection trip was made. These young women, including Miss Dye, are members of the domestic science class of the college. Miss Dye is specializing in chemistry of food as well, and expects in the future to be a professor of that art.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Olson and little daughter, who have been making their home at Los Angeles, Cal., where Mr. Olson has been connected with the Los Angeles Tribune, left that city on Monday, and after visiting with friends in San Francisco for a day started north for Portland, where Mr. Olson has accepted a position with the Portland Journal. He was formerly connected with that publication while a resident of this city. Mrs. Olson was formerly Miss Eva Alldredge, and is the daughter of Mrs. D. A. Dillman, of Oregon City.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Meindl, of Sellwood, were in this city Wednesday. Mrs. Meindl is the daughter of the late George Lazelle, and states that her mother, Mrs. Lazelle, who is at the present time and since the automobile accident that caused the death of her father, is still very ill, suffering from the shock of the accident. Mrs. Lazelle is confined to her room most of the time, although she has been able to be out at intervals until the last few weeks. She is still under the physician's care.

Miss Emma Shriver, who has visited in this city with her sister, Mrs. E. H. Gregory, and for some time made her home at the Greenwood Farm, has gone to Gallia Island, Canada, where she is the guest of Mrs. Gilbert, wife of Captain Gilbert. The latter is a captain of one of the largest English vessels, and he recently left Gallia Island to take command of the ship. Miss Shriver is at present making her home in Portland, but expects to visit her sister, Mrs. Gregory, upon her return.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Bruening, of Omaha, Neb., have arrived in Oregon City, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bruening, of Mount Pleasant, parents of Dr. Bruening. This is the first visit to Oregon City, although they have visited in Portland on several occasions. Dr. Bruening is scout master of the Boys' scout organization of Omaha. He and his wife are delighted with the climate of Oregon, as they experienced some of the cold weather of their state before leaving for Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Drew, of Helix, Oregon, who have been the guest of Miss Roma Stafford, of Mount Pleasant, have returned to their home, leaving this city on Saturday. Before coming here they were guests of Mrs. Drew's parents at Forest Grove. Mr. Drew is principal of the school at Helix, and his wife, formerly Miss Grace Whitesides, an instructor in the Portland schools for some time, has visited in this city on several occasions.

Ross Brown, who was employed by the American Express company in this city for about a year, and was later in charge of the company's establishment at Gresham, has been ordered to France by the company to be employed in the office of foreign money at Paris. Mr. Brown, who is the son of well known residents of Gresham, was in this city Saturday bidding farewell to his many friends. He started on his way to France Sunday evening.

Lieutenant Hurley Fellows was in Oregon City Wednesday, where he was bidding farewell to relatives and friends before leaving for Portland, and from that city goes under secret orders of the government. While in this city Lieutenant Fellows visited with his aunt, Mrs. D. E. Frost, and family. He has been spending his furlough since leaving the officers' training camp at Presidio, San Francisco, at his home at Highland.

Asel J. Taber, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Taber, of Meldrum, who formerly was employed in the freight office of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, and who resigned this position to accept a position as clerk to the adjutant general at Washington, D. C., writes his parents at Meldrum that he is pleased with his position. Mr. Taber, who is 23 years of age, is making good with his responsible position.

George Dimick, father of W. A. Dimick, who was taken to the St. Vincent's hospital, Portland, where he underwent a critical surgical operation for appendicitis, is improving. The operation was performed on Friday evening. Mr. Dimick had been a great sufferer for several days before being removed to the hospital. Although he is 80 years of age, his condition on Saturday afternoon points to a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Everard Hiatt, who have just returned from their honeymoon, which was spent at the beach, have arrived in Oregon City, where

they are guests at the home of Mr. Hiatt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hiatt, of Mount Pleasant. After visiting there for a few days they will return to Forest Grove, and later Mr. Hiatt expects to take up his duties at Camp Lewis.

H. W. Hagemann, prominent farmer of Logan, and owner of one of the finest farms in that section, was in Oregon City Monday. Mr. Hagemann states that owing to the recent high waters of the Clackamas river, a portion of the roadbed in several sections of the river road was greatly damaged, near what was formerly the old Hackett farm, and now owned by E. M. Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. O'Neil left on Wednesday evening for San Francisco, where they will be the guests of their daughter, Mr. C. H. McCutchan, and their son, Randall O'Neil, who has enlisted in the navy, stationed at Goat Island. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil will visit with friends at Stockton, their former home. They expect to remain in California several weeks.

Mrs. Augusta Warner, who has been in California several weeks, returned home Sunday. Mrs. Warner was accompanied to this city by her son, Gerald, who enlisted some time ago in the navy, and is stationed at Mare Island, but will probably be transferred north. He will spend his furlough in this city with his mother and other relatives.

F. H. Beach, a member of Meade Post No. 2, G. A. R., whose home is at Gladstone, left Monday for Hot Springs, South Dakota, where he will enter Battle Mountain Sanitarium, a home for the old soldiers. Mr. Beach expects to remain at the institution about a year. Mrs. Beach will remain at Gladstone during her husband's absence.

Joseph Scherzinger, stationed at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., who has been spending his furlough in this city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scherzinger, of Clackamas Heights, has returned to his duties at Camp Lewis. Scherzinger, since enlisting, has gained in flesh, and is now one of the most robust young men in camp.

Mrs. P. S. Pierce and young daughter, Dorothy, of Port Angeles, Wash., who have been visiting with relatives in Portland for several days, have arrived in this city and are guests of Mrs. Pierce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harrington, of Gladstone. Mrs. Pierce and daughter are to remain at Gladstone for several weeks.

Miss Anna T. Smith left for Bellingham, Wash., Tuesday, to resume her position as instructor in the public schools. Miss Smith has been spending the holidays in Gladstone with her sister, Miss Edith Smith. Owing to the floods north of Seattle, it was necessary for Miss Smith to transfer by boat from Seattle to Bellingham.

Frank Brochaw, of Milwaukie, who has been employed by the Portland Label company of that place, was in Oregon City Wednesday, bidding farewell to friends before his departure for Denver, Colorado. Mr. Brochaw was called to Denver by the critical illness of his wife, who has been visiting with relatives for some time.

Lieutenant Charles Parker left Sunday morning for Camp Lee, Virginia, where he goes to the officers' training camp for three months. Mrs. Parker is to remain in Oregon City during the winter, her mother, Mrs. May Russell, is to make this city her home with her daughter during the absence of Lieutenant Parker.

Mrs. Robert Livermore, who has been in Oregon City visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest P. Elliott, left for her home at Pendleton on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Livermore was formerly Miss Vada Elliott, of this city and during her stay in this city was the guest of honor of several social functions.

Joel Gaba, a former resident of Oregon City, and who has many friends here, left Friday evening for Victoria, B. C., after a week's furlough visiting friends here and at Oak Grove. Mr. Gaba is with the medical ambulance corps of the Canadian army, and will soon leave for France with his company.

A. E. Joyner, who recently returned from a trip to Nashville, South Carolina, where he had been visiting with relatives, has decided to return to the southern state, where he is to enter business, and will be accompanied by his family. Mr. Joyner expects to leave here in March.

Joseph Gadke, who was stenographer for the Bank of Commerce for some time, and who resigned his position, has accepted a position as stenographer in the freight department of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, and taken up his duties with the railway company.

Mrs. E. L. Moore, who resides at the head of Seventh street near Taylor, slipped on a sidewalk at her home last Thursday, breaking the bone of her right ankle. The bone was set and the patient is improving, although Mrs. Moore will be confined to her room for several weeks.

Mrs. D. C. Boyles and daughters, Alene and Marian, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Boyles and family at Molalla, have returned to this city. Mr. Boyles accompanied his family to that place, where he spent Christmas, returning to Oregon City Tuesday.

John Adams streets, is very ill. Mr. Cross came to this city for the benefit of his health. He is an extensive property owner of this city.

Miss Mary McIntyre, who is house mother of the Tri Kappa Sorority of the Oregon Agricultural college, has been spending the Christmas holidays in this city as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Loder, of Ninth and Center streets.

Percy Pollanz, a student of the Oregon Agricultural College, who is spending his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pollanz, of West Linn, will return to Corvallis the latter part of the week to resume his studies at college.

Mrs. Eldon Blanchard, wife of Lieutenant Blanchard, and children, of Oak Grove, are in this city, where they are guests of Lieutenant Blanchard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Blanchard, of Twelfth and Monroe streets.

Albert Argo, of Portland, was here Thursday afternoon. He was on his way to Greenwood farm, near Oregon City, where he is to spend his week's vacation with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gregory.

Miss Rosa Marra, who was one of the most competent employes of the L. Adams store, has accepted a position in the store formerly owned by H. L. Martin, commencing her duties Wednesday afternoon.

Edward Clossner, one of the earnest workers of the Red Cross society of Redland, was in this city Thursday. Mr. Clossner was accompanied by his wife and two children. They made the trip in their automobile.

Miss Edythe Hamilton, of Portland and Miss Ruby Mayer, of Milwaukie, but engaged in teaching at Condon, Oregon, were in this city on Wednesday, where they visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Garner, prominent residents of Clackamas county, whose home is near Milwaukie, were in Oregon City on business Thursday of this week.

James Skinner, one of the well known residents of Clackamas county, who resides near Oswego, was in this city on business Friday.

W. H. Gribble, prominent farmer of Clackamas county, residing near Aurora, was in this city Wednesday.

G. R. Gwillim, of Beaver Creek, was in Oregon City on business Saturday.

Mrs. E. C. Warren, of Oak Grove, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Frank Jaggar, of Carus, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Mrs. G. E. Tabor, of Meldrum, was in this city Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Revenue and Harry B. Reed were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mira Revenue, at Sandy, Christmas day, Rev. L. B. Trullinger, of Lents, uncle of the bride, officiating. After a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Reed will be at home in the Revenue bungalow in Sandy until Mr. Reed is called to the colors. He enlisted some time ago in the medical corps. After the ceremony a lunch was served. Those present were Mrs. Mira Revenue, Mr. and Mrs. John Revenue, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Douglas, Alice, Waldo, Floyd Douglas and Homer Revenue all relatives of the bride; Miss Alice McGugin, Miss Gertrude Meinig, Miss Frances Melting, Miss Sabra Deaton, Mr. and Mrs. Mc A. Deaton and son, Merle, and Mr. Davis.

The bride was attended by Miss Ruth Roache, of Eugene.

The bridegroom was attended by Morgan Watson, who is stationed at Seattle, Wash.

Following the ceremony the young couple departed for their honeymoon, and will take up their residence in Seattle, where Mr. Avison is connected with the pay department of the navy, stationed at the training camp on the University of Washington campus.

The bride is a most accomplished young woman, and is prominent socially among the younger set of Eugene. She attended the University of Oregon, and is a member of the Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority, and is the daughter of Mrs. M. E. Watson, of Eugene.

Bothwell Avison is well and favorably known in Oregon City, where he resided with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Avison, graduating from the Oregon City high school. He later took a course at the University of Oregon, graduating from that institution with honors. He took a course in law while at that institution. He is a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity. After completing his studies at the university, Mr. Avison entered the government service at Seattle.

Mr. Avison is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Avison, now at Pendleton, and who came here to attend the marriage. He is the brother of Mrs. H. E. Hendry and Mrs. C. H. Melsner, who with their families were among those attending the ceremony.

One of the social events of Molalla during the week was the marriage of Miss Ruth Boyles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Boyles, of that place, and Mr. George Brace, of Bremerton, Wash., son of Mr. and Mrs. Brace, of Portland. The impressive ring ceremony was performed on Christmas day at high noon at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. Snyder, of Molalla, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The bride was being attended in a traveling suit with hat to match.

Crimson Story--This Has World of Color Real Red-eyed Tale

R. J. Werner, county agricultural agent, has a cousin, Frank Divine by name, living at Dooley, Montana. Divine is a stockman and red is his favorite color.

He is a breeder of Red Polled cattle, Durco Jersey red pigs, and Rhode Island Red poultry.

His wife has red hair and recently two red-headed children arrived in the Divine family.

We don't vouch for the truth of this ready-made tale, but Werner's statement gives it color.

where they will make their home, and where Mr. Brace is employed by the government.

The bride is one of the well known young women of Molalla, where she has a host of friends. She has made her home at Portland for the past two years, being employed as stenographer in that city.

Mr. Brace has been employed by the government for some time at Bremerton. He is also favorably known in Portland, where he resided for some time.

Mason Warnock, of Springwater, was in this city during the past week. While in this city he was a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. S. A. Chase. It was during Mr. Warnock's visit in this city that a reunion of this old pioneer of Clackamas county and John Stevenson, of Cape Horn, Wash., was held, the first time the old pioneers had met in 60 years.

Many interesting old time reminiscences were enjoyed by these men. Mr. Warnock was considered the champion rail splitter of Clackamas county, his feat being from 600 to 700 rails per day.

Both men are hale and hearty, although Mr. Stevenson is 82 years of age and Mr. Warnock 83 years. They proposed a hunt into the timber, but owing to the closed season, the deer hunt was postponed until open season of next year.

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SEALED ORDERS TAKE LIEUT. HOLSCLAW TO ACTIVE WAR SERVICE

Lieutenant Ren Holsclaw, who has been in Oregon City, where he has been spending his furlough with his mother, Mrs. G. F. Anderson, left Oregon City Sunday afternoon under sealed orders, and was accompanied to the depot in Portland by relatives and friends from this city and Portland.

While enroute to headquarters, where his orders call him, he will visit his only brother, Carl F. Holsclaw, at Marshalltown, Iowa, his former home, the brother still residing at the old home place.

Lieutenant Holsclaw was a student at the University of Oregon at the time he left for the officers' training camp at the Presidio, San Francisco. After remaining there for three months, he was commissioned first lieutenant of Third Battery, field artillery. He is one of the well known and popular young men of this city, who have responded to his country's call.

NEIL SULLIVAN GOES INTO NAVAL SERVICE AS RADIO OPERATOR

Neil J. Sullivan, son of J. C. Sullivan of 436 Division street, left Wednesday night for Goat Island, California, where he will report for duty as a radio operator in the United States naval service. Neil Sullivan is 19 years of age, and is prominent in social and athletic circles of the city. He was accompanied by Carnot Spencer and "Jodey" Miller, both members of naval squadrons, who have been spending short furloughs in this city over the holidays.

Prior to his enlistment, young Sullivan was with the Miller-Parker company, and has been with that institution since their establishment in their new home. His ability as a master end man on the Oregon City high school football team is recognized by fans. At the time of his graduation with the class of 1917, Sullivan was captain of the football team, and had enthusiastically voiced his desire to direct his energies to tackling the kaiser, instead of the elusive foot ball.

WANTS SEPARATION FROM HER "CUSSING" HUSBAND.

Charging that her husband, George Harris, cursed and swore at her on the public streets of Portland, Claire C. Harris has filed suit for divorce against her husband and asks her maiden name Clara C. Howard be restored.

CLACKAMAS HIGHEST SINCE 1862 FLOODS MUCH DAMAGE DONE

A. W. Cook, whose farm is located at Damascus, was in this city Friday, and visited his brother, Postmaster J. J. Cooke.

Mr. Cooke made the trip on the Southern Pacific, fearing he would have difficulty by team, owing to indications of high water near Parkplace, and other sections along the roadway. Mr. Cooke says the Clackamas river a week ago was the highest since the flood of 1862.

Mr. Cooke and wife made the trip from Damascus to view the flooded district, and upon reaching the point near Carver, near the Baker bridge, they were surprised to see immense logs and debris carried by the torrents down the river, knocking out boulders and banks from the property along the river.

One of the pieces of beauty along the Clackamas, damaged by the high waters was the property of E. M. Howell, of this city, formerly owned by the government, where once stood the fish hatchery. Great banks of dirt were taken out by the flood, while another farmer in that section lost two acres of his peach orchard. The trees were swept away, and a channel was formed in the orchard. The property of H. L. Patterson at Stone was damaged also. Mr. Patterson lost some of his prize honey bees, and his chickens were saved by climbing to the top of the barn. His cow that was in the barn was saved with much difficulty, the animal refusing to "take" to the water that surrounded the barn. In the barn at the Patterson place was a large quantity of lime to be used in plastering the new summer home of C. S. Jackson, of Portland, and it was practically ruined. John Holcomb lost his chicken house with all of his chickens. This poultry house went sailing down the stream with chickens on the roof while some were perched on the roof. The whereabouts of the birds is now unknown.

Mr. Cooke said while he and his wife were at Stone reports came that James Reddaway had lost his life by drowning, and great excitement prevailed until the truth was known that Mr. Reddaway and wife were safe, although their home had a narrow escape from being carried away.

DIVORCE DECREE IS MODIFIED; PERSONAL INJURY CASE ENDED

Judge J. U. Campbell in the circuit court has modified the decree in the divorce suit of Charles C. McCoy vs. Laura E. McCoy, issued some time ago, in which the child was given to the custody of the father so long as it remained in the care of Mrs. M. R. Plants in Portland. The father has since married and the court being advised that he can give it a proper home it was awarded to him unconditionally.

Anna Rath was given a divorce decree Wednesday from Louis Rath, and was granted property rights and the custody of two children.

William Aspinwall was given a decree of divorce from Elsie Aspinwall. An order was issued dismissing the divorce suit of John H. Daly vs. Sarah Daly.

The suit of John C. Vaughan vs. Hamilton company, G. W. Donnelly, Cazadero, and the Willamette Valley Southern railway, was dismissed.

On motion of the defendant's attorney, Judge Campbell granted a dismissal of the suit of Nellie L. Muldrin against Charles E. Nash, brought to recover personal damages in the sum of \$10,000 for injuries alleged to have been received when she was run down by the defendant's automobile in Portland on November 2, 1917.

OLD AND YOUNG FLOCK INTO MARRIED BLISS AS THE YEAR ENDS

Ranging in ages from 73 to 16 years, marriage license seekers swarmed the county clerk's office the last day of the year, bent on carrying out certain New Year's resolves best known to themselves. In all seven licenses were granted, the largest day's business for many months at the joy counter.

A. C. Burroughs, of 747 Clinton street, Portland, a shipyard's foreman, obtained a license to wed Elanita McFeron, of 5521 Ninety-sixth street, Portland. He is 21 and his bride 16 years of age. George H. Durham, 73 was granted a license to wed Gertrude K. MaxMeyer. Mr. Durham is a Grants Pass attorney and his bride a resident of Milwaukie; Harley Swigart of Molalla obtained a license to wed Miss Edna Vorpal; of Canby; P. W. VanSickle, of 607 1/2 Marshall street, Portland, is to wed Francis Fry of Waluga, Oregon. Walker A. Proctor, son of County Commissioner W. A. Proctor, obtained a license to marry Miss Pearl Beattie of Boring. R. L. Albert M. Ansoe of Barlow, was given permission to wed Miss Myrtle E. Burgess of Canby.

BARNES ORDERED TO REPORT.

Ward C. Barnes, of Killen precinct, has been selected as an alternate to report immediately to Camp Lewis. Barnes came under the draft and takes the place of one of the men who was rejected for physical disability.

The Dalles—A number of streets to be hard-surfaced.

A NEW YEAR'S THOUGHT Selected Especially For This Department.

To be glad of life because it gives you the chance to love and to work and to play and to look up at the stars; to be satisfied with your possessions, but not contented with yourself until you have made the best of them; to despise nothing in the world except falsehood and meanness, and to fear nothing except cowardice; to be governed by your admirations rather than by your disgusts; to covet nothing that is with your possessions, but contentment of heart and gentleness of manners; to think seldom of your enemies, often of your friends, and every day of Christ; and to spend as much time as you can, with body and with spirit, in God's out-of-doors—these are little guide-posts on the footpath of peace.

—Henry VanDyke.

MR. AND MRS. H. S. CLYDE RETURN TO CITY

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Clyde, who have been making their home for more than a year near Denair, California, where they have had property interests, but which they have sold, have returned to Oregon City to again take up their residence on their place at Clackamas Heights. Mr. Clyde made many improvements to his 20-acre farm, one of which was the establishing an irrigation ditch through the land, which was a great benefit to last year's crop. During the past year the ground in that section of California, which is about 41 miles south of Stockton, has become very dry, and many of the farmers have had to install ditches.

Although Mr. Clyde has owned this farm six years, this last year has been the only time where the farm has been found profitable, and Mr. Clyde states this is due to the ditch. After his arrival at his farm, noting the condition of the soil, Mr. Clyde immediately set to work and had the ditch dug, costing him about \$50 per acre, but has resulted most satisfactorily and his crops went to about \$250 to \$280 per acre. Much of this land, if not all, needs to be fertilized as well, and the farmers have found that farming in this section of the state can be successfully carried on with the proper methods followed. Many are each year planting their land to two crops, the first to be of grain and harvested in June, while the second crop is of Egyptian corn and beans harvested in the early part of November.

A year ago last fall, shortly after the arrival of Mr. Clyde and his wife in California from Oregon, they found that only seven inches of rain had fallen in that section, and even this last summer and fall the ground has been too dry for the farmers to do their ploughing. The farm work is now being started, and the farmers doing their ploughing, getting their ground ready for planting their seed.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde are more than pleased to get back to old Oregon, even if it does rain a great deal in the fall, and both are thoroughly enjoying this present weather.

MRS. C. M. KENDALL DIES AT HIGHLAND FROM LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. Caroline Matilda Kendall died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Washburn, of Highland, Tuesday morning, after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Kendall was a native of Illinois, and was 77 years of age. She came from Illinois in October, 1917, to Clackamas county. Her health gradually failed until her death.

Mrs. Kendall is survived by her husband and daughter, Mrs. Washburn, of Highland.

The funeral will be held from Highland church Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock, with interment in the Highland cemetery.

CONRAD THOMAS WANTS SEPARATION FROM HIS UNFAITHFUL SPOUSE

Conrad Thomas, a local mill worker, has brought suit for divorce against his wife, May Thomas, alleging that his wife called him vile and opprobrious names, kept company with other men, at times would absent herself for days at a time from their home in Oregon City. The couple were married in Little Falls, Minnesota.

Three days after their marriage in October, 1917, her husband began to find fault with her, says Claire C. O'Harris in a divorce complaint filed against George O'Harris Monday. Other acts of similar unpleasant inhuman treatment as basis of the suit.

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ALLAN PEEL SAYS FRAUD ACTUATED R. E. SALE

Charging that Jane S. Thatcher and her husband, W. F. G. Thatcher of Portland, sold property to a U. S. soldier, in order to prevent foreclosure of an outstanding \$5,000 mortgage, Allan C. Peel has brought proceedings in the local circuit court to set aside the deed and foreclose valuable farm lands in the Wilsonville country, formerly owned by the Thatchers.

The property was mortgaged in 1914 by W. M. Watson and Orrie B. Watson, his wife, and J. W. Watson and Susan E. Watson. In April 1915 the Watsons sold their interest in the mortgaged premises to Jane S. Thatcher, who afterwards disposed of a half interest in the premises to C. F. Alway. October 6th Mrs. Thatcher and her husband disposed of the remaining half interest to Raymond Kinney. All of these parties are named as defendants in Mr. Peel's complaint.

The plaintiff charges that the Thatchers conspired with Kinney, who is a soldier in the service of the United States, and deeded the property to him, to bring him under the provisions of the 1917 "moralum law" of Oregon, which prevents foreclosure of mortgages or civil execution against soldiers and sailors in the service of the United States. It is alleged that in accordance with this plan the deed was made on October 6th. The mortgage became due on the 13th day of October, 1917.

Plaintiff also asked that a receiver be appointed to take over the real property pending the adjudication of the matter, and Judge Campbell appointed John B. Leithwaite in accordance with plaintiff's petition.

RED CROSS FUND IS RE-IMBURSED BY EDWARD CLOSSNER

Edward Clossner, well known Springwater farmer, came to Oregon City Monday and drew his personal check for \$61.50 for the Christmas Red Cross membership fund, to cover the loss of that amount last Thursday while he was driving from Springwater to Oregon City. In a wallet he had a road warrant for \$31.50, drawn at the November term of court, and paper money, amounting to \$32.35 and two ones, a total of \$62.50, all except \$1 being Red Cross contributions. Mr. Clossner has offered a reward of \$5 for the recovery of the money and has stopped payment on the warrant. He thinks the wallet fell out of his pocket in or near Oregon City. Practically the whole amount had been collected by Mr. Clossner, who was captain for his district, \$1 at a time, but he was determined the Red Cross society should not lose through his misfortune.

G. W. CLARKE SENTENCED TO PEN 1 TO 7 YEARS

G. W. Clarke, former real estate operator of Portland, was sentenced by Circuit Judge Campbell Monday to a term of from one to seven years in the state penitentiary for larceny in a dwelling.

Clarke was jointly indicted with Harry Holland, ex-policeman of Portland at the last session of the grand jury for larceny from a dwelling at the farm home of C. E. Bolds near Oswego. The two entered the place while Mr. Bolds and family were away in eastern Oregon and carried away a truck load of household goods which they disposed of among Portland pawnbrokers. After pleading not guilty to the indictment the two changed their pleas. Holland was given the same sentence last Friday and is now serving time at the penitentiary.

Clarke is a married man with a family and was given two days by the court in which to adjust business matters preparatory to beginning his term at the penitentiary.

A deputy sheriff returned to Portland with him.

UTTING FINED \$10 FOR VIOLATION OF LOCAL ORDINANCE

W. K. Utting was fined \$10 by Recorder L. L. Porter at West Linn Tuesday, following his conviction on a charge of obstructing the sidewalk. Attorney C. Schuebel, for the defense, contended that the suspension bridge was not a West Linn sidewalk, but was county property. O. D. Eby prosecuted the case. Utting is a paper mill striker residing at 1703 Division street. Testimony developed at the trial that Utting has refused to move on when Chief of Police Hammerlee had directed him to do so and that he had practically dared the officer to arrest him.

BROTHER OF F. TERRILL DIES.

Frank Smith Terrill, adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Terrill of this city, has just received word from Chicago relatives of the death of his brother, Private William F. Smith, a member of the engineering corps of the U. S. expeditionary forces.

Private Smith was enroute to France and met his death when he was washed from the deck of the transport during a storm at sea. Word of his death came to the young man's aunt and two sisters, residing in Chicago, from General Pershing, and was conveyed to the brother here. The local boy had never seen his brother, the family having become estranged when the boys were babies. The father, Frank S. Smith, resides at Santa Rosa, California.