

HAS NO DISCRETION

Injured Child Too Young to Be Negligent.

SUPREME COURT DECISION

Father Who Sued D. C. O'Reilly for Damages is Sustained, as Court Holds Four-Year-Old is Not Amenable to Warning.

The negligence of a mother in permitting her child to play in a dangerous place cannot be set up as a defense to the action for damages by the father for the death of the child.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The Supreme Court handed down decisions in six appealed cases today, four being reversals and two affirmances. The cases decided are:

Macdonald vs. O'Reilly.

Frederick D. Macdonald, administrator of the estate of Maurice R. Macdonald, deceased, vs. Drake C. O'Reilly, appellant. From Multnomah County, J. L. Fraser, Judge, affirmed; opinion by Justice Beane.

Scott vs. Ford.

George W. Scott and H. A. Hammond, executors of the Church Sturtevant estate, respondents, vs. Eva Ford, appellant, from Lane County. W. H. Hamilton, Judge, reversed and remanded; opinion by Justice Wolverson.

Wollenberg vs. Rose.

H. Wollenberg, administrator of the partnership estate of S. Marks & Co., respondents, vs. J. F. Rose, appellant, from Douglas County. J. W. Hamilton, Judge, reversed and remanded; opinion by Justice Wolverson.

Bauers vs. Bull.

Frank D. Bauers, appellant, vs. John Bull, respondent, from Lake County. H. L. Benson, Judge, reversed; opinion by Chief Justice Beane.

Ruckman vs. Union Railway.

George W. Ruckman, appellant, vs. Union Railway and Union Street & Siburban Railway, respondents, from Union County. Robert Eakin, Judge, reversed; opinion by Justice Beane.

TEACHER VS. DIRECTORS.

Miss Nan Shively Declared Out of Cottage Grove School.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 12.—(Special.)

The attention of the State Board of Education was occupied today with the trial of the case of Miss Nan Shively. It seems that Miss Shively, whose home is at Astoria, was elected last summer to a position in the Cottage Grove School. At the appointed time she went to begin work, but before signing a contract the School Board asked to see her teacher's certificate.

JUST LIKE KEROBENE.

Oil From Grounds of Normal School Given Exacting Test.

MONMOUTH, Or., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Some time ago a sample of the oil from the well now being drilled on the grounds of the State Normal School was sent to the State University. The analysis reads: "The oil from the Monmouth well was submitted to fractional distillation, and the fractions compared with those usually obtained in the distillation of petroleum under parallel conditions." In color, odor and specific gravity, the fractions resemble those of kerosene oil.

W. H. KEARY IS MAYOR.

City Election is Held in New Westminister, B. C.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—City elections today resulted as follows: Mayor, W. H. Keary, 350 majority; Aldermen, in order, W. E. Vanstone, B. Shiles, Dr. W. Davies, W. W. Forester, George Adams, J. Jardine and Joseph Healey.

TALKS ON CITIES.

Washington's First Municipal Convention is Well Attended.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The first municipal convention ever held in the state was called to order at noon today. Delegates are here from Spokane, Tacoma, Walla Walla, Bellingham and Ballard. Mayor Ballinger delivered the address of welcome.

PACIFIC FISHERIES SOLD.

W. A. Peters, Purchaser for \$310,000, Assigns Interest to E. B. Deming.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 12.—The sale of the Pacific American Fisheries Company properties by the Master in Chancery was this afternoon confirmed by Judge Hanford of the Federal Court. W. A. Peters is the purchaser. The sum named in the order of confirmation is \$310,000. Peters' interest has been assigned to E. B. Deming.

Fall Breaks Boy's Neck.

JEFFERSON, Or., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—This morning Asaphel, the son of A. B. Fisher, was riding on the back of his brother-in-law, E. R. Waters, and the boy was found lying with his neck and arm broken, within about 300 yards of the residence of his brother-in-law. Investigation showed that the horse had probably slipped and thrown the boy. He was about 17 years of age.

Go to Forestry Convention.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Governor Chamberlain today appointed the following delegates to the National Forestry Convention to be held in Washington, D. C., January 2 to 5, 1906: T. M. Hunt, Cottage Grove; H. H. Gilfrey, S. A. Clark, Washington, D. C.; Charles D. Wheelwright and R. D. Inman, of Portland.

Palouse Drought Broken.

COLFAX, Wash., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The prolonged drought which has retarded fall sowing and plowing has been broken by more than an inch of rain, which fell throughout the Palouse country last night and today. The rain will be of inestimable value to fall wheat, and will enable farmers to plow and seed a large acreage yet this fall. If warm weather continues.

Caught Cold While Hunting a Burglar.

Mr. William Thomas Langron, Provisional Constable at Clatsop, Ore., says: "I caught a severe cold while hunting a burglar in the forest early last fall. I tried it and after using two small bottles I was completely cured." This cure is intended especially for coughs and colds. It will loosen and relieve a severe cold in less time than by any other treatment, and is a favorite wherever its superior excellence has become known. For sale by all druggists.

EXPIRES IN HOTEL

E. B. Burdick, of Portland, Dies in His Room.

MURDER FEARED AT FIRST

Wealthy Mining Man Spent Evening With Friends, Retired, and a Watchman Finds His Body—Robbed of Gold Watch.

WILL RECEIVE ENGINES HERE.

Steam Schooner Sea Foam Launched at Aberdeen.

SALESMAN, Dec. 12.—(Special.)

Eugene B. Burdick, a prominent mining man of Portland, Or., was found dead on the floor of his room at the Grand Hotel this morning. It was at first assumed that he died of heart failure, but when Deputy Coroner M. J. Brown arrived upon the scene it was suspected that Burdick might have committed suicide, or that he might even have been the victim of foul play.

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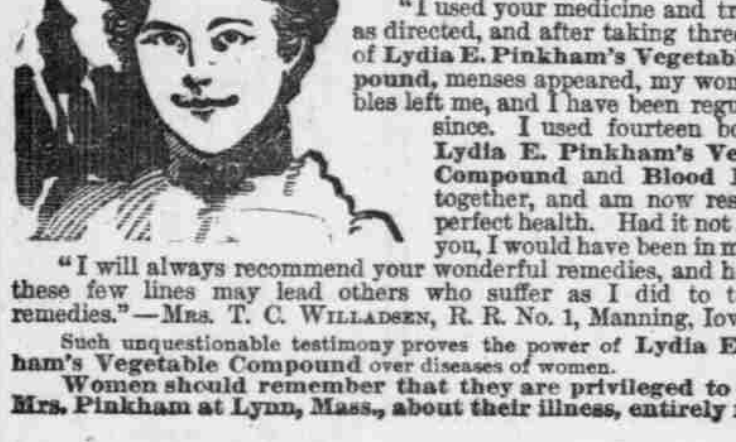
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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I can truly say that you have saved my life, and I cannot express my gratitude to you in words. Before I wrote to you telling how I felt, I had doctored for over two years steady and spent lots of money in medicine besides, but it all failed to do me any good. My menses did not appear in that time, and I suffered much pain. I would daily have fainting spells, headache, backache and bearing down pain, and was so weak that it was hard for me to do my work.

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