

AFTER THE LAND FRAUD THIEVES

Three Indictments Returned Involving Persons of Great Prominence.

TRY TO FIX WITNESSES

Officials of Government Learn That Agents of the Accused Have Been Tampering With Men Who Were Subpoenaed.

Not even in the day when Francis J. Heney was after the land-fraud thieves of Oregon has there been such a determined movement on the part of the prominent men under investigation to block the prosecution...

Great Consternation Caused. To discover that their operations were known to District Attorney Bristol and the special agents of the Interior Department was to cause great consternation...

Witnesses Were "Seen." At first the Government officials were unable to fathom the reasons for the action on the part of the witnesses. Their unwillingness to tell what they knew...

Used Fake Telegrams. The people who were so anxious to block the legal wheels of the Government not only depended upon fixing a witness so that he would not be known, but used more than one ingenious method to gain their ends...

Fictitious Names Signed. When these telegrams were received the witness receiving them would hasten to the District Attorney's office and demand to be excused. This plan failed...

Portland Admen's League. At the meeting of Portland Admen's League, held last evening in the tower-room of the Commercial Club, reports of the committees which have been interviewing the merchants of the city with reference to making window displays of "made-in-Oregon" products during the month of May were submitted...

Goes to Federal Court. The case of T. J. Gow vs. the Southern Pacific has been removed from Jackson County to the Federal Court in Portland. Gow seeks to collect \$50,000 damages from the railroad company...

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. It cures colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, influenza, sore throat, and all the ailments of the throat and lungs.

THE DELINEATOR

Its reading pages speak for themselves—no magazine is more entertaining or more useful. Spring Fashion Number Now Ready for Reading

Diamond Dyes advertisement featuring illustrations of women in various outfits and text describing the benefits of the dyes. Includes the headline 'Diamond Dyes Never Fade' and 'Suppose some day while you were altering a waist, or skirt, or suit, you wished that the old and too familiar color was changed to a new and more fashionable shade.'

The Delineator breaks ANOTHER record. This is the highest price ever paid for an advertisement in any publication by Diamond Dyes—or by any dyes—or by any similar article. In this April Number of THE DELINEATOR, the illustrations alone, or the reading pages alone, or the ADVERTISING pages alone, are themselves reason enough why you should Get it for Her 15c a copy \$1.00 a year

Remember these Facts advertisement featuring illustrations of various animals and text listing facts about them. Includes the headline 'Remember these Facts' and 'Diamond Dyes Save Money'.

VISIT VICTORIA TOO Tri-State Excursion Will Go to Honeymoon City. PLANS ARE ALL ARRANGED Los Angeles, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Tacoma and Seattle Business Men Will Join in Trip North. Victoria Extends Invitation. As was told in a special dispatch from The Oregonian's correspondent in San Francisco last Saturday, Victoria, through Mr. Cuthbert, has extended an invitation to the cities of the Pacific Coast to send their leading citizens to the capital of British Columbia...

Herbert Cuthbert, secretary of the Tourist's Association of Victoria, "the Honeymoon City of the Pacific Northwest," spent yesterday in Portland in the interests of the excursion of business men which will be run north from California, Oregon and Washington, to the commercial bodies of those states next summer. Mr. Cuthbert is the prime mover in the scheme to bring the people of the Coast states into closer touch with the people of British Columbia and predicts that the pilgrimage to his city will be the most enjoyable of the series of excursions instituted by the Commercial Club of Portland last winter, when the members of the Oregon Development League, of which the Commercial Club is a unit, made their trip to California.

WASHINGTON EXCURSION. It Proves of Benefit to All Pacific Coast States. William McMurry, assistant general passenger agent of the Harriman lines in the Northwest, returned yesterday from Southern California, where he accompanied the excursion of Washington business men to the South. He says the trip accomplished a good deal by cementing the relations between the Pacific states. "As a result of the two excursions that have invaded California this winter, one from Oregon and one from Washington, the Los Angeles business men will reciprocate by a similar excursion to the North some time in June," said Mr. McMurry. "About 100 excursionists will come on such a trip and the first stop will, of course, be Portland. After the Californians are entertained here they will go north to the Sound, visiting both Tacoma and Seattle, and will also visit Victoria and Vancouver. B. C. Portland will probably outdo herself in making their stay here a memorable one. "The trip by the Washingtonians was voted a big success in every way. It is bound to create a more friendly feeling among the three states and the interchange of visits has already done much to emphasize the common interests of California, Oregon and Washington.

Work on Pacific Railway. Work on the line of the Pacific Railway & Navigation Company is progressing favorably since the heavy rains have stopped and 125 men are now at work building a bridge 100 feet long, two miles from Banks, Washington County. Five miles of track have been laid and eight miles additional graded. With the coming of good weather more rapid progress on the work of construction is expected. Will Look Over Bridge Site. Engineers of the Pacific Bridge Company, which has the contract for the bridge of the new Vancouver line of the Portland Railway Company, will go out today to look over the site preliminary to putting up the three spans. One will be 135 feet in length and the two shorter spans will be 64 feet each. Work on the bridge will be begun within a short time. Railway Personal. H. S. Rowe, general agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, left last night for the Sound on business. F. R. Vincent, correspondence clerk in the office of General Manager J. P. O'Brien, of the Harriman system, left Sunday night for Galena, Ill., where he will spend two weeks on a visit. J. S. Larrabee, son of General Manager W. D. Larrabee, of the United Railways Company, arrived last night from Los Angeles, and will take a position as engineer with the company. Ralls, Hen and other materials are being gathered at Thirteenth and Dwyergrove streets ready to begin construction. C. V. Cowden, soliciting agent for the Burlington, has resigned to become the secretary of an investment company in San Francisco. W. E. Pennington, clerk in the Burlington office, has left to accept employment with the Powers Furniture Company and B. Miller has been appointed in his place. H. C. Gardner has been added to the Burlington office force as assistant stenographer and clerk. Spring humors, pimples and boils are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. PORTLAND, April 2.—Maximum temperature 59 deg.; minimum, 24. River reading at S. M. 6 feet; change in past 24 hours, rise of 6 inches. Total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., trace; total since September 1, 1905, 11.7 inches; normal, 28.42 inches; deficiency, 6.77 inches. Total sunshine April 1, 1906, 9 hours and 12 minutes; possible, 12 hours and 48 minutes. PACIFIC COAST WEATHER. STATIONS. Baker City, 48.0 0.0 18 NW Clear. Blaine, 52.0 0.0 18 SW Pt. City, Cloudy. Boise, 52.0 0.0 22 N Cloudy. Burns, 54.0 0.0 20 N Clear. Helena, 54.0 0.0 20 N Cloudy. North Bend, 50.0 0.0 20 NW Clear. Pocatello, 50.0 0.0 20 NW Cloudy. Portland, 58.0 0.0 8 W Pt. City, Clear. Red Bluff, 42.0 0.0 22 N Clear. Roseburg, 50.0 0.0 18 W Clear. Sacramento, 50.0 0.0 18 W Clear. Salt Lake City, 58.0 0.0 12 NW Clear. San Francisco, 58.0 0.0 12 NW Clear. Spokane, 54.0 0.0 4 S Clear. Seattle, 54.0 0.0 20 NW Clear. Tallahassee, 60.0 0.0 8 N Clear. Walla Walla, 56.0 0.0 4 S Clear. WEATHER CONDITIONS. A high pressure area overlies the North Pacific States and no rain has fallen in this district during the last 12 hours except a few small showers in Southeastern Idaho. Small showers also have occurred in Northern Utah and Northern Nevada, but fair weather continues in California. Although the temperature has risen generally on the Pacific Slope, still it is cooler than usual at this time of the year, and sharp frosts occurred this morning west of the Cascade Mountains. WEATHER FORECASTS. Forecasts made at Portland for 24 hours ending at midnight, April 2: Portland and vicinity—Fair and warmer. Northerly winds. Western Oregon and Western Washington—Fair and warmer. Northerly winds. Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho—Fair and warmer. Southern Idaho—Probably fair. AUCTION SALES TODAY. At the Portland auction rooms, 211 First street, sale 2 P. M. C. L. Ford, auctioneer. By J. T. Wilson, at 520 Northrup, corner Fifth street, at 10 A. M. J. S. Wilson, Auctioneer. At Gilman's auction rooms, 413 Washington street, at 10 o'clock A. M. S. L. N. Gilman, auctioneer. At Baker's auction house, corner Alder and Park streets, at 10 o'clock, George Baker & Son, auctioneer. MEETING NOTICES. A. & A. S. RITE—Oregon Lodge of Perfection, No. 1—Regular meeting in Memorial Hall, South Side Cathedral, this evening at 8 o'clock. By order WEN. MASTER. WASHINGTON CHAPTER, NO. 18. A. M.—Special communication this (Tuesday) evening, April 3, at 7:30 o'clock, Masonic Hall, Burkhard bldg. P. M. and M. E. M. Detroues. Visitors welcome. By order E. H. P. E. E. SHARON, Secretary.

DIED. BELLARD—At University Park, April 1, 1906, Robert Pennell Bellard, aged 64 years. MCKEE—In this city, April 2, 1906, at 355 Russell street, Mrs. Minnie McKee, beloved wife of S. McKee. FUNERAL NOTICES. TAPPLINGER—At the residence, 531 Madison street, March 31, Mary Tapplinger, wife of C. Tapplinger. Funeral will take place from the above residence Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. HOUGHTON—In this city, at the family residence, 808 Curbett street, April 1, 1906, Miss Houghton, aged 57 years, wife of Charles Houghton, of this city. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held at St. Matthew's Chapel, corner First and Carthage streets, at 2 P. M. today. Interment Riverside Cemetery. MILLAR—in this city, April 1, 1906, at his late residence, 655 1/2 Commercial street, William H. Millar, aged 77 years, 8 months and 24 days. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held at St. Matthew's Chapel, corner First and Carthage streets, at 2 P. M. today. Interment Riverside Cemetery. EDWARD HOLMAN & CO., the leading funeral directors and embalmers, 224 and 225 Third street, corner Salina, have the finest establishment and the most reasonable charges. We have an experienced lady who takes full charge of all lady cases. Phone Main 267. J. F. FINLEY & SON, funeral directors and embalmers, No. 231 1/2, cor. Madison. Day or night calls promptly attended. Experienced lady assistant when desired. Office of County Coroner. Phone Main 9. DENNING, MENZIE & GILBAUGH, Successors in Denning & Campbell, undertakers and embalmers; modern in every detail; 7th and Pine. Phone Main 426. Lady assistant. F. S. DENNING, Undertaker, 414 East Alder. Lady assistant. Phone East 52. ZELLER-BYRNES CO., Undertakers, Embalmers, 273 Russell. East 1082. Lady asst. TONESH & CO., Florists. Artistic floral designs. 123 6th st. Phone Main 512. NEW TODAY. Five Acres on Street-Car Line. 2550 AN ACRE. Gentle south slope, 600 feet front on fine road and bicycle path. Call on J. S. PAYNE, 1209 Williams Ave. BEAVERTON. Farm for sale, 15 acres, all in cultivation, fine orchard of assorted fruit trees, barn 60x24, half-mile from Southern Pacific Depot, sidewalks from depot to farm; stockness takes full place at a sacrifice occasion. Price less than cost of clearing and building. R. M. WILBUR, 110 Second St., Near Washington. Have cash customer for income property, \$20,000 to \$50,000. Phone today MAIN 5607.