

STRONG WITNESS AGAINST HERMANN

Puter Shows Commissioner's Close Intimacy With Land-grabbers' Ring.

FRANK ABOUT HIS CRIMES

Admits Attempt to Bribe Grand Jury Through Brownell—How He and Hermann Cooked Up the Latter's Evidence.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., March 21.—S. A. D. Puter has fulfilled all expectations of those who brought him to Washington to testify against Blinger Hermann.

Intimacy With Land Thieves. Puter's testimony was chiefly valuable in showing the close relations that existed between Hermann, Commissioner of the Blue Mountain case.

Weave Web Around Hermann. By establishing Hermann's friendly relations with Mitchell, Mays, Puter and Ormsby and showing that Hermann had considerable correspondence with these men that cannot be found in the official letter-books of the Land Office.

Puter today displayed the utmost frankness, holding nothing in reserve and only once, when testifying as to the receipt of \$1000 bills from President Chaffee, of the First National Bank of Milwaukee, did he contradict himself.

PUTER MAKES CLEAN BREAST

Admits Attempt at Bribery and Fixing Hermann's Evidence. WASHINGTON, March 21.—Again S. A. D. Puter testified for the Government in the Hermann trial, regarding fraud and bribery in many land deals.

INSANE MAN SHOTS GUARD

LOADS OLD 50-CALIBER MUSKET WITH SMALL SHOT. Jail Attendant Kept at Bay Until Hose Is Procured—Deputy's Wound Is Slight.

NO NEWS FROM GRAND JURY

Attorney Ruick Refuses to Make Any Information Public. BOISE, Idaho, March 21.—(Special.)—No indictment has yet been returned into the United States Court, now sitting here.

COAL LAND IS REOPENED

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WHERE HE GOT THAT \$2000.

Regarding the two \$1000 bills which the witness said yesterday he gave the late Senator Mitchell to fix things regarding these claims, Mr. Worthington brought out the statement that the witness got them from Charles Chase, president of the Wisconsin National Bank of Milwaukee.

FIXED HERMANN'S EVIDENCE.

Continuing his testimony in chief this morning, Puter said that he had no recollection of the \$1000 bills which he received from Hermann, letters that correspond in every particular with the type of some letters admitted to have been copied in these private books.

MONEY HE PAID LOOMIS.

The witness was then asked regarding the two payments of \$500 he had made to Special Agent Loomis regarding the representations he had made to Loomis about immunity.

HIS LETTERS FROM HERMANN.

Correspondence the witness has had with Hermann was the next topic of inquiry of Puter. He had written Hermann several times, he said, and received two letters in reply regarding a township included in the Cascade Forest Reserve.

WAS IN BLUE MOUNTAIN PLOT.

The witness was next allowed to identify himself as one of the conspirators in the Blue Mountain Forest Reserve project, which he said was engineered through by P. Mays, of Portland, in disguise.

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Jail Attendant Kept at Bay Until Hose Is Procured—Deputy's Wound Is Slight. BOISE, Idaho, March 21.—(Special.)—A bloody affray occurred at the County Jail today, Deputy Sheriff William J. Driscoll being shot in the face by an insane man named Henry Dorn, of Echo.

PROBES INTO TELEPHONE DEAL

Grand Jury Finds Stenographer Most Obstinate Witness. SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—The grand jury today resumed its work of investigation of the alleged wholesale graft and corruption in the municipal affairs of this city.

ATTORNEY RUICK REFUSES TO MAKE ANY INFORMATION PUBLIC.

BOISE, Idaho, March 21.—(Special.)—No indictment has yet been returned into the United States Court, now sitting here. The District Attorney and his assistant refused to state today whether any had been voted. Miles S. Johnson, the assistant, said he did not know, and Mr. Ruick refused to make any statement on any point.

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NO STRIKE IS LIKELY

Leader of O. R. & N. Conductors Ridicules Reports.

SMALL POINT AT ISSUE

On Way to Chicago Conference

Grady Says Not Even Arbitration Needed—Declares Mohler Friend of Trainmen.

TITLES INSURED

ABSTRACTS FURNISHED

OMAHA, Neb., March 21.—(Special.)—That the trainmen and conductors have never for one moment considered seriously calling a strike is the gist of answers given to questions asked by the Grady, chairman of the Conductors' Union of the Ogden Railroad & Navigation Company, who is here on his way to the Chicago conference.

LET MINERS VOTE ON STRIKE

Goldfield Industrialists Take the First Step to End Shutdown.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., March 21.—The referendum vote taken by the industrial workers of the world resulted in 1000 ballots being cast in favor of permitting the miners to hold separate meetings and vote against it.

TELEPHONE MEN TELL

Man Who Surveyed Columbia and Oregon Coast Passes Away.

Captain Cleveland Rockwell, one of Oregon's oldest and most distinguished citizens, died at 10 o'clock last night at his residence, 1190 Vaughn street.

LEWIS TO SUCCEED DOWIE

DEAD PROPHET FLINGS HIS MANTLE OVER DEACON.

News Comes as Surprise to Lewis, Who Says He Will Take Charge of Zion.

GUADALAHARA, Mex., March 21.—Deacon John Lewis, an official of the Zion Church, who arrived in Guadalajara last week to look over some mining investments, received today the news of his appointment as first apostle of the church by the late apostle and testament of John Alexander Dowie.

FOUR MEN BLOWN TO BITS

Workman Tamp Blast With Steel Drill and It Explodes.

HELENA, Mont., March 21.—Four men were blown to atoms this evening near Lombard as the result of the carelessness of one workman tamping the hole with a steel instrument.

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Commander of Department of Missouri Killed by Heart Disease.

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Geratie, Frick & Beedy, the attorneys who represented the Home Telephone Company in the obtaining of a franchise from the Supervisors, was recalled today and spent over an hour in the grand jury room.

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