

STEVENS STAND TESTIFIES THAT FATHER TOLD HIM BULK OF FORTUNE WOULD BE LEFT TO HIM.

REFERENCE TO STEVENS MYERS DID NOT WANT SON-IN-LAW TO HAVE HANDLING OF ONE CENT FROM THE ESTATE—HEARING WILL BE RESUMED THIS MORNING.

The Myers will contest was continued at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Judge Webster of the County Court listened all the afternoon to the testimony of witnesses who knew the late Mr. and Mrs. George T. Myers.

ALBANY COLLEGE DEBATING TEAM

ALBANY, Ore., Feb. 26.—(Special.)—The Albany College debating team met Pacific College in this city next evening in one of the preliminary debates of the Collegiate Debating League of Oregon.

WAS WITH HER ONLY ONE DAY. SHE HAD BEEN IN BED, AND COULD HARDLY TALK.

Mrs. Francis was the first witness called yesterday afternoon. She testified as follows: "I knew Mr. Myers before he was married. I lived in the family from the time Mrs. Myers married him, or very soon afterward, until just before the birth of George Myers, Jr. I was also in the family from the time of the death of Mrs. Myers in 1901, until she died in June, 1903, that was during the last week in June, 1903, that Mrs. Myers became ill."

ASKS \$16,852 FOR A LEG

A. W. Frazee Sues Standard Box & Lumber Co. A. W. Frazee has brought suit against the Standard Box & Lumber Company to recover \$16,852 damages. The complaint, which has been filed in the Circuit Court, alleges that on or about May 11, 1907, he was required to work as an off-bearer near a rolling crane, to which crab-hooks were attached.

MARCH JURORS ARE DRAWN

The jurors who are to serve in the Circuit Court during the March term have been drawn. They are as follows: Amend, V. farmer; Abplanalp, Bonham, H. W. merchant; Bredlow, D. carpenter; Buet, T. Wallace, manufacturing agent; Buehn, C. A. bookkeeper; Buehn, C. A. bookkeeper; Brown, A. W. merchant; Burrell, G. G. farmer; Barnes, Charles, capitalist; Burdick, William, contractor; Brookings, A. W. bookkeeper; Brayman, Ray, A. watchman; Chapman, Simon, president lumber company; Chisholm, Grover, Campbell, Vine, C. feed store; Charles, William, A. insurance; Christensen, A. A. goods; Carter, A. C. contractor; Chapman, W. P. contractor; Coman, E. B. agent; Corlies, J. bookkeeper; Conner, M. J. contractor; Crowe, E. T. building material; Christensen, Charles M. foreman L. P. Co.; Cook, Fred, clerk; Campbell, Webb, wholesale cigar; Carl, Charles A. insurance; Clark, C. W. carrier; A. A. Campbell, A. A. insurance; 615 First; Dickinson, Frank, farmer; Day, W. W. draftsman; Darling, L. W. merchant; Duple, August, collector; F. T. T. Co. Dean, D. M. carpenter; Drinker, J. P. cash and doors; Davis, R. E. secretary; W. L. & W. H. First; E. W. real estate; Eaton, James H. photo; Eason, G. W. cigar; Gibbs, P. D. secretary; Tull & Gibbs; Hacker, Charles E. butcher; Hall, Robert M. merchant; Hall, Edward, insurance; Hawkins, W. J. capitalist; Lewis, H. A. J. bookkeeper; Ladd, William, laborer; Searle, H. L. engineer; Stanley, E. M. farmer; Stone, H. Taylor, George A. farmer; Vestal, John L. druggist.

MINING PROMOTERS SUED

Two suits have been filed in the Circuit Court against J. M. Hamilton and Willis Kramer, of the Tish Creek Mining Company. In one of these Arthur P. Price and Charles T. Whitney, assignees of the insolvent Garretts Creek Lumber Company, seek to recover \$100 and \$50 attorneys' fees. The money is alleged to be owing on a note delivered to the insolvent company December 27, 1906. The other suit has been brought by the Modern Mining Machinery Company. The company alleges that Hamilton and Kramer owe \$50 for machinery and goods.

TEXAS ROAD FAILS

Receiver Appointed for Southern Gould Line.

BOND INTEREST NOT PAID

Gould Says Demands of Texas Commission for Improvements Are Direct Cause of Road's Financial Difficulties.

PORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 26.—An application made on behalf of the Metropolitan Trust Company, of New York, before Judge Edward P. Meek, of the Federal Court for the northern district of Texas, this afternoon, alleging default of the interest on a bond issue of 1902. R. J. Freeman, of New Orleans, was named receiver for the International & Great Northern Railroad. Surely will be expected, and the receiver will possibly qualify to take over the property tomorrow.

DUE TO TEXAS RAILROAD LAW

Gould Says Improvements Are Ordered While Income Decreases.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The International & Great Northern Railway Company, organized in 1873 and re-organized in 1892, operates 128 miles of road in Texas, one branch running from Longview to Laredo and other branches from Fort Worth and from Palestine to Galveston. The company has a bonded indebtedness of \$25,275,933 and capital stock is issued to the amount of \$2,750,000.

MRS. ANNA WALKER WEDS

ONE OF THE RICHEST WOMEN IN AMERICA.

Frederick C. Penfield Marries the Daughter of William Weightman, Late Multi-millionaire.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Anna M. Weightman-Walker, of Philadelphia, one of the richest women in America, was married to Frederick C. Penfield in St. Patrick's Cathedral today. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Penfield sailed for Europe. The ceremony was presided over by Archbishop Farley. There were two witnesses.

CUT TELEGRAPHERS' WAGES

Levey Makes Proposition That May Be Accepted.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 26.—Vice-President Levey, of the Northern Pacific, has submitted a counter proposition to the operators, providing for a cut in wages of 15 per cent after March 1. The proposition, however, does not provide for pay for work done during lunch hours. The matter was submitted to a vote of the men about February 17, and it is understood that all the returns will be in by tomorrow, so that the result will be announced. Both sides to the controversy expect a peaceful solution.

ILLINOIS MINERS MAY STRIKE

Deadlock on Wage Scale Purposely Continued to March 1.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 26.—Despite reports to the contrary, one prominent coal operator declared today that the deadlock between the operators and miners of the Northern, Central and Southern Illinois field had not been broken, and that the operators were prepared to hold out until March 1 when the present agreement expires. They the trial will come, if nothing intervenes and neither side recedes from its announced determination. President John M. Walker has declared that the prospects are for a general suspension of work.

MEDIATE IN WAGE CONTROVERSY.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—It is probable that in a day or two Chairman Knapp, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and Commissioner of Labor Neill will undertake by the terms of the so-called Erdman act to mediate between employees and officials of the Southern Railway in respect to wages.

ROAD TO COMPLY WITH LAW

Present Wages for Operators Will Be Maintained.

ROADS WILL NOT CUT WAGES

Service Law Not to Affect Milwaukee or Burlington.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 26.—According to information which the general committee representing the Northern Pacific operators, now in session in this city, has received from Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad for complying with the Federal laws governing working hours of telegraph operators, which go into effect March 4, according to a statement made today by General Superintendent Strickland. There will be no decrease in wages in connection with the change. Every operator will be paid practically the same wages he has received heretofore. The only change will come in the rearrangement of the number of operators attached to several stations.

REPUBLICANS ARE WELL ATTENDED

Republicans of County Elect Delegates to Coming Assembly.

STATEMENT NO. 1 LOSES?

Such is General Understanding, but Only One Delegation is Plainly Instructed Against Proposition. Conventions Meet Saturday.

Delegates to the Republican assembly, which will be held in the Bell-Hirsch building next Saturday, were elected last night at mass meetings in a majority of the precincts of the city and county. The primaries were held in stores, offices, public buildings and private residences, and, considering the lack of advertising received, the attendance was good. It was impossible last night to get a complete list of the delegates.

WILL ATTEND CONVENTION IN TACOMA TODAY.

Meeting That of Western Retail Dealers' Association—Hoo Hoos Plan Big Contention.

More than 100 lumber manufacturers of the Pacific Northwest left Portland last night for Tacoma to attend the annual convention of the Western Lumber Retail Dealers' Association, which will convene in that city today. The convention will adjourn Saturday night and will be attended by between 800 and 900 delegates from Eastern Washington, Eastern Oregon, Montana, Wyoming and Idaho. E. D. Kingsley, of Bridal Veil, will read a paper on "The Relations That Should Exist Among the Different Branches of the Lumber Business."

Georgia Sanders Sues for Divorce.

Georgia Sanders has filed suit in the Circuit Court to obtain a divorce from R. A. Sanders. She alleges cruelty and abandonment, saying her husband has a violent temper. She alleges that Sanders will not support her, and follows her about the city, endeavoring to dissuade her from working. She is seeking employment from giving her work. She says further that he frequently told her that others besides himself had implanted themselves in her affection, and at last said she could "go to her old man." She says she fears he will do her bodily harm. The couple married September 28, 1899.

United Railways Franchise.

The franchise of the United Railways Company, at the meeting of the Council yesterday, was referred to the committee on streets of the City Council, and will be reported back at the next regular meeting. It was appraised by the Executive Board at the last meeting of that body.

NEW YORK DENTISTS

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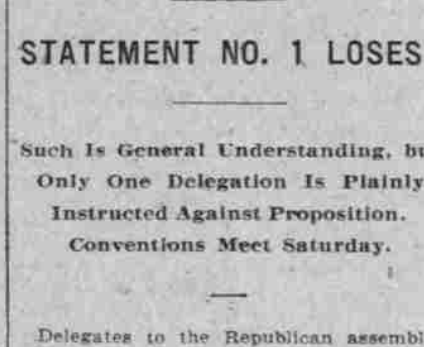
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Millmen Go to Sound advertisement: 'WILL ATTEND CONVENTION IN TACOMA TODAY. Meeting That of Western Retail Dealers' Association—Hoo Hoos Plan Big Contention.'

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