

SAYS BRIDGE WAS OFFERED BY WIDBS

Price of \$25 for Advance Information on Each Section, Declares Bridges.

OPPOSING COUNSEL CLASH

Malarkey Seeks to Show That Land Office Employees May Have Inocently Violated Rule Governing New Land Allotments.

J. T. Bridges, ex-Register of the Roseburg Land Office, yesterday testified in the James Henry Booth bribery trial that Frederick A. Kribs offered to pay the witness and the officials of the Roseburg Land Office \$25 for each section of indemnity school land selections, with the cancellation of which by the General Land Office, the officials of the Roseburg Land Office would furnish him in advance of the entry of the same on the records for the information of the public. This was the only noteworthy development in the day's proceedings which consisted almost exclusively of an exhaustive cross-examination of the ex-Register by Dan J. Malarkey, of counsel for the defense. Mr. Malarkey's object was not to finish with the witness before the noon adjournment today.

During the afternoon session Mr. Malarkey and Judge John Wolverson, in the Roseburg Land Office trial, began the cross-examination of Mr. Bridges. Mr. Malarkey was endeavoring to bring out the fact that during the incumbency of the Roseburg Land Office by Bridges and Booth, lax methods were employed while the records, including the official correspondence of the office with the Interior Department and the various offices available to the general public. The point sought to be brought out by counsel for the defense was that different rules were followed in registering the applications for indemnity school land selections and that for some time the land covered in the rejected applications was made available to entry at the local Land Office before official notice of their rejection had been received from Washington and entered on the records at Roseburg.

Declares Rules Conflict.

By gaining this admission, Mr. Malarkey wanted to show that, by following the conflicting rulings of the Department on the subject of the official of the Land Office might have innocently violated the rule singled out by the Government on its direct examination of the witness and which provided that all such rejections became available to further entry only after the official advice from Washington had been received and recorded. The inference was that under such conflicting rulings and the irregular practice regulating subsequent filings, Kribs and other applicants for such lands could acquire the desired information in advance and without the assistance of any other person.

In support of the plan of cross-examination, he was following, Mr. Malarkey cited a ruling by Secretary Hitchcock, made in June, 1905, and relating to the rule referred to by the prosecution, in which it was held that all such rejections were subject to further entry immediately following the receipt of an official relinquishment of the same from the state authorities, that it was not necessary to wait until the Commissioner of the General Land Office had acted on the relinquishment and reported the same to the officials of the local Land Office to be recorded.

Becker Raises Objection.

Judge Becker objected vigorously to this form of questioning the witness and among other reasons pointed out that the ruling, from which Mr. Malarkey proposed to quote, was not issued until some time subsequent to the transactions under investigation. In the controversy that followed, Judge Wolverson ruled that in ordering the witness to answer the examination of the witness, the defense would be required to offer as evidence the fact that the Land Office officials followed other rules in the course of their work.

As to the decision of 1905, Judge Wolverson held that it could not be offered, but, in the meantime, Mr. Malarkey having substantially presented the facts contained in the decision in the presence of the jury, Judge Becker withdrew his objections and noted that the decision was read in its entirety. To this Judge Wolverson demurred, holding that he would permit the time of the court to be taken up in that way. However, Mr. Malarkey read a part of the decision, which, on motion of Judge Becker, was afterwards ordered stricken from the records by Judge Wolverson.

Tells of Bribery Offer.

In concluding his testimony yesterday, Mr. Bridges testified that he was acquainted with Frederick Kribs in 1909 and that the latter transacted considerable business before the Roseburg Land Office. After 1909, inclusive, Bridges testified further that late in the year 1902, or early in 1903, Kribs called at the Land Office in Roseburg and, in a conversation with the witness and the defendant, Booth, announced that certain lands included in some of his indemnity school land applications, which had been rejected by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, had been acquired by other parties owing to the failure of the state officials to notify him of the rejection of his applications. Mr. Kribs very frankly announced he wished to make some arrangement with the Land Office officials by which he could get this information in time to make other selections.

In answer to further questions from Judge Becker, Mr. Bridges declared that Kribs at the time of the alleged conversation offered to pay Bridges and Booth \$25 for each rejected selection of which the Land Office officials informed him. After 1909, inclusive, Bridges testified that he had seen Kribs cloistered with Booth in the latter's office frequently. Mr. Bridges was turned over unexpectedly for cross-examination by the defense. Judge Wolverson announced yesterday that it would be necessary to adjourn court every afternoon at 4 o'clock in order to enable the court stenographers to transcribe the day's testimony and furnish the same to the interested counsel when the trial was resumed the following day. There will be no session of court this afternoon. At the noon hour an adjournment will be taken until 10 A. M. Monday.

McGinn Appeals Damage Case.

Judge Henry E. McGinn, counsel for the plaintiff in the damage suit of John Welsh, administrator of the estate of Michael Welsh, against the Barber Asphalt Company, yesterday perfected an appeal to the Circuit Court of Appeals at San Francisco. The suit was brought to recover \$3000 damages for the death of young Welsh while he was employed by the defendant company. It was tried before Judge Wolverson in the United States Court last Spring and the jury

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His departure is generally regretted by his friends of reform, and both he and Mrs. Tufts have been the recipients of numerous social courtesies. Mr. Tufts has the kindest feelings for Portland and Oregon, and hopes at some future time to resume his residence here.

Cherry Fair at The Dalles.

Cherry growers of Oregon are to compete for valuable prizes at the fair to be held at The Dalles, beginning June 29 and continuing two days thereafter. The competition will result, so the managers

of the fair confidently expect, in having the finest cherry exhibit ever made in the state. The three days' fair is to be made as attractive and instructive as a liberal policy of the management can make it, and an invitation is made to not only those directly interested in fruit culture, but all who would enjoy seeing an exhibition some of the choicest products of the state, visit the "Carnival of Fruits."

Suffragettes Will Rally.

LONDON, June 26.—Convinced that their recent tactics have failed to persuade Premier Asquith to accelerate the legislative machine in their favor, the suffragettes project another novel demonstration next Tuesday, with a view to exerting further pressure. While a deputation will seek an interview with the Prime Minister, it is the intention to surround the House of Commons with a cordon of suffragettes which the leaders predict will

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