

COMPANIES MUST COMPLY WITH LAW

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WOLVERTON SO DECIDES

Organizations Must Declare Intentions of Doing Business in This Commonwealth Before Legal Existence Is Established.

Before foreign corporations can have any standing in the courts of this state, they must comply with the provisions of the state law, which requires that all corporations organized in another state must qualify with the Secretary of State by declaring their intention of engaging in business in this state before they can assume a legal existence here. This is the substance of an opinion rendered by United States Judge Wolvertin in the Federal Court yesterday.

The case decided was that of the Cyclone Mining Company, a corporation organized under the laws of South Dakota, against the Baker City Light & Power Company, the Baker City Gas & Electric Company and the Rock Creek Power & Transmission Company. The plaintiff corporation contended that the defendant companies had no right to operate in this state before they had qualified with the Secretary of State. The case decided was that of the Cyclone Mining Company, a corporation organized under the laws of South Dakota, against the Baker City Light & Power Company, the Baker City Gas & Electric Company and the Rock Creek Power & Transmission Company. The plaintiff corporation contended that the defendant companies had no right to operate in this state before they had qualified with the Secretary of State.

indict James A. Finch today for the murder of Ralph B. Fisher. Judge Gantenbein is holding December 15 open for the trial of the assassin, although C. H. Dignott, who, it is thought, will defend Finch, pleads pressing duties as a reason for setting a later date. It is not believed, however, that the court will favor unnecessary delay.

The grand jury is also investigating the case wherein Harry Daly is accused of the murder of Harry Denny.

Among the nine jurors excused yesterday morning, one, a grocer's clerk, pleaded that he would be discharged should he serve on the jury, and that this would be hard, with Christmas coming. The court decided, however, that this was not a valid excuse, and said any employer found discharging a clerk, with the excuse of jury service would be brought in and punished for contempt of court. Carl A. Carlson, of Swedish birth, pleaded that he could not understand English well enough for "this law business." Judge Gantenbein said that the "law business" is not so technical as Carlson might suppose, and that the juror must serve.

Contract Broken; Asks \$10,000.

A. J. Deltz demands \$10,000 from H. L. Stevenson on account of a broken contract, by which Deltz was to purchase a half-interest in the Scott Hotel, at Seventh and Ankeny streets, for \$3000, and was, with his wife, to manage it for \$125 a month. Deltz has filed suit in the Circuit Court to recover. Deltz says that he paid \$1750 on the first four months' interest and offered to pay \$2000 a first payment on the second quarter of the stock. He says that, although his option had not expired, Stevenson refused to sell the stock, and Deltz and his wife were forced to leave the hotel, and neglected to repay the \$1750.

Assessment Cut to \$200.

Upon the showing made by the Buffalo Pitta Company yesterday, Judge Morrow decided to reduce its assessment of money, notes and accounts, at \$4000, the figure fixed by the Multnomah County Board of Equalization, to \$200. It was shown that all the accounts are carried by the main office in the East, the local office being but a warehouse for the time the assessment was made the books in Portland showed a balance of but \$225.

Jesse Roper, Aged 16, Found Drunk

Jesse Roper, 16 years old, is in the County Jail awaiting the action of the Juvenile Court. The lad was found drunk at Fifth and Burdette streets, and it was found that George Gray had taken him to his room and treated him to the best of wines and brandies. Gray is in the City Jail.

G. A. R. WILL CELEBRATE

Summer Post to Observe 100th Anniversary of Lincoln's Birth.

At the last meeting of Summer Post No. 12, G. A. R., in the hall on Grand and East Pine streets, it was decided to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, February 12, 1909. J. A. Newell, Dr. J. J. Levitt and John W. Ogilbee were appointed to make arrangements for the celebration. A church or public hall will be secured for the occasion and the public will be invited. This action was taken in accordance with the general order of the order-in-Chief Henry W. Nevius, which was read at the post meeting. This order sets forth that the 100th birthday of the great warrior will occur on February 12, 1909, and that all departments and posts are urged to observe the day in some way, and churches and schools also are requested to do so.

Summer Post elected the following officers: Commander, F. Neidermark; senior vice-commander, A. K. Currier; junior vice-commander, J. J. Levitt; quartermaster, J. A. Braden; surgeon, A. Z. Bryant; chaplain, W. T. Kerr; officer of the day, A. L. Edmundson; recorder, J. A. Newell; J. A. Brown; trustees, J. A. Newell, F. R. Neale and H. H. Pierce; delegates to Grand Encampment, W. T. Kerr, D. Finley, R. W. Dyer, D. N. Burnell, H. B. Keen; alternates, Dr. Levitt, W. A. Bittner, David Weaver, George Merrill, S. B. West. A present of \$25 was received from Commander W. A. Latture. The officers will be installed jointly with those of the Relief Corps the first meeting in January.

ANNUAL ELECTION TODAY

Troutdale Has Plenty Candidates for Councilman and Marshal.

The annual election of municipal officers for Troutdale will be held today. Three Councilmen, a City Marshal and a City Recorder are to be chosen. Mayor Aaron Fox will serve for another year, having been elected in December, 1907, for a two-year term. There are seven candidates for the three places in the Council. The candidates for this office are: William Schmidt, incumbent of the office, having been appointed to succeed Mr. Bowen; E. N. Buxton; Jean Larson; George Van Hook; Dan W. Mickle; the present City Recorder, is a candidate for reelection. He is opposed by William Weiler.

TO OLD MEXICO.

The regular mid-Winter excursion to Old Mexico will leave Portland December 12 and 13, joining the Southern Pacific solid Pullman excursion train out of San Francisco Tuesday, December 15.

The return fare, Portland to Mexico City, will be \$104, tickets bearing a limit of two months, with stop-over privileges at pleasure on the return trip.

Passengers will be given the choice of the Southern Pacific or the Santa Fe returning between El Paso and San Francisco.

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DAIRYMEN MEET THURSDAY

State Convention to Be Held in Salem This Week.

Secretary W. L. Crissey of the Oregon State Dairy Association, is busy arranging the preliminaries for the annual convention, to be held in Salem Thursday and Friday of this week. Mr. Crissey will go to Salem Wednesday and will stay there on Thursday. He received a telegram yesterday that C. L. Mitchell, of Washington, D. C., of the dairy division of the United States Department of Agriculture, has been directed to attend the meeting at Salem.

"We are very glad that Mr. Mitchell will be with us," said Secretary Crissey. "Until today we were afraid he could not attend. The presence of a Government representative at the convention aids us greatly in that it provides us with a judge who awards the various prizes. When a local man acts in that capacity, it is likely to arouse jealousy and some question as to the merit of the awards. With an entirely disinterested person for judge no question can be raised."

Firms interested in supplying their goods to the dairy trade are arranging exhibits for the convention. Among those who have already arranged for space in the exhibit hall are: Monro & Criswell, De Laval Dairy Supply Company, Charles H. Lilly Company, Empire Cream Separator Company, Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Company, Danusson Creamery Company, Hazelwood Cream Company, Washington Creamery Company, Leslie Salt Company and T. S. Townsend Creamery Company.

O. G. Simpson, of Corvallis, has been engaged to receive exhibits as they arrive and attend to placing them to the best advantage.

The promises to be a large attendance at the convention and the programme is an interesting one. Among the leading addresses to be given will be one by State Dairy & Food Commissioner Bailey on "Dairy Legislation."

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The International Tuberculosis Congress, recently held in Washington, has given a world of facts concerning the greatest scourge ever inflicted upon the race, and if it has not pointed out a positive cure it has at least shown how the disease can be prevented, with the promise also that there will soon be forthcoming a serum or anti-toxin which will remove the disease from the face of the earth.

When we stop to consider that a million lives will be saved annually to the world by the prevention and cure of this disease, we can form some idea of the importance and magnitude of the subject considered by this Congress, and of its tremendous importance to mankind.

All honor to the men who are engaged in this work. The world will owe them, as well as the public profession to which they belong, an eternal debt of gratitude.

We now know that there are millions of persons living and moving about in everyday life, who are suffering from Tuberculosis in its various forms, and it is to this multitude of attention must be given to prevent a future development of the disease.

It is estimated that 160,000 persons die annually in the United States from Consumption or Tuberculosis, and from any way we look at it this is a dreadful figure to consider.

If this tremendous loss to the country occurred annually by the destruction of the population of some splendid city of 160,000, the strength and power of the Government would be stretched forth to put a stop to the calamity; yet quietly and insidiously Tuberculosis is yearly effecting this fearful loss of life and the Government scarcely recognizes the fact.

In every city and considerable village in the United States there should be provided, under authority of law, an organization for the prevention and cure of Tuberculosis under the supervision of medical men. These organizations should be provided with accommodations for the treatment of indigent and advanced cases of the disease, and should also be provided with the necessary equipment for enforcing hygienic conditions.

The advanced or incurable should be segregated from the indigent or curable cases as they are the centers of infection and the greatest danger to the public.

Good food, rest, fresh air and hygienic living, together with moderate doses of Dairy Pure Milk, Whiskey are the essential in the prevention and cure of Tuberculosis. No treatment or measure for the cure of this disease can be successful as one reinforced by a refined and wholesome stimulant like this medicinal whiskey.

In reformatory those who are predisposed to the disease and for the public generally the most rigid measures should be adopted. Factories, workshops and stores of all kinds where help is employed and people congregated, should be well ventilated and kept as much as possible clear of dust and dirt. The laws, too, for the prevention of spitting on doors and the public streets should be strictly enforced, as this is the greatest source of danger.

Of great importance is the care that should be given to children during their school years. Defective teeth, lead pencils, unclean hands and unclean clothing, all these are factors which may be of inestimable value in the prevention of Tuberculosis and other serious ailments.

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