

JUDGE WEBSTER'S TIME BASES SUIT

Attorney H. C. King Alleges Magistrate Wastes County's Days by Absence.

COMPLAINT TO BE FILED

Lawyer Avers Jurist Devotes Taxpayers' Hours to Private Practice. He Demands Accounting to Auditor and Salary Return.

Attorney H. C. King will file a petition in mandamus in the Circuit Court today to compel Judge Webster to make a statement to the County Auditor...

Attorney King states that in the event of Judge Webster not returning to the county money which he says has been drawn illegally, the District Attorney will be asked to institute proceedings to compel its return.

That during all of said time from the first day of July, 1906, until the date of filing this petition, each County Judge and Auditor of said Multnomah County, Oregon, and every month during all of said time, a verified statement to the County Auditor of said Multnomah County, Oregon, showing the amount due him for services rendered during the month, and every month, and the amount of any statement filed with the County Auditor, or at all, during the time, he was absent from his office during said time, and when he was absent from his office for any reason other than the performance of his official duties...

That during said time defendant has been out of the County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, for a considerable length of time, the exact number of which and the duration thereof being unknown to either party...

A BIT OF OLD MEXICO

Live Canal Scenes in Mexcalitlan, the Mexican Venice.

Dillon Wallace in Outing. At the end of an hour our canoe entered a maze of beautiful lagoons. With tropical foliage rising high above our heads on either side, we wound our way in and out amongst them until finally we burst through into a wider space to behold La Laguna de las Siete Ciudades...

Feeling like the clear waters of La Laguna de las Siete Ciudades, we went to the bottom what is apparently an immense pile of silver money, and gravely our canoe-men informed us that it was in fact real money...

Soon we saw the "olmaron" (shrimp) nets, some of which were made of twine, and then suddenly swung into a lake in the center of which, lying low in the water, appeared the village of Mexcalitlan.

Mexcalitlan is built in the form of a cartwheel, with the plaza for a hub, and canals lined with bits of reeds and poles reaching up to it, like spokes, from the outer rim of water. Very picturesque and entrancing the little town looked as we approached...

followed one of the canals of the plaza, and to the store of Kaiser's friend, Senor Fortunato Martin, Senor Martin saw us coming, and met us at the door with a most sincere welcome...

Our arrival had been heralded broadcast. Before we had gone a block our progress resembled a circus handwagon parade, and I believe that every child in the town was at our heels...

Presently supper was served, consisting of three kinds of fish, the local names of which are "robolo," "hiza mocho," and "constantino." The fish was exceedingly well cooked, and accompanied by tortillas and coffee. We used our fingers in lieu of knives and forks...

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GIRL BREAKS PONIES.

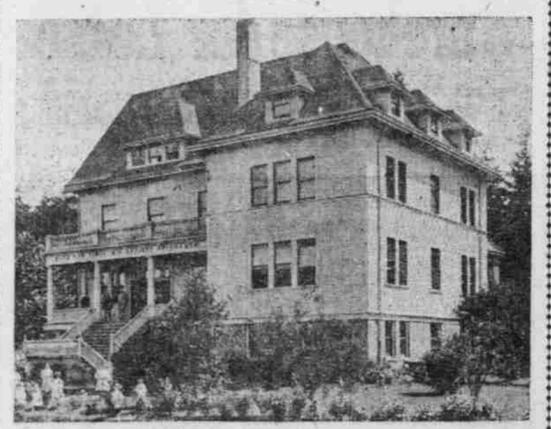
Child of 11 Trains Shetlands, Shows Perfect Mastery of Steeds.

London, Ore. Chicago Inter Ocean. Near the picturesque Elizabethan farmhouse in Buckinghamshire, which is her home, a little English lassie named Gwenie Thompson, has become famous for her fine day just now breaking in her mother's Shetland ponies.

"Gwenie first walks the ponies about the lanes," said Mrs. Thompson, "and then rides them. She seldom has a fall, and doesn't mind a tumble if the pony is not hurt. It is because the Shetlands have such a perfect temper that he is the ideal child's pony."

It was delightful to see the perfect mastery Miss Gwenie showed over the ponies, which she rode barebacked. About the farm she generally goes barefoot. She is 11 years old.

PRESENT HOME OF BOYS' AND GIRLS' AID SOCIETY IN PORTLAND.



NEW ANNEX TO NORTH WING WILL BE ERECTED AT COST OF \$7000.

grow up, but only one at a time. I make them all eat out of my hand, and I am sure they all love me as I love them. Smallpox Germ Discovered. Rio de Janeiro, Cor. New York Sun. Dr. Oswaldo Cruz, Director-General of the Sanitary Service, makes announcement to the Rio de Janeiro Academy of Medicine that the microbes of smallpox, which is of animal origin, had been discovered during bacteriological researches at the Oswaldo Cruz Institute by Drs. Henrique Beaulieu de Aragao and Frowazak.

BIG SCORES MADE BY MEN ON RANGE

Fourth Regiment Riflemen Are Making Fine Record at Practice.

FIELD PROBLEM TODAY

While Half of Southern Oregon Regiment Continues Target Practice, Others Will Take Up Mimic Warfare About Clackamas.

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Private Mooney, of Cottage Grove, was the marksmanship champion of the day, making a total of 37 points out of 100 possible. When it is taken into consideration that the firing is at a small target and that shots are fired from a distance of 200 yards, the score of 97 is one to be remembered.

RAIN SETS COAL ON FIRE

Flames Break Out Afresh in Bunkers at La Grande.

LA GRANDE, Ore., July 27.—(Special.)—Although it was thought for a time

PIANO SALE EXTRAORDINARY!

Nearing the End! Fair Warning!



The biggest occasion in the way of littlest prices and littlest payments for really fine warranted high-grade PIANOS ever witnessed in Portland and one that will never come again.

Delayed Cars Are Here Now and All Will Be Sold in a Few Days. Sale Ends Saturday!

Bring \$5 or \$6 and Get a Nice New Piano Now. Prices \$138, \$162, \$146, Etc. Never heretofore was it possible to secure so much genuine piano value for the money. Probably never again. Come right away.

All of the Pianos included in this sale are now on display at our Retail Salesrooms, "the always busy corner," on Washington at Park (8th) street.

The prices are \$138, \$162, \$146. Pay \$5 cash and \$5 a month. There are eighteen \$300 and \$350 styles reduced, \$127, \$164 and \$154. On these, terms are \$6 cash and \$6 a month.

If you wish to pay cash, an extraordinary and altogether unusual premium of 4 per cent goes to anyone wishing to pay in full within 30 days.

See these pianos, note the reductions; no such occasion for securing a piano so tremendously under price will be presented again in several years, at least. There is an awakening to prosperity throughout the East.

We found two well-known piano manufacturers with a large stock of finished pianos. They were terribly anxious to realize. We secured these latest high-grade pianos at a most extraordinary reduction. We pass this advantage along to wide-awake midsummer buyers.

Bear in mind, we guarantee every instrument as to quality, and also as to price. Your money back if at any time within six months you can buy the same grade of pianos elsewhere, East or West, at anywhere near such low price.

Should you later on want the best in the world, the Chickering or the Kimball, or that beautiful art piano, the Weber, or the Pianola Piano, we will any time within two years allow total price paid for these pianos in exchange toward the former.



THE HOME FOR FINE PIANOS BIGGEST, BUSIEST AND BEST 353 WASHINGTON STREET



FUND NEARLY COMPLETE

ANNEX TO RECEIVING HOME TO BE ERECTED. Enlarged Quarters Will Give Boys' and Girls' Aid Society Adequate Facilities.

The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society will erect a north wing to its present building, at a total cost of about \$7000. Two thousand dollars of this amount was appropriated by the Legislature at its last session, and about \$4000 collected from philanthropic citizens of Portland.

The building committee consists of F. E. Beach, J. C. Ainsworth and Robert S. Farrell, Richard Martin, Jr., the architect, has procured eight bids on the carpenter work, nine bids on the plumbing, five bids on the heating and five bids on the electric wiring. The successful bidders are: Frank C. Strick, for the woodwork, cement, brick work and painting; Otto Wackrow, for the plumbing; J. J. Roderdy, for heating the new building, and the Main Electric Company for the wiring.

The accompanying sketch shows the building as it is now. The addition will be on the north side, and the exterior will correspond with the south wing. The new wing will consist of about 11 rooms. In the basement the present laundry will be extended. There will also be a boys' dining-room, a large bathroom fitted with wash trough, shower and tub baths, toilet, boys' locker-room and reading-room. The first floor will have a reception-room, assembly-room, two bedrooms and storeroom and the offices. The second floor will consist of two dormitories, attendants' room and linen closet. The attic floor will contain a hospital for the boys, dormitory and attendants' room.

MAN WHO DONATES \$50,000 TO BIBLE SCHOOL IS FINED FOR CURSING

EUGENE, July 27.—John B. Coleman, a capitalist-philanthropist of Eugene, who two years ago donated \$50,000 of city property to the Eugene Bible University,

was fined \$5 yesterday in the city Police Court for profanity on the street. Coleman, who is over 60 years of age, was missed a foot or so by a speeding automobile. Immediately there burst from his lips a flood of profanity that was heard a block by Chief of Police Farrington, who at once arrested him. Coleman is the owner of much property in Eugene and some in California. He has made many bequests. This was the first time in his life he had been under arrest.

Trunks, suitcases and bags. Largest variety at Harris Trunk Co.

HIS WRATH COSTS HIM \$5

Man Who Donates \$50,000 to Bible School Is Fined for Cursing.

The beautiful grounds back of the receiving home cannot be surpassed for the purpose for which they are used. They consist of a good-sized grove, which is divided by a fence into boys' and girls' playgrounds. In the boys' playground there are swings and a baseball field, and on the girls' side there is a tennis court, croquet lawn and swings, and it is the intention of the superintendent soon to put in a sand court. When the building and the grounds are completed Superintendent Gardner says that he believes the institution will be unsurpassed by any home of its size in the Northwest.

You cannot make a good cup of cocoa out of poor cocoa; a poor cook couldn't spoil Ghirardelli's COCOA in the making. Fragrant, delicious, nourishing. Less than one cent a cup. Don't ask merely for cocoa—ask for Ghirardelli's. D. Ghirardelli Co.

