

# WORD AT VERMONT

## Prosecutor Devotes Five Hours to Assailing Testimony Favoring Defendant.

### AMBITION DEEMED MOTIVE

#### Attorney Gearin to Open for Defense This Morning—Lawyer for Government Outlines Alleged Fraud—Finish Friday.

Attorney Henry was unable to conclude his argument against Hermann in the five hours in which he spoke to the jury, and the special prosecutor will be required to finish Friday. Attorney Gearin will open for the defense this morning.

Attorney Henry, in quiet tones, recounted step by step the story of the alleged Blue Mountain conspiracy against the state school lands and the United States as theorized by the Government. His address lacked the characteristic fire of the "Honey orations." The prosecutor told of the alleged "consuming ambition" of Hermann, and sketched the array of testimony, saying it is circumstantial proof that Hermann was one of the conspirators who procured the Blue Mountain withdrawal and that his reward was planned to be political honor and not monetary gain.

Throughout the argument the Government prosecutor attacked the veracity of Hermann in an attempt to show the defendant was more interested in a political preference than in the public good; and that Hermann's motives were not sincere. The argument was directed particularly against the testimony by Hermann that he had stood at all times for the repeal or modification of the land law of 1897, not applying it to unsurveyed lands, and that he was the originator of the idea that came to Hermann from an attorney in the office of the Secretary of the Interior.

#### Hermann's Stand Assailed.

Reverting to the testimony of Hermann that he considered the Heu land law the "mother of all laws in this country," the prosecutor said:

"The timber and stone act is the grandfather and the grandmother of all land-frauds in Oregon, and without it there would never have been any land-frauds in this or any other state, and this defendant would not now be here on trial."

Hermann started out by saying that he was the only man in the Interior Department who was looking out for the interests of the dear people, and that he went before the committee on public lands in advocacy of remedial legislation. Hermann said from the witness stand that Hiltchcock assumed that he made an argument, and the witness was unable to understand what he wanted, except the repeal of the timber and stone act. That was the only time which would cure all the trouble.

"Compare the attitude of Hermann with the attitude of Hiltchcock and the jury will be led to think that Hermann was giving the people buncombe. Hermann knew that Congress would not repeal the Heu land law at that time, and that Hermann's attitude was not repeated until after the indictments had been returned against these defendants in the resulting in a great clamor from the public."

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#### Defendant's Veracity Attacked.

Attention was directed to the letter from "Citizen" which reached the Commissioner in January, 1900, and which pointed out the operations of Hyde and Benson in the Cascade reserve. It told Commissioner Hermann that Hyde was the owner of the 40,000 acres of school lands which at the time belonged to Oregon, and which the papers considered, belonged to E. P. McCormack. The scheme as outlined in that letter, Hermann said, was identical with the plans put forth by Mays and his associates in the Blue Mountain reserve case, and from that basis the prosecutor assumed that it had been in the hands of Hermann.

"Valk is the only man who testified that there was ever a fraud in the hands of Hermann," said Henry. "Attorneys for the defense will say that because Valk was in the employ of Benson and was retracting, this trust as an employee of the Land Office, he should not be believed. I admit that Valk is not a man of high character, but he could not retract the testimony of men of high standing to justify him. But as between Valk and Hermann, who has the deeper interest in the matter?"

"If Hermann admits that he saw that letter he had just as well plead guilty, and for a similar reason the Commissioner would not admit he saw the Zabrickle letter and Holsinger report prior to the Blue Mountain case. We are going to show that Hermann lied on a number of occasions, and that he never hesitated to do so when the truth would hurt him. Valk had no interest in the Land Office and did not want to tell the truth all he had to do was to get his forgetter in working order."

"Citizen" Letter Cited.

#### Attorney Henry drew the inference that Hermann was bearing the "Citizen" letter in mind when he told Emmett Callahan there was no need to worry because Oregon men were acquiring Blue Mountain school lands.

Hermann Clerk Henry, who said that Hyde and Benson had secured the 40,000 acres in the Cascades and he hoped there would be no protest when it was known that the Callahans had been shut out of the Blue Mountains.

"It is plain," continued the prosecutor, "that Mays and Sorenson heard about the deal in the Cascades. We know that Sorenson later secured an addition to that reserve, and they needed a comfortable fortune from the school lands. Then the gang looked around and found that all the school lands in the state had been grabbed by the Callahans. They treated one poor old, uneducated hillbilly going into town looking after his stipend concerning friends and favors. It was not a bad motto—he never forgot a favor or failed to reward a friend—but a better one would have been, 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant.'"

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Supplied to Man.  
(From "Man's Maladies.")  
Without stamina man is a failure. What is stamina? It is a combination of vigor, health, and energy. It is the power that gives wonderful inner strength, will, sustains, and supports a wise mentality, makes man and keeps friends. Keen, strong, sensitive nerves make stamina and with it man can excel in business, sports, pleasure and social favor. Without it he is apt to be weak, nervous, with cold hands, cold feet, nervousness, timidity, fear without cause, trembling, melancholy, pain in the back of head, neurasthenia and a general lack of grit. It is impossible to act naturally under all circumstances, as a man with stamina should. It should be the aim of every man to correct the condition responsible for failure and unhappiness, for it can be done by the simple fulfillment of nature's law that the nerves receive their nourishment through the blood, which enables the nerve fluids to constantly take place. The nerve fluids and body strength undergo constant change, and unless the supply is equal to the demand the stream of health ebbs low and misery prevails.

Astonishing a t r o n g t h , nerve fluids and polars are quickly restored by the following valuable formula, which anyone can prepare in a few minutes: Add one ounce of compound fluid balmwort, shake well, and let stand two hours. Then add one ounce of pure cadomene compound (not cadomene) and one ounce of pound essence cardiol. Mix. Shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one when retiring.

The above ingredients, except the syrup, are rare concentrations of purest drugs without opiates and are used for various prescriptions.

### Two Men Convicted, Paroled.

J. W. McClelland, accused of larceny by embezzlement, was placed on parole by Presiding Judge Morrow yesterday afternoon, after having pleaded guilty and having received a penalty of three years in the Penitentiary. He stole \$50 from the Pearl Laundry Company. J. J. Whitley was also placed on parole after having pleaded guilty to a similar offense. He promises to be good for one year.

### Court Notes.

P. L. Austin has been fined \$50 by Presiding Judge Morrow, of the Circuit Court. He pleaded guilty to a statutory offense.

The city will be obliged to pay \$7250 for an acre on Mount Tabor, to become the headquarters of the city. The judge in Judge Gates' department of the Circuit Court, which tried the city's condemnation suit against W. A. Groves, the owner of the land, returned a sealed verdict for this amount, which was read yesterday morning. The city's lawyer placed a value of \$2000 on the public.

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### PIE HUNT IS ALL IN VAIN

Detectives Get Urgent Call, but Evidence of Crime Is Lacking.

It was a quiet day yesterday in the office of the City Detective staff in the Woodruff building. Reports of crime were coming in and Detectives Tichenor and Howell were sitting about as emergency men awaiting something to turn up. The telephone bell rang and Captain Moore took the receiver.

"Boys," said he to the two detectives, "there is a report of a crime at 464 Gilsan street, as fast as you can. The place has been burglarized."

Excitement ensued and the two detectives left for the scene in haste. Half an hour later they returned and made out the following report of the crime:

"Restaurant burglarized. List of stolen property: Description of stolen property, 1 apple, 2 cherry. They had barely finished the report when the telephone rang again. Someone had some very urgent information to impart. It was said, about the burglary. Tichenor took the phone.

"This is Work's restaurant," the voice said. "We've discovered that there is a quarter of a pound of butter missing, too, that we'd like to have returned." It was an interesting report, and the two men decided to see if they could identify any of the pies, but finally gave it up as a bad job and added a postscript to their report in the case file, saying that after a thorough investigation of the case they had come to the conclusion that the evidence had been eaten."

### PESTS TO BE HIS TOPIC

Professor Bridwell, of Corvallis, to Lecture Before Fruitgrowers.

"Orchard Pests" is to be the subject of an address before the Portland Association of Fruitgrowers, to be held in the auditorium of the Young Men's Christian Association Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. The speaker will be Professor John C. Bridwell, of Corvallis, who has been a member of the Oregon Agricultural College, Apple anthracnose, San Jose scale and the codlin moth have already been discussed by the professor. Bridwell will pay particular attention to other pests with which the orchardist has to contend.

The discussion following the address is expected to be of much interest. The entire subject of orchard pests will be thrown open and Professor Bridwell will answer any questions that may be asked concerning pest treatment.

At least one musical number will be provided.

The lectures on apple packing are soon to be given before the association. These are expected to be among the most practical addresses yet delivered. Interest in the course has been constantly increasing and it is probable that the weekly lectures will be continued for some time.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

E. S. Edwards, a merchant at Seattle, is at the Lenox.

Bruce Clendenning, an attorney of Spokane, is at the Portland.

J. K. McGregor, a real estate dealer at Astoria, is at the Lenox.

Miss Jessie Stanton, of Vale, registered at the Oregon yesterday.

William F. Laraway, a fruitgrower of Hood River, is at the Perkins.

Lee H. Washfield, a teamster of Anacortes, Wash., is at the Oregon.

Hood Craven, a prominent timberman of Dallas, Or., is at the Imperial.

H. William Fellows, secretary of the Goldenstate Water Company, is at the Perkins.

Harriet R. Labadie, lecturer, of Philadelphia, is registered at the Portland.

Guo H. Shumate, a business man of Eugene, accompanied by his wife, is at the Seward.

Roy Alexander, son of the proprietor of a department store at Pendleton, is at the Imperial.

J. H. Lauterman, an insurance man of Salem, is one of yesterday's arrivals at the Northla.

Guo H. Water, a business man of The Dalles, accompanied by his wife, is at the Cornelius.

J. R. Burke, Deputy Fish Commissioner of the State of Washington, of Cathlamet, is at the Imperial.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brown, formerly residents of Portland, registered yesterday at the Seward from San Francisco.

C. T. Coulter, a real estate dealer of

# City Council Awards Contract

## for Water Mains in Laurelhurst

### The Addition with Character

## At Cost of \$55,000—Work to Be Started Immediately

### Contract for Asphalt Paving in Laurelhurst Has Been Awarded at Cost of \$347,000

### Contract for Sewers in Laurelhurst Was Given Out at Cost of \$53,000

These 3 contracts alone call for an expenditure of \$450,000 and it is estimated that the entire improvement work of Laurelhurst will be completed in about 6 months' time.

# INVEST IN LAURELHURST

The addition where improvements go ahead and where present values will double in a short time. For remember, this property has been in the very thickly-settled district and not on the outskirts and has two carlines now running through it and 2 miles beyond.

## Lots \$750 Up—Terms 10% Cash 2% Monthly

Call at our office or make an appointment by phone and we will show you Laurelhurst in our auto. Deal with any of our authorized agents if you prefer, or take Rose City Park or Montaville cars to property.

# Laurelhurst Co.

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# DISCRIMINATION WINS!!!

In every walk in life discrimination between the true and the false wins and enjoys success. In questions of form, of style and of values, whether financial, commercial or medicinal, the judgment of the men and women who select and appreciate and utilize the true and genuine product, proves most profitable and most satisfactory to themselves and to all who follow them.

Therefore, in connection with so important a subject as the physical well-being of the people, the most eminent physicians insist on full information as to the wholesome nature and truly beneficial character of the component parts of the remedies used and prescribed by them, and the wise manufacturer not only supplies them with the knowledge desired, but also combines for them in proper proportions the very substances most approved by them and omits every objectionable substance. The world-wide acceptance of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna by physicians and the well-informed of the world, as the best of family laxatives, is due to the universal satisfaction which it has given for more than a quarter of a century and also to the fact that it is a remedy of known quality and known component parts and to the further fact that the California Fig Syrup Co. presents it to the world simply as the ideal strengthening personal laxative to cleanse and sweeten the system gently, yet effectually, and to dispel colds and headaches and to assist in overcoming constipation. To get its beneficial effects—always buy the original and genuine, for sale by all leading druggists. The full name of the company—California Fig Syrup Co.—is always plainly printed on the front of every package.

# Wise Dental Co.

Wise Dental Co. is a leading dental clinic in Portland, Oregon. It offers a wide range of dental services, including fillings, extractions, and dentures. The clinic is staffed by experienced dentists and is equipped with the latest dental technology.

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# TO-NIGHT We are here

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