

WIFE TOOK STOCK, DECLARES DR. COE

His Sanitarium Shares Transferred to Herself During His Absence, Is Charge.

RETURN ASKED OF COURT

Answer to Mate's Suit for Accounting From Directors' Board Also Caused by Woman.

That ninety-five shares of stock of the Sanitarium Company, by possession of which she gained control of the company, were taken by Mrs. Viola M. Coe from the strong box of her husband, Dr. Henry Waldo Coe, is a charge contained in the answer and cross-complaint filed by Dr. Coe in a suit brought by his wife asking for an accounting of funds he has received, as an officer of the company, since July 1, 1912.

Dr. Coe charges that his wife was able to transfer the shares to herself because of a blank indorsement he had made on them to negotiate a loan. In his cross-bill, Dr. Coe said that he arrived in San Francisco October 28, 1910, from a trip to the Orient and telegraphed his wife the next day that he was leaving for Portland. That afternoon, Dr. Coe charges, she transferred the stock to herself, held a meeting with the other directors of the company and ousted him as an officer.

He admits that he has received large sums from the Government since July, on account of the contract of the Sanitarium Company for the care of Alaska's insane patients, but says that this money has been applied to the necessary expenses of the hospital, meeting obligations of the corporation and paying family expenses.

Return of Stock Petitioned. Dr. Coe asks the court to have the stock returned to him, that the lease on personal property, which now stands in Mrs. Coe's name, be transferred to the corporation.

Mrs. Coe brought suit two weeks ago against Dr. Coe and the Sanitarium Company, asking for an accounting of the \$25,000 received by Dr. Coe from the United States Government between July 1 and October 1913, as payment for the care of the Alaska insane, and that a receiver be appointed.

Dr. Coe says the Sanitarium Company was organized in 1899, he turning all the assets of his private business into the new company, and that Mrs. Coe was given one share of the stock that she might qualify as a director. He has had a contract with the Government to care for the Alaska insane from 1903. Numerous changes in the stockholders took place between that time and October, 1910, when Dr. Coe charges he lost his interest in the corporation when Mrs. Coe took his shares of stock from his strong-box.

At the meeting at which Dr. Coe was ousted as a member of the board of directors all of the defendant corporation's holdings at the Mount Tabor property were sold, Dr. Coe charges, at about 50 per cent of their value. In 1910, he says, this property was worth \$150,000.

Woman Dropped From Board. Trouble between Mrs. Coe and Dr. Tuttle, the doctor who is in charge of the finances and management of the Sanitarium, resulted in Mrs. Coe being dropped from the board of directors. This breach between the doctor and Mrs. Coe, at the suggestion of Edward M. Nixon, Government inspector, Dr. Coe purchased the interest of Dr. Tuttle and Dr. Coe in the Sanitarium. Dr. and Mrs. Coe and Miss L. O'Connor were elected directors of the company.

After the new directors had been elected, Dr. Coe says, he was elected president and treasurer and as treasurer authorized to indorse all checks and drafts of the corporation.

Dr. Coe denies that Mrs. Coe is the owner of Morningside Hospital, at Montavilla, but that she purchased it as an officer of the corporation, in 1905, and holds it in trust for the defunct corporation. Notes for loans which she signed at this time, he says, were so signed because he was having financial difficulties with Eastern Oregon properties.

PERJURY JURY DISMISSED

St. Johns Constable Tried by Reason of Liquor Testimony.

After being out since late Tuesday afternoon without finding a verdict, the jury in the case of John H. Mitchell, charged with perjury in connection with testimony he gave before the grand jury, was discharged yesterday morning by Judge Davis. It is reported the jury stood ten to two for conviction, the first and last ballots taken bringing the same result.

Mitchell, who is Constable at St. Johns, testified in the case of Charley Mol, who was before the jury on a charge of violating the Sunday closing law. Detectives who had been to St. Johns testified that they had drunk with Mitchell in Mol's place on Sunday, June 1, Mitchell buying some of the drinks served. Mitchell denied that he had been in the place. At his trial he admitted that he had drunk with the detectives and remembered conversations, but said the occurrence was on the last Sunday in May and not the first in June.

TEACHERS BILL BACKERS

Jackson and Josephine Counties Champion Millage Act Move.

ASHLAND, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Jackson County teachers, in recent institute assembled, unanimously recommended support of the millage bill in 1914. They also urged that the bill be passed in the present school year, especially insofar as heavy support of educational measures coming up at the referendum election November 4 is concerned. Standardization of the high schools of the state and the abolishment of the present eighth grade examinations also were urged. Appreciation was expressed for the benefits being derived from the extension work as afforded by the State University, and the teachers furthermore went on record as being pledged to vote "Yes" on the university building appropriation clause of the referendum ballot.

The teachers of Josephine County took like action and collectively the educators of both counties work for the reopening of the Southern Oregon Normal School.

\$30,000 and \$40,000, has been found belonging to the estate of John McSorley, an aged soldier of fortune who died here recently, after living in straitened circumstances for years.

G. A. WHITE APPOINTED

NATIONAL GUARDSMAN MEMBER OF NATIONAL BOARD.

Oregon Man to Participate in Deliberations With 20 Other High Officers on Rifle Practice.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 30.—Captain George A. White, of the Third Infantry Regiment, Oregon National Guard, has been appointed by the Secretary of War a member of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice. He is the only Western man on the board, which



Captain George A. White.

was created by Congress in 1903. The board directs the rifle competitions of the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps and National Guard, and occupies itself with the stimulation of interest in marksmanship in colleges and schools and among civilian rifle clubs.

The board, of which Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge is chairman, convenes in Washington early in January.

Captain White is the inspector of small arms practice of the Oregon infantry regiment and range officer at the state rifle range. He has been an officer in the National Guard since 1903 and previous to that saw service in the Spanish-American War. He has twice served as range officer in National matches and has been a member of the National board to which he has been appointed in 1913.

RAILROAD WORK IS SET

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW LINE TO BEGIN NEXT WEEK.

Puget Sound and Willapa Harbor Branch Expected to Operate Next Spring.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—B. H. Rhodes, local attorney for the Puget Sound & Willapa Harbor, a branch of the Milwaukee that is about to build through Centralia, has announced that the Guthrie, McDougall & Co. Portland firm that was recently awarded the contract for building the new line from Maytown to Duwamish, is to be built by the B. & N. P. Railroad, a contract for building that part of the road from Maytown to Centralia. The headquarters of construction is at Centralia.

According to Mr. Rhodes, active work on the new line will begin the first of the week.

Guthrie, McDougall & Co. will also begin work between Chehalis and Doty at once. Headquarters have been opened by the company in Chehalis and machinery and supplies are being assembled. The company will work toward Doty making a crew of the Keasell Construction Company which is building toward Doty from Raymond. With three separate crews working it is believed that the line will be in operation before next Spring.

MANY FACE ARREST TODAY

Warrants Issued for 110 Delinquents of License Fees.

One hundred and ten peddlers, real estate dealers, insurance agents, hotel keepers and other persons doing business subject to city license are due to be arrested today on charges of having failed to make their license payments. Warrants for all delinquents were issued yesterday by License Inspector Hutcheson and were turned over to the police last night.

Under the law a business subject to license must be discontinued at the expiration of the license period unless a new license is taken out. The licenses involved in the wholesale arrests today are delinquent since July 1.

HOTEL MULTNOMAH.

Guests attending ball and reception Friday night at Hotel Multnomah will please use Fourth-street entrance. H. C. Bowers.—Adv.

DOTS AND DASHES

MISS NEWCOMB'S FORMER TESTIMONY IN COURT RECORDS TO BE HEARD.

"WOMAN IN WHITE" SEEN

Rev. Herbert E. Dille, of San Francisco, Tells of Wedding Accused. Attorneys' Wrangling Marks Progress of Case.

Evidence from the court records, given by Miss Ethel Newcomb, chief witness for the prosecution at the first trial of E. E. C. Von Klein, charged with robbing Miss Newcomb of jewels valued at \$3500, will be admitted at the second trial, in the absence of Miss Newcomb, Judge Morrow ruled yesterday afternoon. The defense objected strenuously and required that J. F. Wood, court reporter, who took stenographic notes during the first trial, read the evidence from his shorthand notes.

The state showed by Miss Stratton, a stenographer in the District Attorney's office, its first witness, that subpoenas for Miss Newcomb had been sent to every Sheriff in the state, and that no returns had been received. With this evidence admitted, the state attempted to read to the jury the testimony given by Miss Newcomb at Von Klein's preliminary examination. This was not allowed by Judge Morrow, who said that the testimony given by Miss Newcomb at the trial in the Circuit Court in July, the presiding judge held to be competent, if properly introduced. This testimony will be read this morning.

Preacher Tells of Marriage.

The testimony of Miss Newcomb will be to the effect that her jewels were stolen from her by Von Klein soon after their arrival in Portland in 1911. Attorney Hume, for the defense, said the state would not be able to show that Miss Newcomb had any diamonds or that any were stolen from her.

Rev. Herbert E. Dille, of San Francisco, the last witness on the stand before adjournment was taken, testified he had married George E. Lewis and Miss Newcomb at his parsonage in San Francisco in 1911. He identified Von Klein as George B. Lewis and testified that the Miss Newcomb who was a party to the marriage was the same Miss Newcomb who testified against Von Klein at the July trial. Rev. Mr. Dille said he had been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 40 years.

Almost continuous wrangling by attorneys marked the first day of the second trial. Spirited arguments were made by Deputy District Attorney McGuire, for the state, and W. T. Hume, for the defense, relative to the competency of almost every question asked witnesses.

Attorneys Clash Often.

The first spirited clash between the attorneys, in which Judge Morrow took part, was during the first day of the opening statement. Mr. Hume told the jury that the prosecution of this case had cost the authorities \$7000. Deputy Attorney McGuire objected instantly to the remark, and was sustained by Judge Morrow, who reprimanded Mr. Hume for making comments to the jury which he must know were incompetent.

Mr. McGuire made the opening address for the state, reviewing the evidence which will be presented to the jury covering Von Klein's operations in various cities, where he is alleged to have a string of victims.

"Although Miss Newcomb is not here and will not be in this trial," said Mr. McGuire, "the state will be able to prove that this defendant stole jewels worth \$3500 from her."

The defense made a general denial of guilt, counsel saying that the State had failed to convict the defendant at a previous trial.

"Woman in White" Present.

The morning session and an hour in the afternoon were passed in selecting a jury. Prospective jurors were questioned particularly as to whether they had read reports of the former trial in the papers. In selecting the jury, the State used three peremptory charges and the defense two. The 12 men chosen to try the case are: G. F. Hammer, Harry Ray, H. S. Card, William Langner, T. H. Taylor, B. B. Hammond, J. W. Wandler, O. W. Hamlin, B. M. Garrahan, H. S. Hannum, C. U. Taylor and H. H. Taylor.

FINAL TRIBUTE IS PAID

Many Friends Attend Funeral of Mark Montgomery.

Many friends of Mark Montgomery, a member of more than one winning crew of a few years ago at the Portland Rowing Club, whose death occurred Monday night, attended the funeral services at his late residence, 544 East Thirty-seventh street, yesterday. R. C. Hart, Percy Stowell, R. D. Ball, Charles Duncan, Roy Kirkley and William King, the pallbearers, all members of a prominent oarsmen of the club, with most of whom he had at one time pulled an oar in the same crew.

Mr. Montgomery rowed in the famous four-oared Portland Rowing Club crew of 1903, which won the Pacific Northwest championship. King, Kirkley and W. P. Lunders, who were all present yesterday, were the other members of that powerful combination.

Ellensburg Normal Fund Gone.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—The Ellensburg Normal fund has become exhausted and for the first time for two years the state was compelled to refuse payment on warrants of a current fund. The temporary difficulty will be over in a few months when 1913 taxes begin to come in and meanwhile the payroll will be cared for out of the Normal School current fund.

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JUDGE, JUROR TESTIFY

WITNESSES IN FIELDS CASE ALSO ARE COURT.

Judge Kavanaugh, Presiding, and J. C. Mann, on Jury, Speak of Good Character.

About two hours was consumed yesterday by attorneys in the case of Frank S. Fields, on trial for larceny of county funds, arguing as to the admissibility of evidence tending to prove that Mr. Fields used reasonable care in selecting the banks in which he deposited county funds. The state rested at noon and in the afternoon the defense called W. S. Wright to question him as to the condition of the American Bank & Trust Company, which failed while a large amount of county money was on deposit.

TWO FROLICS ARE HELD

Halloween Is Celebrated in Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium With Fun.

Several hundred members of the Young Men's Christian Association enjoyed a Halloween frolic in the two gymnasiums of that institution last night. The building was elaborately decorated and the social committee planned many diversions for the evening's entertainment.

CITY DECLINES "FREAKS"

Lack of Room at Zoo Responsible for Circus Man's Turndown.

The city yesterday turned down a chance to have for free display during the Winter at Washington Park zoo, life-sized sideshow of freak animals, the kind they charge 10 cents to see on circus days. Lack of room at the zoo was the cause.

ment of work was passed to third reading. Mr. Grant based his objections upon the fact that the company in posting notices in the district did not ordinance providing for the commencement of the posting properly.

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Paving Objections Overruled. Objections fathered by ex-City Attorney Frank S. Grant against the contract awarded to Montague O'Reilly Company for the paving of Central East Portland were overruled yesterday by the City Commission and the ordinance providing for the commencement of the paving properly.