

E. HENRY WEMME DIES OF DIABETES

Prominent Portland Citizen
Passes Away Suddenly in
Los Angeles.

FAMILY LIVES IN GERMANY

Property Estimated Close to \$750,000 Left by Noted Auto and Good Roads Enthusiast, Who Remembers Cripples in Will.

CRIPPLED FOLK REMEMBERED IN WILL.
It is understood that Mr. Wemme made a will a few years ago bequeathing a greater part of his wealth to a home for crippled men and other unfortunates of Portland vicinity. He proposed to have the home established on a hill overlooking the city from the east and to provide every facility known to science and architecture to make the place attractive and comfortable for the inmates. An ambulance service between the home and the city also is to be maintained with funds from Mr. Wemme's estate.

PROMINENT PORTLAND MOTORIST AND GOOD ROADS PROMOTER, DEAD IN LOS ANGELES.



of way of the Columbia Highway and secured good results in starting that work. But the Mount Hood road claimed the fullest share of his attention and this scenic highway may well be said to be a monument to his memory.

Auto Club Honors Founder.
His great interest in good roads and the automobile made him one of the founders of the Portland Automobile Club and he was elected the first president of that organization. He was also a well-known member of the Commercial Club, where he lived.

Mr. Wemme was a generous man. He retired from business in July, 1911, giving a notable banquet to a number of his friends to celebrate that event.

At the time of his retirement, he placed a number of women employees on pension, paying these benevolences until his death.

COUNTY BENCH CLAIMED

LEWIS C. GARRIGUS DEMANDS ELECTION CERTIFICATE.
Attorney, Who Received 22 Votes, Contends that Cleaton's Post Is Vacant. Plea Denied by Clerk Coffey.

Because he received 22 votes for the office of County Judge in the general election of November 3, Lewis C. Garrigus, an attorney, yesterday appeared before County Clerk Coffey and demanded a certificate of election to that office. Mr. Garrigus declares the office of County Judge is vacant.

County Clerk Coffey asked the opinion of District Attorney Evans on the subject and was advised to issue no certificate of election or of nomination, because the office claimed by Mr. Garrigus was not contested for at the recent election.

Mr. Garrigus contends that a constitutional amendment was passed in 1908 providing that amendments to the constitution take effect only on proclamation of the Governor; that County Judge Cleaton was elected in 1910; that the same election passed an amendment fixing the term of office of all judges at six years and that Judge Cleaton's term expires January 1, 1915, because he was elected before the amendment proclaimed this amendment as passed.

It is also argued that as the Legislature abolished the office of County Judge in Multnomah County and made Judge Cleaton a Circuit Judge, Judge Cleaton vacated the office of County Judge and that office is still vacant.

In passing on the eligibility of Rufus C. Holman to the office of County Commissioner the Supreme Court held that the law by which Judge Cleaton was put in the Circuit Court was unconstitutional. The County Court thereafter was re-established and Judge Cleaton was returned to that bench.

SALEM LAWYER CHOSEN FIRST ASSISTANT ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Isaac H. Van Winkle.
ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—Attorney Isaac Homer Van Winkle, of Salem, has been chosen First Assistant Attorney-General by Attorney-General George M. Brown, of this city. Mr. Van Winkle served as first assistant to Attorney-General Crawford for a number of years and is considered one of the most able attorneys in Oregon. Of recent years he has been engaged in the private practice of law at Salem. Mr. Brown stated tonight that Mr. Van Winkle was chosen on account of his special fitness and qualifications for the position. Mr. Van Winkle is a Republican in politics. On account of being busy in court during the past few days, Mr. Brown has not selected his second assistant to the Attorney-General.

Miss Downing has been retained as first stenographer by Mr. Brown.

RECTOR QUILTS PLACE

Rev. C. W. Robinson, at Oregon City, to Study Needy.

SLUM WORK EXPECTED

Record of Pastor in Portland Diocese One of Activity in Charity and Church Fields—Course at Columbia Is Decision.

Rev. Charles Wellington Robinson, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church of Oregon City and one of the foremost clergymen of the church in the diocese, which includes Portland, resigned his rectorship yesterday and soon will enter Columbia University to get a broader knowledge of humanity and learn how better to reach the people through the church.

In connection with his studies in the big institution of learning the Rev. Mr. Robinson will do settlement work in the slums of New York City. He will find by actual experience and investigation just what is needed to reach the masses.

Needs of Poor Unknown.
Word to the effect that the rector of the Oregon City church has resigned was received in Portland late yesterday, and is causing considerable comment among the clergy.

While the Rev. Mr. Robinson has expressed the highest respect for the seminary of the church and for their teachings, he says that he feels that they are teaching their students to talk to the masses in an unknown tongue, and that the church is lamentably ignorant of the needs of the poor. He will leave early in the new year for Columbia University, where Robinson has occupied his present pulpit for four years.

The resignation, which was regretfully received, is to take effect on the second Sunday after Epiphany, which falls on January 17, 1915.

Life in Church Active.
The rector occupies a favorable position among the local clergy. He is a member of the board of church extension; a trustee of the Episcopal fund; a trustee of the Bishop Scott School; one of the examining chaplains of the diocese of Oregon; chairman of the committee on Christian education, and chaplain of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

In Oregon City he has been a leader in educational and charity work as well as in church life. The Men's Brotherhood of his church, of which he is the leader, has been active in work among the poor for the last three years and last Spring, when the night school was begun under the direction of the Women's Club, he offered his services as a teacher.

In his message to the vestrymen of his church he said: "After long and prayerful consideration, I feel that my future ministry, however few or many years God may continue my earthly commission, will be more useful if I go to school again. This is, I know, a bold, or at least a radical step.

"In this age of rapid transition even a few years leave one behind in reading, with inefficient or at best different methods of using the glorious, ancient, yet ever new truths of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Work in Slums Anticipated.
"Our own seminaries, so lovingly and admirably equipped for the comforting application of the gospel to the individual repentant sinner, are, as some feel, teaching their students to speak to the masses of struggling people in an unknown tongue. I believe I am but one of many priests of the church who feel a woeful lack of training in the application of the old theology—chiefly to the needs of the poor in our generation—because we are lamentably ignorant of those needs.

"I go, therefore, to learn them. I am leaving you to join one of our most representative universities, Columbia, in America's city of greatest wealth and greatest poverty. I expect for a year or two, God willing, to take post-graduate work and at the same time, among the slums and the downtrodden, to observe and help make in whatever little way God may allow me, the message of the gospel a living power among those whom Jesus Christ came to seek and comfort.

"Four years ago this coming festival season of the nativity of him who was born poor for the poor I came among you. I go away carrying with me a heart full of loving memories and, I hope, eternal friendships. Particularly do I regret leaving you at just this time when our new bishop begins his final work for God. I should like the privilege of serving under him whom you will soon learn to love and who, through the grace of Christ, will do great things for the people of the

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FRAUD BY MAIL CHARGED
Sanitary Beauty Parlor Owner Indicted by Grand Jury.
Indicted by the United States grand jury on a charge of using the mails to further a scheme to defraud, Barney Metzger was arrested yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Mac Swain.
Metzger is the owner of the Sanitary Beauty Parlors and Sanitary School of Beauty Culture, in the Dekum building, and has several stores in which hair goods for women are sold.
The indictment is based on the allegation that Metzger advertised and sent out circulars offering to teach women the profession of beauty culturist for a \$25 tuition fee, and holding out

the inducement that they would be able to make money while learning, which, it is alleged, was impossible.
Metzger was released on \$1500 bonds.
Home for Idle Rented.
A committee of women, headed by Dr. Marie Equi, has rented a rooming-

house of 47 rooms at Second and Everett streets, and will fit it up as a home for the unemployed during the winter. There are two floors, with a dining-room and kitchen on each. Supplies, bedding, furniture and fuel are needed. Mayor Albee yesterday gave \$50 toward the payment of the first month's rent, which is \$75.

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