ABLE ATTORNEYS IN ENCOUNTER OF WITS VALE PRISONERS ESCAPE

Frank Menefee, as Witness, Undergoes Cross-Examination by C. L. Reames.

CLASH IN COURT DRAMATIC

United States Attorney Fires Ques tions Concerning 'Advisory Board' of Cashier Company to President, Assailing Stock Deals.

Two lawyers widely known as able cutors faced each other for five and one-half hours before Federal Judge Bean yesterday, one as a withese and the other as cross-examiner. In a dramatic clash of wits and court-

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Frank Menefee, president of the
United States Cashier Company, and
one of seven defendants on trial for
conspiring to use the malls in a fraudulent stock-selling scheme, who for
eight years was district attorney at
The Dalles, was the witness. Clarence
L. Reames, United States Attorney and
former district attorney at Medford,
conducted the cross-examination.

This cross-examination, which may
continue for another day, will be resumed at 10 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Reames fired in his questions
at top speed. No sooner would Mr.
Menefee reply to one query than
another would be shot at him Sometimes the United States Attorney spoke
softly and almost sympathetically to
the witness. Again he would be on
his feet insisting and demanding.

Sardonic Laugh Greets Reply.

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Mr. Menefee, on the other hand. Mr. Menefee, on the other hand, though seemingly rather nervous when the ordeal of cross-examination began became noticeably cooler as it progressed. He parried skillfully with Mr. Reames at times, and frequently made satiric and biting rejoinders.

One subject on which the United States Attorney's cross-examination was especially severe was that of the co-called "advisory board" of the company, and the reasons for its existence. From this he led the witness to discuss the circumstances surrounding cuss the circumstances surrounding the sale of stock to a Dr. Millicen, of Port Jones, Cal., on representations that if he bought \$5000 worth he would be made a member of the board, and to Rodney L. Glisan, of Portland, who also was made a member of the board. "Now, you have said in your direct examination," said Mr. Reames, "that the purpose in having the advisory board was to make the company a stockholders' company."

"Yes, sir."

"Was there to be board. The beard on which he rode away on his first break.

Sheriff Brown is using a bloodhound from the Boise breed to run down some of the trails.

'Was there one advisory board or

Object of Advisory Board Questioned "Why, there was supposed to be one. I never heard of any other," replied

the witness.
"Now, isn't it a fact that the real purpose of creating this advisory board," shot in the United States Atterney, "was to induce members to buy "Oh, no: that was held out to only

on, no. that "Very well. Was Dr. Milliken a member of the advisory board?"

Yes. That inducement was held out

to Dr. Milliken."
"And you not only made Dr. Milliken member of the board, but you made him a preferred stockholder, didn't you."

"Well, not exactly in those terms," replied Mr. Menefee. "It speaks for

"All right," said Mr. Reames, "we'll read it." He read the contract, which contained a provise that the holder was to share in 5 per cent of the total gross receipts from the first sales of the company's machines.

Special Inducement Admitted.

and not to others."
"No," said the witness frankly. "I
didn't like it. I issued only a very few of those contracts.
"Were they, however, issued in good faith, for the best interests of the company?" asked Mr. Reames, a touch of

sympathy in his tone.
"Yes, sir, that was absolutely why I did it, for the good of the company."

replied the witness.
"And not in any way for your per-sona? interest?" "No. sir."

"As a matter of fact, Mr. Menefee." suddenly demanded Mr. Reames, "it was your own personal stock that was sold to Dr. Milliken, wasn't it?" "Yes, it was my personal stock," said Mr. Menefee. "He got it for less than the company stock was sold for, how-

"Do you consider that transaction right?" Transaction Not Deemed Right.

"No. as I look back on it now," said Mr. Menefee, "I do not think it was right." Mr. Reames introduced the Milliken contract and one made with Rodney L.

Glisan.

"You made the same inducements, however, to Rodney L. Glisan?"

"Yes, but Mr. Glisan repudiated his contract." sale Mr. Menefee.

"But you didn't expect him to repudiate it when you made the contract."

"No. I cidn't expect him to."

Mr. Reames then asked if the reason nothing was done with the company's advisory board after 1912, was that stock was about all sold out and the board wasn't needed any more.

"Oh, that gives you a chance to draw your inference, snapped Mr. Menefee. "I suppose you will draw the inference, but I say no."

"Well, isn't it a fair inference?"

"No sir, it is not."

CITY ATTORNEY ANGERED

Roseburg Lawyer Threatens Suit When Council Prunes Bill.

Abrahams remarked that they were no more able to judge the proper compensation due him than he would be judge a physician's fees.

Five Men Get Away, One Having Broken Jail Once Before.

VALE, Or., Aug. 11.—(Special.)—
Five prisoners broke jail here some time last night. They had sprung the lock, to the cells so that the jailer failed effectually to lock the cells. The prisoners then secured some iron from a brace and dug out the mortar, using boards to pry out the stone and cut through the wall into the main corridor. All are at large, having scat-tered in different directions. One of the prisoners, McAllister, broke jail a short time ago and was returned after a long chase. Last night

PNEUMONIA FATAL TO NATIVE



Born in Portland 45 years ago, Artemus Grant Roberts, who died at the Good Samaritan Hospital on July 30 from acute pneumonia, was widely known in this city. He had been a sufferer from rheumatism for several months. The funeral was held from the

The funeral was held from the family residence at 1003 Williams avenue, with Rev. J. Bowersox officiating. Interment was in Riverview Cemetery.

Mr. Roberts was the son of Susan M. Roberts and the late Amos M. Roberts. He was a brother of Mrs. W. J. Ward, Mrs. A. J. Freum, Mrs. W. C. Elliott and Mrs. J. H. Stanley, of Portland, and Wallace N Roberts, of Warren, Or. Warren, Or.

out through the surrounding country.

VETERAN DIES AT SALEM James Fisher, 82 Years Old, Succumbs to Short Illness.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 11.— (Special.)—
James Fisher, 82 years old, veteran of
the Civil War, died Tuesday night after
an iliness of several days at his home
in this city. He was one of the leading citizens of Salem, and had many
friends throughout the state.

Mr. Fisher was born in Tippecanoe
County, Indiana. His widow and nine
sons and daughters survive. They are:
Mrs. Ida B. Kirkpatrick, Urbana, Ili.
Raymond C. Fisher, McMinnville; Everett E. Fisher, Portland, and Joseph
Usher, John A. Fisher, Charles Disher, Long Charles, Language of the description of two engineers to assist them
in their work, but Mr. Hill advised
against accepting the Government service.

"I don't know of a single piece of
permanent highway that the Government engineers ever built," he declared.

The Skamania County officials are
so enthusiastic in the good roads work
that they are trying to organize a
highway association to take in all the
territory on the Washington side of the SALEM, Or., Aug. 11. - (Special.) -

"I wouldn't say just that."

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"He had a special agreement in his contract, didn't he, providing that out of the first sales of machines his stock of the first sales of machines his stock was to be preferred?"

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The funeral will be held Thursday

City to Buy Toll Bridge.

ABERDREN, Wash. Aug. 11.—(Special.)—The City Council entered into an agreement here tonight to purchase "Do you mean to say," he demanded,
"that that wasn't held out to Dr. Milliken as a special inducement."
"Tex." said Mr. Menefee, "that was
a special inducement in return for his
ervices in interesting others in stock."
"Did you consider it proper to give
special inducements to one stockholder
and not to others."
"No." said the witness frankly. "I

Gesse are fattened for market in some parts of Europe by confining them in dark rooms, to which light is admitted at in-tervals, causing them to est seven or eight meals a day.

Old Portland Stage Favorite at Pantages This Week.

Edmond Hayes, Featured in "The Plano Movers," Played Here in Shakespeare Many Years Ago.



When Edmond Hayes opened a week's engagement as the feature at Pantages Monday is his hilarlously funny farca. The Plane Movers." Portland play patrons witnessed the return of one of

North Shore Route Called "The Great North Road."

OFFICIALS ON INSPECTION

Skamania County Work Expected to Begin Soon, Since Fund From Sale of Bonds Available Now. Permanent Project Proposed.

"The Great North Road" is to be the name of the new trunk highway to ex-tend from Vancouver, Wash, along the north bank of the Columbia as far north as the British Columbia

north as the British Columbia boundary.

New impetus has been given this newest highway by the recent decision of the Commissioners of Skamania County, Washington, to build a link through their county connecting with existing roads on both the eastern and the western ends.

The Skamania County Commissioners are taking a keen and active interest in this project. They expect the Skamania County road eventually to become a part of a new highway that will connect the Inland Empire with Southwestern Washington and that will bring the entire Columbia River basin in direct touch with Vancouver, the whole western part of the state and Puget Sound. Puget Sound.

Mr. Hill's Roads Inspected. Last Sunday the Skamania County Commisioners, accompanied by other officials of that county, made an inspection of Samuel Hill's famous highways at Maryhill, Wash. Mr. Hill conducted them over all the roads that he has built there and explained the various forms of construction.

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The party then crossed the Columbia River in a ferry to Biggs, where they took the train for Cascade Locks. There John B. Yeon, Amos Benson, Samuel Lancaster, J. C. Potter, T. W. Allen and D. B. Hill met them with automobiles and conducted them over the newly completed Columbia River Highway to Portland.

After arriving in Portland Mr. Hill showed his stereopticon views of highway work and of other scenes. The members of the Skamania County party became thoroughly impressed with the importance and the desirability of good roads and renewed their intention of proceeding promptly to make Skamania County one of the principal districts County one of the principal districts tributary to the network of public highways now being developed in the Pacific Northwest.

Funds on Bonds Available, Members of the Skamania County

party were: Commissioners Boyd, Shipley and Cripe, County Auditor Miller and County Attorney Wright, Colonel A. R. Green, H. W. Hamiln and Howard Gates, of the advisory board, and S.

Gates, of the advisory board, and S. Sampson, of Stevenson.
Skamania County recently issued \$210,000 in bonds to pay for its aew highway development. The bonds were purchased by the Lumbermens Trust Company of Portland. The funds now are available, and it is expected that work will begin before the rainy season sets in. son sets in.

The visiting officials informed Mr. Hill while here that the Federal Gov-ernment has offered the services of

territory on the Washington side of the Columbia River. They want to procure a uniform survey of the route of the proposed "Great North Road," so that the work, when done, will be of a permanent and lasting order.

South Shore Work Inspires. They have become encouraged through the success of the Columbia River Highway on the south side of the Columbia and insist that the north shore must develop in company with the Oregon side.

to help Skamania County in its further

SHIP CRASH BLAME FIXED

Fault for Yucatan Accident.

It was the fault of the steamer Yu-catan, and not of the cruiser Boston nor the Broadway bridge tenders, that the Yucatan bumped into the Boston March 3, 1914, and ruined a piano kept there for the naval militiamen, accord-ing to a decision of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in San Fran-

District Attorney Evans has received a notice of the decision affirming the findings of Federal Judge Bean. Fol-lowing the collision the naval militia-

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LOSS OF POLICE COURT CASE FOL LOWED BY ANGER.

Ex-Representative in Congress See Jitney Client Fined, and Special Officer Is Threstened.

opposing the jitney interests, including camp, due to stomach and bowel trou-

It all started with a whispered word into the ear of Patrolman Bales by Special Agent Wagner, during the trial Keep the nerves nourished, the heart of John Lanning, Jitney man, on a strong, the head cool, the stomach vig-charge of reckless driving. Lafferty demanded that the patrolman make known the substance of the whisper,

Burrows' left leg, leaving him per-manetly crippled, and Schaefer's foot was mangled. Both are in St. Anthony's Hospital. Al Slusher, while working on his combine, was injured in his right eye.

RIDGEFIELD, Wash., Aug. 11.— (Special.)—At a mass meeting of the

Ridgefield Water Plan Approved.

BLOOD WILL TELL

Paris, Aug. 11 .- Many young men The ill-feeling long nourished and that their blood was out of order and ecasionally exposed in Municipal impure when they started out in this Court, held by ex-Representative in campaign as soldiers at the front. Congress Lafferty, attorney for the Many of them never reached the battle Jitney Safety Federation, toward all line because they were taken sick in

and strength to win a race. Blood

Supporters of the Portland Symphony Orchestra will meet in room A of the Public Library at 3 o'clock Friday to form plans to carry on the work of the orchestra through the 1915-16 season. William D. Wheelwright, honorary president of the organization, says that \$5000 is necessary to carry out the plans.

It is planned to give six concerts during the coming Winter, besides the six recitals for the benefit of school children who will be selected by the principals of each school to attend. To raise the necessary funds, associate memberships will be sold. Mr. Wheelwright points out that San Francisco supporters of the symphony orchestra.

THREE HURT ON COMBINES

which has stood the test of time and has a wide reputation, such as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the world's great Blood Purifier; it enters joints, dissolves the impure deposits and carries them out, as it does passed between the two. At this juncture Bales came from the court posits and carries them out, as it does passed between the two. At this juncture Bales came from the court of the world's great Blood Purifier; it enters joints, dissolves the impure deposits and carries them out, as it does posits and carries them out, as it does passed between the two. At this juncture Bales came from the court of the world's great Blood Purifier; it enters joints, dissolves the impure deposits and carries them out, as it does posits and carries them out, as

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city several months ago for Athena. Were hurt in accidents on combines, citizens here Monday night, the ques-He has been in Canada about two A large piece of flesh was torn from tion of installing a municipal water of a suitable months. tion of installing a municipal water of a suitable water system. It is system was approved almost unanimously. Ridgefield recently made a \$3000 and \$10,000.

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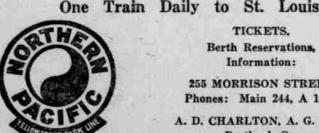
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