

STILLMAN DIVORCE IS AIMED AT GUY

Boy's Legitimacy Intimated to Be Object of Attack.

WIFE HELD INCIDENTAL

Banker's Attorney Asks Client to He Wanted Divorce.

POUGHKEEPSIE, July 1.—(Special.)—James A. Stillman, done with his legal ordeal today—a brief routine of red-tape examination—left behind him the key to his divorce suit.

Not that he changed his tactics of monotonous refusal to a mass of questions, but today his own counsel placed him upon the stand. They asked him three questions—questions in form, but in reality direct statements. All three were designed to place them upon the stand.

Mr. Stillman brought his divorce suit with but one purpose—to take from Guy Stillman his legal status and his inheritance. The fact of Mrs. Anna U. Stillman was merely incidental. He would have permitted her to divorce him if his purpose thus could have been accomplished. Colonel William Rand asked the questions.

"Did you express yourself to your wife's attorneys before bringing this action as being entirely willing that your wife have a divorce if she wanted one?"

Questions Ruled Out.

"Did you take legal advice by counsel that the question of the paternity of Guy Stillman could not be tried out in any action brought against you?"

"Did you because of that, therefore bring this action against Mrs. Stillman and Guy?"

There was no answer. Not because, as yesterday, Mr. Stillman refused. These were questions of his own attorneys, to which, presumably, he need but merely supply three affirmative. But the referee ruled the questions out as irrelevant, so that for the purpose of the divorce the banker's motives still remain unaided.

Nevertheless these three questions stand as the final definite and authoritative explanation of the banker's stubborn determination to continue his case. His re-direct examination succeeded in eliciting from him the statement that at the time of Guy's birth he did not question the child's parentage.

Gifts Given Wife.

Counsel for Mrs. Stillman have said the banker made gifts to his wife as long as a year after the birth.

"Did you then have the information which caused you to bring this action?" asked Colonel Rand.

"I did not."

To this question Mr. Stillman supplied his former refusal to answer on the ground that it would tend to incriminate me.

"Did you authorize the payment of money to witnesses? Did you authorize efforts to bribe witnesses?"

He had just admitted that he had gone to Montreal with Cornelius J. Sullivan, his personal attorney. He had met a "La Fontaine," a native of Grand Rapids. Why had he gone there and what role did he play at the gathering of witnesses? Mr. Stillman dropped into his refusal formula.

Hearings Are Adjourned.

The hearings were adjourned until July 13. Three hearings will be held then and two more beginning July 28 and 29. They will be adjourned again until September.

It is generally conceded that Mr. Stillman's counsel have finished with their version of the case. Mrs. Stillman's counsel plans to produce 60 witnesses to testify to their accusations.

FAMOUS INDIAN AT SCHOOL

Dr. Higley Entertains Pastors at Salem With Lectures.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Featuring the school for rural pastors, now in progress on the Willamette university campus, during the last few days, were addresses by Dr. Ed Higley of Chicago, superintendent of Indian missions for the Methodist church, and Lewis Bruce, a few years ago one of the most famous Indians in America. Mr. Bruce and Chief Bender, the great Indian basketball player, were members of the Philadelphia Athletics that won the world's baseball championship.

Approximately 100 rural pastors are attending the school, this being the largest attendance ever recorded at a similar event held in this state.

PORTLAND CASE ARGUED

Litigation Involving Apartment House Heard by Court.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Arguments were heard in the supreme court here today in the case brought by Della Jones to enforce an accounting of all business transacted by her and Clara Waring while they were conducting an apartment house in Portland between August 1, 1919, and March 1, 1920.

The suit originated in the circuit court for Multnomah county, with the result that Mrs. Jones received a one-fifth interest in the profits accruing from the profits and sale of the apartment house.

FIVE CONCERNS DISSOLVE

Ridge Oil Company of California Withdraws From State.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Five Oregon corporations today filed notice of dissolution with the state corporation commission. The group included the Golden Rod Milling company, Kajak Lumber Manufacturing company, Hood River Apple Development company and Lane Auto Service, all of Portland, and the Chesbro Investment company of The Dalles. The Ridge Oil company, organized under the laws of California, has filed notice of withdrawal from Oregon.

CAMP RECRUITING AIDED

Oregon Agricultural College Helps to Muster Applicants.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, July 1.—(Special.)—Applicants for admission into citizens' military training camps of this

corp area are being assisted and given information in every way possible by the college military department. Information blanks and illustrated material are available for distribution.

Two camps in the corps area—Camp Lewis, Wash., and the Presidio of San Francisco—will open July 15 and will terminate August 5. All male citizens between 18 and 35 are eligible.

The camps purpose to develop closer national and social unity by bringing together young men of all types, native and foreign born, and teaching them the privileges, duties and responsibilities of American citizenship. Each citizen's military training camp will try to show the public by actual example, that camp instruction of the kind outlined will ingrain the men in training will develop their character in every direction and teach them Americanism in its true sense.

ABSENT WIFE DIVORCED

Decree Granted When Woman Refuses to Come to America.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 1.—(Special.)—Rocho Penoff, a Bulgarian, today received a divorce from Gina Penoff, whom he married in Bulgaria in 1906. Penoff told in court that about four weeks after his marriage he had come to this country to make a home for his wife and child. He did so and was about to send for his family when the world war broke out and he was unable to communicate with his wife until late in 1918. He then sent a letter to her and told her that he was ready if she wanted to come.

She agreed to come, he alleges, but changed her mind and for the next two years alternately consented and refused to come. Finally, he said, she agreed to come to the United States if he would pay her transportation, so he sent her tickets and enough money for her expenses. She changed her mind again, however, and returned the tickets, telling him that she would never live in the United States.

MORRIS REPORTED FOUND

Missing Cook Said to Have Been Seen in Arkansas.

MEDFORD, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—The "mysterious disappearance" of Joseph H. Morris, a cook at the Medford hotel a year ago, has been solved apparently by the news that Morris has been seen alive and well in a village near St. Paul, Ark., within the month. This information was brought to A. C. White, secretary of the local lodge of Modern Woodmen of America, by his wife, Morris' sister, Mrs. Woodman, who carried life insurance. She told White that she had received satisfactory evidence that Morris had been recently walking around the streets of his old home town.

Morris disappeared last June while fishing with a companion on the Rogue river, leaving his fishing outfit and cap on the river bank. The river soon dropped, and he was not seen for weeks afterward, but no body was ever found.

DEAF ORGANIZATION AIM

Preliminary Meeting to Open at State School Today.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—More than 100 deaf persons, many of them graduates of the Oregon school for the deaf, will assemble here tomorrow to organize the Oregon State Association for the Deaf. The constitution for the association has been introduced for adoption at the opening session of the conference.

The association, it was said, will follow in a general way the organization of other states. Washington has the largest association for the deaf, and has held its annual conference here for many years. Meetings of the association will be held every two years. The sessions of the conference opening here tomorrow will be held at the state school for the deaf and will continue until Monday. Sunday will be given over largely to religious services.

3000 TROUT TRAPPED

Fish Said to Be Beating Selves to Death in North Umpqua.

ROSEBURG, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Three thousand rainbow and eastern brook trout have been trapped below the falls near the junction of the North Umpqua river and Lake creek, in the Umpqua forest, according to Forest Ranger Houser, who today sent an urgent message to Forest Supervisor Hambley for powder to blow out a projecting ledge to enable the fish to leap over the falls.

The trout dropped down from Diamond lake to spawn and were unable to get back over the falls. They were piled up in a mass on the ledge, weighing 18 pounds have been taken from the trout. The fish are now being transferred to the stream, the men of the forest service crew and H. D. Short, game and fish warden, transferring the fish over the falls by hand.

NEW SCHOOL UNDER WAY

Building to Cost \$18,500 Begun Under Vancouver Bond Issue.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 1.—(Special.)—Work has begun on a new school building to be built at Twenty-ninth and S streets. The school is to be of brick and will be one story. It will cost \$18,500. The school is to be built as a result of the bond election Tuesday, in which \$90,000 was voted for school buildings. The purpose of putting up new buildings. Another school is to go up in East Vancouver.

Building permits issued during June totaled nearly \$50,000, according to records in the city clerk's office. This was a large increase over the building values for the same month in 1920.

Lebanon Postoffice Advanced.

LEBANON, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—The Lebanon postoffice this morning advanced from a third to a second-class office and the salary of the postmaster was raised from \$100 a year to \$125 with one additional clerk on duty. Glen P. Wallace has been appointed to the new position and has been assigned to duty at Lebanon and distributed with Miss Ruth Higgins as money order and register clerk. The increase in the salary has added interest in the contest for the office by several republican aspirants who hope to succeed Kinback, whose term expires August 1. The leading candidates are Robert D. Dwyer, B. O. Nichols and Joseph Benner.

Veteran Dies of Tuberculosis.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, July 1.—(Special.)—A. E. Shaws, a summer session student, has been called to Eugene because of the death of his brother-in-law, Fred H. Rhodes, in the army hospital at Vancouver. The body has been shipped to Eugene. Rhodes was a world war veteran and his death was caused by tuberculosis, contracted in the service.

LEGION DEMANDS CURB

(Continued From First Page.)

Eivers, state adjutant, Oliver H. Huston of Portland was mentioned to run against him for the strategic state position. Late county post No. 3, has come out in favor of Eivers. The 24 Portland delegates have split. It was recalled that the same opposition to Eivers was encouraged at the Astoria convales.

Men delegates were speaking of Lane (Blue) Goddell as the "next state commander." No one seemed to want to succeed him. Ben F. Dorris, commander of the local post, and convention chairman and one of the figures of the session, was being groomed for the vice-commander's position. Plans for a trip to the national convention at Kansas City in October were Guy D. Mosher of Eugene, Earl

HOOD-UP OF RENOUF BRAUNDED AS MYTH

Sheriffs of Two Counties Scout Tillamook Crime.

ROBBERY DECLARED FAKE

Story of Murder of Portland Man Included in Yarn to Placate Insistent Creditors.

After an all-day investigation, conducted jointly yesterday by Sheriff Aschim of Tillamook county and Sheriff Ferguson of Yamhill county, it was officially declared that the reported hood-up of J. R. Renouf, Tillamook county farmer and timber operator, was a myth. Renouf, it was said, had been in the mountains between Dolph and Hebo, Ore., at the time the robbery was reported. He had met Sims again at 2 o'clock the afternoon of the following day, at Second and Burnside streets, and that Sims had agreed to put \$2500 into the mill operation. Renouf told the sheriffs that he had come to Portland for the purpose of procuring funds to finance a mill which he was starting in the mountains between Dolph and Hebo. He said he had met Sims at Second and Burnside streets, Wednesday afternoon, and that Sims had agreed to put \$2500 into the mill operation. He said he met Sims again at 2 o'clock the afternoon of the following day, at Second and Burnside streets, at which time Sims turned over to him 25 \$100 bills. Shortly after, he said, they started in Renouf's automobile for Tillamook.

ATTACK MADE ON BRIDGE

Renouf's story is to the effect that a red roadster passed them several times east of Sheridan and finally passed them the last time while they were going through Sheridan. At a bridge about 11 miles west of Sheridan, Renouf said the roadster was stalled in the middle of the bridge. The three occupants, he told the officials, asked him to assist them in "fixing" the roadster. One of the men, according to his story, one of the trio covered him with a gun. He said he put up a fight and knocked one down. He then was hit on the head, he says, and thrown off the bridge, after being robbed of the \$2500.

He left Sims in the automobile when he climbed down to offer assistance to the other occupants. Renouf said he saw that the last he saw of his aged companion. The sheriffs devoted much of the morning yesterday in searching for the missing Sims, without avail. Later developments, however, caused them to give up his search. Renouf said that Tillamook last night, he learned that Renouf owed a considerable sum of money to a creditor employed by him on his mill project.

CREDITORS ASSURED OF PAYMENT

Renouf left his home in the mountains during the fore part of the week after promising his creditors he would return with enough money to pay them off. He is said to have told the men who were assured of getting the money in Portland. Sheriff Aschim and Sheriff Ferguson are both inclined to the belief that, failing to get the money in Portland, Renouf faked the robbery story in order to hold off the men and creditors for a short time. "Personally, I do not believe that such a man as Bert Sims exists, as Renouf has stated," Sheriff Aschim said over the telephone last night. "Renouf's story that he met this fellow, whom he knew 35 years ago, at the corner of Burnside streets, Portland, and that Sims willingly turned over \$2500 in cash to him without a receipt, contract or other paper, to my mind is preposterous."

Sheriff Aschim said he made a minute examination of Renouf's supposed wounds but could discover nothing to indicate that he had been roughly handled.

There was no welt on the man's head where he says he was hit with a revolver, Sheriff Aschim said, while the man was sitting in the car on the running board and door of the automobile.

Nose Bleed, Nothing More.

"It was plainly evident that Renouf had been suffering from a nose bleed, and this, in my opinion, was the source of the blood," he said. "Of course, Renouf's nose bleed was in great pain, but I could discover nothing to indicate he had been hurt very badly."

Renouf's part of the story concerning the red roadster was substantiated in part by Dr. R. T. Boals of Tillamook. Dr. Boals claimed that Renouf lying by his automobile in the road west of Sheridan shortly after midnight. The physician said he recalled passing roadster coming toward Portland a short time before. The roadster, he said, was running at a fast pace and with the headlights extinguished.

Both Sheriffs Aschim and Ferguson said there is a roadster owned in the vicinity which drives over that particular road frequently and they are now investigating to determine whether or not this machine was on the Tillamook road late Thursday night.

BRIDGE TO OPEN TODAY

Pavement on Draw Is Completed and Traffic Rules Planned.

ASTORIA, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—The draw of the Astoria suspension bridge was paved this morning and the structure will be opened for traffic about noon tomorrow. Two benches of traffic to complete the connection with the temporary north approach must be driven and it is possible that traffic over both the old and new bridges will be interrupted for two hours tomorrow morning while that is being done.

The county is arranging to have two traffic officers on this temporary approach while it is in use, to prevent accidents and unnecessary delays. This approach is so narrow that cars cannot pass for a distance of about 400 feet and unless strict regulations are enforced the roadway may be blocked and traffic seriously delayed.

STUDENTS INSTALL SWITCHBOARD.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, July 1.—(Special.)—Summer session students in electrical engineering courses were installing an up-to-date switchboard, designed by Professor Beck of the electrical engineering department. The new switchboard is going in the sophomore laboratory and will make possible many hitherto impossible experiments for full classes.

FORESTERS TO MEET AT ROSEBURG.

ROSEBURG, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Members of the Douglas county forest patrol and of the United States forest service will meet here tomorrow with supervising wardens from adjoining counties for a convention of methods and foresters' convention. Plans for co-operation along the forest borders will be worked out and

Goodwin of Portland, Earl Fortmiller of Albany, Walter Tooke of Dallas, Harry Jackson of Pendleton, and Gray Sifton of Hood River. Others were yet to announce their candidacies.

Women Workers Attacked.

Married women with other means of support should not hold jobs which could be filled by ex-service men, declared the members of the seewar-formed Oregon department of the women's auxiliary of the American Legion in session here.

Enthusiasm marked the adoption of resolutions embodying that sentiment. The women started their programme of business late this afternoon after the state organization had been completed. They will urge the institution of separate hospital facilities for disabled veterans whom, they feel, are not receiving proper attention.

Mrs. W. A. Eivers Presides.

The franchise society was over by Mrs. W. A. Eivers of Portland as temporary state president, was addressed by Lemuel C. Bolles, national adjutant of the legion, who explained the need for a women's organization to back the men. Election of officers will mark tomorrow's session. Next year's meeting place will be The Dalles. Indications were that the franchise society would be named to the permanent posts. If not, it was said that Mrs. Mae Fields of Eugene would contest Mrs. Eivers for the presidency.

After Commander Gilbert had expressed the hope that Jack Dempsey would get "the blamed good murder tomorrow," the convention telegraphed to Georges Carpentier his best wishes for his success, in behalf of the 34,000 ex-service men of Oregon.

A second telegram was sent to Theodore Roosevelt Jr., assistant secretary of the navy, who, legion members said, would be at the ringside, asking him to back Carpentier receives the legion's message.

LEGION GREETES CARPENTIER

EX-SERVICE MEN OF TENNESSEE WISH French Comrade Luck.

CHATTANOOGA, Ten., July 1.—The American Legion, department of Tennessee, in convention here today, telegraphed the following resolution to Georges Carpentier: "The American Legion, department of Tennessee, in convention assembled, representing the men of this state who fought by the side of sons of France in the last war, who were threatened, send to you their best wishes on the eve of your fight for the world's boxing title. May a real fighter and a real man who carry the belt across the seas until this country can produce a 100 per cent American able to regain it."

LEGIONNAIRE LAUDS SALEM

Major Bolles Stops Here en Route to Eugene Convention.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Major Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the American Legion, while here last night with George A. Dite, adjutant-general of Oregon, lauded Salem as one of the most beautiful and metropolitan cities he had ever visited.

Major Bolles, who passed a few days in Portland, accompanied Adjutant-General White to Salem, in the latter's automobile. They left early today for Eugene to attend the annual convention of the Oregon state department, American Legion.

HIGHWAY FUNDS AT ISSUE

ROAD ATTORNEY PROPOSES TO FILE FORMAL PROTEST.

Contention Is Advanced That Treasurer Should Protect Money in Highway Fund.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Formal protest against the alleged practice of the state treasurer in placing state highway money in the general fund of the state, will be filed here within the next few days, according to announcement made by J. M. Devers, attorney for the state highway department.

Mr. Devers, in a statement, said that according to his interpretation of the Oregon statutes it is not within the power of the treasurer to place in the general fund of the state any money appropriated for a specific purpose or funds of a fiduciary nature. He said that the treasurer was acting under an opinion handed down by the attorney-general. Mr. Devers said he proposed to brief his case before the supreme court.

Mr. Devers previously complained to the state treasurer, he said today, but was informed that the treasurer was acting under an opinion handed down by the attorney-general. Mr. Devers said he proposed to brief his case before the supreme court.

The attorney-general in hope that the previous opinion would be reversed. The highway attorney said that because of the present practice of the treasurer in placing the highway money in the general fund, there was a danger of raising the highway money at a time when interest on outstanding road bonds was due. This, he said, would tend to cripple the credit of the state.

Tax Commissioner Named.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Frank J. Lovell today was appointed state tax commissioner. His term will

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co-operative fire fighting outlined. A banquet will be held at night.

BUDGET SUPPLIES READY

Clackamas County Soon Will Hold Postponed Elections.

OREGON CITY, July 1.—(Special.)—New budget supplies are ready for distribution from the office of the state superintendent of public instruction, according to word received here today by Superintendent Veeder.

Under a law passed by the last session of the legislature, new forms for filing budget expense are required. These forms are forwarded to each district and the budget election held, after which the expense account is filed with the county superintendent.

WATER PROJECT VISITED

Engineer and Banking Superintendent Return From Madras.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Percy Cupper, state engineer, and Frank Bramwell, state superintendent of banks, returned here today from Madras, where they made an inspection of the lands included within the north unit irrigation district. This project is valued at \$5,000,000.

Under a new policy adopted by the irrigation securities commission, of which Mr. Bramwell and Mr. Cupper are members, all irrigation projects will be subjected to close investigation before any bonds are certified.

Second Woman Lookout on Job.

BEND, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—The second woman fire lookout to be employed on the Deschutes national forest has been appointed here today morning when Mrs. Robert Merrill of Portland was stationed at Black Butte, 35 miles from Bend. Mrs. Merrill is a stenographer in the district forester's office in Portland.

THE WOMAN GOD CHANGED TODAY

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expire May 21, 1925. Announcement of Mr. Lovell's appointment was made by Governor Olcott.

Sheep Start for Pastures. GOLDENDALE, Wash., July 1.—The hars were let down today by Uncle Sam on the summer pastures in the Columbia national forest reserve and approximately 50,000 sheep are on

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their way to summer camps in the high mountain pastures surrounding Mt. Adams. Twenty-five hundred sheep belonging to A. J. Smith, a Kluckite sheepman residing at Alderdale, were shipped from Goldendale today to Stevenson, Wash., for summer pasturing in the Cascade mountains in Skamania county.

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If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you write to Lydia E. Pinkham, 235 Central Ave., Lowell, Mass., about your health.

MOTHER WORRIED ABOUT DAUGHTER

Portland Child Was Weak and Puny—Is Now the Picture of Health.

"Tanlac must be a wonderful medicine to do what it has for my little 6-year-old girl," said Mrs. S. P. Temple, who resides at 464 East Clay street, Portland, Ore. "My baby, Maxine had been suffering from loss of appetite for a year or more. Nothing would eat with her and it's a mystery to me how she lived on the little she would eat. Her kidneys were disordered and weak, and she was a thin, puny looking child. I was uneasy about her all the time. She was dull and listless all the time and never wanted to get out and play like other children."

"Well, my dad had been helped so much by Tanlac that we all think it the greatest medicine in the world. I didn't know, of course, how it would act on my little girl, but I had her take a bottle anyway and it is simply astonishing how it has brought her out. She eats like a pig, everything agrees with her and she no longer looks or acts like the same child. Her kidneys are in much better condition, she is driving me just bubbling over with energy. Why, she's out at play all the time. I am can't keep her in the house. I am so thankful to see my girl so healthy and hearty that I just can't praise Tanlac enough."

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