

MINOR CASES TO BE HEARD FIRST

Important Land-Fraud Trials to Wait Till Heney Comes in November.

AFTER THAT THE TRUSTS

District Attorney Has Been Collecting Evidence About Restraint of Trade—Rumored That Another Grand Jury May Be Called.

Pending land-fraud trials in this state will not be taken up on the opening day of the October term of the Federal Court for the District of Oregon, which will be convened by Judge Wolverton, Monday, October 7. This does not mean that these prosecutions

illegal organization, and these were the parties the Government was after. Practically all of the indicted dealers who have not yet responded are small country dealers, and it is considered likely that further proceedings against them will be dropped.

SAYS SHE PULLED HIS NOSE

Part of Troubles of McNeill—Others Who Would Be Free.

Mary Gullander filed a suit for divorce against her husband, C. O. Gullander, in the State Circuit Court yesterday. They were married in Portland in May, 1902, but the wife claims Gullander deserted her several months ago and has failed to contribute to her support.

Robert H. Sharninghausen states in a complaint that his wife, Louise G., has deserted him and he prays the court to have his marriage dissolved. The couple was married in Stockton, Cal., in November, 1902.

James A. McNeill sets forth in his complaint that his wife Ada F. McNeill has an unbearable temper and is addicted to pulling his nose and mustache, beating him and otherwise making life miserable. He alleges that she frequently called him an old devil, scoundrel, and other bad names not fit to be set forth in the petition. He says that he deserted over to her several pieces of property in the hope she would mend her treatment of him, but all to no avail. He then left her and lived apart from her for some years and upon her promise to be good he returned, only to be abused worse than ever. They were married in Sellwood, September 19, 1888, and are the

RACE ALMOST OVER

One More Week Will Decide Tri-City Winner.

KELSO AND FRAKES TIE

Decision of League Officials Throwing Out St. John Game Puts the Two Teams on an Equality.

In another week the season of the Tri-City League will be over, and the pennant race of that interesting little organization settled. The action of the league officials in throwing out the game won by the Frakes from St. John a week ago last Sunday, on the ground that a phony ball was used in the game, puts the Milliners and Kelso Tigers on the same rung in the percentage ladder. At present, it looks as though the Milliners would land the rag. Kelso is scheduled to play two games with

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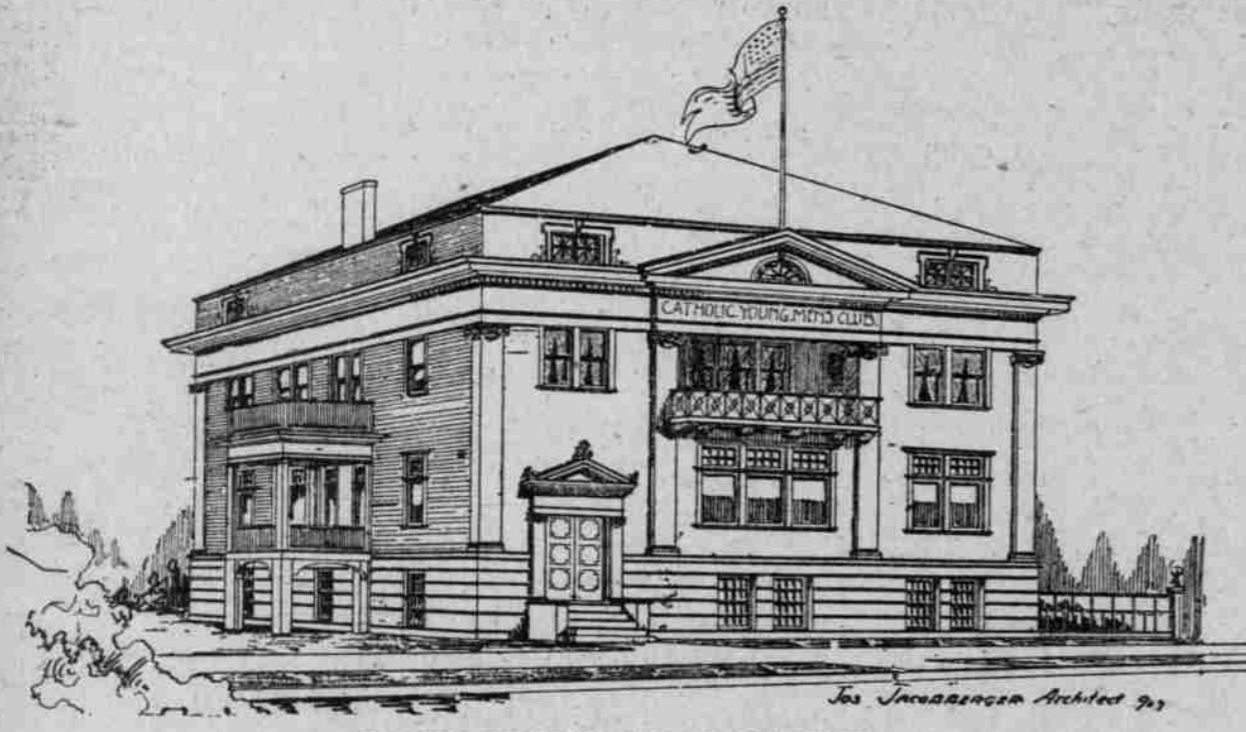
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Furs Squirrel Muff and Tie. Tie worth \$7.50; Muff \$10. Monday, the full set \$10.00	Silk Petticoats Regular \$7.50 Silk Petticoats; Monday \$4.35	



ARCHBISHOP CHRISTIE WILL LAY CORNERSTONE OF CATHOLIC YOUNG MEN'S CLUBHOUSE TODAY



The ceremony of the laying of the cornerstone of the new Catholic Young Men's Clubhouse, now in course of erection opposite St. Mary's High School on Morris street, will take place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Most Rev. Archbishop Christie will officiate, assisted by many of the local clergy. Some of the most prominent societies of the city will be largely represented at the function, and an excellent musical programme will be rendered by St. Mary's Choir. Judge A. L. Frazer will speak, and also Dr. A. C. Smith. The building is modern in every respect, and will afford splendid opportunities for social intercourse and for moral, educational and physical development of its members. Its cost is estimated at \$20,000 when completed. The programme follows: Rev. W. A. Daly presiding; Song, St. Mary's Quartet; Introductory remarks, by P. E. Sullivan, president; laying of cornerstone and address, by Most Rev. A. Christie, D. D.; chorus, St. Mary's Quartet; address, Judge A. L. Frazer; "Young Men and the Future," address by Dr. A. C. Smith; "America," St. Mary's Choir.

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The 1908 season of the Tri-City League is practically outlined. Two local teams, clubs in Oregon City, St. John, Vancouver, Eugene, Salem and The Dalles will probably make up the circuit. Kelso, Woodburn, Astoria and two of the local teams will be dropped because of different reasons. The three outside towns do not pay, and there is only enough talent in the city to support two, first-class teams.

players on the Milliners, will go down to Astoria with the team today, and do the slab work. With two such box artists, the Milliners ought to take both games.

FOOTBALL IN FAVOR AGAIN
Portland Academy Will Have Team This Year.

Football, which was banished from Portland Academy last year, will be restored to the list of sports this season, and the boys of the academy are now

planning to enter a team in the Inter-scholastic League, Dr. S. R. Johnson, of the athletic committee, comprised of members of the faculty, returned to the city last week, and gave his permission to form a team. The academy has always had one of the strong teams of the league, and for years held the championship of the city. Several members of the '06 team have signified their intention of returning to the school, and with raw material at hand and the aid of a good coach, the school should be able to turn out a good team.

George Wright Relief Corps.
George Wright Relief Corps sewing

circle will hold its regular meeting at the G. A. R. Hall, Second and Morrison streets, Wednesday, September 18, from 10 to 4 o'clock. Members are requested to be present as business of interest will be transacted.

Mobbed for Hitting Man, Not Apple
RIO JANEIRO, Sept. 14.—Juan Espinosa, an expert Chilean marksman, while attempting to shoot an apple from the head of a man at a circus here, missed and killed the man. The crowd at the exhibition made a rush for Espinosa and he barely escaped lynching.

are to be deferred for any great length of time. A number of other criminal cases, involving charges of counterfeiting and robbing postoffices, in which several of the defendants have been lying in jail for more than a year, will be tried first. There are only a few of these cases and they will require but a short time to hear and then United States Attorney Bristol will take up the minor conspiracy cases in connection with the land frauds. Early in November the trial will be joined by Special Prosecutor Heney when the more important cases against ex-United States Attorney John Hall, ex-Congressman Ringer Hermann and State Senator R. A. Booth will be prosecuted.

The latter part of this month the regular jury list for the October term will be drawn, but it is improbable that another grand jury will be convened until all pending business on the docket has been disposed of. That another such an inquisitorial body will be assembled this Fall is considered very likely, although the court officials decline to confirm this suspicion.

Plenty of Work for Heney.
Now that the Department of Justice and the Interior Department have arranged jointly for the return of Heney to Portland personally to wind up the land-fraud prosecutions, it is figured that the policy of the Government will be to extend the investigation to other suspected land steals in this state. If the contemplated investigations are carried out there will be need for the services of another grand jury, which, it is reported, will be called at the proper time.

In the meantime Assistant United States Attorney Cole is preparing and filing complaints in a large number of cases in which the Government is seeking to have cancelled patents to land that have been fraudulently acquired by settlers in the course of the land-fraud operations in this state for a number of years past. The first batch of these suits was filed last week and a number of others is in course of preparation.

Trusts to Come Next.
When the land-fraud trials have been cleared up it is barely possible an official inquiry will be made into the operations of a number of alleged illegal trade combinations in this city. It is generally understood that United States Attorney Bristol has for some time been quietly investigating a number of local trusts and in the course of this investigation has acquired a vast amount of evidence that would warrant the return of indictments by any grand jury before which the same might be presented. But the scope of the work of the Government's prosecutors on the subject of trusts at the approaching term of the Federal Court will depend largely on the length of time that is required in the trial of the pending land-fraud cases and the extent to which these frauds are further inquired into.

parents of two children, whom the father desires to have placed in his charge.

Allowance for Mrs. Goode.
Petition was granted the widow of H. W. Goode to have the administrator of the estate pay over to her the sum of \$394, being the amount claimed as reasonable for her maintenance and that of her minor children for the period elapsing since the death of Mr. Goode. There was also allowed the sum of \$50 a month, dating from August 3, for one year, for their use and benefit.

From Hogg to Hoag.
Percival D. Hogg stated to Judge Webster yesterday that he thought an improvement could be made in the spelling of his name and after giving the matter a moment's consideration the court agreed with the applicant and Mr. Hogg left the courtroom henceforth to be known as Percival D. Hoag.

Passes Bogus Check.
J. H. Elliott was found guilty of passing a bogus check on a clerk in the employ of Ben Selling for the sum of \$30. Elliott was sentenced to serve a year in the penitentiary, but was released on probation.

New Notaries Public.
Certificates were issued yesterday to the following named notaries public: Charles T. Hughes, A. J. Christopherson and John C. Shillock.

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the Apostles at St. John this afternoon, while the Frakes will go a double-header with the Bohemians at Astoria. It is conceded by everybody that the St. John team is much harder to beat than the Bohemians, and all the fans dope it out that the hat-makers ought to take both at Astoria, while the Tigers should break even at St. John. This would put the locals one ahead of the Bengals.

Kelso certainly has the baseball craze, and is doing everything it can to take the rag. It was stated by an official of the league that the Kelso fans had offered to hire a battery and infield from the Northwest League for Astoria, in order that the Bohemians might take both games from the Milliners, and thereby give the pennant to the Tigers. Astoria, in true sporting spirit, refused this offer, and the management of the team stated that if they could not win with their regular team they would just as soon lose the game as to go on the field with a picked team from an outside organization.

Another case before the minds of the followers of the league is the action of the officials in throwing out the game won by the Frakes at St. John a week ago. A phony ball—that is, an inflated pneumatic sphere, covered with horsehide—was used in the game. The Milliners won, and the St. John management protested. To the observer, it looks as if the game should be thrown out, and according to baseball rules, the game should not be counted. But if this decision is allowed to stand it might work a great

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