JUDGE THROWS OUT LAND-FRAUD CASES

Charges of Ruick's Misconduct Are Sustained by Federal Court.

FAIR TRIAL WAS DENIED

Alleged in Plea That District Attorney Appeared Before Grand Jury Urging Indictments and Gave No Chance for Discussion.

BOISE, Idaho, March 14.—(Special.)—United States District Judge Whitson, of Spokane, who last Fall sat in place of District Judge Deitrich in the proceedings in connection with the indictments against John I. Wells, Frank Martin, and others, returned by the Federal grand jury here, has rendered a decision sustaining the second of two pleas in abatement filed and argued before him by the defendants. This is the plea in which District Attorney Ruick was charged with misconduct before the grand jury that returned the indictments.

The other pleas filed by specific defendants, one claiming that the statute of limitations barred prosecution and the other that immunity was procured because of testimony given by defendants before the grand jury, are overruled. The effect of the ruling is to throw all of the cases resulting from the grand jury investigation of March 1907, relative to alleged timber frauds, out of court.

The defendants were John I. Wells, Patrick Downs, John Kinkaid, Louis M. Pritchard, William Sweet, Albert E. Palmer, Horace S. Rand, Frank Martin, James T. Barber and Summer G. Moon. Senator Borah was indicted with these, but stood trial, and was acquitted.

The averments in the second plea in which the defendants said they have been denied a fair and impartial investigation of the charge against them were briefly that the District Attorney, after all evidence had been submitted while the jurors were deliberating, before any vote was taken, went before the body without request and made a lengthy argument on the sufficiency of the evidence; gave his opinion thereon, and urged the finding of the indictments; that he told the jurors the responsibility of such action would rest upon him alone; that he told the jury repeatedly that in asking for the indictments against the particular defendants he was acting under specific instructions from the Department at Washington; that all discussion was prevented and that jurors who asked permission to make statements were denied that privilege. It was also charged that afterward, when indictments were voted, the District Attorney refused to leave the room when one juror requested him to do so (that juror wishing to propose a reconsideration of the vote), but directed the foreman of the jury to sign the indictment at once. It was charged that the indictment was never read to the jury and that the instrument was actually signed and returned without the members of the grand jury knowing its contents or the names of the persons indicted.

SEND SHIPS TO BREMERTON

Cruisers Milwaukee and St. Louis to Be Repaired at Puget Sound.

NAVY YARD, Puget Sound, March 14.—(Special.)—Word has been received here by Rear-Admiral W. T. Burwell, commandant of the Navy-Yard, Puget Sound, to the effect that the protected cruisers Milwaukee and St. Louis have been ordered here to be placed in reserve. The Milwaukee belongs to the Pacific fleet and the St. Louis to the Atlantic fleet. The order from the Department did not signify when the vessels would arrive. The two cruisers are of the first class, but since the advent of the armored cruiser in the United States Navy they have lost some of their prestige as fighting ships.

While in reserve the vessels will be manned by small crews, many of the men going to the receiving-ship Philadelphia and marine barracks. Many of the drills of routine life aboard a warship in active service will be dispensed with, but the vessels will be held in readiness to go to sea on 24 hours' notice.

THINK TODD HAS ESCAPED

Umatilla Officials Disbelieve Report Youth Has Drowned.

PENDLETON, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—Troy Todd, a well-known bronco buster and cowboy, is reported to have been drowned in the Umatilla River about eight miles above this city at noon today. The body has not been recovered.

According to the report, Todd, in company with a woman, Mrs. George Bowman, was watering cattle. He rode into the water and the river being swollen the horse was soon beyond its depth. In swimming to shore Todd was swept off the animal by an overhanging limb and drowned. The horse made its way to safety.

As Todd was out on $750 bonds awaiting trial next month on the charge of stealing cattle, and with a term in the penitentiary staring him in the face, some of the officers are loath to believe the drowning is genuine. If he was drowned his body will surely be recovered, as incited by the $100 reward, the Indians are making separate efforts to find it.

ROB TENT, GET FOUR YEARS

Two Hermiston Men Get Heavy Sentence at Pendleton.

PENDLETON, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—G. Hermann and Mike Kelley were this morning sentenced to serve four years each in the penitentiary for robbing a tent near Hermiston. These are the two men who broke out of the City Jail Thursday night, but who were captured by Night Officer Kearney before they could escape. They had been released from the County Jail a few days before for lack of evidence on a burglary charge. When arraigned this morning they pleaded guilty, expecting a sentence of about 30 days in the County Jail.

CAPT. COE HURT IN RUNAWAY

Pioneer Resident of Hood River Is Rendered Unconscious.

HOOD RIVER, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—His horse becoming frightened by an automobile, Captain Henry Coe, Hood River's oldest pioneer was thrown from his wagon and rendered unconscious yesterday. He was taken to the Cottage Hospital, where he is today reported out of danger and recovering rapidly. In conjunction with his brother, Captain Coe originally owned the entire townsite of Hood River, very little of which now remains in their possession. He was also one of the pioneer steamboat captains on the Columbia, and took part in the Indian wars along the river in the early days.

FINDS INITIATIVE TOO EASY

Washington Grangers Would Increase Petition Lists.

HILLSBORO, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—Representatives of ten granges, numbering 75 delegates, met in this city today, and elected Philip Olson, of Hillsboro; W. W. Jacquith, of Scholls, and N. S. Prickett, of Banks, as delegates to the state grange convention, which meets in Eugene, early in May. The grange voted a resolution opposing the county high school proposition, and further expressed itself as in favor of a required larger percentage of the voters on a petition in order to secure initiative action, either in county or legislative affairs. The direct primary was indorsed, but no action was taken as to Statement No. 1, although a canvass of those present showed that a large majority favored that idea.

GUILTY IN SECOND DEGREE

Idaho Jury Convicts Negro Who Killed McCammon Saloonman.

POCATELLO, Idaho, March 14.—(Special.)—After deliberating 25½ hours, a jury in the Evans murder case tonight rendered a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree.

Charles Evans (colored) shot and killed Robert Jackson, a saloon man at McCammon, in this county, on November 29 of last year, in a fatal duel fought in the darkness in the rear of Jackson's saloon.

Evans pleaded self-defense, claiming that Jackson, his employer, fired the first shot. The jury stood 10 to 2 for conviction of murder in the first degree from the first ballot until late this afternoon, when one stubborn juror gave in, followed a few hours later by the other.

MANAGER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF OREGON BASEBALL TEAM.

Frank R. Mount.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—Frank R. Mount, '08, manager of the varsity baseball team, is one of the most popular students in the university. He is thoroughly interested in baseball, having served as assistant manager and as a member of the second team. He is registered from Olympia, Wash., though he spends most of his time in Oregon. In addition to being manager of the baseball team, Mount is president of the leading literary society of the university, the Laurean.

DYING, HE ADMITS A CRIME

Former Michigan Defaulter Confesses in Bellingham Hospital.

SEATTLE, March 14.—Realizing that life held only a few more conscious hours for him, a middle-aged man, arrested while lying in an apparently unconscious condition on the street, March 3, confessed to Mrs. Ida Small, matron of the Washington Hospital, that his name was McGrachy, instead of George Martin, the name he had given. He intimated that he was a defaulter from a bank at Imlay City, Mich. His mother and brothers and sisters, all wealthy, still live at Imlay City, but they have long ago given him up for dead. McGrachy died a victim of pneumonia.

COLORED WOMAN SENTENCED

Six Months for Attempted Assault on Effie Moore at Astoria.

ASTORIA, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—The Circuit Court jury in the case against Lottie Lewis, colored, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon on Effie Moore, a white woman, returned a verdict this evening finding the defendant guilty of simple assault. The woman was sentenced to a term of six months in the County Jail.

Judge McBride adjourned court this evening for the term, and he goes from here to Hillsboro to open a regular term there on Monday.

Has Deer Out of Season; Is Fined.

ALBANY, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—George W. Fisher, proprietor of the Brownsville glove factory, was convicted in the State Circuit Court last evening of violation of the game laws, by having fresh deer meat in his possession December 12, long after the open season for killing deer had closed. Judge Bennett directed the jury to return a verdict of guilty without leaving the jury-box. Fisher was fined $100 and costs. He will appeal the case to the State Supreme Court.

Smaller Apples Most in Favor.

HOOD RIVER, Or., March 14.—Speaking for the apple buyers, H. F. Davidson said the idea that the big apple was the one that brought the most money, was erroneous. The smaller sizes running from 96 to 128 were the biggest money makers, and the most desired, except on one or two varieties. The directors elected for the ensuing year are B. R. Tucker, A. C. Merriam, Murray Koy, J. J. Hershner and C. H. Sproat.

McCredie's Home Pillaged.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 14.—(Special.)—The home of Judge W. W. McCredie was robbed last night of valuables to the amount of $500. The burglars entered the house by means of skeleton keys and completely ransacked every room in the lower story, obtaining several valuable silver pieces and also some furs belonging to Mrs. McCredie. The police are endeavoring to locate the robbers.

REJECTS YOKE OF HERRIN MACHINE

Emerson Exposes Efforts to Poison California Public Opinion.

REFUSES TO PRAISE RUEF

Methods of Calkins Syndicate Are Brought to Light—Praise of President Roosevelt Suppressed, Defense of Grafters Desired.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—(Special.)—Resigning his position as managing editor of the Fresno Herald late last night and coming to San Francisco today, Colonel Edward Emerson, writer and war correspondent, charged that Willard P. Calkins, head of the Calkins newspaper syndicate, which has recently established daily papers throughout the State of California, had endeavored to have him denounce President Roosevelt and the members of the graft prosecution in San Francisco and to write laudatory articles on E. H. Harriman, William F. Herrin, Abe Ruef, Eugene Schmitz and the indicted millionaires in San Francisco.

Grows Suddenly Wealthy.

The Calkins syndicate has recently developed such signs of affluence that curiosity has been aroused as to the backers of the enterprise. Calkins' papers have within the last month been established in Sacramento and Fresno, where the sentiment in favor of the prosecution was practically unanimous. The Bee, at the former place, and the Republican, at the latter city, had devoted their columns to violent denunciation of the Southern Pacific machine and the big grafters in San Francisco. In a formal statement Colonel Emerson says:

Praise of Grafters Desired.

Contrary to the avowed statement of Willard P. Calkins, president of the Calkins newspaper syndicate, as repeatedly expressed to me by Mr. Calkins himself, I found that I was expected to antagonize President Roosevelt and to suppress publications favorable to him. When in response to a request from Mr. Calkins I expressed my sincere admiration for President Roosevelt, my article was suppressed.

I also found that I was expected to write and publish covert arguments in favor of Schmitz, Ruef, Glass, Herrin, Harriman and the San Francisco boodlers. Because I refused to do so and because I wrote and published an editorial article deprecating the release of Schmitz and Ruef, I have found it advisable to throw up my editorship of Calkins' newspaper organization in Fresno.

Others Resign With Him.

At the same time with my resignation, the Calkins newspaper syndicate has been favored with the resignations of Clifford J. Owen, the Fresno Herald's business manager, and of half the editorial staff—that is, three members.

Arthur I. Street, the editor of the Pandex of the Press, writes me from Chicago that he, too, has thrown up his editorship and part ownership of that magazine, now under control of Calkins, for reasons almost identical with mine.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Building Permits.

O. R. & N. CO.—To erect frame water tower on Willamette River, between Ash and Pine; $1700.

G. M. SMITH—To erect two-story frame on Hawthorne, between East Thirty-first and East Thirty-second; $2000.

F. S. McDONOUGH—To erect one-story frame on Commercial, between Pearl and Killingsworth; $3000.

H. P. P. CHRISTOPHERSON—To erect two-story frame on Thurman, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third; $5000.

A. F. PAILING—To erect one-story frame on East Second, between Alberta and Diamond; $1800.

G. B. CONKLIN—To erect one-story frame on East Sixteenth, between Killingsworth and Holbrook; $1500.

C. T. SOLING—To erect two-story frame on East Morrison, between East Thirty-sixth and East Thirty-seventh; $2000.

M. H. O'CONNOR—To erect one-story frame on East Ninth, between Tillamook and Thompson; $1000.

M. A. GOVE—To erect one-story frame at 1049 Corbett; $1800.

MRS. JOSEPH GOWAULACK—To erect two-story frame at East Twenty-eighth and East Main; $4000.

WM. COX—To erect two-story frame on Mill, south of West; $1000.

J. H. HEWITT—To erect one-story frame on East Burnside, near Wiberg Lane; $2000.

W. H. LINDSEY—To erect two-story frame on Wasco, between East Twenty-fourth and East Twenty-sixth; $2000.

E. H. WEMME—To erect two-story brick for garage on East Burnside, corner East Seventh; $12,000.

Births.

PUGH—At 973 East Nineteenth, north, March 12, to the wife of Bill Pugh, a son.

RUDSON—At 745 Mississippi, December 28, to the wife of Joseph Rudson, a son.

HESKETT—At 780 East Thirtyfourth, March 11, to the wife of T. B. Heskett, a daughter.

FARLEY—At 410 East Lincoln, March 4, to the wife of James Darley, a son.

STRIEF—At 284 North Seventeenth, March 9, to the wife of Fred Strief, a son.

Deaths.

CLAUSSENIUS—At Salem, Or., March 12, Anna Elizabeth Claussenius, a native of California, aged 52 years, 6 months, 12 days.

KNOLL—At 440 East Fourteenth, March 13, Kate Knoll, a native of England, aged 54 years, 4 months and 16 days.

MILSHIRE—At St. Vincent's Sanitarium, March 10, Rebecca Milshire, a native of Indiana, aged 70 years.

WESTON—At 434 Rodney, March 12, Edith Alice Weston, a native of Oregon, aged 2 years, 5 months and 23 days.

KESSWICK—At Fulton Park, March 13, Henry Kesswick, a native of Germany, aged 83 years, 10 months and 11 days.

LEE—At Good Samaritan Hospital, March 8, Lee Tai Hai, a native of China, aged 54 years.

THOMAS—At 469 East Twenty-sixth, March 12, Cynthia Jane Thomas, a native of Ohio, aged 70 years, 4 months and 23 days.

CAMPBELL—At 621 East Salmon, March 12, Archie H. Campbell, a native of Michigan, aged 27 years, 6 months and 8 days.

Marriage Licenses.

McELROY-ARMSTRONG—J. Halbert McElroy, city, 19; Alma Armstrong, 20.

HUTCHINSON-JOHNSON—C. C. Hutchinson, St. John, Or., 31; Julia Johnson, 25.

HEADLEY-SEXTON—C. L. Headley, city, over 21; Edna Sexton, over 18.

ZASTOFF-ZAIK—Max L. Zastoff, Astoria, Or., 25; Eva Zaik, 18.

LOHKAMP-HOLWEGER—Edward R. Lohkamp, city, 22; Lena Holweger, 18.

TROUTWINE-LEACH—John H. Troutwine, city, 25; Viola Leach, 18.

NEWBERG-JOHNSON—Peter Newberg, city, 24; Helma Johnson, 23.

Wedding and visiting cards. W. G. Smith & Co., Washington bldg., 4th and Wash.

Thompson, Canadian member of Parliament for Yukon, declares that within five years the Klondike gold output will reach $20,000,000 a year as the result of the operations of the big dredging companies.

The last census of locomotives in this country showed 51,672.

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MUTE EVIDENCE OF CRIME

BATTERED CORPSE FOUND IN CREEK AT SILVER LAKE.

Body That of Julius Wallende, Missing Since December—Eastern Dispatch Gives a New Version.

SILVER LAKE, Or., March 14.—(Special.)—Evidence of a brutal murder came to light by the discovery yesterday of the dead body of Julius Wallende, who disappeared mysteriously from his home near here, December 27.

Wallende's head had been frightfully battered and his skull fractured in numerous places. The body was discovered lying in the bed of a creek, where it had evidently been thrown to ward off suspicion.

No motive for the crime can be discovered and there is a possibility that Wallende lost his way in the dark, fell into the creek and was drowned. The current of the creek might have battered the skull.

The Coroner is making an investigation.

ABERDEEN, S. D., March 14.—(Special.)—The discovery of the dead body of Julius Sampson, near Silver Lake, Or., clears up a mystery which has been puzzling the friends and relatives of the young man in this state for seven or eight weeks. A telegram which arrived today announces the finding of the body in a creek. It appears that he left for his claim about New Year's and lost his way. The body was not found until the thaw came and the snow melted. Sampson's home was in Edmunds County, west of here.

Flour Drops 15 Cents a Barrel.

TACOMA, Wash., March 14.—(Special.)—Flour dropped in price this morning 15 cents a barrel, making the second reduction to go into effect during the last four weeks. The millers say the retail grocers asserted that they were unable to give the public any benefit of the first cut, and that this second drop was made so that the retailers could sell flour at 10 cents a bag less.

Washington creamery butter declined 3 cents today, and is quoted at 32 to 34 cents.

Predicts Good Fruit Prices.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., March 14.—(Special.)—That high prices for fruit are likely to prevail again this season is the opinion of Manager Samson, of the Yakima Horticultural Union, who has just returned from a tour of the Middle West and the Eastern States. Mr. Samson states that there have been very severe frosts during the past month in the fruit-growing country and that the crops will suffer. Samson sold 14,000 boxes of Yakima apples, which the union had in stock, at excellent prices during his trip.

Portland Lad Best Orator.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, March 14.—(Special.)—In the local tryout for selection of a representative to the state prohibition contest, which meets at McMinnville, April 14, F. D. Luse, of Portland, was winner. His subject was "A Crying Need." There were two other contestants.

Barges Sink; Five Drown.

ASHLAND, Ky., March 14.—The towboat Lloaz, from Pittsburg, for Cincinnati, with a number of coalboats and a crew of 35 men, in a fog early today at Cattlettsburg struck an exposed pier. It is reported that several barges were sunk and that at least five persons were drowned.

PROVIDES FOR SCHOOLS

Text of Senator Borah's Bill Authorizing Improvements.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 14.—Below is given the full text of Senator Borah's bill authorizing the use of not to exceed 50 per cent of the receipts from town lots on Government irrigation projects, for the erection and equipment of schoolhouses, construction of sewer and water systems, etc. Mr. Borah believes that this bill will meet with general approval, as it has already been approved by the Reclamation Service. It differs from the Heyburn bill in that it makes an absolute donation of the money, whereas under the Heyburn bill the money must be repaid into the reclamation fund. The bill follows:

That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized in connection with townsites established within the vicinity of any reclamation project under the provisions of the acts of April 16, 1906, and June 27, 1906, in fixing the terms of sale for lots to provide in his discretion for payments in cash or in not exceeding ten annual installments. He is further authorized to expend from the proceeds of the sales of the town lots in any townsite heretofore or hereafter established under said acts an amount not exceeding 50 per cent of the total thereof for the construction of schoolhouses, water and sewer systems and other municipal improvements, the expenditures herein provided for to be made through the Reclamation Service. The installments paid on the purchase of lots shall be available for such purposes to their entire extent as received until a total of 50 per cent of the purchase price has been utilized as herein provided.

Section 2—That the Secretary of the Interior is further authorized to reserve from entry under the public land laws such lands as may be necessary for cemetery purposes either adjacent to such towns or at locations convenient for the purpose. He is further authorized to make appropriate regulations for the subdivision and sale of lots in such cemeteries at an appraised value through the Reclamation Service until such time as the town shall be duly incorporated under the state laws, after which time the lots shall be disposed of by the town authorities, and the proceeds of such sales by the town authorities shall be used for cemetery improvements and for general public improvements. The proceeds of such sales by the Reclamation Service shall be used for necessary improvements of the cemeteries, and any balance remaining may be used for general public improvements for the benefit of the town.

Section 3—That the survey, subdivision and sale of the lots in cemeteries and townsites heretofore and hereafter established under said acts shall be conducted by the Secretary of the Interior through the Reclamation Service. The proceeds of such sale shall be turned over to the Receiver of the local Land Office and patents for the lots shall be issued in the usual manner through the General Land Office.

Promoter Hemlow Lands in Jail.

CENTRALIA, Wash., March 14.—(Special.)—A man giving the name of W. O. Hemlow, and having a young woman with him said to be his wife, came to Centralia several days ago and represented that he wished to build a canning factory. He was induced to go to Chehalis with a view to locating his plant there. Now he is confined in the Lewis County Jail on a charge of obtaining money in an illegal way. About 20 Chehalis people claim to have been victimized by him.

Woods Hole, Mass.—A similarity between the fog signal on the new Ren and Chickens lightship and that on the Vineyard Sound lightship is said to have been the cause of the grounding of the British steamer Silvia, on the Sow and Pigs Reef. The 35 passengers on the Silvia, among whom were the crew of the wrecked schooner Beta, were taken off and sent to Boston.

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REFUSES TO OPEN SCHOOL

ORTING'S MAYOR DEMANDS BUILDINGS BE MADE SAFER.

Investigation Shows House Is Veritable Firetrap and Officer Demands Protection for Pupils.

ORTING, Wash., March 14.—(Special.)—Mayor Lotz will not permit school to be held in the school building Monday unless the structure is properly protected against fire. Since the holocaust in Ohio, the Mayor has conducted an investigation and found conditions that were horrifying. Mayor Lotz sent a notice to the School Board setting forth all the defects in the building, which he pictures as a death-trap. Should a fire start in the furnace-room, he says, it would take less than 30 seconds to fill both the upper and lower hallways, as well as stairway, with smoke and flames. There would be no way to escape in case of fire, except from windows, which means broken limbs and death.

The Mayor demanded that the Board immediately place the building in proper shape.

YAKIMA SEES AN AIRSHIP

Aerial Vessel Sharply Outlined Against Clear Night Sky.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., March 14.—(Special.)—Sailing westward at high altitude, an airship was sighted at 9 o'clock last night by residents of Capitol Hill, this city. The night was clear and the aerial vessel was clearly outlined against the sky above the brilliant lights carried on the car.

Suicide Follows Quarrel.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., March 14.—Crazed with liquor and grief because his wife would not return to him, last night, James Cosgrove fired a bullet into his breast and is dying at a local hospital. He had been drinking heavily for several days.

ATTENTION!

MANUAL TRAINING SCHOLARS

In order to encourage the proper handling of carpenter and carving tools in the Manual Training Schools of our city, the **HONEYMAN HARDWARE COMPANY** has decided to offer

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First—Any boy attending any public or private school of Manual Training in the City of Portland will be eligible to enter the contest.

Second—Pupils wishing to enter the contest must call at the store of the **HONEYMAN HARDWARE COMPANY**, corner of Fourth and Alder streets, and register their names, addresses and ages, and also state what school and grade they attend, with the Manual Training Teacher's name.

Third—Scholars can make their own selection as to what they may wish to enter in the contest, but the article must be of wood and made by the use of carpenter or wood-carving tools.

Fourth—Every piece of work entered in the contest must be the handiwork of the pupil entering same, and must have been made without the assistance of any other person. Not more than one article can be entered by each contestant.

Fifth—Any piece of carpenter work or wood carving made by any Manual Training Scholar within the past year is eligible to the contest.

Sixth—The awarding of prizes will be made by three competent judges, and as soon as possible after the closing of the contest, all exhibits will be entered and judged by number, which will assure impartial treatment to all contestants.

THE CONTEST WILL OPEN SATURDAY, MARCH 21, AND CLOSE AT 3 P. M., THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1908

Seventh—All exhibits must be delivered at our store before the last-mentioned hour and date.

Eighth—No one can register before the opening day of contest.

GET BUSY ON YOUR EXHIBIT AT ONCE

Ninth—An exception will be made to Rule No. 1 in awarding the Second Prize, valued at $30.00.

This prize can be competed for ONLY by Manual Training Scholars of the Public Schools of this city whose age does not exceed thirteen years.

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No manual training scholar should miss the opportunity of entering this contest. He can do so without cost of any kind or nature. We are offering good prizes. All we ask in return is good work, that it may reflect credit upon the Manual Training Scholars of the City of Portland.

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