

MRS. HIPSECH SAYS SHE IS HARASSED

Thinks Husband's Alienation Suit Against Shonts Is Persecution.

DENIES ALL ACCUSATIONS

Declares Some Mistake Has Been Made and She Is Not Woman Mentioned in Charges—Disclaims Divorce at Reno.

RENO, Nev., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Alleging that her husband, Frederick F. Hipsech, is only trying to harass her and bring her name into undesirable notoriety, Mrs. A. L. Hipsech today made a complete denial of the charges contained in the suit against Theodore P. Shonts for alienation of affections.

"I don't want to be interviewed; I have nothing to say," declared Mrs. Hipsech with a stamp.

When shown a telegram from New York containing her husband's statement on the Shonts suit, Mrs. Hipsech branded the charges as "all rot."

"I am not the person meant in that telegram," she continued in a burst of tears. "There is absolutely no truth in that report; there is not the slightest foundation for such a charge. This is the first I have ever heard the least intimation of such an action by my husband."

"The only explanation I can give is that my husband is resorting to such means to harass me and get my name into publicity. It is his method of cruelty to me, if it is true that he has ever started such a suit."

"I must believe there is some mistake in that report, as it is all new to me. I stopped in Reno for a day to see the city on my way to the Northwest. I thought I would visit the gold camp in Goldfield, but I was told it would not be an opportune time."

"I have not consulted a lawyer regarding a divorce and may never be in Reno again. I am out here visiting friends."

Mrs. Hipsech left Reno tonight for the West. She registered at the Riverside Hotel as "Mrs. A. L. Hipsech."

SALEM YOUTH STRANDED

Induced to Go to Alaska, He Finds Himself Out of Money.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Lee Unruh, a Salem young man, is one of the destitute Americans at Nome, to whose relief a Government revenue cutter has been dispatched.

Unruh and other young men in this vicinity were employed by the Alaska Improvement & Development Company, with offices at that line in the Chamber of Commerce, Portland. The men were required to pay the company \$100 each, in return for which they received \$100 worth of the company's stock, a promise of \$2.50 a day cash and a bonus for a period of 90 days of \$2.50 a day in the capital stock of the company.

Friends of the Salem young men who went into the scheme report that when the men reached Alaska they found nothing to do, and that the company was not prepared to carry out its agreement with the men. The father of this week telegraphed his son money with which to return home.

KERR GETS \$800 DAMAGES

Condemnation Suit Is Concluded at Oregon City.

OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—The jury in the condemnation suit of the Beaverton & Willburg Railroad Company against Casper Kerr and wife this afternoon brought in a verdict of \$800 for Kerr. The case was on trial two days before Judge Campbell.

The railroad company offered Kerr \$250 for his land and \$250 additional as damages, but he asked for \$2000.

State Senator Hodges and Carter & Dufur appeared for Kerr and the company was represented by R. A. Letter and Franklin T. Griffith. The condemnation suit of the same company against the Bonnett family will be tried before a jury next Friday. The case is very similar to the one that was concluded today.

WATER SUPPLY IS IMPURE

Indian Camp Spring Is Source of Typhoid Fever.

OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—The existence of several cases of typhoid fever in Oregon City during the last three weeks has resulted in an analysis of the water that came from a spring on the Indian Camp in the South End of the city. Dr. J. W. Norris, County Health Officer, secured samples of the water and sent them to Dr. R. C. Yenny, secretary of the State Board of Health, and they were given to Dr. Ralph Metcalf, the bacteriologist, for examination.

His reports finding bacillus in the fluid and as a consequence the spring will be ordered closed.

FALL DOWN CELLAR KILLS

George Reynolds Meets Tragic Death Near Old Fort Lyon.

CALDWELL, Idaho, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Word was received here today of the death of George Reynolds, at the Hart ranch, near Old Fort Lyon, near Old Fort Lyon, in Oregon.

Reynolds, gun in hand, was leaving the house when he stepped down a cellarway, the door having been left open, and struck on his head and shoulders, breaking his neck. He was a stranger and there were no papers on his person or in his possession to designate where he came from. He was buried at Jordan Valley.

HIS DOCTORS ARE HOPEFUL

Judge Williams' Condition Unchanged—He May Recover.

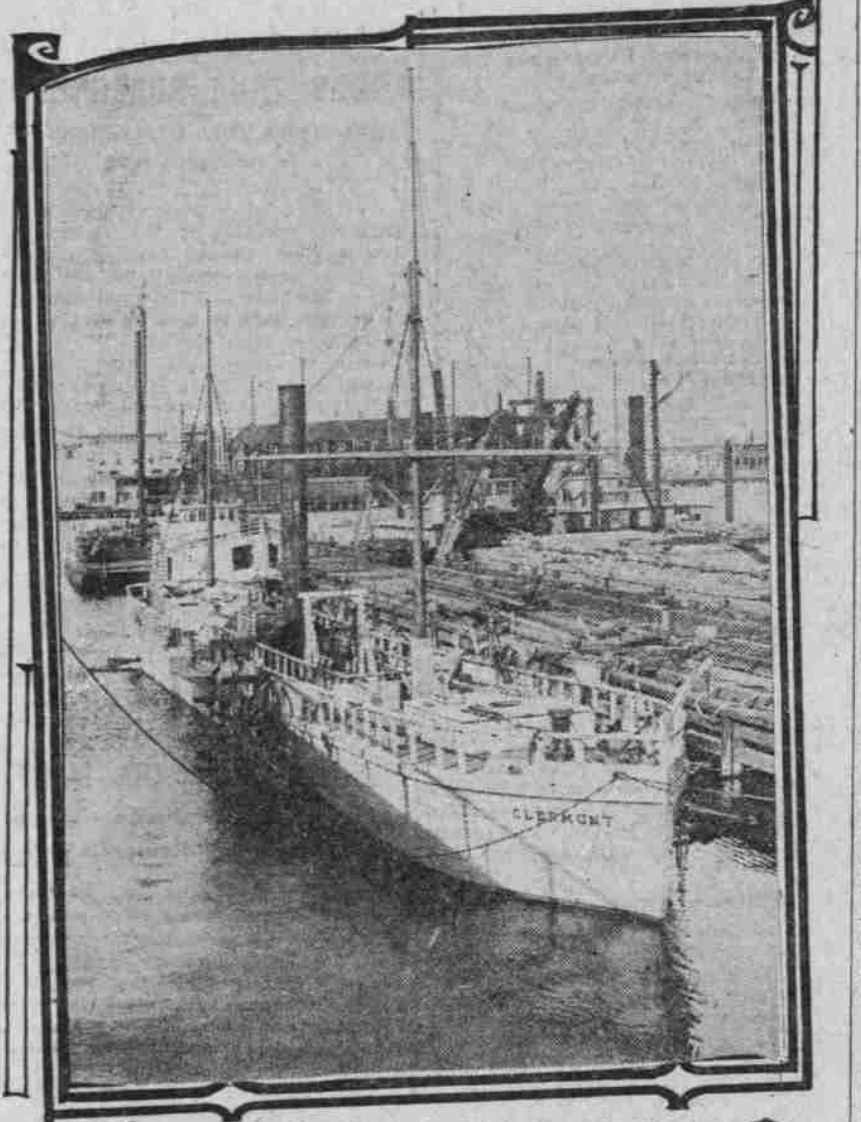
The condition of Judge Williams, practically unchanged at Good Samaritan Hospital throughout yesterday and last night.

The attending physicians believe the aged jurist will recover.

REPLICAS OF TWO FAMOUS SHIPS OF HISTORY WHICH WERE FEATURES OF GREAT WATER PARADE AT NEW YORK YESTERDAY.



THE HALF MOON.



REPLICA OF THE CLERMONT, FULLTON'S STEAMBOAT.

NEW YORK JUBILANT

Millions See Naval Pageant in Hudson River.

NATIONS VIE WITH AMERICA

Foreigners Send Battleships to Take Part in Gotham's Celebration.

Quaint Craft Collide, but Suffer Little Damage.

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Moon and the Clermont left St. George, Staten Island, and the events of the day began. The quaint craft were greeted by a deafening outburst of whistles on the steamer that dotted the upper bay so thickly that their pilots had to proceed with the utmost caution.

The Clermont, after reaching open water, cut off her tow, black smoke belched from her near-antiquated funnel and her uncovered paddle wheels beat the choppy waves of the harbor as she changed along, puffing and wheezing at the rate of five miles an hour.

Hudson's ship, although in tow, started with all sails set and soon was able to disengage with the tug. A favorable breeze caught her canvas, the tow line was cast off and with cheers from the thousands watching from the Staten Island shore and the surrounding boats, the two little vessels proceeded under their own power.

Then occurred an accident, for which apparently both vessels were to blame. When off the St. George ferry landing at the north end of Staten Island, something went wrong with the machinery of the Clermont and she came to a sudden stop.

The pilot of the Half Moon tried to steer clear but failed and she struck the Clermont broadside abaft the paddle wheel.

Immediately all sails on the Half Moon were dropped and the escorting tug hurried to her side. The Clermont's captain, Chester Davis, was shouting orders, but Fulton's boat could move neither forward nor backward.

Slowly the tug pulled the Half Moon away. A hasty examination, however, showed that the damage was trifling. The ornamental work of the Half Moon was smashed nearly to the water line

TAE'S BALLOT BEHIND BALLINGER

Executive Tells Secretary to Carry Out Own Ideas After Conference.

PINCHOT POLICY USELESS

On Pretext of Saving Water Power Sites Much Land Far From Any Stream Was Withdrawn; This Ballinger Turns Back Again.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Sept. 25.—When the Reclamation Service could not show authority for withdrawing lands for "power sites" and it was found much of the land withdrawn could not be utilized for reclamation immediately, and when the reclamation of 100,000 acres withdrawn had been put back into the public domain, Pinchot went direct to the President, and there lodged complaint against Secretary Ballinger, charging him with undertaking to disrupt the Roosevelt conservation policy, especially as it applied to water power.

The President sent for Ballinger, told him of Pinchot's complaint, and asked what he proposed to do about it. Ballinger satisfactorily explained his position, and was told to proceed along the lines which he considered proper. This he did, and within six weeks began the re-withdrawal of such lands as, upon careful examination, were found essential to the protection of power sites. Superfluous lands were not included. From May 1 to the present moment, Secretary Ballinger has continued, pending action by Congress, to make withdrawal of sufficient areas of lands to protect feasible power sites on the public domain, and it is only fair to say that the number of sites which he has discovered and protected, and the total horsepower which he has guarded, greatly exceeds all that Pinchot sought to accomplish in an extravagant, reckless manner.

Pinchot Sets Up Howl. But the minute that Secretary Ballinger revoked the power sites withdrawals which the Reclamation Service had made at Pinchot's request, Pinchot set up a howl. The assurance he received from the President, was not satisfactory. Pinchot did not rush into print with interviews, but newspaper and magazine writers who have joined with Pinchot to "protect the interests of the non-power people" called into consultation, and soon there was spread broadcast over the country reports that Secretary Ballinger was an instrument in the hands of the water power trust, and was turning over to them the valuable water powers owned by the Government. It was openly charged that the trust was ready to pounce down and grab every available power site that had been released by Ballinger's cancellation of the Pinchot withdrawals. Mr. Pinchot conferred freely with the newspaper men and cancelled the Pinchot power withdrawals at various dates from March 20 to April 15, 1909, and did not make new withdrawals until May 24 and later. But whatever may have been the wisdom or lack of wisdom in leaving these power sites subject to filing for a period of six weeks or more, the fact remains, as borne out by the records, that during that time not a single power site was filed upon; not a single time did the alleged "water power trust" put in appearance.

Ballinger Not With Trust. This is proof positive that Secretary Ballinger was not acting for any power trust, for had the charge been true, that so-called trust certainly would have taken advantage of the opportunity which was offered by Ballinger's order of restoration. The fact that not a single water power site was acquired under any law, seems to disprove the declaration of the Pinchot followers that this powerful "monopoly" is taking advantage of every opportunity to grab the water power possibilities in the West.

But the fact that no filings were made during the period in question was nothing to the Pinchot exploiters. It became very wrothy at Secretary Ballinger on account of his course with regard to the whole matter, and while in Washington, he directed the blunder of the pinched at the irrigation Congress last August, the purport of which was never for a moment misunderstood. After he had written that speech, Mr. Pinchot said it to some of his friends. He was told it was highly inflammatory and likely to embarrass the Administration, and was advised to tone it down. He refused to do so, and the alteration whatever, saying it was his purpose to arouse the irrigation Congress in the hope that his speech would result in a change of policy in the Interior Department.

He said, in effect, before leaving Washington that he was going to Spokane to make trouble, and he felt confident if the congress stood behind him, that he would gain the support of the Administration, and that Ballinger would in turn be curbed, if nothing more.

Newell Loyal to Ballinger. More than this, before he left for Spokane Mr. Pinchot urged, Director Newell of the Reclamation Service, to join him in his fight on Ballinger. He laid bare his plans to Newell, and said that Newell had even greater grievances. Mr. Pinchot with respect to water-power sites was in a direct slap at the Reclamation Service, in that the old withdrawal policy had been the recommendation of that service. Pinchot assured Newell that the people would stand by him, and expressed the view that the Administration would be greatly displeased if even if he should show insubordination towards his chief. But Newell turned a deaf ear to Pinchot's entreaties. He felt that the Secretary of the Interior properly shaped the policies of the Reclamation Service, as well as other bureaus of that department, and his superior officer, by directing a certain course with regard to power sites, it was not incumbent upon him, a subordinate official, to criticize or condemn. Pinchot was greatly incensed with Newell because the latter refused to join him in his fight on Ballinger, and left for Spokane declaring his purpose to make his fight single-handed, if need be.

The attack was made; it was ignored by Secretary Ballinger, but was answered by some of Ballinger's friends. The Secretary was told to stand by his record and the law. He preferred, he said, to be judged by his acts rather than his words. And he proceeded quietly along the course he had mapped out for himself.

Meanwhile ex-Governor Pardee, one of the extreme Pinchot supporters, jumped into the arena, assailing Bal-

Advertisement for Salem Woolen Mills Clothing Co. featuring 'Two Arts That Meet as One' - The Weavers and The Tailors. Includes an illustration of a man in a suit and text about studio clothes and prices from \$15.00 to \$40.00.

Advertisement for Prune Sales Slow, Eastern Buyers Not Willing to Pay Oregon Prices. Includes text about crop in Marion County and returns received on recent shipments.

Advertisement for Settlers Reject Offer, Refuse to Raise Assessment for Government Project. Includes text about North Yakima and Northwest people in Chicago.

Advertisement for YOU can buy a Bush & Lane Piano on easy payments or pay all cash - this is up to you. Includes text about piano quality and price.

Advertisement for Prunes Are Not Damaged. Includes text about prunes in Vancouver and the Wiley B. Allen Co.

Advertisement for Diamonds, The largest stock in the Northwest for selection, consisting only of the finest and backed up by the Feldenheimer guarantee of over 40 years' standing.

Advertisement for LEMAIRE OPERA GLASSES, BEST IN THE WORLD. Includes text about field glasses and a list of dealers.

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