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BABY IN COVERED WITH CONTUIONS AND CUTS

Red Pepper in the bottle because it some time and during the time that Mr. Halley was in Portland in attendance on the Thompson trial, the neighbors went to the sheriff's office and made a complaint that the child was being mistreated, but owing to the district attorney's absence no action was taken. Last night the case came to a climax when the neighbors of the foster mother worked the neighbors to such a pitch that they went to the sheriff and asked him to take charge of the baby to prevent bodily harm being done to it. This was done, and this morning the case was heard in the court.

Brewing for Some Time.

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Asked for Leniency.

I. B. Reeder had been retained by Mrs. Turner as her attorney, and at the opening of the court, stated that he had advised the woman not to come to the session. That he, on investigation, did not wish to oppose the opening of the court and that he would ask that the matter be done as quickly as possible both for the good of the woman and of the child. Mrs. Turner was not physically financially, nor, in fact, perhaps mentally, to take charge of the child, and he thought that it should be taken from her, but it was her mood that the matter be not agitated nor given more publicity than was necessary. She would leave the city in a few days to join her husband and he wished the matter over with as soon as possible.

Medical Testimony.

Dr. Cole was called and testified that he had examined the child and had found it to be covered with bruises on the arms, face and neck. There were indications that the child was afflicted with a skin disease as the result of uncleanliness and lack of care. The hair was matted and the scalp was diseased. The bruises could not have been made by falling down stairs, for they were too general, but they appeared to have been made by blows or bumps with some hard substance, apparently a large stick of wood, or similar instrument. The little child was here examined by the court. Its face was swollen and large bruises were found on her forehead and cheek, while her arms were covered with large bruises and one finger was gone while the teeth and nails were visible on the left hand.

Testimony of Neighbors.

Mrs. McLaughlin, a neighbor, was called. She testified that the foster mother had talked with her about the child. Had said that she was mad at it and could not bear it around, and had punished it often. At one time had slapped it so hard that it was knocked across the room. The defendant had told the witness that the child liked beer, and that she had gotten it drunk, and had had lots of fun watching it while in that condition. That the child had been cut up, and was very amusing. The child had been bad and she had punished her by dipping her head first in a pail of cold water, which she had done on several occasions. The witness had been at the home of the defendant and had held the child in her lap. The defendant grew angry at the child and slapped it so hard that it was nearly knocked out of her arms.

Taken Under Adversement.

At the conclusion of the examination the court stated that the matter would be taken under adversement for a short time until a home could be found, as there were persons who wished to take the child. If these were not satisfactory, it would be sent to the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society of Portland. Mr. Halley stated that in his opinion the real mother of the child was not a fit person to select a guardian for it, and that he would ask it to be left in the care of Mr. and Mrs. Wells until the matter was settled. The witnesses turned the fee to which they were entitled

ADMINISTRATOR APPOINTED.

Done to Handle Estate and Affairs of Robert Terney, Deceased.

The petition of George Terney has been presented to the probate court asking that he be appointed administrator of the estate of Robert Terney, who died December 1, 1903, aged 53 years, and was a resident of the city of Portland, Oregon. The estate is composed of real and personal property and is valued at \$2,400. The court granted the petition, and set the bonds at \$450.

RIGHT TO WATER

DECISION RENDERED IN A SIGNIFICANT CASE.

Suit Brought by Milton Man Who Claimed His Neighbor "Used More Water than His Share of Equity or in Law—Plaintiff Gets Circuit Court Decision After Three Years."

The facts in the case are that the plaintiff and defendant owned land above Milton, contiguous and through which ran a small stream. The land of the plaintiff was below that of the defendant, and was irrigated by the stream running through the land of both. For many years the plaintiff used the water of the stream, and but a short time ago the defendant caused the suit the defendant placed a dam in the stream and turned the water from the land owned by the plaintiff, shutting off its supply entirely through the plaintiff's land.

The court, when it tried the case, went to the scene of the contention and held a session of several days, taking testimony in the case and investigating the conditions. Today the court finds that the plaintiff is entitled to a decree, and that the defendant is to be enjoined from moving the obstructions from the stream and allow the water to flow again in its old channel so that 60 inches of water may be carried in a channel, and at least 48 inches in the ditch of the plaintiff at all times of the year. The court further decrees that the defendant shall be enjoined from diverting the water from the natural channel in any quantity to interfere with the 60-inch flow of the plaintiff. From obstructing the channel with a dam and further orders that the injunction be perpetual.

PROMINENT FARMER.

J. W. Keen in the City With His Daughter, Consultant in Oculist.

J. W. Keen, of Athena, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Laura Keen, was in the city today for a short time on business. Mr. Keen is a prominent citizen of Athena, having a great deal of property there and at Weston, and is one of the principal wheat and stock men of the county.

PLEADED GUILTY.

Jerome Moran Will Go to Penitentiary for Forgery.

Jerome Moran was arraigned this morning in the circuit court charged with obtaining money under false pretenses, and pleaded guilty to the charge. He was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary at Salem, and will be taken there as soon as possible by the sheriff. Moran is a resident of the city and has been in the city for several years. He was arrested on December 10th, and has been in the city since that time.

BEEN TO CALGARY

WILL RETURN THERE SOON FOR REMAINDER OF WINTER.

W. H. Babb Likes Oregon Better—Very Good Country is Not Felt Badly—That is a Most Stock Country and Filling Up Rapidly With Immigrants—is Selling Oregon Horses There.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Babb returned this morning from Calgary, where they have been for several months, and will visit in the city for a short time. Mr. Babb, after having sold his property here, went to Calgary in charge of a large number of horses shipped there by W. F. Matlock and is now located for the time at Cypress Springs, a place about 50 miles from Medicine Hat. He has not sold all of the stock as yet, and will have his headquarters in that country until he does. Mr. Babb is a very successful horse raiser and is well known in the stock market, as they are in great demand at this time.

NEWS OF ATHENA

PROTRACTED MEETINGS AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Returned from California—Rev. Clarke, Baptist Evangelist from St. Louis, is here—C. G. Osborn and Will Have Gone to Portland—Reed Hill Has Bought the Gay Cottage.

Athena, Dec. 11.—Mr. Gay has sold his home at Hill for \$350. Mr. Hill and family will occupy it soon. Mrs. William Reeder's niece, Velma Baeus, who spent the summer with the Reeder family, returned to her home in Spokane a few days ago. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Jack of Helena have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Jack's parents.

WEDNESDAY'S LOCALS.

M. L. Warren, of McKay creek, is in the city today.

T. J. Kirk, of Athena, is in the city today on business.

G. W. Hunt, of Echo, is in the city for a short business visit.

F. J. Biele, of Milton, is in the city for a short visit on business.

Charles A. King, a business man of Burns, is in the city on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Catherman, of Echo, are the guests of friends in the city for a short time.

J. A. McLaughlin, the mill man of Gurdane, is in the city today on business connected with his mill.

J. A. Steach, of Camas Prairie, is in the city for a short visit on business connected with his ranch.

W. O. Millikin, of Milton, was a business visitor in the city today for a short time on a business trip.

Miss Eva Betts, who has been visiting in Portland, where she will stay a few weeks, has returned to her home in this city.

George Elliott, one of the well known farmers of Camas Prairie, was a business visitor today for a short time on business.

Clarence Knight, proprietor of the Helix drug store, spent a short time in the city while en route home from Portland, where he has been for several days supplying holiday goods.

DECISION AS TO INDIAN LANDS

ISSUE WILL BE TAKEN TO SECRETARY OF INTERIOR.

Many Landholders on the Reservation Unfavorably Affected, Being in Danger of Sustaining Heavy Losses of Time and Improvements—History of the First and Second Allotment Acts.

S. A. Lowell is in receipt of a letter from Samuel Herrick of Washington, D. C., stating that Commissioner Richards of the general land office, has reversed the ruling of the La Grande land office in the matter of the second purchase of unsold Indian lands on the reservation. This is an important decision, and will affect the purchase of a great many 160-acre tracts on the Upper McKay and in the Birch creek country.

In 1891, after the allotment of the lands on the reservation had been made to the Indians, and the allotment act had been passed, by which all of the desirable land of the reservation not taken by the Indians was bought by white men in the country. By the provisions of the act each man was allowed 160 acres of unimproved and 40 acres of timbered land. But there was a large tract of land left that was not taken, and on July 1, 1902, another law was passed by congress providing for the sale of that part of the reservation left unsold under the previous act.

By this time the business had not been desired had appreciated in value and had become very valuable to the stockmen and others, and many of those who had bought land under the first act, purchased under the second also, contending that under its provisions they were allowed to take a second 160, or 40 acres.

TO DITCH AND RECLAIM.

New Company With That Purpose in View Has Been Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation were filed this morning in the office of the county clerk incorporating the U. S. M. Development Company, with a capital stock of \$5,000, divided into 100 shares of \$50 each.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

Plaintiff Alleges Desertion and Asks for Custody of Child.

A divorce suit was filed this morning in the county clerk's office by Laura E. Shaw against her husband, James F. Shaw. The complaint alleges that the parties were married at Keosauqua, Yaluma county, Washington, on June 24, 1894, and that there is one child, Daisy Christian Shaw, aged 2 years, the issue of the marriage.

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