

FISH BARON'S GRIP BROKEN

Supreme Court Decision Breaks Salmon Monopoly On Rogue River.

BURNS ESTATE WINS OUT

Title Is Acquired to Land Which Has Blocked Fishing Industry In Oregon.

A special to the Oregonian from Salem says: "R. D. Hume, the millionaire salmon canner of Rogue River, lost another suit in the Supreme Court today and by this latest decision his monopoly of the Rogue river fisheries is somewhat fractured, if not broken. The E. B. Burns estate has won its suit to quiet title to a tract of land near Rogue river, which Burns used for a fish salting plant. This land Burns had purchased from Mrs. Frances Kennedy, but there being an error in the deed, she asked to have the description corrected. This was agreed to, Hume, in the meantime, had offered her a higher price for the land. In order to correct the mistake in the description she arranged that Burns should convey the land back to her and she and husband would convey to Burns by a corrected deed. The papers were accordingly drawn up and the Burns deed was signed. Mrs. Kennedy then asked permission to take it to the door to show it to her husband before they signed their deed, but instead of coming back she took the deed to the court house, had it recorded and immediately conveyed the land to Hume.

Burns then brought this suit to quiet title, charging the Kennedys and Hume with conspiracy and fraud. The decree in the lower court, after trial before Judge Hamilton, was in favor of Burns and on appeal this is affirmed. The Supreme Court, in an opinion by Justice Eakin, holds that it is immaterial whether Hume was a party to the fraud or not, for there was no delivery of the deed. The grantor had merely let Mrs. Kennedy take it to the door to show to her husband, with the agreement that it should be returned, and there was no intention that it should be delivered as a conveyance until she delivered a corrected deed in the place of the conveyance that contained an error. Since "Mrs. Kennedy acquired no title by the deed, she could convey none to Hume, even though he were an innocent purchaser for value without notice."

By this decision the Burns estate has undisputed title to the land which enables them to handle fish from Rogue river.

USES NOVEL METHOD FOR ADVERTISING

Henry Sengstacken sent a man to the outside lately with a linen duster painted with his sign, and advertising Coos Bay. A letter has been received from Roseburg telling of having seen the novel outfit, man, duster and the advertising.

COOS BAY YIELDS 100-POUND FISH

Julius Egenoff made a great catch Thursday night while fishing near the creamery across the bay. His net contained six fine sturgeon, the largest of which weighed 154 pounds and measured over seven feet in length. The fish were brought to Marshfield and the catch was soon sold out to ready customers.

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WILL PARALLEL PACIFIC COAST

P. & I. N. Road Plans Branch Line Through Rich Oregon Country.

Wesler, July 18.—There is every indication that the P. & I. N. railroad is planning to build a branch line into a part of, if not clear through Long valley. A surveyor and his crew have been over the contemplated route and this week the surveyor reported the route very feasible, easy of construction and the country a rich one. Just what the plans are cannot be learned.

General Manager E. M. Heigho of the "Pin" road is in Boise, appearing yesterday as a witness in the Haywood trial. When approached last night, and asked regarding the above dispatch, he said: "I don't like to talk about that matter. I don't like to appear as 'peddling hot air,' and that is what it would look like if I told you the plans, which may be some time in being realized. I will say that we have contemplated a plan for running a branch line from Meadows, when we have reached that point, to Lardo on the Payette lakes and from Lardo south through Long valley to Roseberry, perhaps even further. A surveyor has gone over the route and has reported a 2 per cent grade can be secured. It would not be a difficult piece of road to build. It would not be expensive in construction and I believe it would be a paying venture. Long valley is conceded to be the best wheat section in the state. Fine fruit is grown there. The land is all taken up and the farmers are all prosperous even under the existing conditions. With an avenue to a quick market Long valley would soon become a great agricultural district."

Mr. Heigho was serious in his above statement, but he soon became humorous. He said:

"A good many statements have been credited to me about the plans of the 'Pin' road, I wish you would now state that in an interview I said this: 'As soon as the P. & I. N. railroad shall have reached Meadows I propose to make that city the hub of the continent. Branch lines will be quickly constructed to Cape Cod, Key West, Hudson Bay, Cape Hatteras, Nome, and to some appropriate European point, probably the city of Altama in the Alps. The track across the Atlantic will be supported by balloons filled with hot air from a power plant at Caldwell with which I have already opened negotiations. Free Sunday excursions will be run to the Holy City every three months.'"

WILL TAKE SCHOONER BANDON TO FRISCO

M. J. McKenna, secretary of the Cody Lumber Company, was over from the Coquille river yesterday. The company's steam schooner Bandon, lately launched at Porter, will be taken to San Francisco under ballast for installation of her machinery, Capt. C. P. Jensen in charge. The schooner will ply between San Francisco and Bandon.

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Albert Graham et ux, to D. A. Huling, lots 3 and 4, block 11, Lehn-herr's Add, Myrtle Point; \$900.

R. A. Copple et ux, to C. G. Magnuson, E 50 feet of lots 6 and 7, block H, Western Add, Marshfield; \$10.

Mat Anderson et ux, to Hannah E. Powers, W 90 feet of lots 17, 18, 19, 20, block 40, Railroad Add, Marshfield; \$10.

Wm. C. Deubner et ux, to O. C. Rice, lots 4 and 5, W 1/2 and NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 25, Twp. 25, R. 11; \$10.

Freida Hagelstein et al, to O. C. Rice, NW 1/4, Sec. 36, lots 4 and 5, W 1/2 and NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 25, Twp. 25, R. 11; \$1.

E. L. C. Farrin, referee, NW 1/4 of Sec. 36, Twp. 25, R. 11; \$2,500.

E. L. C. Farrin, referee, to O. C. Rice, lots 4 and 5, W 1/2 of SW 1/4, Sec. 25, Twp. 25, R. 11; \$1,683.

Chris Rasmussen et ux, to Charles L. Trabert, W 1/2 of Sec. 33, Twp. 29, R. 14; \$10.

J. R. Bunch et ux, to J. E. Oren, part of W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 34, Twp. 24, R. 11.

Guy C. Barnum to William Finney, S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of lot 4, Sec. 7, Twp. 26, R. 13; \$100.

Mary C. Leneve and husband to J. J. O'Neill, parcel of land in NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 30, Twp. 28, R. 14; \$1,148.

Guy C. Barnum to William E. E. D. McArthur et ux, to J. J. O'Neill, blocks 3, 8 and 13, lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, block 12, Portland Add, North Bend; \$100.

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Albert Smith to J. L. Kennedy, lots 3 and 4, block 11, Bennett's Bandon Beach; \$550.
Livonia M. Smith and husband to James R. Bunch, W 1/2 of SW 1/4, W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 34, Twp. 24, R. 11; \$1.
Maggie Wilson and husband to A. Ellingson, lot 6, block 33, Elliott's Add, Coquille; \$500.
C. W. Martin et ux, to A. Ellingson, W 1/2 of lot 8, block 4, Coquille City; \$675.

KEEN RIVALRY SHOWN IN SUNDAY'S RACE

Both Boatmen Express Confidence In Winning Powers of Their Respective Boats.

The race between the Express and the Bonita, as mentioned before in the Times to be brought off on Sunday has been the main topic of conversation on the streets the past few days. Nothing else could get the least attention and it is believed the contest will attract a prodigious crowd of sightseers. The arrangements are about completed for start-

ers and judges and these will be announced in the morning's paper.
The race is to begin abreast of the O'Kelly boat landing at 8:30, and continue to the buoy at the end of the old jetty, and return. Mr. Holland, who will command the Express, says he will be back in Marshfield in an hour and a half. O'Kelly says he scarcely thinks the time will be so fast, but in case it is, he will be a few lengths ahead. Money is being wagered that the time will be under two hours.

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