

# CITY AND PORT IN EQUITY CASE

### Judge Coke's Equity Term Will Open in Marshfield—Concerns Drainage System.

Judge Coke's equity term in the circuit court will open at Coquille on November 9, having been deferred one week on account of the election of next Tuesday. The present schedule of the docket contains a long list of cases but few of them are of great importance.

Perhaps the biggest case to come up is that of John Hillstrom and others vs. the City of Marshfield and the Port of Coos Bay, in which these property owners seek a mandatory injunction to force either the Port or the City or both of them to install a proper drainage system on the north arm of Mill Slough. This case will be tried in Marshfield on November 5.

For the equity term Judge Coke declares the trial jury will not be called and there will then be no need of them until the setting in of the next regular term, which opens the second Monday in December.

# SAD DEATH OF RUBY CAMPBELL

### Thirty-Hour Fight to Save Her Life Proves in Vain at Eugene—Feared Burial Alive.

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 30.—The Guard says: After a thirty-hour fight to save her life, Miss Ruby May Campbell, of Riverside, California, died from the effects of bi-chloride of mercury tablets taken Monday night while suffering what the attending physician terms an exaggerated case of nervous prostration. Death occurred shortly before 3 o'clock at the home of her brother, A. B. Campbell, an employe of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph company, living at 649 1-2 Pearl street where she has been visiting with her mother since last Thursday.

During the time the fight was made to save her life she suffered intense pain, but was finally conscious. She implored the physician to be sure that life was fully extinct before burial, saying that she had a fear of premature burial. She also asked that she be buried beside the body of her father at Marshfield. The body is at Branstetter's Undertaking parlor awaiting shipment to Marshfield by way of Portland.

With her mother she left Rivers side two months ago on a vacation in search of health. She has been visiting at Marshfield, where her brother, Ray Campbell, lived, and he accompanied them to Eugene. She was 24 years and four months of age.

# IS BOTHERED BY FOOTPADS

### Merle Cramer Held Up at Point of Gun While Returning to Home Yesterday Morning.

Returning from night work at the Smith mill about 5 o'clock yesterday morning, Merle Cramer, while passing in front of the residence of Charles Reigard at 1127 Tenth street South, was suddenly confronted by two masked men. Shoving their guns into his face, Cramer was commanded to "shell out." The holdup men rifled his pockets, taking in all about \$2.00 in change and telling him to "keep quiet," disappeared down the block in the darkness.

Cramer continued on his way home and no report of the matter was made to the police. He describes one of the gunmen as a tall fellow and the second of sturdier build and much shorter. Handkerchiefs had been used by them in making masks to conceal their features.

He had paid no attention to their approach and hence had no idea of from what direction they came. Very little was said to him by the men, who seemed anxious to be on their way. Cramer had been helping with the night loading of the Nann Smith.

# MARSHFIELD TO AID BELGIANS

### Rev. R. E. Browning Urges People to Contribute to Relieve Starving People.

Editor of The Times: If press reports all over the country are to be relied upon, and everything pointed to the truth of what is reported, there are millions of starving, helpless and homeless people in Belgium who need assistance and at once. They have already suffered beyond the power of language to describe, and now it looks as though these sufferings are to be aggravated by the things which inevitably follow in the wake of war.

Ours should be the first nation to fly to their relief without an instant's hesitation. Ours is a prosperous nation. Upon it the Almighty has showered his blessings. For most of us there is plenty, for many luxury, and but few are pinched by want. To stand by heedlessly and see the people of a whole nation suffer when our laps might supply some of their needs and solve some of their problems is the very contradiction of all the feelings of humanity, to say nothing of the tie of friendship and brotherly love which should bind one nation to another in the hour of direct peril. In Belgium at this moment some of our kin may be numbered among the sufferers, at any rate, they are our brothers by the common tie which makes us all children of our Father in Heaven. Their grief should be ours in a certain sense, and the strings of human pity and sympathy should be loosed and we should help them to bear the burden.

The people of this nation are helping in many places, especially in the eastern states, and funds are being rushed forward through the channel of our credited representatives abroad who have made known the need. Marshfield is a part of the nation and should not let this opportunity go by. We may not give as largely as some other cities, but in proportion to our size, so can we give. Let us show our colors and our gratitude for having thus far been spared any of the inconveniences and horrors of war. Had war involved us too, we might have had nothing to give, being as destitute as the Belgians are today. This ought to prompt us to give a little of our substance, even if it mean a small sacrifice in some quarter.

I would advocate the selection of the Editors of the papers as a joint committee to receive contributions in money at their respective offices, which money can be sent forward to the proper authorities in the east who will see that it gets into the relief channel at once. Let every citizen walk into one of the newspaper offices and give something, even if it is only a dime or a quarter, and do it at once. Somebody's child is crying for bread, just simply the luxury of bread. Do you hear that cry? Look at the cover page of the last copy of the Saturday Evening Post and Restrain your tears if you can.

Robert Evans Browning.

# M'VEY GIVEN HEARING HERE

### North Bend Cook Bound Over to Grand Jury on Serious Charge Under \$3500 Bond

O. L. McVey, the North Bend cook arrested three days ago with a serious charge preferred against him by 13-year-old Cora Estep, was given a preliminary hearing last evening before Justice of the Peace Shuster of North Bend, and sufficient evidence was brought out to warrant his being bound over to the grand jury. The bonds were placed at \$3500, which the prisoner was unable to secure, and he will be placed in jail at the county seat.

In fixing a heavy bail, Judge Shuster declared he did it taking into consideration the seriousness of the charge and the penalty imposed in case guilt is proven. The maximum penalty for rape is twenty years in the state penitentiary.

Evidence was submitted last evening before Presenting Attorney L. A. Liljeqvist, and Attorney Brenn defended McVey. The examination did not go into the details of the case, but merely to the extent to justify the holding of the man.

The Man Who wants to be in the hat band-wagon with a hat that's "brimful" of style, must know that now it's time for a new hat.

Ready, Mr. Man—whether your preference inclines to the carefully styled derby or carries you to the "extreme" that marks this year's latest arrival to the Soft Hat Kingdom.

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**U. S. MARINES TO HAITI.**  
(Our Associated Press is from The Times.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 30.—The battleship Kansas and the transport Hancock, with a regiment of marines aboard, are hurrying to Haiti to protect Americans.

**ALONG THE WATERFRONT.**  
The Yellowstone, of the Swayne & Hoyt line, crossed in this morning and at noon docked at North Bend with 100 tons of freight for Coos Bay. She left out this afternoon for Portland.  
Watching her chance, the gasoline schooner Rustler was able to cross out over the bar yesterday and sailed south for the Rogue River carrying a miscellaneous cargo.  
At noon today the Gleaner arrived from Umpqua and is now at the South Terminal Dock loading a general cargo for Gardiner.  
The gasoline schooner Roamer has not yet crossed the bar for the Slus-

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MRS. PETER MARSH came down from from Haynes Inlet today on a short shopping and visiting trip.  
ARCHIE KRUSE, the Prosper shingle mill proprietor, is in Marshfield on business.  
WARREN REED, the Umpqua capitalist and booster, came down last evening to have his injured hand dressed.  
W. E. BEST came over from Bandon today on business. He stated that the Grate Dollar sailed from there yesterday on her last trip until the mills on the lower river resume business.

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# "Fortunes of War"

The present European conflict fairly staggers the imagination. The tremendous armies and navies involved, the great loss of life, the stupendous destruction of property, all are so great as to nearly defy our comprehension.

And there is still another side. The little French girl who mourns a lover at the front finds herself jobless through the closing of the glove factory which has given her employment. The German hausfrau is troubled because of havoc Russian Cossacks are making of the wheat and barley intended for Prussian bread. Young Sandy McIntosh can't go to war, because he is crippled, but sits on the doorstep. The mill in which he worked is now closed. The mill hands are giving their attention to the business of war.

Meanwhile, the world's work must go on. Who will shoulder the burden of commerce while these neighbors make war on each other? Who indeed can, unless it be the people of these United States of America?

Will it be worth while? Shall we get adequate compensation for our efforts if we put aside our doubts and fears and vacillations and buckle down to work? Read what this great Englishman wrote about it but a short time ago:

"A great war in Europe will enable the United States to sell its crops, in places which will give a much greater income than if there was no war. Almost every industry will derive more or less advantage. Should the American people take advantage of the golden opportunity afforded them by the outbreak of the war, it will mean not diminished, but increased prosperity for the United States."

—Sir George Paish, Editor of the London "Statist."

# Well, Let's Go To Work

## A Famous Screen Star.



JACK RICHARDSON  
The American Mutual Star

Jack Richardson of the "Flying A" Company is once the handsomest and the most villainous villain appearing on the screen. Fortunately for all concerned, including Mr. Richardson, the villainous villain stuff is reserved for his work before the camera. In private life he still is handsome, but he also is one of the gentlest, most likable of men.

Some of the compliments he receives are made with such evident sincerity that they are almost alarming. One woman signing herself "Mother" writes that she has raised four boys, but if any of them were to develop as evil looks as Jack has she would sure poison them. A preacher writes "that no man could act the parts so realistically without being a bad man at heart."

Mr. Richardson is five feet eleven inches tall, weighs 175 pounds and has brown hair, blue eyes and a fair complexion.

**Takes Cafe**—It is stated that Mr. Hammell, formerly of Albany and recently manager of the Gardiner hotel, is to take over the Blanco Cafe which Harry Fourier has been operating since he took on a mortgage against Mr. and Mrs. Powell. It has been named the "White Elephant" and is temporarily closed.

**To New Building**—The W. H. Noble estate is negotiating with the Perry-Nicholson Furniture store to occupy the new building which they will put up on Central Avenue west of the new Star Theatre building and it is likely that the deal will be closed. The Moose lodge may lease the second story of the new building.

**One at a Time**—The animals come in one by one. Hated Police Judge Butler this morning when for the third consecutive time he opened court with only one offender. J. R. B. Sanderson, the man on many initials, had succeeded in winning a home the night previous and reported this morning to pay his respects. He carried a postal savings check for \$60 a fact which tempted the judge to levy a \$5 indemnity for the "Jingo war fund" and Sanderson and his initials fled from parley with the minions of the law.

**AMONG THE SICK.**  
Herman Hillyer is recuperating from a severe case of poison oak sustained while clearing his lots the other day.  
W. T. Merchant is recovering from an infection of a small wound on his hand.