

FOR MONEY

Portland Woman Learns the Oregon Trust Has Money at San Francisco and Starts Action to Recover \$900 Deposited Here.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Feb. 27.—Adella V. Hussey came before Judge Graham today in a suit to recover \$900 which is tied up in the Oregon Trust & Savings bank of Portland. She states that she was solicited by several depositors in the Oregon bank to make the deposit and that immediately after doing so she learned that the bank was insolvent.

CAPTAIN BRUIN HAS QUIT POLICE SERVICE

Captain Patrick Bruin, late head of the city detective department, resigned under fire last night and issued a statement in which he claimed that he had been sacrificed by Mayor Lane and Chief Göttschacher because he supposed their protestations of reform were serious.

AT EMERVILLE TRACK TODAY

(United Press Leased Wire.) Emerville, Feb. 27.—First race, six furlongs, geldings—olds and up—ward—Haber (98), 5 to 1, 5 to 2, 7 to 5; first; Woolen (98), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, second; Cascade of Diamonds (96), 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:14.3.

ASHER MUST RETURN TO ANSWER CHARGE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Salem, Or., Feb. 27.—Governor Chamberlain this morning signed requisition papers for the return of Albert Asher, a present holder of a San Francisco warrant at Grants Pass, Oregon, on the charge of larceny.



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MYERS WAS INCAPABLE

Old-Time Residents Testify Testator Was an Alert and Sound Business Man—Physicians Give Evidence to Show Robinson Was Incapable.

Old-time residents of Portland who knew the late George T. Myers for from 15 to 30 years were called to the stand this morning in the county court in the contest begun by his daughter, Mrs. Georgia Francis Stevens, who is seeking to overturn the will of her father. The lines of pioneer witnesses were introduced by the attorneys for the proponents of the will, and without exception they declared that they believed Myers to have been sane, and an alert, capable business man.

A stipulation entered into this morning by the attorneys helps to clear up the status of Dr. S. A. Robinson, so far as the form of his insanity is concerned. Much of the interest centers around Dr. Robinson, because it appears that Myers believed Robinson for the best part of his life, and that he was incompetent and had deceived them, and that he blamed his daughter, "Frank," as he called Mrs. Stevens, for keeping Robinson alone in charge of the case.

George T. Myers Jr., who is fighting the effort of his sister to break the will, was on the stand yesterday afternoon and was recalled for further cross-examination shortly before the noon adjournment today. During the short time he was on the stand he was called on to identify letters written by his father to Mrs. Stevens during the fatal illness of his mother.

Another letter read this morning was one written by Mrs. Myers a little more than two weeks before her death, while she was staying at Ashland. This letter was not mentioned by her at that time.

Holt C. Wilson gave expert testimony concerning the effect of a pelvic abscess, which brought about the death of Mrs. Myers. He said that under the conditions described the cause of illness should soon have been discovered by a capable physician, and that if seasonably discovered and treated the patient should recover. The witness also testified that Robinson was wholly incompetent and did not know the character of the trouble he was treating.

TWO MEN PAY PENALTY OF UNCLE SAM FOR TAMPERING WITH MAIL

Two men were arraigned in the United States district court this morning and paid the penalty of tampering with the letters of other persons who had entrusted sealed and stamped envelopes to the care of Uncle Sam for their delivery to the ones to whom they were addressed.

TOOTERS NAMED FOR BANDWAGON

Everything is now ready for the "mass meeting" to be held under the auspices of the Republican party and county central committee. Last night a special district meeting was held at the county hall, and delegates were elected to the convention to be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in Sells-Hirsch hall.

JURY TO INDICT MARTIN WOMAN

(United Press Leased Wire.) Oakland, Cal., Feb. 27.—Mrs. Isabella Martin will probably be within a few days indicted by the grand jury on charges of dynamiting. It is probable that the blowing up of Judge Ogden's home will be the specific charge.

RAILROAD HINKS BRIDGE IS SAFE

But Madison Street Structure Has Outlived Its Usefulness, Says Josseyn.

At the request of the county authorities the order went out today from street railway headquarters that all cars passing over the Madison street bridge must not pass in the middle of the span. Although the bridge is not considered unsafe by the railway officials, a full-blooded Umatilla woman by her attorneys, McCourt and Phelps, against the Northern Pacific railroad company.

Most of these witnesses said that after they had observed anything in his talk, manner or bearing to indicate that he was insane or entertained insane delusions were F. M. Warren, a canon; Herbert Holman, former state senator for Clackamas and Multnomah counties, who sat in the state senate; S. L. Farrell, a local capitalist; Richard Williams, an old friend, and Jack Matthews, who said he had many conversations with Myers previous to his nomination by the Republicans to fill a vacancy in the state senate.

When the council convenes this afternoon to take up the unfinished business of yesterday afternoon, the members will revoke the restaurant license of Ed Johnson, proprietor of the West Coast Oyster house on Seventh street and the license of Baker and Larson, owners of a saloon at Third and Taylor streets.

These are the only two licenses ever revoked by the council, although several others owned by men of worse repute and whose places are constantly violated by the law were given a certificate of white wash.

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SEVEN GATHERED UP IN FAN TAN RAID

Detectives Kay and Smith this afternoon raided a Chinese fan tan game at 128 1/2 Second street and arrested seven Chinese who were engaged in gambling at the game at the time the officers arrived. The Chinese deposited \$50 cash bail each to insure their appearance in the police court tomorrow morning.

BURGLAR GOT GRIP ON TRUNK MONEY

The manager of the Portland Trunk company reported to the police this morning that a burglar entered the store last night and stole \$80 from the cash register. The transom over the cash register was found to be broken and it is supposed that the thief made his entrance to, and exit from the store by climbing through the small aperture.

INDIAN SQUAW TRIES TO DELAY

Umatilla Woman Demands \$15,000 Salve for Injury Received in Wreck.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., Feb. 27.—So far as is now known the first case in which an Indian of the Umatilla reservation ever sued a railroad company for damages for being injured in a train wreck, has just been filed by Minnie Joshua, a full-blooded Umatilla woman by her attorneys, McCourt and Phelps, against the Northern Pacific railroad company.

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ENGLISH SALOONS THREATENED BY BILL

(United Press Leased Wire.) London, Feb. 27.—Home Secretary of State Asquith today introduced the most advertised licensing bill in the house of commons, and if it passes it will suppress 32,000 saloons. It is expected that the lords will try to modify it.

TRY TO DELAY TRACK BAD

Railroads Urge That Measure Be Postponed by Commission.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, Feb. 27.—The final effort of the railroads throughout the United States to delay the enforcement of the nine-hour law, which becomes effective March 4, was made today before the interstate commerce commission.

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THREATENED TO ASKED TEACHER END ADAMS' LIFE FOR RESIGNATION

Roused by what are said to be fancied wrongs, John J. Fitzgerald, special agent for the O. R. & N., thrust a revolver against the stomach of L. H. Adams, manager of the Portland Baggage & Omnibus Transfer company, and threatened to kill him.

JEFFREY CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESSMAN

(United Press Leased Wire.) Salem, Or., Feb. 27.—John A. Jeffrey of Portland has filed his petition for nomination to the office of congressman from the Second district on the Democratic ticket with the secretary of state.

RADDING STAYS IN JAIL

E. E. Radding, convicted of having conspired with Belle Waymire to blackmail the name of Mayor Lane, is still in the county jail, unable to secure the \$1,000 bonds called for by Judge Gannett. Radding transferred the \$500 bond under which he has been enjoying his liberty prior to the trial to Belle Waymire in order that she would not have to go to jail. He expected to be able to secure his money yesterday, but was unable to do so, and today has also been unsuccessful. His attorney Seneca Fouts, is making the attempt to raise the money by every means possible in a meeting with but little encouragement.

EST SIDE TRACK BAD

Railroad Commissioner and Journal Correspondent Find Many Broken Fish-Plates—Ties Loose and Road in Bad Shape.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Forest Grove, Or., Feb. 27.—C. B. Aitchison of the state railroad commission was in this city this afternoon to get the rusty piece of railroad iron which caused the wreck of the Sheridan local from The Journal correspondent, who recovered the lost iron from Charles Crumley Saturday.

When asked how many plates he had put in Charles Crumley, of section 65, Aitchison left on the 1:30 train with the piece of rail for Portland.

GIVES THOUSANDS TO RELATIVES

(United Press Leased Wire.) Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—Closely following her marriage to Frederick Courtland Penfield of New York Mrs. Annie Weightman-Walker announced gifts aggregating \$800,000 to near relatives. She also gave \$200,000 to charitable institutions. The bride, however, purposefully overlooked those who sought to break her father's will a year ago.

POULTRY SHOW IS OPENED AT DALLES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) The Dalles, Or., Feb. 27.—The first annual poultry show held here by The Dalles Poultry association opened today under favorable auspices. The exhibit is held in the Baldwin hall and more than 100 entries have been made to compete for the prizes offered by the business firms of the city. The exhibit will continue for three days.

IN ANSWERING ADVERTISEMENTS HERETO, PLEASE MENTION THE JOURNAL.

Elmer Dixon of Oregon City, an experienced poultry fancier who has had much to do with fairs in Oregon and other states, will be judge. W. A. Dieken will act in the capacity of superintendent. Many of the ranchers who have taken up poultry raising as a side line to grain or fruit growing are in attendance and have exhibits from the pick of their barnyards.

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