

LEGATEES UNDER MRS. EDDY'S WILL

Certain Properties and \$275,000 to the Church; Cash Requests to Persons.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Concord, N. H., Dec. 15.—Under the will of Mrs. Eddy, which was filed for probate yesterday, each of the children of George W. Glover receives \$10,000. Other beneficiaries are: Mrs. Mary Baker, a sister-in-law, \$5000; Henrietta Chamfray, \$1000; Fred N. Ladd, \$3000; Dr. Foster Eddy, an adopted son, \$5000; Calvin Frye and Pauline Mann, \$10,000 each; Laura Sargent of Boston, \$3000; The Mother church, \$50,000.

The will devotes the Pleasant View estate to Calvin Frye and Pauline Mann, but the codicil revoked the bequest and gives the estate to the Rev. Irving Tomlinson and his sister for living use. The directors of the Mother church are bequeathed \$100,000, for the Mother church, to be held in trust, the income to be spent to provide free instruction for indigents until they may be able to provide for themselves in Christian Science practice.

The will ratifies many trust agreements relative to Christian Science properties and conveys them to the Christian Science authorities.

The first codicil increases Mrs. Sargent's bequest to \$5000, and gives an amount exceeding \$175,000 to the Second Church of Christ, Scientist, at New York.

Many minor bequests are made, including "my crown of diamonds breastplate" to Mrs. Augusta Stearns. This codicil doubles Calvin Frye's bequest and gives him a suitable home at the Newton mansion, free of charge, during his lifetime.

COMEDIENNE TO SELL STAMPS



Alice Lloyd, who will help campaign against tuberculosis.

Alice Lloyd, the delightful English comedienne, has written to Frank Coffinberry, manager of the Orpheum, to say that all next week while she is in Portland she will be glad to do everything in her power to help the campaign for the sale of Red Cross seals. While in Portland last year Miss Lloyd sold seals for just a little while at the Hotel

GETS FRANCHISE TO RUN CARS ON STREETS

The Oregon Electric company was granted yesterday by the city council a franchise to lay tracks on Salmon from Front street to Tenas street, and along Tenas to Flinders the vote by the councilmen being 15 to 1. The franchise enables the Hill interests to establish a physical connection between the Oregon Electric and United Railways roads.

When the ordinance granting the franchise was first considered the company had intended to run its trains over the streets without making stops except at stations. "Property owners protested and the ordinance was referred and referred to a street committee. It was amended so as to accommodate the demands of the property owners and the desires of the company and so amended was passed yesterday.

BAD WEATHER CAUSES DELAY IN R. WORK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Klamath Falls, Or., Dec. 15.—Railroad work is still being vigorously prosecuted in the north of this city. The grade is completed for approximately 20 miles. On account of the stormy weather the progress has been very slow for the past several weeks. The contractors, Erickson & Peterson, have, however, kept at the work with a large force and have made a creditable showing. The steel gang is being mobilized, and within a very few days will begin laying track. Unless unforeseen conditions should arise there will be railroad service to a point about 40 miles north of Klamath Falls by early spring. It is hardly probable that the road will be completed by next July. There is much heavy work along the route and the people of this section do not expect to be on the main line until the spring of 1912.

ALEX. PANTAGES MAKES BIG BUY IN BUSINESS CENTER OF SEATTLE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Seattle, Dec. 15.—Alexander Pantages, the theatrical manager and owner of a string of vaudeville houses, today announced that he had purchased the site of the Plymouth Congregational church, a very desirable corner, in the heart of the business district. The price paid was \$25,000. Only a few years ago Pantages was a poor bootblack.

COOPERATIVE WOOL WAREHOUSE PROSPERS

"Interest at the coming convention will center about the discussions relative to the establishment, and continued activity of the national wool warehouse located at Chicago, which has recently closed its second year," said President Fred W. Gooding of Shoshone, Idaho, while in Portland to prepare for the sheepmen's convention. "The warehouse has handled during the season just closed something over 20,000,000 pounds of western wools. Of this amount about 11,000,000 pounds has been sold by the association for the owners at prices ranging from 14 1/2 to 20 cents a pound net to the grower, and the remaining 9,000,000 pounds is still held in storage and is sold as fast as market conditions allow. "During the past season the wool warehouse company has earned a net profit of nearly 21 per cent upon the entire capital stock, of which only three-fourths has been subscribed. The earnings during the past two years have been practically 58 per cent on the money invested. "Perhaps the strongest point that can be made in connection with the establishment and continued business life of the National Wool Warehouse is that it has resulted in raising the price of wool for the wool grower, at the same time reducing the price both to the manufacturer and the ultimate consumer."

To Promote Public Playgrounds. San Francisco, Dec. 15.—The State Playgrounds association, which has for its object the promotion of public playgrounds as a means for protecting the morals and improving the physical welfare of the youth of California cities, began its first annual convention at the St. Francis hotel, today, with O. K. Cushing of this city presiding. The sessions will continue over Friday and Saturday.

Curtis "Circus" in Georgia. Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 15.—The first aviation tournament ever held in Atlanta opened at the speedway today and continued through the remainder of the week with Messrs. Ely, McCurdy and Post entered with Curtis biplanes. The program for the three days' meet includes speed, altitude, distance, duration and cross country flights.

PROPERTY VALUED AT \$62,500 IS PURCHASED

North Portland business property to the value of \$62,500 changed hands yesterday. Two lots were included in the transaction, and on both sites a modern business house is to be erected without delay. "The 50 foot lot at the southwest corner of Davis and Park streets was sold by Muirhead & Murhead to W. E. Henderson for \$30,000. Immediately after closing the deal Mr. Henderson entered into a contract to build a five story brick warehouse on the lot for the Bagges, Omibus & Transfer company. E. L. Lovell of the Seely-Lovell company, has purchased through the Charles K. Henry company a 30 by 100 foot lot located on the west side of Sixth street, near Burnside. The property formerly belonged to the H. W. Goods estate, and was sold for \$32,500. Mr. Lovell will improve the parcel at once with a four or six story business house. A permit was issued yesterday to W. L. Moran and associates authorizing the erection of a four story brick store building on the quarter block at the northeast corner of East Starke street and Grand avenue. The building is to be a combination store and apartment house structure, and will cost \$70,000.

10 MILL TAX LEVY FOR FOREST GROVE FOR 1911

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Forest Grove, Or., Dec. 15.—The city council of Forest Grove has made a levy of 10 mills for 1911, to be apportioned as follows: General fund, 5 mills; building fund, 1 mill; library fund, 1 mill. The amount of taxable property in this city on the 1910 tax roll is \$228,350, this not including railroad and telephone values. The city has refused to extend the lease of Miss E. B. Penfield, who conducts a book store in the Rodgers Free Library building, and has notified her to vacate by the 15th of next March, it being the intention of the city to occupy the room as a city hall. Felix Verhoeven has resigned as councilman, and the vacancy has been filled by the council, George E. Allen, a wealthy and prominent resident of South Forest Grove, having been appointed. A number of farmers through whose property the gravity water main runs have requested the council to pay them for damages they allege have been done their holdings. Settlement has been made with a few of them, and action on other claims has been deferred. Plans for the annual city election in 1911, and the question as to who will be placed in nomination for mayor and councilmen is already agitating the voters. The present officers have not announced their intention to run for office again, but some of them will probably be nominated.

MILLION TO BE SPENT ON IMPERIAL VALLEY

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, Dec. 15.—The comptroller of the treasury yesterday afternoon declared that the work of protecting land and property in the Imperial valley for which the government has appropriated \$1,000,000, would begin within a few weeks. He recommended to the secretary of the treasury that J. H. Ockerson, engineer in charge of the project, be appointed special disbursing agent to pay for the labor and other expenses.

BURKE TRIAL MAY BE RESUMED TOMORROW

(United Press Leased Wire.) Santa Rosa, Cal., Dec. 15.—The condition of Juror Oeltjen, whose illness brought an abrupt adjournment of the trial of Dr. Willard P. Burke, reported greatly improved today, and it is likely that the trial will be resumed tomorrow morning instead of Monday, as announced when adjournment was taken yesterday. Oeltjen's illness, it is said, is not serious. Attorneys for the defense and the prosecution are taking advantage of the delay to strengthen their cases.

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