

MERCILESS TALK BY JUDGE BRINGS WITNESS TO COURT

Ivy Wells Is Produced at Tillamook When Parents Have Been Lectured Sternly From Bench by Wm. Galloway.

Tillamook, Or., April 22.—With the bringing into court of Ivy Wells, chief witness for the state in its case against Henry McKinley, on trial on a statutory charge, the efforts are visible of the striking attitude delivered by Judge William Galloway in court Wednesday, when he said the court and grand jury would remain in session all summer if the witness were not produced. The judge was made angry by what was considered only another instance of the alleged Tillamook county custom of spiritingly away witnesses to defeat state cases.

When court convened in the case of the State vs. McKinley all witnesses were present with one exception, Ivy Wells, daughter of C. S. Wells. The state's attorneys were ready for trial and counsel for the defendant Galloway, where they underwent a grilling examination by both the court and Acting District Attorney Winslow.

Judge Galloway sat patiently through the examination before taking a hand himself, and when no definite information was elicited from either father or mother of the girl, Judge Galloway said:

Vigorous Demand for Witness.

"This court demands most emphatically that this girl be brought into court. With the good people of Tillamook county behind me in this matter, with the sheriff upholding me, with Mr. Winslow, the acting district attorney assisting me in this matter, I repeat most emphatically that this grand jury will not be dismissed, and this court will not adjourn until this witness is produced, if we have to stay here all the summer."

"How can you clear the name of your child of anything dishonorable if you insist upon hiding her from this court, although you say you do not know where she is. The good name of your daughter is sacred to you, for anything that reflects upon her good name rebounds upon your name, the name of her parents. Is not your standing in the community where you have lived to be based upon your acts as father and mother in this matter? It is your duty to produce her here in court and let her state to all the world the conditions and the proof of her innocence. Would not that be better than hiding her away, or seeing her wandering among strangers? You say you do not know where she is, but you are not worried about her. Is it not possible that she is among strangers and subject to the temptations and machinations of evil men and women she might meet?"

Unwilling to Come, Says Mother.

"This court demands that you bring this child into this court. What do you think of it as a mother?"

"Mrs. Wells: 'I know she does not want to come here.'"

Judge Galloway: "But you say she would probably come back after this court adjourns. I want to tell you, both you and Mr. Wells, that you will have to bring that child into this courtroom and before this grand jury. The sheriff will bring to his aid every available man in the county, the district attorney and the attorneys for the defendant shall have every possible assistance, and I want you both to understand that the sooner that child is produced the better it will be for you both. We do not care whether she is 15 or 16 years old; you and your wife will be held responsible. Now go with the sheriff and bring that girl. This court is in session as long as the people of this county desire the law upheld. If she is sick, bring me the certificate of a reputable physician. There has been no crime charged against this girl; the court knows that the people of this county want the law enforced, and you as loving parents should do all in your power to protect the name of your daughter by bringing her here and stating all the facts to this grand jury, and the sooner you do so the better, for there will be no excusing of this grand jury and no adjournment of this court until you have done so."

DUNCAN TO LECTURE ON GREEK ART, HERE

Raymond Duncan, the Greek scholar, exponent of ancient Greek art and culture in all its forms, who has been producing in America the Elaktra of Sophocles with his troupe of actors from the Royal theatre of Athens, arrived in Portland last Friday, and his five-year-old son, Meniklas, Mr. Duncan stopped off in Portland for a few days six weeks ago on his way to Seattle, where he has been for the past month giving a series of lectures in the State University of Washington, as well as having produced the play "Elaktra," and given three folk song recitals.

Mr. Duncan is going to spend part of the summer in Portland and in that time will put on three public evening performances and will deliver a number of afternoon lectures.

Under the auspices of the Arts and Crafts society Mr. Duncan will give an informal lecture on the art of weaving on next Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Museum of Art, corner Fifth and Taylor.

Mr. Duncan is chiefly noted for his revival of the ancient Greek system and the Greek dance, but what he considers of still greater importance is the revival of the ancient handicrafts.

CANAL EMPLOYEES WILL BUY HOMES IN OREGON

Employees of the Panama canal zone are putting their money in Oregon. One of their number has recently completed a tour of the Dufur valley, and selected locations for these people. They expect to come to Oregon to engage in farming upon the completion of the canal.

Many of the canal employees have been steadily at work almost since the project was commenced by Uncle Sam, and have accumulated enough money with which to get a home, and having heard of Oregon and its opportunities, some of them have already decided to quit their lot here.

O'BRIEN OPPOSES NEW BRIDGE ORDER

Says Railroad Cannot Observe Rules for Steel Bridge Traffic.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., April 22.—Manager J. P. O'Brien of the Oregon-Washington Railway & Navigation company objects to the restrictions placed on the traffic passing over the Steel bridge at Portland, as recommended by engineers for the railroad commission and ordered by that body recently for the safety of the traveling public. The commission instructed that an engine followed by three cars loaded within a space of 500 feet should be followed in such instance by cars loaded not in excess of 30,000 pounds between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock in the morning and 6:30 and 6:50 o'clock in the evening. Manager O'Brien says it is impracticable to carry out this rule and that it is serious as far as the operation of trains across the bridge is concerned. He wants an opportunity to have a conference with the commission before the rule is enforced.

The Portland Railway, Light & Power company and the Multnomah county authorities have complied with the restrictions placed.

GRAND JURY MAY CALL MAYOR SIMON

Vice Probers Think Cox May Be Following Wishes of Superior.

No indictments are expected in connection with the grand jury's investigation into the vice situation, although it is probable that the inquiry will be continued until next week. It is very likely that Chief of Police Cox will be called as a witness, as two or three police officers who have testified declared that they were obeying orders in their attitude toward resorts. It is also possible that Mayor Simon will be summoned, as some of the jurors have reason to believe that Cox has been following the wishes of the mayor.

No evidence has been obtained by the jury as yet which would indicate that any resorts are now running, and for this reason indictments are not probable. Two police officers said that following instructions from the chief they had closed the resorts, and so far as they knew, none of them had the temerity to open again in defiance of orders.

BUTTE GRANGE NO. 148 OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Butte Grange No. 148, located near Tigard on the Oregon Electric railway, celebrated its thirty-seventh anniversary yesterday afternoon. But seven of the charter members are living, two of whom, Edward Wood and Alexander Gustaf, were present. Letters were received from Mr. and Mrs. Thana Paulson, now of San Diego, regretting not being able to be present at the celebration of the Grange as they were 27 years ago.

Mrs. Clara Waldo delivered a very interesting address on school and farm life in Europe, closing with a description of the Oregon Agricultural College methods and a plea for its recognition by the farmers.

Alfred D. Cridge of Portland spoke briefly in regard to the people retaining the initiative unimpaired by the amendment submitted by the legislature which would give every ignorant and indifferent citizen a negative vote on every initiative measure, and so count him. He urged the people to retain the power of taxation in their own hands and not to permit themselves to be divested of this vital power of government.

A very bountiful repast was served at midday and a local band supplied the music for the occasion.

CHECKING UP ON ELLIS PETITION COMPLETED

The checking of the Ellis petition for a charter amendment changing the present system of advertising for paving bids was finished last night by special agents of the paving commission working in conjunction with deputies of the city auditor's office. One of the special agents said that about 2300 legal signatures were found among the 3000 on the petition.

"The law requires 2695 to insure the petition going on the ballot," said this agent, "and it is now practically certain that we have gathered sufficient evidence of fraudulent circulation and forgeries to obtain an order from the special agents of the city auditor from placing the proposed amendment on the ballot."

WATER PLENTIFUL AT IRRIGATION PROJECTS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Boise, Idaho, April 22.—That water is to be more plentiful this year in every part of the state than ever before is the opinion of Wilson Reman of Albion, who is here on engineering matters connected with the reclamation service.

The snows have been heavier this year than ever before and they are holding on better, according to Reman, and the result is that the water is seeing a natural conservation this spring which is almost unique in the history of the state.

"The snows are melting more slowly than in years and as a result there are few floods, while the farmers are getting a good, steady supply of water for irrigation purposes," said Mr. Reman.

The reservoirs are all full where water has been promised this summer and the outlook is, in consequence, good not alone for the farmer but for the promoter as well."

IRISH PATRIOT TO BE EULOGIZED AS MANKIND'S FRIEND

Memorial for Land Reformer, Traveler, and Writer Will Be Held by Local Societies This Evening.



Michael Davitt.

Michael Davitt, Irish patriot and land reformer, will be honored at a meeting of the United Irish league and the Ancient Order of Hibernians this evening at W. O. W. hall, 128 Eleventh street. The meeting will commemorate his birthday, March 25, the memorial in his memory being postponed because of the Lenten season.

Wallace McCamant will speak on "Michael Davitt, Patriot and Statesman," and D. Solis Cohen on "Michael Davitt, the Friend of Humanity." Davitt was a great friend of the labor leaders of the United States, including Powderly, Gompers, Arthur and Mitchell. He was also famed as a traveler and his letters to the press from different parts of the world as well remembered, particularly those relating to the persecution of the Jews in Russia. His was a potent influence in arousing resentment of the civilized world and bringing about the introduction of reforms.

The third address of the evening will be delivered by A. D. Cridge, and will deal with "Michael Davitt, Labor Unionist." The program will be interspersed with Irish songs by Bert O. Carl, Mrs. Ray A. Sullivan, Miss Mae Hensell, and Frank D. Hennessy. Miss Mary Barrett will be at the piano. Professor Duncan will discuss "Greek and Gael in Literature."

Michael Davitt died nearly five years ago, but his memory is annually honored by Irish all over the world. For nine years he was in prison because of his part in the Fenian movement, and his exposure of prison conditions resulted in sweeping reforms. It was in prison also that Davitt conceived the idea of the Irish land league, having in view the restoration of the land to the Irish people and the abolition of landlordism.

Wonderful progress has since been made in land reform and it is a notable fact that almost every step was set forth in the first manifesto issued by Davitt. He held his place in the front of the land movement to the time of his death, and became one of the founders of the labor party.

The program tomorrow evening will constitute a review of the public service of Davitt in the three great departments of land reform, labor and the alleviation of the wrongs of humanity all over the world. The organizations presenting the memorial are represented by J. Hennessy Murphy, L. Shanahan, P. Sullivan, W. J. Lillis, E. H. Deery, John Farrell and John Smith.

MAY IGNORE MORTGAGE; THEREUPON SUE DIRECT

By a ruling yesterday of Judge Gantenbein in the circuit court, suit can be instituted against a mortgagor for the full amount of a mortgage. Instead of suing direct on the property given as a mortgage. This is a new interpretation of the law of 1903, under which many have hesitated only the mortgaged property responsible for the debt. Should the property not satisfy the debt, the mortgagor is the loser. The judge holds that a suit to foreclose the mortgage can be completely ignored and a direct suit to collect the amount involved can be brought. The case in which the ruling was made was that of C. H. Page against F. F. Williams. The latter gave a note of \$15,000 and for security gave a mortgage. Suit can now be against Williams for the full amount.

STORY HEARD, DIVORCE GRANTED IN 1 MINUTE

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Wash., April 22.—It took Judge Day just 60 seconds to hear evidence and grant a divorce to Mrs. J. M. McCrary. The wife said she was married in 1907 in Tacoma, but that her husband had failed to support her.

"Is that true?" asked the court of her attorney. "Yes," and the decree was entered.

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KNIGHTS RALLY IN FOURTH DISTRICT

Lodges of Linn, Lincoln and Benton See Degree Work at Albany.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Albany, Or., April 22.—Laurel lodge No. 7, Knights of Pythias, is tonight the host for the convention of the fourth district, which includes the lodges of Linn, Benton and Lincoln counties. Large delegations are present from Corvallis, Brownsville, Lebanon and Seaside. Grand Chancellor D. E. Moran of Eugene, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal L. R. Stinson of Salem, Circuit Judge R. G. Moraw of Portland and Supreme Representative L. M. Carl of Albany are the guests of honor. District Deputy Willard L. Marks presided at the banquet tonight which followed the degree work of the order.

CRANSTON IS UMATILLA LAND BOARD ATTORNEY

Salem, Or., April 22.—Charles Cranston of Pendleton has been appointed attorney for the land board for Umatilla county to succeed James A. Fee.

ELGIN LANDMARKS GIVE WAY TO 1911 IMPROVEMENTS

\$15,000 City Hall Will Replace Historic Stage Barn; Year's Municipal Expenditures Will Total \$30,000.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Elgin, Or., April 22.—Old landmarks, old board walks and old public utilities are giving way to new and modern improvements in Elgin. The progressive spirit permeates the air and carpenters, cement workers, stone masons, plumbers and all other crafts are busy. Old and worn out wooden buildings are being dismantled to make room for fireproof and modern structures, old board walks and their projecting rails are giving way to cement walks, rusty water mains of insufficient size are being replaced by permanent lines, and other improvements of various kinds are in progress all over the city.

The old stage barn which at one time was a place of great activity, being the scene of the departure and arrival of several stages daily to and from Wal-

FARMERS REBEL AT PHONE CHARGES

Lane County Lines Propose a Central Station of Their Own.

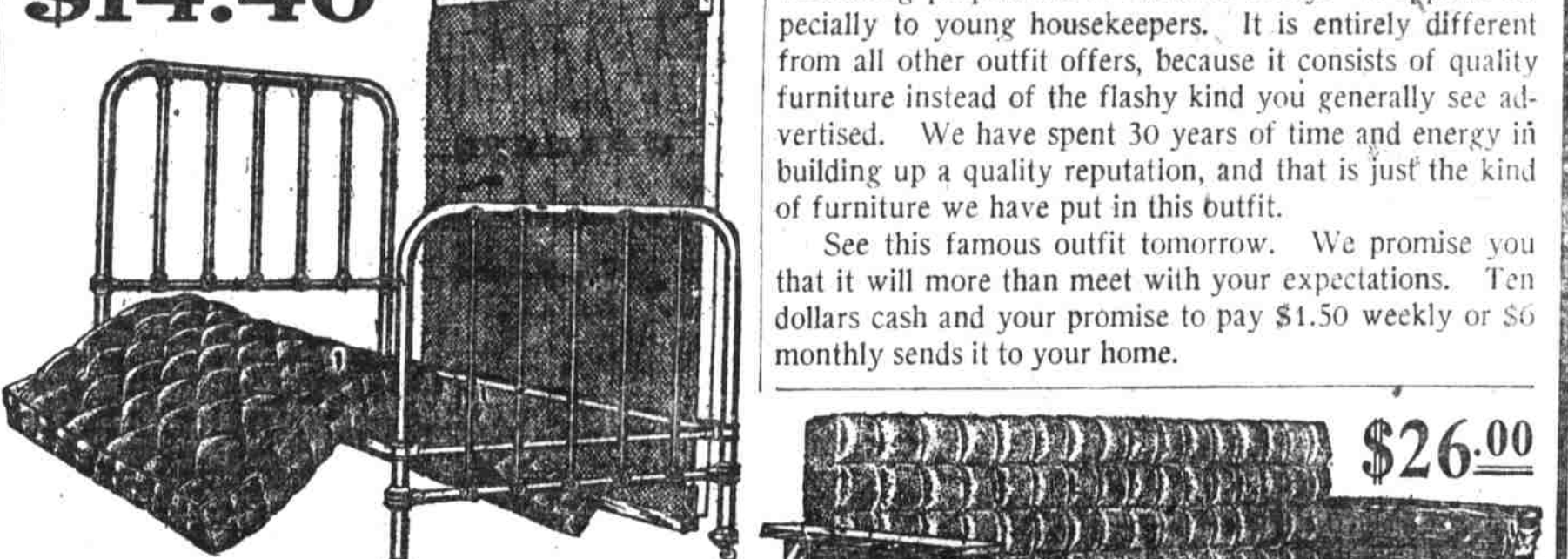
COMMERCIAL CLUBS OF UNION AND WALLAWA TO FORM CENTRAL BODY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Elgin, Or., April 22.—A delegation from the La Grande Commercial club, consisting of President John Collier, Secretary S. M. Slough and Directors Bruce Dennis, George Curry, Mack Wood, J. Geddes, F. J. Holmes and C. S. Dunn, were in Elgin Thursday night to meet with the Commercial club of this city, with the object of discussing consolidating commercial clubs of Union and Wallawa counties, the two counties to work in cooperation toward the advancement and improvement of the section. It was decided that the commercial club of each town in the two counties should elect a member for the general organization and that they should meet and devise some way in which to bring before the outside world the vast opportunities to be found in Union and Wallawa counties.



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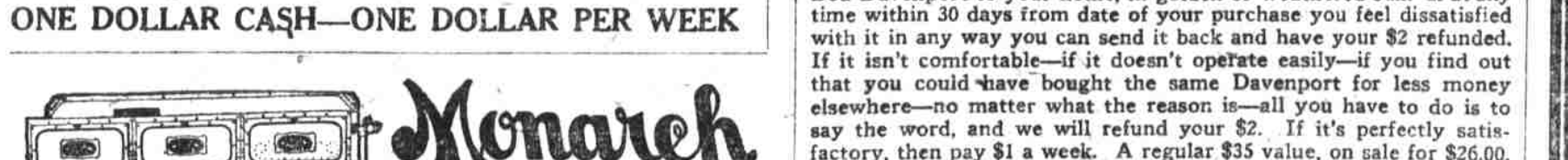
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