

LAND GRANT SUIT LOST BY GOVERNMENT

United States Supreme Court Decides in Favor of Southern Pacific in Suit Involving Land in Oregon Worth \$50,000,000.

CONGRESS WILL ACT TO CONSERVE INTERESTS

United States District Court for Oregon Reversed by the Supreme Court, Which Denies Railroad Need Not Return Lands to U. S.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL.
 Washington, June 21.—The supreme court of the United States today reversed the Oregon district court's forfeiture to the government of 3,300,000 acres of land in western Oregon, valued at between \$50,000,000 and \$70,000,000, granted to the Oregon & California railroad 50 years ago.

LEO M. FRANK, whose sentence to hang for the murder of Mary Phagan, has been commuted.



Kaiser Writes Peace May Be Made Quickly

German Emperor Tells Member of Bavarian Court "War Would End Tomorrow if I Wished."

Paris, June 21.—(I. N. S.)—The Spanish author, Rodriguez De Saguro, publishes the following letter the Kaiser recently sent to a member of the Bavarian court:

"Be certain and tell everyone around you that the Germanic allies will prove victorious. God has not placed the stainless sword in our hands in vain, nor is it in vain that for nearly half a century he has united the German states in the most powerful national group the world has ever seen.

"The German empire cannot decline the wishes of our allies, and certainly very heavy. Those of Bavaria have been particularly high in the latest battles. I shall never forget the efforts made, the courage shown and the blood spilt.

"I have a very particular gratitude toward the Bavarians, whether they are dead or alive, who have fought with such valor. They have done a large share to directing us toward the one object we pursue—fraternal peace for the German states.

"This peace may be made sooner than the people think. If its immediate results are incomplete, it will at least serve as a preparation for the future. It would be signed tomorrow if I wished.

"When my august grandfather founded the empire on its present basis, he did not pretend to give it its final form, but to leave it as a susceptible of agrandissement. What cannot be done today will be done later."

GEORGIA MOBS WOULD FORCE FRANK'S DEATH

Governor Slaton Commutes Sentence to Life Imprisonment, Saying to Hang Frank Would Be Murder.

SALOONS ARE CLOSED, INTERURBANS STOP

State Militia Notified to Be Ready for Call; Sale of Firearms Stopped.

Atlanta, Ga., June 21.—(U. P.)—The Atlanta police were this afternoon in look out for a big party reported to be en route to Atlanta from Cobb to take vengeance upon Governor Slaton for commuting the death sentence of Leo M. Frank to life imprisonment.

Atlanta, Ga., June 21.—(I. N. S.)—All interurban traffic between Atlanta and Marietta was stopped this afternoon when it was learned that a party of Mariettans were planning to come to Atlanta with the idea of staging a demonstration against Governor Slaton's act in commuting Leo Frank's sentence. The fifth regiment of the Georgia state militia was ordered this afternoon to hold itself in readiness to respond to a call. The sale of firearms has been stopped.

An air of suppressed excitement prevailed throughout the day but up to 2 o'clock there had been no disorders.

"It was a plain case of duty as I saw it."

This was the explanation offered here today by Governor Slaton of Georgia for commuting the sentence of Leo Frank, convicted of the murder of a girl.

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ITALIAN soldiers off for the front. The picture, taken during the recent mobilization of Italy's armies, shows a side of military life not often pictured. Two Italian soldiers are here seen ready to march out with their regiment, and bidding—perhaps their last—farewell to their wives and sweethearts, one of whom is decorating her favorite's rifle. Note in central background pathetic figure of an Italian mother, who has just kissed her son goodbye.



EIGHT IN HOSPITAL AFTER PICNIC HELD AT SHADY LANE, OR.

Race Horse Steps on Man; Seven Eat Pressed Chicken and Get Ptomaine.

Dallas, Or., June 21.—About 2000 people attended the community picnic at Shady Lane, eight miles south of this city, Saturday, and as a result eight people are under the doctor's care.

Ed Evans, aged about 60 years, was run down by a horse in a race and sustained severe injuries to his back.

Later Mr. Evans' two places, Mrs. M. C. Williams and Miss Gladys Evans and Mrs. Williams' baby were taken violently from ptomaine poisoning resulting from pressed chicken eaten at the picnic.

Across the road from the Evans home the family of Jasper Bagley, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Bagley, their daughter, Mrs. Edward Dunckel and her husband, the latter a bride and groom of three days, were also violently ill from ptomaine poisoning.

The Evanses, Williams and Bagleys ate dinner together at the picnic. Today all were reported recovering.

10,000 ADVERTISING MEN MEET TO TALK ETHICS OF BUSINESS

Chicago, June 21.—Is truth the rule of actual practice in modern business. The Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, in annual session here, are attempting to answer the question affirmatively.

Four days will be spent by 10,000 advertising counselors, divided into 12 departments in a careful analysis of business, ethical advance. The fields under consideration include advertising agents, agricultural publishers, retailers, directory publishers, national advertisers, business press, graphic arts, newspapers, magazines, specialties, bill posting, religious press, book publishers, club organs, club secretaries, community advertising, house organs and advertising teachers.

Two years ago the truth principle was enunciated. Last year at Toronto rules of practice were adopted. The job this year is to show in definite

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PRISONER RUNS AND DEPUTY SHERIFF GETS 'NEEDED' EXERCISE

Glendale, Or., June 21.—Oregon's reclamation needs are being unfolded today to the committee on appropriations of the United States congress, by a delegation of Oregon's best informed men.

Since the congressmen could not take the trip into Central Oregon to see they are being given all the information possible to give without actual observation. The committee was met at Grants Pass and conveyed toward Portland by this committee from the Chamber of Commerce.

Representatives Chamberlain and Lane, ex-Governor West, Congressman McArthur and J. N. Teal, Congressman Slaughter, Mark Woodruff and J. W. Brewer and gone earlier and met them at Klama Falls.

Accordingly they had a fair notion of the projects yet to be developed when the main contingent joined them.

Projects Also Outlined.

All the central Oregon projects were outlined to the committee. It was pointed out, however, that only the emergencies could possibly be considered.

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CONGRESSMEN HEAR OREGON RECLAMATION PROJECTS AND NEEDS

Officials and Chamber of Commerce Members Greet Appropriations Committee

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BOTH SIDES GUILTY OF ATROCITIES, ASSERTS POPE IN INTERVIEW

Benedict Declares Lusitania Sinking Frightful; Points to Blockade Order.

Paris, June 21.—(U. P.)—Pope Benedict is of the opinion that belligerents of both sides have been guilty of so-called "atrocities" in the war and is not inclined to put all the blame on the Germans, according to Louise Latapie, correspondent of La Liberté, who was granted an interview with His Holiness. The correspondent told the pope that the French regarded his silence in regard to the alleged war crimes as strange.

"Then the people of France are unjust or, rather, misinformed," Pope Benedict is quoted as having replied. "I blame you journalists for this. I first addressed a letter to the powers favoring a peaceful settlement; then I proposed a Christmas truce, and next endeavored to obtain an exchange of prisoners and secured appreciable results."

"Asked for an expression on the sinking of the Lusitania by a submarine, the pope said: 'I do not know of a more frightful misdeed. My heart is the heart of the Father and it is heavy and torn. But do you believe the blockade which is drawn about Germany and Austria, condemns millions of innocent people to famine, is really inspired by humane sentiments?'"

CONVICTS MAKE RUSH TO AVENGE MURDER OF WIFE OF WARDEN

1700 Men at Joliet Prison Try to Lynch Negro Accused of Deed.

Joliet, Ill., June 21.—(I. N. S.)—Seventeen hundred convicts, acting on a signal, this afternoon made a concerted rush in an effort to drag Joseph Campbell, negro convict suspected of the murder of the warden's wife, Mrs. Edmund Allen, forth from his cell and lynch him.

Shouting their demands for Campbell's life, the prisoners rushed the guards just as they were marching out from the dining hall. The guards, prepared for an outbreak because of the numerous threats since Mrs. Allen's murder was discovered, drove the convicts back, using their clubs liberally and uttering many heads before finally gaining the upper hand.

Mrs. Allen, since her marriage to the warden, had been active in prison reforms and was instrumental in effecting several plans for the convicts' uplift and well being.

Retired U. S. N. Commander Dies

Louisville, Ky., June 21.—(I. N. S.)—Commander W. C. F. Murr, U. S. N., retired, died today at his home at Shelbyville, near here.

THE RECEDING CLOUD!



Singer Sues Church To Collect Salary

Mrs. Fred L. Olson, soprano, institutes action against First M. E. Church South.

Mrs. Minnie A. Olson, wife of Attorney Fred L. Olson, has filed suit in the district court to recover \$50 alleged to be due from the First M. E. church South for her services as a member of the church choir from January 7, 1912, to June 9, 1912.

"She alleges that she should receive \$10 for her services and has been paid but \$50. It is said the suit comes from a dispute over the amount due. District Judge Bell will hear the case."

Emma Goldman Dodges Trouble.

San Diego, Cal., June 21.—(U. P.)—Emma Goldman, anarchist, left San Diego quietly early today, after having delivered several speeches here on Sunday. There were no demonstrations whatever against her.

Portable Building 26 x 5 1/2 Ft. Launch

The following "Want Ads" and many others can be found under their respective headings in the "Want Ad" section of today's paper.

Swap Columns—25

WANTED—Good horse and buggy. Will give good motorcycle and cash for same.

For Sale—Miscellaneous—19

FOR SALE—26x5 1/2 ft. portable building 14x24, cheap.

Household Goods for Sale—45

FOR SALE—Fine birdseye chair, toner, comb, brass bed and hair mattress, large leather rocker."

Automobiles Wanted—75

WANTED—Roadster; must be late model in good condition. In exchange for lots free from incumbent, neat center of business district in Chehalis, Wash.

Exchange—Real Estate—26

\$2000 EQUITY in \$2800 new, modern home to exchange; also \$500 equity in a good lot; want horse or land.

Sanches and Boats—24

FOR SALE—26x5 1/2 ft. H. P. Kermitt engine, 4 cylinder, 4 cycle, fully equipped."

LEMBERG ATTACKED FROM THREE SIDES BY GERMAN FORCES

Berlin, via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., June 21.—(U. P.)—The climax to the great campaign against the Russians in Galicia was reached today with the opening of the bombardment of the town of Lemberg. The town is situated in the north, west and south. Dispatches from Galicia say the Russians are retreating all along the line, following their defeat at Grodek and Maslerow.

Petrograd, June 21.—(I. N. S.)—A terrific battle for the possession of Lemberg, the great Galician city, is in progress today over a semicircular front of 25 miles long, with the Russian commanders using every resource at their command to accomplish its fall. The contest is not expected to reach a decisive stage for several days.

In spite of the fact that the Russians have been falling back since

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PAVING COUNTY ROADS STARTS THIS AFTERNOON

Actual Work on Sandy Highway Will Culminate Months of Planning for Hard-Surfacing of Main Roads.

OUTSIDE DATE FOR COMPLETION DEC. 1

Contractors Required to Give Construction and Maintenance Bonds.

Months of planning the hard surfacing of the main highways of the county will culminate this afternoon when the Warren Construction company will start preliminary work on the Sandy road at the city boundary. It will be several days before work is commenced on the other roads. Oscar Huber, the contractor for the Powell Valley road, is assembling his equipment today and may be ready to begin tomorrow. He will begin at Landerman station and work both ways.

The Clark-Henry Construction company, which has the contract for the Base Line road, will begin at Montevilla and work east. The Pacific Bridge company, which has the contract for the last section of the Columbia River highway, plans to begin at Onondaga gorge and work toward the county line.

Contracts Ready Today.

All the contracts will be finished by the roadmaster's office this afternoon and be ready for signature. At noon today the following had been executed: Warren Construction company, Oscar Huber, contractor for the Sandy road, and Clark-Henry Construction company. The ones yet to be executed are those of the Boy-John-Arnold Co. and Hans Pedersen, who have a section of the Columbia River highway and a section of the Canyon road, and the Foster road, which has the Foster road, the Capital highway (Slavin road) and a section of the Canyon road.

Each contractor is to give two bonds, a construction bond and a ten year maintenance bond. The first, which is equal in amount to the contract price, runs for five years. The maintenance bond is one third of the contract price.

Will Pay for Maintenance.

According to the contract the county is to pay the contractors for maintenance for the full term of ten years as follows:

Columbia river highway, sections A, B and C, Warren Construction company bitulithic, Warren Construction company, \$154,421; section D, bitulithic, Pacific Bridge company, \$44,822; section E, brick, Boy-John-Arnold company and Hans Pedersen, \$334,110; Sandy road, bitulithic, Warren Construction company, \$121,600; Base Line road, bitulithic, Clark & Henry Construction company, \$950; Powell Valley road, bitulithic, Oscar Huber, \$44,824; Foster road, concrete, Montague-O'Reilly company, \$250; Capitol highway, concrete, Montague-O'Reilly company, \$250; Canyon road, bitulithic, Boy-John-Arnold company, \$121,600; section B, concrete, Montague-O'Reilly, \$50.

Completion by December 1.

The outside date for the completion of the work is December 1. Many of the sections are to be finished in October.

Representatives of the woodblock interest had a conference with Roadmaster Yoon today and discussed a plan to lay a section of this type of pavement on the Linnton road as an experiment. It is probable that a scheme will be worked out whereby a section 2000 in length will be devoted to this pavement. The lumbermen have agreed to give a 10-year guarantee.

SULTAN OF TURKEY IS ILL

Amsterdam, June 21.—(U. P.)—A German specialist has been summoned to Constantinople to attend the sultan, according to a Berlin dispatch received here today. The nature of his illness is not disclosed.