

COUNTY TREASURER MAY BE ENJOINED FROM PAYING BILL

Injunction Threatened in Connection With Gasoline Bills Contracted by Commissioners.

WARRANTS ORDERED DRAWN

Action of County Auditor in Refusing Payment Is Overruled on Strength of Legal Opinion.

An injunction will be filed against County Treasurer John Lewis to prevent him from paying the warrants for \$332.10 covering bills for gasoline used by the county commissioners in their privately owned automobiles, according to the reports at the courthouse this morning.

After the decision of District Attorney Evans, that County Clerk Beverage must draw warrants for the bills, though they had been rejected by County Auditor Martin, Mr. Beverage indicated today that he would follow this advice.

LEWIS TO PASS "BUCK" ALSO
As a result of the "buck" passes from the county clerk's office to the county treasurer's office, Lewis says before he will act he will ask for another opinion from Evans. As each of the heads of the other departments have in turn passed the question to Evans for decision and, as in each case, the district attorney, following the unmistakable decision of the supreme court in a similar proceeding, has advised to the effect that the commissioners have authority to order the bills paid irrespective of Martin's approval, it is expected that his advice to Lewis will be the same.

But according to Lewis, it has been intimated that an injunction will be filed to restrain him from paying the warrants when they are offered in his office.

COUNTY CLERK OFFERS SOLUTION
Beveridge offered a solution to the problem of who should pay for the gasoline and tires of the commissioner's cars which he feels will eliminate difficulties in the future. He suggests that the commissioners keep a record of the mileage of their cars when they are being operated by them for county use and that for this mileage they be reimbursed by the county for gasoline, oil and depreciation on tires, which can be readily computed.

Commissioner Ralph W. Hoyt has from the first opposed the action of Martin in disputing the payment for supplies for his privately owned car. He maintains that he is entitled to have his car kept up entirely by the county, though it is not entirely used in county business.

STAR CAMBER METHODS
Commissioners Holman and Muck, when Martin first rejected the bills, said that they would abide by his decision. The first evidence that they had changed to Hoyt's position was when the order was filed with the clerk demanding warrants for the bills.

Although the commissioners were seen Monday subsequent to a quiet session, which followed their customary meeting, they said that there was nothing further in the matter for publication. Although they assert that the matter will be fought out openly in court if necessary,

Cavalry Exhibition May Be Feature of Stock Exposition

An attractive feature of the Pacific International Livestock Exposition's big annual show at Portland this year, November 16 to 22, will probably be a special United States cavalry display, put on by Colonel Langhorne and his organization of crack riders from "A" troop, eighth cavalry, stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas.

This news was received today by General Manager O. M. Plummer in a letter from Gordon H. True, manager of the California International Stock Show organization at San Francisco.

News was also received from E. R. Danielson, secretary of the American Association of Fairs, that the government authorities have just consented to exempt from the war tax all admissions to agricultural fairs throughout the country.

COUPLE DISAPPEARS WHEN INVESTIGATION OF WEDDING BEGINS

No Report Made by Clergyman on Nuptials Alleged to Have Taken Place in Bend.

Bend, July 29.—Failure on the part of a clergyman to record a marriage supposed to have taken place early in June has led to an investigation by District Attorney A. J. Moore, which, it is believed, resulted in the sudden disappearance of Charles F. Robinson, prizefighter, and Mary A. Hudson, 16 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Hudson of this city, who are named in the license, issued July 7.

At the time the license was issued, permission in writing was given by the father of the girl, and an affidavit by William E. Hoage of Bend, accompanying the application for license, stated Miss Hudson was more than 18 years old. A few days later Robinson and the girl said they had been married at a local hotel by a minister named Jackson, but the hotel proprietor denies the ceremony took place, while no minister is registered on the county records under this name.

Oven Overheated; Crowds Congregate
An overheated bake oven at the Bean Pot restaurant, 154 Fifth street, caused much excitement in the downtown section at 11 o'clock Monday night, but did very little damage. After-the-fact crowd were drawn to the scene of the supposed fire. The restaurant is owned by H. M. Cline.

Rag Sellers Fined
J. Brownstein & Sons, 235 Thirteenth street, were fined \$100 in the municipal court today for selling unsterilized wiping rags. The rags were sold to the Northwest Steel company, J. F. Singer and J. F. Riley, sanitary inspectors, made the arrest. Brownstein & Sons will appeal.

Records for their actions in the controversy have been invariably withheld from the press and came to light only through disclosure from the county auditor's and county clerk's office.

DROUTH THREATENS TO DESTROY CROPS IN LARGE SECTION

Director of War Loan Organization Returns From Trip to Idaho, Utah, Wyoming.

Drouth threatens to destroy crops in Southern Idaho, Northern Utah and Northern Wyoming, according to Robert E. Smith, director of the war loan organization of the twelfth federal reserve district. Mr. Smith returned Monday from Boise, Idaho. Lack of rain and extremely hot weather throughout that section presages serious loss to farmers and stockraisers, he says, and the feeding of stock during the coming winter will be a stupendous problem. Land under irrigation, however, is producing excellent crops.

Mr. Smith announces the appointment of Monte B. Quinn as director of the war loan organization for Idaho. Mr. Quinn is a director of the First National bank of Boise, president of the Idaho State Bankers' association, and has been prominent in Liberty loan campaigns in that state.

Joseph Swallowell of Seattle has been appointed director of the war loan organization in Washington and Alaska. Mr. Swallowell is president of the Union National bank of Seattle and was chairman of the Washington Liberty loan organization during the war. Directors of the war loan organization for Nevada, Utah and Arizona have not been appointed and Mr. Smith plans to leave for the South Saturday to effect organization in these states. He will later visit Hawaii for the same purpose.

Sixth Marines Are Aboard Troopships
Washington, July 29.—The Sixth regiment of marines, Second division, sailed for home on July 28, the navy department was advised this afternoon. The various units are aboard the troopships George Washington, Ringdam, Wilhelmna and Santa Paula. The port of embarkation and dates due are yet unannounced.

LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN
Girls! Make bleaching lotion if skin is sunburned, tanned or freckled

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of Orchard White for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant tonic into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles, sunburn, windburn and tan disappear, and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.—Adv.

Charge Purchases Made Wednesday Go On August Accounts, Payable Sept. 1

"The Same Old Bill, Eh, Mable?"—by Streeter—the Last, Best and Funniest—75c Per Copy—Book Shop on Main Floor
We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps With Purchases Amounting to 10c or More—Stamp Books Redeemed in Cash Third Floor

Best Butter \$1.25
Fourth Floor—No delivery except with other purchases made in the grocery department. Glenwood Butter, 2 pounds for only \$1.25

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BASEMENT UNDERPRICE STORE WEDNESDAY SAVING SALES



Women's Dresses Special \$4.79

—If you are looking for a dainty frock for wear about the house, or at the beach here is the opportunity to get one at an exceptionally low price. Our Basement buyer now in New York knowing the great demand for inexpensive summer dresses sent this great lot on to us with directions to mark them at a special price and give Portland women a bargain long to be remembered. Fresh new garments, everyone of them. Made up in good quality ginghams in pretty plaids—also the dainty sheer voiles in various patterns and colors. A large assortment of styles, many with white collars and cuffs. Practically all sizes. On sale in Basement—special \$4.79

Shoe Sale In Basement

—Hundreds of pairs Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes and Oxfords—odd lines of various kinds—regrouped and marked at great savings for Wednesday's sale.

Women's Tan Scufflers
Basement—Women's Scuffer Oxfords of good quality tan leather. Fine for outing wear. Priced special at pair \$1.49

Children's Barefoot Sandals
Basement—Children's Barefoot Sandals and Scuffer Oxfords—an odd lot in small sizes only. Priced special, a pair only 98c

—Sandals, size 2½ to 6, pr. \$1.98
—Sandals, size 11½ to 2, pair \$1.79
—Sandals, size 8½ to 11, pair \$1.59
—Sandals, size 6 to 8, pr. \$1.39

Boys' Shoes
Basement—Boys' Sport Shoes with heavy flexible soles. Sizes 2½ to 6 at \$3.29 pair—sizes 11½ to 2 at \$2.89—sizes 8½ to 11, \$2.69

Toilet Paper 18 Rolls \$1

Basement—Limit 18 rolls to a customer. No telephone, C. O. D.'s or Mail Orders filled. This is a good quality crepe toilet paper. \$1 Priced special 18 rolls for

Middy Blouses Special 98c

Basement—Women's and Misses' Middy Blouses with sailor collar, pocket and black tie. Plain white or with colored collar and cuffs. Famous Peppercorn Middies in this lot. Regular \$1.25 98c grade. Wednesday priced special

Tub Waists 79c
Basement—Odd lots and broken lines of lingerie waists—several dozen of them in this special lot. White or colored voiles and striped materials. Many well worth \$1.25-\$1.50—special 79c



36-Inch Fancy Foulards \$1

—Basement Special Priced at the Yard
—We are confident you won't find such silks elsewhere in the city at the price. Beautiful soft foulards—very desirable for summer dresses, skirts and waists. Great assortment of patterns on grounds of various colors. Full 36 inches wide. Basement special at only \$1.00 a yard.



3000 Yards Wash Goods Special 25c Yard

—A Mid-Season Clean-Up of the Wash Goods stock offering over 3000 yards of desirable fabrics at a very low price. Women who do their own sewing or have their frocks made will find this a splendid chance to buy the materials at a saving. In the assortment there are

Ginghams, Percalines, Voiles, Poplins, Batistes, Crepes and Many Other Dainty Fabrics

—Women who are posted on market conditions are aware that cottons of the finer grades cannot be purchased at the mill for less than 25c a yard. Here, then, is a sale that should crowd the Basement Aisle of Cottons all day Wednesday. Ginghams, Percalines, Voiles, Poplins, Crepes and other fabrics. Special, a yard 25c

Hair Bows At 39c

Hair Bow Clasp Free With Each Bow

Basement—Children's Hair Bows in good full sizes. Made up in dainty novelty ribbons from our own regular stock. Bow with hair clasp on sale Saturday priced at only 39c

Velvet Ribbons 29c Yard

Basement—Black Velvet Ribbons in 3-inch width for millinery and trimming purposes. Specially priced, a yard only 29c
—DRESSER SCARFS in pretty lace trimmed styles. Several patterns. Special at 59c

Women's Underwear

—Basement Special
—WOMEN'S UNION SUITS of pure white cotton. Just the right weight for summer wear. Low neck, sleeveless, cuff or lace trimmed knee. Sizes 34, 36, 38. Basement 65c

—WOMEN'S VESTS in several different styles with or without sleeves. Special 23c

—CHILDREN'S UNION SUITS—low neck sleeveless—sizes 8, 10, 12—special 23c

Hosiery 25c Pair

Basement—Women's Cotton Hose of excellent quality. Black, white and a good assortment of the season's most popular colors. Made with double sole and reinforced heel and toe. Practically all sizes but not in each color. Basement special Wednesday, a pair 25c

Children's Hose Special 3 Pairs \$1
Basement—Children's Ribbed Cotton Stockings of splendid wearing quality at a special low price for Wednesday. Shown in black, white and cordovan and in a full range of sizes. Supply the children's \$1.00 needs. Basement special for Wednesday at 3 pairs for only

Men's Shirts Special 79c

—Basement Special
—Broken lines, therefore some sizes are missing, but if you can use any of these shirts you will get a splendid bargain. All are well made and of good quality materials. Soft and stiff cuff styles. Some are a little soiled and mused from handling. 79c While they last at only

Bathing Suits at 95c
Basement—Men's Cotton Bathing Suits in one-piece style. Black, trimmed with white. Sizes to 40. Priced special for Wednesday at 95c

—"NEVER BIND" Boston Garters—special, a pair 22c

Men's Union Suits Special 89c

Men's Khaki Pants \$2.39

Basement—Men's Mesh Union Suits with short sleeves. Cool and comfortable for warm days. Broken sizes. Specially priced for Wednesday at 89c

—Men's Fiber Hose of good quality priced Wednesday day 3 pairs \$1.00—pair 35c

—JUST IN—NEW LINE OF MEN'S WORK GLOVES—ALL GRADES.

Boys' Suits \$6.49

Basement—200 Boys' good sturdy suits on sale Wednesday. Smart belted styles. Made up in novelty mixtures in assorted colors. Ages 10 to 17. Basement Sale priced special, suit \$6.49

Wash Suits at 89c

Basement—Attractive tub suits for boys 4 to 7 years. White material of excellent quality trimmed with colors. 89c Limited number on sale at only

—BOYS' PLAY SUITS of striped blue denim. Sizes 3 to 7—special 89c

Huck Towels 6 for \$1

Basement—Good quality huck towels with red borders. Medium size for hotel or home use. Also hemmed bath towels. Not more than 2 dozen to a customer. Special, 6 for \$1.00

Sheets \$1
Basement—An assorted lot of bleached sheets—this a splendid or otherwise slightly damaged. No phone orders—\$1

Muslin 22c Yd.
Basement—36-inch Bleached Muslin of fine soft finish for underwear. No phone orders. Special, yard only 22c

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Embroidery Flouncings In Dainty Patterns—Special Yard 39c

Basement—Baby Flouncings in the most attractive patterns we have ever shown at the price. Excellent quality material, well worked designs and edges. Mothers will appreciate these for they know what pretty little garments can be fashioned from them. Full 27 inches wide. Basement special Wednesday priced, yard 39c

Undermuslins Special \$1.69

Basement—Women's Night Gowns, Envelope Chemise and Skirts in many dainty styles, trimmed with laces and embroideries. Every garment is of good quality and well made in every particular. Hundreds of \$1.69 garments on sale specially priced

Royal Worcester Corsets \$1.89

Basement—Excellent quality coutil corsets and fancy broche corsets in front or back laced styles. Pink or white. Royal Worcester and Miller makes. Some have elastic in—\$1.89 sets. Sizes 19 to 36. Special



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