

OREGON COUNTIES GET \$121,623 IN FOREST RENTALS

Salem, Sept. 29.—A check for \$121,623.51, representing one-fourth of all rentals collected from forest reserves in this state, was received by the secretary of state's office Tuesday from federal treasury department for apportionment among the counties in the state which contain forest reserves.

This money is due the state under the act of congress of 1908, which requires its use for the benefit of public schools and public roads of the counties in which the reserves are located. The reserves contributing to this year's disbursement and the amounts derived from each are as follows:

Cascade, \$116.40; Crater, \$19,144.66; Deschutes, \$237,201; Fremont, \$607,431; Klamath, \$10,011; Malheur, \$926,335; Minam, \$623,774; Ochoco, \$285,775; Oregon, \$438,822; Santiam, \$179,432; Skagit, \$57,008.22; Stenslow, \$283,336; Umatilla, \$139,034; Umpqua, \$477,738; Wallowa, \$10,385.46; Wenaha, \$322,336; Whitman, \$29,813.22.

Stephen T. Mather, director of national parks, will attend the conference of members of the Crater Lake hotel committee here Friday, according to a telegram received by Governor Olcott. Mather, who is visiting the national parks of the West, is at Yosemite, Cal., and states he will probably be accompanied on his visit to Salem by McCormick of the Southern Pacific, Dohman, head of Yosemite National Park company, and Whitcomb, head of the Hatter concession.

Based on a report submitted by Joe McAllister of the state engineer's office, the state land board Monday fixed \$10 an acre as the price which the state is willing to accept for the lands included in the beds of Whitaker and Fairview lakes in Multnomah county. The lakes, covering an area of 23.75 acres, are located within the boundaries of Multnomah drainage district No. 1, which has expressed a desire to purchase the lakes for drainage and reclamation. It is estimated that the drainage of the lakes will cost the district \$135.60 per acre, in addition to the state's price.

Z. F. Ankrum of Payette, Idaho, has filed with the state engineer's office here an application for permission to construct a reservoir on Becker creek in Malheur county for the storage of water for irrigation purposes.

Other applications covering water rights have been filed as follows:

By Z. T. Keys of Posi, water from John Day river for the irrigation of a small tract in Wheeler county.

By J. T. Baldwin of Unity, water from Happy Camp and Copper creeks for irrigation of 100 acres in Baker county.

By H. W. Herman, Myrtle Creek, water from North Myrtle creek for irrigation of 160 acres in Douglas county.

By Sarah E. Stewart of Dayville, water from Cabin creek for irrigation of 40 acres and by Wayne C. Stewart of Dayville, water from Todd creek for irrigation of 40 acres in Grant county.

By Elmer S. Graves of Silver Lake, water from Buck lake for irrigation of 160 acres in Lake county.

Hollow concrete posts filled with sand to transmit the load have been invented by a Belgian engineer to serve as mine timbers.

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A PUDDLE OF GRIEF

Saturday—THOMAS MEIGHAN in "Civilian Clothes"

H. A. Freeman Made Assistant Cashier of Lumbermens Co.



Announcement has just been made of the election of H. A. Freeman as assistant cashier of Lumbermens Trust company. Freeman will assume his new duties immediately, and as soon as the bank opens in its spacious new home at Broadway and Oak he will be given charge of the accounting of the bank's bond department.

Freeman is a native Oregonian and has been in the bond and banking business for the last six years. He is a graduate of Stanford university, where he spent several years as a student of financial commerce and financial law.

Work is now being rushed on the new quarters of the bank's new home in the Artisan building, and all that remains unfinished is installing the cages in the commercial and savings department. President Keating plans to open in the new quarters early in October.

Paige Automobile Prices Are Slashed

Cook & Gill company, Paige distributors, received word this morning of cuts in prices ranging from \$150 to \$250 on Paige cars, according to model.

Commenting on the Hudson cut, announced Tuesday, C. L. Boss, local distributor, said Hudson had made the smallest previous increase of any fine car and he regards the present cut as drastic.

Twin States Motor Car company, Chandler and Cleveland distributors, received word this morning cutting prices on the Chandler car \$200 for all models, and for the Cleveland, \$150 on all models, effective immediately.

Police Investigate Overtaken Machine

The police are investigating an automobile which was reported Tuesday night as being deliberately turned over on Terwilliger boulevard, near the city limits. The machine was licensed to John S. Abbott, 552 Durham street. Witnesses told the police that three boys and two girls came to the spot in the machine and deliberately "dumped" it.

Sawyer's Body Is Taken From River

Salem, Sept. 29.—After repelling in the waters of the Willamette river here for nine days, the body of Leon Albert Sawyer, who was drowned Sunday, September 19, while fishing, was recovered Tuesday afternoon. The body was discovered near the north city limits by Lewis Sawyer, a brother of the dead man, who had been searching ever since the drowning.

COURT MACHINERY TURNS WITHOUT JUDGE'S PRESENCE

Court machinery in full progress, with witnesses under examination, and the sudden discovery that no judge is present, but that he had left to attend a funeral, was the situation in Circuit Judge Gatens' court this morning.

The taking of court testimony, continued in the default divorce cases up for hearing, until the entire docket was cleaned up.

Presiding Judge Taxwell, who devotes Wednesdays to the hearing of default divorce cases, was called upon to be a pallbearer at the funeral of a Portland pioneer, L. D. Cole, so he assigned the cases to Judge Gatens. Several had been heard and one was in progress when Gatens left the bench, telling Deputy District Attorney George Graham to "go ahead."

The attorneys and others in the court room supposed the judge had retired temporarily to chambers, but it developed that he also had gone to the funeral.

Default divorce decrees granted included: Mildred Dietrich from Chester L. Dietrich, Norma V. Dickey from Arthur Dickey, Merritt Raymond from Anna M. Raymond, Frankie Crismon from Frank Crismon, Hazel V. Pennock from Edward E. Pennock, Hulda Meyer from Walter E. Meyer, Grace D. Aldridge from Bert E. Aldridge, Louise from Carlton F. McClery, Vera E. Williams from Frank Williams, R. Kathryn Vermilyea from Silas R. Vermilyea, Beatrice Peterson from Robert C. Peterson, Yerna Rinckel from Algeneth Rinckel.

WHITE'S PRISON RECORD IS LONG, DECLARES EVANS

When Charles White, who has various other aliases, was found guilty of forgery a few days ago by a jury in Circuit Judge Kavanaugh's court, he denied the charge that he had a long prison record and asked that sentence be deferred so that investigation could prove his assertion. He is scheduled to appear for sentence October 4 and at that time District Attorney Evans will present the result of his investigations.

From the Indiana state prison at Michigan City Evans received Tuesday a transcript of the man's prison record there, under the name of George P. Haskell. He was No. 1306 and is listed as alias Charles Tennan, alias James Jamison. He was sentenced for two years from Allen county for forgery on August 2, 1918, and was discharged August 1, 1920.

The previous record shows: Received at Columbus, Ohio, February 11, 1912, for a five-year sentence for forgery; paroled May 2, 1914; returned December 14, 1914, for forgery, with a four-year sentence. Served in Jackson, Mich., entering in 1910, on a sentence of from four to six years for forgery; discharged in 1917. Served nine months in Bridgeport, Chicago, for obtaining money under false pretenses.

White appeared in Portland just before the Shriners' convocation, evidently intending to make a clean-up during that period. He passed two forged checks on the Brownsville Woolen mills and when arrested was found to have on his person bogus Shriners' credentials and a fraudulent letter of credit for \$50,000 on a Texas bank.

NELSONS DIVORCED AFTER PREVIOUS COURT FAILURES

After three appearances in the divorce courts, with intervals between in which they undertook to harmonize their ideas, the Nelsons, Ernest Segurd and Jeanie Maude, are legally separated. Circuit Judge Tucker granted Mrs. Nelson the divorce decree. She gets the custody of little Josephine Nelson, who prattled and played around the courtroom as the trial was in progress.

The Nelsons' troubles have extended over many months and a recent charge against the father was that of kidnapping the child. The court at that time ordered him to restore the child to her mother within five hours.

The Nelsons are well known in Portland. Ernest Segurd, Nelson has been in the employ of insurance concerns here for several years. Mrs. Nelson is a singer of local note and one of the recent troubles was over the fact that she sang during the trial of the Shriners convocation at one of the local theatres and at the dinner hour at the Portland hotel.

Twice did Mrs. Nelson seek a legal separation and both times the case was thrown out of court. Once Nelson himself sought the divorce, with the same result. During Tuesday's hearing he declared that he would gladly try life anew with his wife and child, if they could live separate from relatives on both sides, but Mrs. Nelson would not agree to this.

Judge Tucker declared that the main reason for the failure of the first trial was that the father had the care of the child two days a week and the mother is to have her the remainder of the time. Nelson is to pay \$50 a month for the support of the child.

DOMESTIC RELATIONS COURT JURISDICTION IS IN QUESTION

After hearing arguments on the petition for a writ of prohibition sought by Mr. and Mrs. France Nelson to prevent Judge Jacob Kater of the court of domestic relations from interfering with the custody of 13-year-old Josephine Bertha Baker, now in the charge of the Nelsons under order of the old county court, Circuit Judge McCourt took the matter under advisement Tuesday. Briefs will be submitted by Deputy District Attorney George Mowry, who appeared for Judge Kater, and Wilson T. Hume, attorney for the Nelsons.

The jurisdiction of the court of domestic relations is the main point at issue in this case, and it involves the question as to whether, when the county court was merged into the circuit court and the court of domestic relations was established, previous actions by the county court may be taken up by the court of domestic relations.

The mother of the Baker girl sought to secure her custody. Judge Kater decided that the grandfathers should have control and the Nelsons resisted this order.

HARRY CRANE SUES SHIP COMPANY FOR \$10,000

A suit for \$10,000 damages was filed Tuesday by Harry Crane against the Pacific Steamship company. Crane says that he was employed as a longshoreman in helping to put a general merchandise cargo aboard the coastwise steamer City of Topeka, that one piece of freight he had to handle had projecting from it sharp knives, unguarded, and that his hand was caught on the blade of a knife and so severely cut that his left hand is permanently disabled.

Visiting Judges to Sit Presiding Judge Taxwell of the Mult-

Lodge's Theory of Life After Death Denied by Gordon

That there is no communication with the dead, was the declaration Tuesday noon at the Heilig theatre of S. D. Gordon, who has been holding a series of noon day meetings under the auspices of the Portland Church federation. More than 1000 persons were present.

Gordon said that Sir Oliver Lodge of England, who recently lectured in this country on communication with the dead, "would never have emerged from the oblivion of normal men, if he had used in his legitimate scientific research the same kind of proof which he has used in reaching his conclusion that he has been able to communicate with Raymond, his son, who was killed in the great war."

The last of the "Quiet Talks" was given this noon.

RUMORS IN DENTON MURDER MULTIPLY

Los Angeles, Sept. 29.—(I. N. S.)—Reports that a secret warrant had been issued for the arrest of Mrs. R. C. Peete, the "enigma woman" of the case; the receipt of a letter by Mayor M. P. Snyder threatening him with death, and a startling disclosure that Mrs. Peete was twice in conference with a deputy district attorney after the disappearance of Jacob C. Denton, mysteriously murdered, were the outstanding developments today in the investigation of the slaying.

Detective Charles A. Jones of the district attorney's office, it is said, who was supposed to have gone to San Francisco on some "mystery angle" of the investigation, was in reality en route to Sacramento to have Governor Stephens sign the extradition papers for Mrs. Peete's return.

Mrs. Peete Disappears

Denver, Colo., Sept. 29.—(U. P.)—Newspapermen here today were unable to locate Mrs. R. C. Peete, former occupant of the home of Jacob C. Denton, Los Angeles capitalist, whose body was found in the basement of his house there last week.

Dr. Loveoyj Pledges Strong Support to Prohibition Cause

Addressing a large crowd of men and women at a meeting held in the Arden Baptist church under the auspices of the Men's club Tuesday night, Dr. Esther Pohl Loveoyj, Democratic and Prohibition candidate for congress, declared her intention, if elected, to work for such legislation as will make for the betterment of conditions for the great masses of the people. She stated that she would not only support, but fight for, the prohibition act.

Dr. Loveoyj later addressed a meeting of the Rosebud club at the home of Mrs. Cora Bunch, 999 East Main street, dwelling at length upon the work of the colored troops of the A. E. F. in France. She gave them unstinted praise for their part, which she declared was a large one, in winning the war.

Dr. Loveoyj will speak briefly tonight at the state convention of the C. T. U. in the White Temple. She will later tonight address the members of the Colored Baptist association of the city in the Mount Olivet Baptist church, 83 North Broadway.

WORKERS FOR LEAGUE WILL HOLD MASS MEETING OCT. 1

A mass meeting of those interested in promoting the League of Nations to the United States shall be held on Friday evening, October 1, at 8 o'clock in Central library hall.

The purpose of the meeting will be to promote the organization of a permanent, independent League of Nations association with the idea that the influence of all the organizations and agencies favoring the League of Nations may be used in explaining it and its purposes and in sustaining and advancing favorable sentiment behind it.

The following well-known citizens of Portland have joined in signing the call for the Friday night meeting:

Rev. Joshua Stansfield, H. V. Stahl, Miss Lewis L. Larrabee, Hal Jonah B. Wise, Rev. E. H. Pence, Mrs. C. Van Orsdall, Rev. Charles A. Bowen, Miss Ruth Catlin, Julius Meier, Mrs. Helen Ladd-Corbett, Mrs. A. B. Ayer, E. B. Wheelwright, Richard McLaughlin, Rev. W. C. Youngson, Mabel Holmes Parsons, H. G. Colton, James F. Ewing.

MRS. MONROE AND ZIEGLER SPEAKERS AT CLUB MEET

A large audience gathered at Bickner hall at the Tuesday meeting of the Cox-Roosevelt club to hear Anne Shannon Monroe on the issues of the presidential campaign. She discussed the big political conventions, the two opposing candidates and the two platforms. She spoke strongly for the progressive measures of the Democratic party as contrasted them with the backward tendencies of the proposition. At the close of her speech threw the meeting into an open forum for discussing the issues of the campaign.

Dr. J. B. Ziegler for over an hour answered rapid fire questions, which covered the League of Nations and many other campaign issues. A demand for Miss Monroe's return may result in another rally for still further discussion at the next meet.

Newton McCoy to Talk

Newton McCoy will speak on Article X of the League of Nations in room A of the Central library tonight at 8, before the Cox-Roosevelt club. The meeting night has been changed from Friday to Wednesday evening. Questions may be asked at the open forum.

Mrs. Nolan Elected

Mrs. George Nolan was elected vice chairman of the Democratic county central committee at its meeting Tuesday night, held in the headquarters in the Morgan building.

Divorce Bill

Circuit Judge Stapleton Tuesday issued a decree of divorce to Fannie J. Cornett from Earl Cornett, whose true name is Robert T. Cornett.

VATICAN GUARDED AGAINST INVASION OF COMMUNISTS

By Edward Strutt

Rome, Sept. 29.—(I. N. S.)—Armed guards are on duty at the Vatican today. Ball cartridges have been issued to the gendarmes and the Swiss guards and the officers have been ordered to be on the alert if there are any further industrial riots or if any attempt is made to invade the Vatican premises.

These precautionary measures were taken as a result of reports that Communists planned to occupy the Lateran palace, which is the property of the Holy See. These reports were current during the recent occupations of palatial estates by peasants and homeless workers.

The official organ of the Vatican, Osservatore Romano, reminds the Italian government that, under the law of guarantees, the government is responsible for the safety of the pope and the protection of all pontifical property. The newspaper declares that "if the crowd is impregnated with Bolshevism it cannot be expected to refrain from invasion of the Vatican premises."

The newspaper advises the government to "take steps if it would avoid a world scandal."

It is understood that Premier Giolitti has assured the papal secretary of state that every precaution will be taken to assure the Vatican adequate protection.

Drivers Speed Past Parked Car; Both Fined by Rossman

A. B. Compton was fined \$30 in municipal court today on a charge of speeding when he passed the car of J. Freeberg, who was passing a parked machine. Motorcycle Patrolman Shaylor, who arrested both drivers, said Compton was driving 38 miles an hour and Freeberg 35 miles. Freeberg was fined \$17.50. The arrest was made on lower Union avenue.

The case of Dana Sleeth, arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated, will be heard in municipal court Thursday.

Andrew Krestu and Al Curlett, speeding, were fined \$10 each, while \$5 was paid by H. R. Williamson.

Judge Rossman fined R. Robinson \$10 for driving with improper license plates.

Auto Carrying Six Turns Turtle; Man Severely Injured

Centralia, Wash., Sept. 29.—Severe injuries, possibly fatal, were suffered by Albert Lee of Chehalis, when the automobile which he was driving turned turtle on the Claguate road, several miles out of Chehalis. His skull was crushed, his collar bone broken, and his arm and shoulder dislocated.

Frank Shogren sustained a broken shoulder, and a girl whose name is unknown, a broken arm. Others in the car were Harvey Smith, Myrta Smith and another woman, who did not give her name.

Jeremiah O'Leary Is Out for Congress

New York, Sept. 29.—Jeremiah O'Leary, who drew the condemnation of the Democratic administration for his pro-Irish and anti-British activities during the war, will run for congress in the Eighteenth New York congressional district on the Farmer-Labor party ticket. His nominating petition, as filed, carried 4300 names.

School Head Drives Over Hose, Pays Fine

The Dallas, Sept. 29.—Robert L. Kirk, city superintendent of schools, was arrested Tuesday afternoon for driving his automobile over a hose line that had been laid in the streets during a small woodyard fire near the Wasco County flour mill. He pleaded guilty Wednesday and was given a nominal fine by the city recorder.

Robert A. Crossan, Salem Veteran, Dies

Salem, Sept. 29.—Robert A. Crossan, 75, a Civil war veteran and a life member of the Salem lodge of Elks, died at his home here Monday and was buried in the I. O. O. F. cemetery Tuesday afternoon. Crossan crossed the plains from Ohio to Oregon in 1856. He served as city treasurer of Salem for five years.

Services Held for Pioneer of Jackson

Ashland, Sept. 29.—Funeral services for the late George W. Grow, a pioneer of Jackson county, Sunday, were attended by his friends from all parts of the valley. Mr. Grow lived on a farm on Emigrant creek. He survived by his wife and 10 children. A son, E. A. Grow, lives in Portland. Old-time friends were pallbearers.

It'll Pay You!

Everybody has a want—some want something—others want to dispense with something. Lots and lots of people use The Journal classified columns to advertise these Wants and Don't Wants. You'll enjoy reading these little wants of the people. Just turn to the classified columns. You'll find them awfully interesting.

If you should want to buy or sell something, a "Want" ad inserted in The Journal—at a cost of only a few cents—might possibly buy or sell that something for you.

"Time-a-line to Advertise"

County's Purchase Of \$50,000 in Bridge Bonds Authorized

In pursuance of its adopted policy of investing surplus earnings for Multnomah county from the Interstate bridge in the purchase of outstanding bonds issued for the construction of this bridge, the county commissioners today gave a formal order to Morris Brothers for the purchase on behalf of the county of \$50,000 worth of such bonds, or so much as may be available, provided the purchase can be made so as to yield the county 5 1/2 per cent interest. The order is to be in force for 45 days.

Because money is said to be worth 8 per cent in Eastern markets, it is believed the holders of the bridge bonds will be willing to sell and reinvest in securities bearing higher rates. The county, by purchasing the bridge bonds, would save \$2500 a year.

Painters Elect Hubbard

Master painters and decorators of Portland elected W. B. Hubbard president of their organization Tuesday night. A. W. Holmgren was elected

Sanitarium Site Meets Opposition

Efforts to gain a permit for erection of a new building to be used as the Portland Sanitarium on the present hospital site, East Sixtieth and Belmont, were delayed Tuesday when protests of property owners were filed with the city council. A claim made by the hospital association that names on the protests also appeared on the petitions favoring the building caused reference of the entire subject to Commissioner Barbur for a rebuke.

W. M. Mann Gives Ball

A "good looking residence" at 595 East Alder yielded a 60-gallon still and 50 gallons of mash Tuesday afternoon when federal agents visited the house. W. M. Mann, who was accused of a violation of the federal prohibition law, was released on \$500 bail.

Examiner Hears Testimony

Testimony before F. M. Woodrow, examiner for the interstate commerce commission, was completed Tuesday and the examiner left for Seattle, where other cases are to be heard today.

Vaughn Could Not Pick From 2 Women Who Picked Pocket

John F. Vaughn could not pick from the two the one colored woman whom he told the police, had picked his pocket Tuesday night as he was helping her along the street.

After his report the police found Viola Caldwell. Vaughn was "almost" sure she was the thief. A few minutes later Stella Irving was brought in and then Vaughn looked askance. He could not decide and both were released.

Vaughn told the police that near the depot he saw a colored woman staggering. She asked him to help her down the street so the police would not get her. At Ninth and Flanders streets, he said, she suddenly sobered up and ran into a pool room. He missed his money shortly after she left.

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WATCH FOR FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOOD NOT TO DROP

Says press dispatch in Oregonian of September 25:

"Restaurant prices are not expected to decline radically because, after all, students of the subject say, food prices are not the greatest factor in fixing the prices on cafe menus. It is the 'overhead' which has increased greatly since the war came on and is not going down. In most cities wages have gone up and hours for the help have been reduced and the warning is therefore, expect to pay now and for a long time about the same prices for food in restaurants that you have paid for the last two years."

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