

COURT HOUSE CASE SETTLED

Supreme Court Holds With Klamath Contractor, Reversing Hamilton

About eight years of continuous litigation centering about three court houses at Klamath Falls and growing out of the construction of a new court house is believed to be at an end with the reversal by the supreme court yesterday of the celebrated case of the J. M. Dougan company vs. Klamath county et al.

The opinion is an exhaustive one of 35 typewritten pages, written by Justice Johns, and allows to the contractor, J. M. Dougan, judgment for \$92,674.95, the full amount sued for with the exception that no interest is allowed.

The opinion has the effect of legalizing the court house constructed by Dougan on block 35, Klamath Falls, as against another building that was partially built on block 10, Hot Springs addition. During the litigation Klamath county business has been done in a third building.

The opinion today reverses Judge J. W. Hamilton of the lower court for Klamath county. County Judges Warden and Hanks were both recalled in the process of the controversy.

Two other opinions handed down yesterday were: W. A. Sanders et al. appellants, vs. Portland and Oregon City Railway company; appeal from Mult-

nomah county; action in ejectment. Opinion by Chief Justice McBride. Judge W. N. Gatens affirmed. United States National Bank of Vale, appellant, vs. Catherine L. Shehan, appeal from Malheur county; action for money. Opinion by Chief Justice McBride. Judge Dalton Biggs affirmed.

Herd of Cattle Killed by S. P. Passenger Train

TURNER, Or., Nov. 30.—L. D. Roberts met with a big loss Thursday. His five head of milk cows broke away from home, getting on the Southern Pacific railroad track in town. A through passenger train killed them all.

Trevel Powers of Portland spent Thanksgiving day with his parents. His sister, Miss Reba, returned with him for a short visit.

J. N. Duncan of Salem spent Saturday at the farm.

C. A. Bear and small sons motored to Portland Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Riches held a family reunion Thursday. Covers were laid for 12.

Richard Walker went to Portland Wednesday for a few days. Pearl Miller of Prosser, Wash., is visiting his sister, Mrs. I. H. Small.

Archie Bones spent Thanksgiving in Portland at the J. R. Beese home, where his wife is at the bedside of a very sick sister, Mrs. Florence Schaffer, Jr., of U. of O. spent the week-end with his parents. Also the O. A. C. boys returned to their homes. Justus Roberts, Glenn Miller and Earl Bear.

Mrs. R. M. Kiser, primary teacher, returned from Salem Friday.

Mrs. S. A. Riches and mother visited with relatives in Portland last week, returning Friday.

Miss Gay Davis returned Saturday evening from Plainview, where she visited her mother.

Mrs. J. F. Lyle is with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Baker, of Forest Grove, who is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Barbara Snyder, who teaches at Waconda, passed through Turner on her way to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Baker, at their country home.

Mrs. Anna Busby writes she likes Berkeley, Cal., very much. She has a good paying position and will remain indefinitely.

C. A. Bear and family spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Duncan in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whittaker of Corvallis spent last Thursday at the parental Salisbury home.

Mr. Whittaker is a professor in O. A. C.

Large Amount Netted at Church Function

SILVERTON, Or., Nov. 30.—Young Ladies' society of St. John's church gave a Norwegian supper at the church Saturday. Later in the evening a program was given, after which an auction sale of fancy articles was held. There were several booths also, such as fishing booth, candy booth, etc. Proceeds amounted to over \$200.

Saturday night Silverton started its regular season of basketball with a game with the Swastika club of Portland. The Silverton boys, who have been practicing since the first of Novem-

ber, defeated the Swastikas by a score of 20 to 14. A game with another Portland team is scheduled for next Saturday night.

Thursday afternoon the ex-high and high school football teams of Silverton had their annual contest. The ex-high boys, because of their weight, had the advantage over the light school team and as a result the score was 13 to 0 in favor of the former.

A quiet wedding took place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Olsen, when their daughter, Miss Aslang Olsen, and Alvin Williams were united in marriage. The wedding ceremony, which was conducted in the Norwegian language, was performed by Rev. George Hendrickson. Mrs. Gilbert Underdahl played the wedding march. There were no attendants, the parents of the bride acting as witnesses. Besides those already mentioned, no one was present other than a cousin from the east who is visiting at the Olsen home. Mr. and Mrs. Williams left in the evening for a wedding trip. Mr. Williams has a farm near Woodburn, where they expect to make their home.

Dr. Andrews Purchases Veterinary Practice

Dr. A. R. Andrews, a recent arrival in the city from Elkhart, Or., has acquired the extensive veterinary practice of Dr. W. J. Patterson with offices and operating facilities at the Club stables.

Dr. Andrews is a highly qualified veterinary surgeon, having held a captain's commission in the veterinary corps of the regular United States army during the late war, being in charge of the

veterinary base hospital at Fort St. Houston, Texas, and is now on the reserve army list.

Dr. Andrews was born in Scottsburg, Douglas county, Oregon, and has recently practiced at Elkhart. He is a thorough be-

liever in humaneness in veterinary surgery and is equipped for the latest and most scientific care of animals in his charge.

A simplicity operating table provides that a horse, cow or mule is strapped while standing.

to a padded table, given an anesthetic, then lowered by a hand winch to a horizontal position, affording the surgeon full opportunity to diagnose and operate.

We can't always tell what a boy

will amount to. The father of Beethoven was a drunken tenniser or the police blotter than on musical programs. The father of Rossini was a slaughterhouse inspector.



She'll Never Know

The back-breaking Drudgery of chasing dust and dirt about with a broom

Her mother will be mighty happy to have escaped that burden, also—what woman would not!

An Electric Cleaner makes an ideal Christmas present for any family, one for which they'll thank the donor in their hearts daily.

Be sure to bring your list with you when you come—something else electrical here for each and every one—and at all prices, too.

Say "Merry Christmas" electrically this year

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SIX YEARS PRACTICE IN SALEM

Today, Dec. 1, marks my Sixth Anniversary as an Optometrist in Salem. During these years I have Fitted Many Pairs of Glasses for People of Salem and Vicinity. That I have Rendered Satisfactory Service to my Patients is Vouched for by my Constantly Increasing Patronage. It is a Pleasure to look back over these years and review the pleasant business dealings I have had and to note the expansion of my circle of business friends and patrons.

I take this opportunity of thanking you for your patronage, and I assure you I will strive in every possible way to merit its continuance in the years to come.

My Location is the same as it was six years ago—Ladd & Bush Bank Bldg., Salem.

Questions You Need to Answer

CAN YOU SEE CLEARLY?

How do you know that you see as clearly as you ought to do? Your sight may never have been perfect—hence you may not realize its deficiencies.

CAN YOU SEE A LONG WAY?

This is often a symptom of defective sight—of the defect Long Sight, to be precise.

DO YOU NEED MORE LIGHT?

This is one of the symptoms of old sight which affects most people over 40 years of age.

HOW NEAR DO YOU HOLD YOUR THINGS?

If you need to hold things nearer to your eyes than 14 inches, your eyes are probably wrong.

WHICH EYE WORKS?

One of your eyes may be more powerful than the other! That is why if you wear any Glasses you should have them specially adapted to your own particular needs.

DOES YOUR HEAD ACHE?

Are you troubled with headache—particularly toward the end of the day? Many of the most racking headaches are caused by eyestrain—correct Glasses are the only permanent remedy.

ARE YOU EVER DIZZY?

Dizziness or Vertigo sometimes happens in acute cases of eyestrain.

ARE DISTANT OBJECTS DIM?

This is a common sign of defective sight.

DOES SMALL PRINT "BLUR"?

In reading your newspaper or book do the letters "run into one another." This indicates that your sight is wrong.

DO YOU HABITUALLY FROWN?

A habit of knitting the eyes together is one of the consequences of eyestrain. It is an attempt—often unconscious—to concentrate the vision.

HAVE YOU EVER STRAINED A MUSCLE?

If so, you know how painful it is. The only cure is rest. Eyestrain is strained eye-muscles, and the only way to rest them is to remove the cause with compensating Glasses.

DO YOUR EYES EVER ACHE?

Aching or smarting is only possible in defective eyes. So long as they remain perfect, they cannot ache.

ARE YOUR EYES WAGE EARNERS?

Is your occupation one which demands keen vision? If so, that is an unanswerable argument in favor of caring for it now, so that the progress of any existing defects may be arrested.

CAN YOU BE OVER-ANXIOUS?

In view of all the blessings of good vision, is it possible to be too careful of it? If your sight is perfect, so much the better—but while you remain in doubt, you may be laying up future regrets.

WHY DO YOU HESITATE?

Surely you now realize that you know very little as to your eyes' condition. We can tell you after testing—why not come now.

ARE WE CAPABLE?

Our equipment is of the most modern kind. Our experience has been long and varied, and has fitted us to deal with the many forms of Optical Defects.

IS OUR ADVICE UNBIASED?

We could not afford to risk our reputation upon anything but the strict truth. More than that, if we advise the wearing of Glasses, we prove to you the reason why they are necessary.

WHAT IS THE COST?

If Glasses are found necessary what will they cost? Our prices vary (according to lenses and frames needed), but are very reasonable.

For many years they have served you well—do they not deserve a little care? Then there is the question of preserving the sight for the future—isn't this a sufficiently grave matter to induce you to take care?

It Is Time You Attend to Your Eyes

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SOME WON'T ADMIT

even to themselves the possibility that their eyes may have become defective; but surely it is better to investigate the state of the sight scientifically, and thus to be enabled to avoid the serious consequences in which neglect may result.

MAN MAY WORK

and by his skill build up a reputation so that he is termed "a good man." He may work long and well so that his eyes suffer somewhat from the strain; should he then thoughtlessly neglect these early troubles, his sight will inevitably become

SERIOUSLY DEFECTIVE

and the quality of his work must undergo steady deterioration. Thus the reputation of a lifetime may be ruined in a very short time—perhaps never to be regained. Yet if the worker would only care for his sight—not waiting until serious symptoms develop—this loss of earning power would never take place.

STRAINING THE SIGHT EVERY DAY

There are some occupations which impose an especially heavy tax upon the eyes; and workers under these circumstances should be especially careful to preserve their vision, especially as they are directly dependent upon it for the earning of a livelihood.

DANGEROUS TRADES

A "black list" of occupations dangerous to the eyes would certainly include all industries demanding close attention (particularly in poor light). Here are some kinds of employment which aggravate eye-defects:

Needlework
Benchwork in Factories
Drawing and Painting
Clerical Work.

HEADACHE

is now becoming known as usually a result of strained eyes. Almost invariably, when suitable Glasses are obtained, it permanently disappears.

OUR EXPERIENCE IS YOUR SECURITY

In an eye-difficulty, get our advice; we can help you, if anyone can.

Every case receives the same careful attention irrespective of how much or how little you intend to spend. We do our utmost every time, and good results are guaranteed.

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