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ON TRIAL FOR HER LIFE

Mrs. Minnie Crockett Before Circuit Judge Ellis.

A DAY SPENT IN GETTING JURORS

Afternoon Session Sees Many Ladies Present. Defendant Shows Expected Depression and Sadness in Court.

At 20 minutes to 10 o'clock this morning, Judge W. R. Ellis called the case of the state of Oregon vs. Minnie Crockett, accused of murder in the first degree, for the killing of her husband on Tuesday, October 2, District Attorney Hatley asked that the name of John McCourt be added to his own to appear of record as counsel for the state. Carter & Raley are in charge of the defense. Mr. Raley is in charge of the case for the latter firm. The appearance of the defendant created a ripple of excitement. The court room was scarcely one-third filled by 1 o'clock, and of those who were in attendance a dozen or so were ladies.

Examination of Jurors. The list of jurors was called and the box filled, after which they were examined as to their qualifications to serve in the case pending. Remarkable progress was made in the selection of jurors to serve. Eight were secured within 50 minutes after the examination commenced. W. F. Woodstock, of Nolia, had heard the case discussed and had read of it in the East Oregonian and Tribune; had his mind made up, but it could be changed by new evidence. Accepted by defense; but, after having been questioned, was rejected by the state.

George Jones had read of the case as published in the East Oregonian, and had heard some talk of it in the street; but it had made no particular impression upon his mind; could render his verdict according to the law and evidence; would give a woman the same trial without bias or prejudice as he would a man. Accepted.

Peter Nelson had read of the case, and, in addition, had scruples against capital punishment. Excused for cause.

E. Jamieson, Weston. Excused for cause.

J. H. Ross, Weston; had talked with a number of people, and, according to the conversation, had formed an opinion which it would take sworn evidence to change; satisfactory to both sides and was accepted.

J. Hodeman had no conscientious opinion against capital punishment; would give a woman a fair and impartial trial regardless of sex. Accepted.

Thomas Chandler had fixed opinion regarding the case, but it could be removed by evidence. Had no bias against a woman and could give her a fair trial. Accepted.

J. F. Zerba, excused.

T. J. Kirk, Athena, had read and talked of the case; did not know the principals; had no bias that would prevent him from giving a woman a fair trial. Rejected by the state.

J. M. Ferguson, Pendleton, was not acquainted with the principal; had read and talked of the case; could disregard that in forming an opinion on sworn testimony; had conscientious opinions against capital punishment, but his verdict would be governed thereby. Excused.

William Slusher was unbiased in his opinion, had no conscientious opinions against capital punishment.

JUDGE MAGERS.

Itinerary of a Republican Campaigner in Eastern Oregon.

C. A. Magers, of McMinnville, spent Wednesday night in Pendleton and today to Echo, where he speaks tonight for the republican ticket. He spoke Monday night in Athena, Tuesday night in Adams, and after speaking in Echo, his itinerary takes him to the 20th, in the afternoon, and to Hardman in the evening, Lone Rock on the 22d, Mayville on the 23d, Condon on the 24th, Grass Valley on the 25th, Wasco on the 26th and Cascade Locks on the 27th. Mr. Magers passed through Pendleton in 1879, before the railroad had come and when only via the Overland stage could one travel. It needs not the saying that he is surprised at the growth and importance now of the little hamlet through which he rode behind a six horse team twenty-one years ago, and gave no more than a passing thought to the diminutive collection of buildings and the meagre assemblage of inhabitants.

"Of course," said Mr. Magers, "every one nowadays knows that Pendleton is a fine town; but, nevertheless, it is a surprise to me to see so prosperous a place with evidence of such extensive business interests."

SIX YEARS EACH.

The Cattle Thieves Plead Guilty and Are Sentenced.

At the opening of court this morning, there was a surprise. Frank H. Childers and James Carlwell, who had previously pleaded not guilty to the indictment of the grand jury for grand larceny in the stealing of 14 head of cattle from T. T. Glenn, of Summerville, withdrew that plea and entered instead one of guilty.

Upon being asked by Judge Ellis if they had anything to say in extenuation of their act, they replied that they had not. Counsel for the defendants was thereupon asked if he had anything to say in regard to it.

J. H. Raley, of counsel, replied that, in consideration of the fact that the young men had saved the county the costs of an expensive trial by pleading guilty, he hoped that the judge would show leniency in passing sentence. Thereupon Judge Ellis sentenced each of the defendants to undergo imprisonment in the state penitentiary at Salem for a term of six years.

Must Have Court Helmets.

Army officers were considerably surprised at reading dispatches of the sufferings of the American troops in China, from the heat, on account of the regiments sent to China had been equipped with cork helmets and that their campaign hats had been discarded. The heat of the sun is dangerous, but over-heating of the digestive organs is even more so. To overcome irritation and other stomach troubles there is nothing to equal Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. No matter how long you have suffered from constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, liver and kidney troubles, the Bitters will cure you. It also creates a hearty appetite and is an excellent tonic for the nerves. Try it.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Hay & Co., Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers. Oct. 18.—Lower cables started weak this morning. Liverpool closed 6-3/8 against 6-1/2 yesterday. New York opened 1/2 lower, 79 1/2, and under free offerings sold off to 78 1/2, closing 79.

Receipts were 239 cars at Chicago and 530 cars at Minneapolis and Duluth. Stocks steady. Money, 3 per cent.

Close yesterday, 79 1/2. Open today, 79 1-8 to 79 1/2. Range today, 78 1/2 to 79 1/2. Closed today, 79.

December corn, 41 7-8.

Mrs. Vert to Visit Eastern Star.

Mrs. Jessie S. Vert, worthy grand matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, will arrive this evening from Hopper. On October 23, at Masonic Temple, Mrs. Vert will meet here with Business Chapter, going to Milton on October 24, to Weston on October 25, returning to Pendleton, she will later proceed to other Eastern Oregon towns, visiting officially the chapters of the order. Mrs. Vert will be in Pendleton during the holidays, and again go to Western Oregon to complete the official visits. Mrs. Vert will be a guest of Mrs. R. G. Thompson during the coming visit here.

Portland's Financial Plight

Portland, Or., Oct. 18.—The police department is to be abolished on November 1. There is no money for salaries. Portland will be without police protection until January unless the citizens make voluntary subscriptions.

Honors to Count Waldemar.

Pekin, Oct. 18.—Count Waldemar arrived and received full honors. The reported capture of Poo Tin Fu was premature.

BUBONIC PLAGUE IN 'FRISCO.

Three Cases Certified to by Eminent Bacteriologists and Official Physicians. San Francisco, Oct. 18.—Three deaths have occurred in Chinatown here during the past two weeks, all of them Chinamen. It has been certified by the San Francisco board of health, by Dr. J. J. Kinyoun, the federal quarantine officer, and by Dr. Hyakogel, the bacteriologist of the state board of health, as bubonic plague. The last victim was alive when the case was discovered last Sunday. No known cases are now existing. The city newspapers are silent on the subject.

KRUGER'S FRENCH RECEPTION.

The Old Man May Set the Franco Arams. Paris, Oct. 18.—The cabinet is alarmed at the program being made in arranging the welcome to President Paul Kruger. The government fears that the old man will set the country aflame. It is believed that he goes to Europe, not as a refugee, but to make a last desperate throw. Both and Dewet have promised him to resist the British until the result is known.

Storm Washed Up Gold.

Seattle, Oct. 18.—According to the latest home advice, the recent storm there deposited a layer of "ruby sand" on the beach, which yields good pay. Winter weather was prevailing, and the Tundera was caked with ice.

Dillingham Vermont Senator.

Montpelier, Vt., Oct. 18.—Former Governor W. P. Dillingham has been elected United States senator to succeed the late Senator Morrill.

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HERPICIDE TO HAVE THICK, LUXURIANT HAIR. It is the most longed-for desire of every woman. She knows what a powerful aid to beauty it is, and her ambition to make her own as soft, glossy and thick as possible. Comparatively few of them are aware as yet that Newcomb's Herpicide, a recent scientific discovery, will enable them to possess hair as thick and luxuriant as anyone could desire. It works on a new theory of destroying the germ that feeds upon the hair root, and thus making it fall out and falling hair impossible. It then succeeds in producing growth of thick, glossy hair that soon becomes the pride of its owner. One trial will convince you of its virtues. FOR SALE AT ALL FIRST-CLASS DRUG STORES.

Nasal CATARRH. In all the stages there should be cleanliness. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly. Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists; by mail, Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY'S BALM, 69 Warren Street, New York.

Dr. Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure. This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine ever known to science; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a fact which no other medicine can stand. If you have a Cough, we earnestly ask you to try it. In Union State and Canada 50c, 50c and 75c, and in England 1s. 3d., 2s. 6d. and 4s. 6d. SOLE PROPRIETORS S. C. WELLS & Co. LEROY, N.Y. TORONTO, CAN. For sale by Tallman & Co., Druggists.

POLITICS AND THE STRIKE. Democratic Jones Comments on the Trust's Concession. SAYS IT'S A HOPEFUL SIGN. Republican Payne Replies That There's No Anthracite Trust—Alleges Jones' Logic is Not Logic.

Shamokin, Pa., Oct. 18.—The Philadelphia and Reading company posted notices at all its collieries this morning accepting the terms made by the Scranton convention, advancing wages ten per cent, and abolishing the sliding scale, and arbitrating other grievances. There is great rejoicing among the miners. Jones Interprets the Concession. Chicago, Oct. 18.—Democratic Chairman Jones issued a statement this morning on the settlement of the coal strike, saying that it clearly indicates to his mind that the trusts are beginning to have a wholesome regard for public opinion, and would not yield to the demands of the men except for fear that the consequences might be disastrous to the administration, which has been a friend to the trusts. It is a hopeful sign for the democracy. Payne Answers Jones. Chicago, Oct. 18.—Speaking of the Jones strike comment, Vice-Chairman Payne, republican, said that Jones starts on a wrong premise and the rest of the argument falls to the ground. If Hanna brought about the settlement, he did it for the good of the miners and the people of the country. He denied that there was an anthracite trust.

Hanna on Bryanism. Madison, S. D., Oct. 18.—Hanna opened the day at Flandreau, with an Indian demonstration. At Egan, he said to an audience of 300 that, when McKinley is re-elected, he (Hanna) will feel out of a job, for then Bryanism will be dead as a door nail. A good sized audience was here, tonight Hanna speaks in Pettigrew's home, Sioux Falls. Senator Pettigrew will be there. Bryan Talked to Electricians. Schenectady, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Fifteen hundred people welcomed W. J. Bryan here this morning. He talked on the general issues of the campaign to many employees of the General Electric company.

Roosevelt in Talking Order. Akron, Ohio, Oct. 18.—Gov. Roosevelt's voice was in good order when he attempted to compete here this morning with several engines in the railroad yards. Four thousand people turned out. Roosevelt at McKinley's Home. Canton, O., Oct. 18.—Gov. Roosevelt spoke to three thousand in the Tabernacle, enjoining the president's administration. Bryan at Utica. Utica, N. Y., Oct. 18.—The Bryan party reached Utica at 2, and 4000 heard him speak for twenty minutes.

King Lynch in the Saddle. Elkton, Ky., Oct. 18.—Fratz Warfield, colored, aged 23, was taken from the jail here by a mob last night and hanged to a tree. On Tuesday, he frightened a white farmer's wife by demanding admittance to her home.

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