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ELLIS IS REVERSED

WADE WAS TRUSTEE FOR THE McLEOD-STURGIS ESTATE.

According to the Decision of the Supreme Court Rendered Yesterday—Failure of Suit to Compel the Despairs to Again Pay Money on Certain Notes Held Against the Estate, and Which Was Once Paid to C. B. Wade—Suit Was in Equity.

Among those interested in or informed as to the case of McLeod and Sturgis vs. the Despairs estate, much interest is taken in the decision given yesterday by the supreme court. The case is one that has been pending for several years, and the decision by Judge Ellis was given the latter part of last June, shortly before the expiration of his term.

The litigation grew out of the Wade failure. Wade had been acting as trustee for the Despairs and likewise for the McLeod and Sturgis interests. Money had been paid him by the Despairs to apply upon notes held against the estate by the plaintiffs in the suit. This money had not been credited upon the notes by Wade, and following the failure suit was brought to force the Despairs to again pay the notes. The contention of the plaintiffs was that at the time Wade received the money he was acting in the capacity of trustee for the Despairs, while on the other hand the defense maintained that he was serving as trustee for McLeod and the Sturgis estate. Judge Ellis held with the former and decided the case in favor of the McLeod and Sturgis forces.

While the full text of the decision of the supreme court has not yet been received, it is presumed that in deciding the case the court took the opposite view of the case from Judge Ellis and held Wade to have been acting in the capacity of trustee for the Sturgis estate and for McLeod.

As the case was one in equity the decision of the supreme court settles the matter conclusively, as in equity suits the supreme court passes upon the merits of cases and does not send them back for retrial when the lower courts are reversed. However, the respondents have the right to ask for a rehearing before the supreme court, and may do so.

For the respondents Judge Fee has served as attorney for the Sturgis estate; McCourt & Phelps for McLeod, while on the other side Carter & Raley, Wort Minor and Judge T. G. Halley have appeared for the Despairs.

ENGINEER FORREST KILLED.

Pioneer Railroad Man of La Grande Met Death in California.

Engineer J. R. Forrest, formerly employed on the mountain division of the O. R. & N., and a pioneer railroad man of La Grande, was killed yesterday morning near Felton, Cal., while working as engineer on the coast line of the Southern Pacific, where he has been employed for the past six years.

Mr. Forrest left La Grande seven years ago on account of his health, but his family has lived there all the time and he has visited there every summer. A letter received a few days ago from him, informed his wife that he would soon visit her and the message announcing his death was a severe shock. He leaves a wife and three daughters in La Grande. The remains will be brought to La Grande where the funeral will be under the auspices of the Masonic order and the locomotive engineers.

LIGHTER BERRY CROP.

Cold Weather Prevents Ripening in Hood River District.

A Hood River correspondent says of the berry crop in that district: Cold weather and rain which fell here last night for the first time in weeks is holding back the strawberry crop, the season for which is thought to be about half over. Prices for berries have taken an upward tendency, those yesterday and today bringing in the neighborhood of \$2.75.

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out this season with the expectation that as many more will be moved before it is over. This does not include the number of crates shipped by express, which has reached about 8,000. The total number of cars shipped last year was 28, so that although the crop is not as large as expected it is a better one than that of 1906. Growers now look for it to reach 60,000 crates against 75,000 or 80,000, which was predicted earlier in the season.

MILL RUNNING AT MEACHAM.

New Company Now Manufacturing About 40,000 Feet of Lumber Per Day.

The mill of the Meacham Lumber company, located at Meacham, is now in operation and is manufacturing about 40,000 feet of lumber per day. A logging train, consisting of engine and from 10 to 15 cars is used in bringing logs to the mill from the timber five miles distant. The entire product of the mill is contracted by eastern dealers for several years ahead and none of the lumber is for sale to local markets.

About 40 men are employed in the mill, on the logging train and in the timber. Engineer E. Jacobson, formerly of the O. R. & N., is engineer of the logging train. One side gear locomotive is used and the train makes several trips from the mill to the end of the log road each day. It is the largest sawmill on the O. R. & N. between Hood River and Perry.

GRADUATION TONIGHT.

Commencement Exercises of St. Joseph's Academy at Eagles' Hall at 7:30.

The graduation exercises of St. Joseph's academy will be held at Eagles' hall beginning promptly at 7:30 this evening. Bishop C. J. O'Reilly of Baker City, arrived on the noon train today and will deliver the graduating address to the class.

A delightful musical and literary program has been arranged and a most pleasant entertainment is promised. Miss Georgia Thayer and Miss Alvina Rieden will graduate from the academy. The exercises will begin promptly at 7:30.

IN A SHORT TIME

DECISION FROM STATE RAILROAD COMMISSION.

Is Expected Relative to Pendleton's Efforts to Get a Local Train to Portland—Travel on the Main Line Is Heavier Than Ever, and It Is Thought the Local Passenger Traffic Will Justify the Additional Train—All Are Hopeful Who Investigate.

It is hoped to hear from the Oregon railroad commission in a very short time, as to its decision in the local train between this city and Portland. The O. R. & N. officials were given a hearing by the commission on Monday evening in Portland and the commission now has the evidence presented by both the citizens of Pendleton and the railroad company and a decision will perhaps be reached soon.

It is believed by all who are at all familiar with the situation that the people of this city made an excellent showing, and favorably impressed the commission with the need of a local train to handle the traffic between this city and the metropolis and it is generally believed that the train will be ordered.

The chief showing of the railroad company was to the effect that the passenger traffic will not justify the expense of the train and that it would be ruinous to place it in service.

However, it is said that there is sufficient local traffic between Portland and Huntington to justify the local train, and the people of La Grande and Baker City are also urging the railroad commission to order a train on the entire main line of the system from Portland to Huntington.

Travel on the main line trains is now much heavier than ever. It has been necessary several times in the past week to add an extra coach here to the eastbound evening train to accommodate the people going from this city eastward and transferring from the Spokane train at this place. The westbound trains continue to be loaded to overflowing with through passengers leaving the local travel but few seats and small room in the coaches.

ST. ELMO HOTEL SOLD.

J. D. Shipp Becomes Proprietor of the Well Known Rooming House on Main Street.

J. D. Shipp, formerly in business in this city and a well known member of the Eagles' band, has just purchased the St. Elmo hotel fixtures from J. G. Poore and will hereafter conduct that place. Mr. Shipp is in charge of the St. Elmo now and will make every effort to give good accommodations and first class service.

The St. Elmo is located in the second story of the Ferguson building adjoining the East Oregonian building and business. Mr. Shipp will give all of his time to the hotel and invites a share of the patronage.

Killed a Bear in Camas Prairie. Henry Lazinka, the well known cattleman of Camas Prairie, killed a large black bear a few days ago near his farm in Camas Prairie. Bear are plentiful in the mountains of that locality this year.

Lawrence Crosbie and Frank Clark of Yakima, each aged 13 years, stole a horse and buggy and \$75 and biked. They were overhauled at Ellensburg and taken back to Yakima.

O. R. & N. HEARING

JOINT RATE DISCUSSION ON JUNE 17.

Judge Hanford of Seattle Fixes Date of Hearing on the Case of the Washington Railroad Commission Against the O. R. & N.—Joint Wheat Rate Will Be Investigated.

Judge C. H. Hanford in the United States court at Seattle yesterday fixed June 17 as the date for the Washington state railway commission to show cause why it should not be restrained, as asked by the O. R. & N. from hearing complaints June 21 relating to the interchange of traffic between the O. R. & N. and other roads, says a Seattle paper.

This is another step in the fight by the railroad company against the promulgation or enforcement of any joint wheat rate order similar to the one made by the state commission at the Colfax hearing, August 1, 1906, which was temporarily enjoined by the federal court later and recently withdrawn by the commission.

The hearing set by Judge Hanford for June 17, is occasioned by the second supplemental bill of complaint in the case of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company against the members of the commission, Attorney General John D. Atkinson, and the Great Northern and Northern Pacific.

This second bill reiterates the prayers of the original complaint, that the act creating the state commission be declared unconstitutional, and that the commission be perpetually enjoined from further orders against the O. R. & N. Zera Snow of Portland, solicitor, represented the plaintiff company in presenting the amended bill to the court.

Among other things, the bill recites that the joint wheat rate order was passed August 1, 1906, requiring the railroad company, upon demand of any shipper along its line, to haul wheat in carload lots to Wallula junction for delivery to the Great Northern. The commission fixed a maximum rate of 19 1/2 cents per hundred pounds or \$3.85 per ton for the entire haul over all lines, but the division between the companies was not fixed. This order was the result of the hearing by the railway commission at Colfax last summer.

On May 13, the commission, acting under amendments to the commission law passed at the last session, formally revoked the joint wheat rate order of August 1, 1906, but passed another directing the companies to appear on June 21 and answer certain complaints touching joint traffic. This order, so the O. R. & N. claims, paved the way for another joint rate order, and it is to block such an order that the corporation now asks an injunction.

It is expected that several prominent ranchers of the Walla Walla valley will be present on the date set for the hearing.

Teutsch to Preston.

Lee Teutsch, proprietor of the Teutsch department store, and chairman of the school board, left this evening for Preston, Idaho, where he has recently purchased a large stock of merchandise and is now conducting one of the largest stores in the town. He is well pleased with Preston and looks for it to become one of the best towns in that section of the state. He will return to Pendleton soon to make arrangements to enlarge his store here after the improvements now under way are completed.

Will Graduate from Whitman.

J. B. McDill, superintendent of the county farm, left this morning for Walla Walla to attend the graduation exercises of Whitman college tonight. His daughter, Miss Mabel McDill, is a member of the graduating class, having finished the full four years' course in the college. She has been employed to teach Latin in the high school at Davenport, Washington, next year. After a brief visit at her home in this city she will spend the summer on the coast.

To the Ranch in an Auto.

A party consisting of Miss Eva Froome, Miss Bertha Alexander and Miss Gertrude Sheridan left this morning in an automobile for the ranches of John Adams and S. R. Thompson near Adams and Eastland, where they spent the day. They were taken over by Hal Thorne, who went on to Walla Walla with the large auto which has been on exhibition in this city for several days.

Sheller Is Commander.

D. B. Sheller, formerly superintendent of the Blue Mountain forest reserve and well known to Umatilla county people, is eminent commander of the state conclave of Knights Templar of Washington and is presiding over the sessions now being held at Tacoma.

TO GUARD YOUR HEALTH

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DR. VAUGHAN WAS RE-ELECTED

Forty-Four Would-be Dentists Examined.

At a meeting of the state board of dental examiners held in Portland yesterday, Dr. E. A. Vaughan of this city, was re-elected as president. Dr. H. H. Olinger of Salem was chosen as secretary to serve during the coming term.

Owing to the fact that the time of two of the members of the board had expired two appointments were made by Governor Chamberlain. Those designated to serve on the board as new members are Dr. Mark Hater of The Dalles, and Dr. Jack Yates of Portland.

Forty-four would-be dentists are now before the state board of examinations as to their fitness to follow that profession. Of that number 21 are from Portland college, while the remaining 13 are from other dental schools.

Dr. Vaughan was appointed by Governor Chamberlain as a member of the board about two years ago, and that he is regarded highly by his fellow examiners is shown by the fact that he has been twice elected as president, though comparatively a new member of the body.

Father Sherman a Good Speaker.

Father Sherman, son of General W. T. Sherman of civil war fame, who comes to this city next Sunday for a series of lectures at St. Mary's Catholic church, is one of the most noted speakers and missionary workers in the Jesuit society in the United States and his coming to this city is looked forward to by students and thinkers with pleasure. He will lecture at St. Mary's church all next week.

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