

**Court Docket.**

Judge Burnett's department of Circuit Court was in session Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Four jury cases were tried, and orders were made in several other cases. The trial of the case of Mrs. Laare Adkins against the city of Monmouth for injuries sustained by the plaintiff in stepping in a hole in a defective sidewalk occupied all of Wednesday's session. The jury returned a verdict for Mrs. Adkins in the sum of \$800. The cases of the city of Dallas against R P Boise and Mrs. M E Hallock for condemnation of a right-of-way for the waterworks pipe line were set for trial Monday, May 25.

1 E C Keyt vs Ed Biddle et al, action at law; Townsend & Hart for plff; Oscar Hayter for deft. Continued pending settlement.

2 H L Fenton vs H B Stanley, action for money; Butler & Coad for plff. Settled.

3 O E Leet vs Falls City Cured Fruit Co., action at law; J N Hart for plff. Default and judgment with order to sell attached property.

4 MacDonald & Cohn vs S E Owen, action at law; Oscar Hayter for plff. Default and judgment with order to sell attached property.

5 W S Mott vs S R Young, action for money; Frank Holmes for plff. Settled.

6 City of Dallas vs R P Boise et al, action for condemnation; W T Muir for plff. Demurrer to complaint over-ruled; plaintiff files amended complaint; demurrer to amended complaint over-ruled.

7 O J Bagley vs Southern Pacific Co., action at law; Butler & Coad for plff; J E Fenton and Oscar Hayter for deft. Jury trial; verdict for deft.

8 City of Dallas vs Mary E Hallock et al, action for condemnation; W T Muir for plff. Demurrer to complaint overruled; plaintiff files amended complaint; demurrer to amended complaint overruled.

9 H Hirschberg vs J O Smith, confirmation; Oscar Hayter for plff. Sale confirmed.

10 J W Boyer vs Thos E Lyons, action at law; J C Adams and J N Hart for plff; Oscar Hayter for deft. Jury trial; at close of plaintiff's case defendant moves for nonsuit, which motion is confessed by plaintiff. Judgment of nonsuit accordingly.

11 Laure Adkins vs City of Monmouth, suit for damages; Holmes & Holmes for plff; Butler & Coad and M L Pipes for deft. Jury trial; verdict for plff, \$800.

12 W H Yank vs Gust Olson, appeal from county court; Oscar Hayter for plff; M L Pipes and Butler & Coad for deft. Jury trial; verdict for plff for \$46.40.

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**DECLARATION OF INTENTION.**

Richard M N Thurston, native of Canada.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

C L Starr to E J Reynolds, 160 acres, t 8 s, r 7 w, \$1800.

E J and S R Smith to O E Leet, lot 8, block 12, Levens' LaCreole Hd add to Dallas, \$600.

J S Andrews et al to W H Andrews, 319.50 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w, \$500.

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Chas Hubbard to Hiram Goddard, 144.19 acres, t 7 s, r 7 w, \$1000.

A D Burnett to Hiram Goddard, 165.24 acres, t 7 s, r 7 w, \$1200.

Percy W Hibbard to Hiram Goddard, 144.19 acres, t 7 s, r 7 w, \$12000.

H S Montgomery et ux to J J Wick, lot 5, block H, south side, Falls City, \$60.

S S Ewing to M A Ward, lots 17, 18, 19 and 20, block C, first add to Falls City, \$450.

J J and R S Conner to Hiram Burt, lot 8, block 13; lot 1, block 12, Levens' LaCreole Hd add to Dallas, \$850.

I F Yoakum et ux to William Livermore, lot 1, block 7, Levens' LaCreole Hd add to Dallas, \$385.

Henry Byerley et ux to Mary Menke, lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, block 4, Ballston, \$150.

W S Link et al to A F Stoner, lots 6 and 10, block 5, Rickreall, \$85.

Mr. Joseph Pominville, of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex Richard, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so and is a well man today. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these tablets a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 25c per box by Kirkland Drug Co.

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**Settlers' Cross-Examination.**

Settlers on timber lands are required to conform to new rules when filing on timber lands. In addition to the old catechism last year the land department formulated a fresh, additional list that commits a settler to searching examination and a positive statement when filing a declaration. It virtually means perjury for many people unless they have the money with which to pay for their claims. Further, the claimant for land must furnish two witnesses to the effect that he located upon certain described land and visited the corner stakes. The witness must practically swear to the same statements as the claimant makes. Perjury is easy for one, but when three persons have to commit perjury it is not so easy. Formerly the government did not require a claimant to state where he obtained his money with which to pay for his timber claim, but in order to head off the bribing of poor claimants of land by wealthy speculators in timber tracts, the government made the conditions harder. A study of the questions now asked of filing claimants at any of the land offices will be interesting. Here they are:

Are you an actual bona fide citizen of this state?

Are you married or single?

Where did you reside prior to becoming a resident of this state, and what was your occupation?

How long have you been a resident of this state and where have you lived during all of this time?

What has been your occupation during the past year, where and by whom have you been employed and at what compensation?

How did you first learn about this particular tract of land and that it would be a good investment to buy it?

Did you pay or agree to pay anything for this information? If so, to whom and what amount?

Have you made a personal examination of each of the smallest legal subdivisions of the land? If so state when and under what circumstances and with whom?

How did you identify said land? Describe it fully.

How many feet board measure of lumber did you estimate that there is on this entire tract and what is the stumpage value of the lumber on the same?

Are you a practical lumberman or woodsman? If not how did you arrive at your estimate of the quality and value of this land?

What do you expect to do with this land and the lumber on it when you get title to it?

Do you know any capitalist or company which is offering to purchase timber land in the vicinity of this entry? If so, who are they and how did you know of them?

Has any person offered to purchase this land after you acquire title to it? If so, who and for what amount?

Where is the nearest and best market for the timber on this land at the present time?

Did you pay out of your own individual funds all the expenses in connection with this filing, and do you expect to pay for this land with your own money?

Where did you get the money with which to pay for this land and how long have you had same in your actual possession?

Have you kept a bank account during the past six months, if so, where?

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Leaves Independence for Monmouth and Dallas 11:00 a. m. 6:15 p. m.	Leaves Dallas for Monmouth and Independence. 1:00 p. m. 7:30 "
Leaves Monmouth for Airle. 7:50 a. m. 8:50 p. m.	Leaves Monmouth for Independence. 9:40 a. m. 1:30 p. m. 2:40 " 3:45 " 8:50 "
Leaves Monmouth for Dallas. 11:20 a. m. 9:00 p. m.	Leaves Independence for Mon. 2:35 p. m.

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