

## West Side Enterprise

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A fierce legal battle with big issues and far reaching results at stake, is being waged in the land fraud cases at Portland. Some of Oregon's most conspicuous public men have been subpoenaed as witnesses. Among those who have already been on the witness stand are Hon. William Galloway, judge of the circuit court, department No. 2, of the Third Judicial District; Hon. C. B. Moores, Ex-Register of the United States land office at Oregon; Hon. Binger Herman, representative in congress of the First Congressional District of Oregon. In the course of the examination of congressman Herman letters written to him by Senator Mitchell presumably relating to land matters were handed Mr. Herman by Government Attorney Heney for identification. Upon introduction of the third letter, objection was interposed by Judge Pipes, attorney for defendants and the letter was withdrawn. "Why did you submit them?" asked Mr. Pipes. "Because I expected to identify them by Mr. Herman" answered the attorney as his face flushed and his voice shook. "Because I expected to identify them by Senator Mitchell. I am after him and I expect to have him here. I am now trying to get him and I will connect with this paper later. I expected to prove the letter by Mr. Herman, and failing, withdrew it until later."

This would indicate that Senator Mitchell also, will be one of the witnesses.

The lawyers in the case are Judge Pipes, Thomas O'Day and Mr. Puter, brother of one of the defendants, pitted against John H. Hall United States district attorney and Special Prosecutor Francis Heney of San Francisco. Judge Pipes has already convinced the court that he has the courage to object to most anything the prosecution has the temerity to offer as evidence. As a technical lawyer, it is doubtful if Mr. Pipes' peer is to be found in the west and it will not be at all surprising if he finds grounds for throwing the case out of court before it ever reaches the jury. Should it go to the jury, the defendants still have two chances—acquittal or a hung jury.

The best thing yet voiced by President Roosevelt in public speech is the following uttered upon the occasion of the introduction of Charles Wagner the author to a Washington audience Tuesday evening:

"The ideal man should be just and generous, the broad-minded man is as incapable of arrogance if rich as he is of malignant envy and hatred if poor."

"The brutal arrogance of a rich man who looks down upon a poor man because he is poor, and the brutal envy and hatred felt by a poor man toward a rich man merely because he is rich, are at the bottom the manifestation of the same vice."

"No republic can permanently exist when it becomes a republic of classes."

"We can keep this a republic only by treating each man on his worth as a man."

"What we need to have im-

pressed upon us is that it is not usually the root principle of the vice that varies with variation in social conditions, but it is the manifestation of the vice that varies."

While attempting to remove his trousers preparatory to retiring Tuesday night, Til Ford of Salem fell and broke his leg. Moral: keep your trousers on.

Monmouth has a school house to sell

A million and a quarter feet of logs have been floated down the Rickreall to Johnson & Co's mill at Dallas since the rains.

The Seven Day Adventists are getting quite a foothold in Dallas. That denomination numbers nearly a hundred at the county seat and they are erecting a school house of their own.

President Roosevelt is right in not permitting the Columbians or their allies to euhre us out of any of our rights on the Isthmus. He should promptly declare spades trumps. And it should be a progressive game from the start—renigging barred.—Statesman

He probably will have to declare clubs trumps before we can play spades.

City election December 5. No candidates named yet. Somebody nominate somebody before election time has passed.

### MARRIED

McRAE-RIDDELL—At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Riddell, near Monmouth, Thursday, occurred the marriage of Mr. William McRae to Miss Maggie Riddell, Rev. E. J. Thompson officiating.

It was a home affair, only relatives of the bride being present. The ceremony was performed at 9 o'clock and after a wedding breakfast the wedded couple departed for their future home near Florence, Lane county. The bride is a highly respected Polk county lady of pleasing manner. Of a family of nine children, she is the first to leave the parental home. The groom owns a stock farm near the beach in Lane county and there Mr. and Mrs. McRae will make their home.

### Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Polk County Land Company will be held at Independence, Or., in the Independence Nat. Bank building at 10 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, December 31st, A. D. 1904, for the purpose of electing officers and such other business as may properly come before said meeting. D. W. SEARS, Secty.  
Dated Nov. 11th, 1904.

### Administratrix's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Henry Hill, deceased, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Polk county, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at my residence immediately south of the town of Independence, Oregon, with the proper vouchers and duly verified within six months from the date hereof.

MARTHA A. HILL,  
Administratrix.

H. DENLINGER, Attorney.  
Dated and first published November 4th, 1904.

### Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Gilbert McCabe, deceased, has filed with the county clerk of Polk county, Oregon, his final account as such administrator, and that Saturday the 3rd day of December, 1904, at the hour of one o'clock P. M., has been fixed as the time, and the court house in Dallas, Polk county, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

Dated this 4th day of November, 1904.

THOMAS POMEROY,  
Administrator of the estate of Gilbert McCabe, deceased.  
N. L. BUTLER, Attorney.

## EVERYBODY'S COLUMN

For Sale, Rent, Wanted or similar notices three lines in this column, 25 cents; one month 75 cents.

FOR SALE—A choice Polk county farm of over 300 acres can be had at very reasonable figures. Admirably adapted to stock raising. Enquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Four good work horses. Apply to Charter Oak Mill Co.

Lost—last Sunday a pair of gold rimmed spectacles. Finder please return to Floyd Huston or this office.

LOST—A liver and white pointer about one year old; wears leather collar and answers to name of "Jeff;" has slight sore on hind leg. Finder report to Fred Ireland, Monmouth, and receive reward.

FOUND—In the opera-house a pair of eye glasses with gold rim chain and ear piece and contained in case purchased of Walter Reed a Portland optician. Owner call at this office.

FOUND—An axe. Leave description in P. O. box No., 8.

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Annual Meeting of Pilot Knob Gold Milling And Mining Co.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Pilot Knob Gold Milling and Mining Co., will be held at the Woodman hall, in Monmouth, Polk County, Oregon, on Tuesday at 1 o'clock P. M. December the 13th, 1904, for the purpose of electing five Directors, also for revising the by-laws and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. By order of J. W. Howell Secretary, this first day of Nov., 1904.

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