

## IDAHO LAND FRAUD TRIALS CN AT LEWISTON

Lewiston, Ida., May 13.—With the convening of the United States district court for Northern Idaho at Moscow this morning Judge Distich on the bench, there was a resumption of the North Idaho land fraud trials which were so suddenly and unexpectedly interrupted at the November term with Judge Beatty as the jurist.

Renewed interest has been taken in the cases lately by the announcement by letter from United States District Attorney Rulick at Boise to Attorneys I. N. Smith and J. B. West, of this city, that they have been indicted by the grand jury which recently sat at Boise, of conspiracy to defraud the government out of timber lands, and the announcement from the state capital from United States Senator Borah that he is no longer chief counsel for the defendants. The defendants include W. F. Kettenbach, president of the Lewiston National bank; George Kesner, cashier; William Dwyer, former Michigan saloon keeper and agent for the bank; Clarence Robnet, bookkeeper for the bank, and half a dozen other citizens, besides Smith and West, who it is alleged affiliated with the bank officials in their scheme to defraud the government.

With Senator Borah out of the case, he himself being under indictment for complicity in Southern Idaho land frauds, and assistant state prosecutor in the Western Federation of Miners officials at Boise, interest naturally turns to the selection of his successor. It is generally understood that he will be Judge Forney, of Moscow, who was Senator Borah's chief assistant during the November trials. Senator Borah, it is said, has not the kindly feeling for the bank officials that many suppose.

**Forney Succeeds Borah.**  
During the progress of the W. F. Ham Dwyer subornation of perjury trial at Moscow last fall Senator Borah suddenly announced that he had been called to Boise and left the remainder of the trial to Judge Forney. Before leaving Moscow the senator said that the bank officials had misrepresented the cases to him. He said they had told him the government had absolutely no evidence against them. Clarence Robnet was tried first and was convicted on one out of two counts, the verdict being a compromise. He was charged with subornation of perjury. Then came Dwyer, indicted on six counts. One was withdrawn by the government before the case went to the jury, and he was found guilty on the remaining five.

It was such convincing evidence the government presented that brought about the convictions, that

before he left Moscow Senator Borah said:  
"Had I known when I was made chief counsel what I do now I would not have accepted. They have lied to me, deceived me. I am through with the cases."

## CHAS. F. CRONER GRANTED DIVORCE

Judge Harris, of the circuit court, today rendered a decree in the divorce case of Charles F. Croner vs. Minnie Croner. He grants the plaintiff a divorce, but the defendant is granted the custody and care of the minor daughter, Gladys, until further order of the court. The plaintiff is compelled to pay the defendant \$12.50 per month for the support of the child until further order. The child, however, is allowed to visit her father at such times as she desires.

The ground upon which the divorce was granted was cruel and inhuman treatment. Upon motion of Mrs. Croner's attorneys her answer to the plaintiff's complaint and her cross complaint were withdrawn.

## TWO BUSINESS COLLEGES TO BE IN EUGENE

Geo. T. Hall Announces Opening of Second School in His Building on September 1—Old Institution Moves.

Elsewhere in today's Guard Geo. T. Hall announces that the Eugene Commercial College, a new concern, will open for the fall term in his building on East Ninth street, on September 1. This is an entirely different institution from the Eugene Business College, which will move to the second floor of the new Rankin block on West Seventh street. The new college will be managed by competent instructors, probably from the Armstrong Business College at Portland. The college which has been in existence here for several years has done a splendid business, and Hall sees no reason why a second one should not.

## CURRENT NEWS NOTES

Japan is seeking to establish diplomatic relations with Turkey, and have an ambassador at Constantinople.

Short grain crops of all kinds are predicted in Eastern states because of late frosts and insect enemies.

The longshoremen's strike may spread from New York to Boston and Philadelphia.

The Mother's Congress at Los Angeles is in session. Mrs. Frank Hill, of Tacoma, led a conference on the prevention of crime.

The commemoration of the landing of the first English colony May 13, 1607, was celebrated at Jamestown Island, Norfolk, Va., yesterday. Jas. Bryce, British ambassador, was the principal speaker.

## WORK ON NATRON- KLAMATH FALLS ROAD AUTHORIZED

Klamath Falls, May 13.—The Herald has received information to the effect that Chief Engineer Hood has given out the statement that the Natron-Klamath Falls branch of the Oregon Eastern railroad is under authorized construction. This means that construction work will be commenced just as soon as contracts can be let for the same. Mr. Hood's order was given out May 4th, and it means that the board of directors has set aside sufficient funds for the construction of the road. Mr. Hood informed the Portland officials of the action taken, and it now devolves upon them to get things going, and it is supposed that there will now be a general advance all along the line. The information comes to the Herald through J. R. Horning, who is in Portland. In his letter Mr. Horning states that he is informed by an official well up along the line that the road will be built within the next 15 months, and that the Southern Pacific is devoting a great deal of energy toward Klamath Falls.

The local Southern Pacific officials have received no notice relative to work being commenced upon the Natron branch, but inasmuch as their work is entirely separate from that it is not likely that they would be informed of anything in connection therewith through an official source. They are connected solely with the California Northeastern, which connects with the Natron-Klamath Falls branch of the Oregon Eastern a few miles north of this place.

Coming at this particular time this is indeed encouraging news, for it was feared that the line could not be built for several years to come.

## FRANK O. EMERSON LOW WITH PARALYSIS

Is in a Serious Condition at His Home on West Seventh Street—Suffered Stroke Yesterday Afternoon—Sisters Sent For.

(From Tuesday's Guard.)  
Frank O. Emerson, who resides with his aged mother at 292 West Seventh street, is very low at his home, having received a stroke of paralysis yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. He had been feeling very well up to a few minutes before the stroke came. Suddenly he began to feel very ill and lay down on the lounge and within a few minutes he was unconscious and Dr. Brown was sent for. He pronounced it paralysis and announced that the whole right

side and mind were affected. Mr. Emerson's sisters, Mrs. Geo. C. Fleeman, at Ogden, Utah, and Mrs. Marjorie E. Jones, at Auburn, Wash., have been sent for and they will probably both arrive within a few days.

The physicians say the stricken man can live but a short time. He is aged about 45 years, and has been employed lately by L. N. Roney as a carpenter.

## "HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE."

The impressive service of the Woman's Relief Corps on Memorial Day of "casting flowers upon the waters" as a tribute to the "savior dead" has attracted much attention, and in answer to many inquiries regarding its origin I will quote from the address of the national president of the Woman's Relief Corps, given at the national convention in Minneapolis, Minnesota, August 16 and 17, 1906:

"That this credit may be given to one who, in her loving remembrance of all who gave their lives as sacrifices in the battle for freedom, did not forget 'those who sentinel the sea,' I wish to say that it was through the instrumentality of Mrs. A. S. C. Forbes, of Los Angeles, Cal., that this service was formulated and exemplified, in her own department. In Cleveland, Ohio, in 1901, the national convention endorsed a recommendation making the custom one of national observance by the Woman's Relief Corps. From this recognition of Mrs. Forbes' beautiful sentiment has come the authorized service of our order."

ALICE PHETTEPLACE,  
Press Correspondent, W. R. C.

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# "Buster" and Tige Coming

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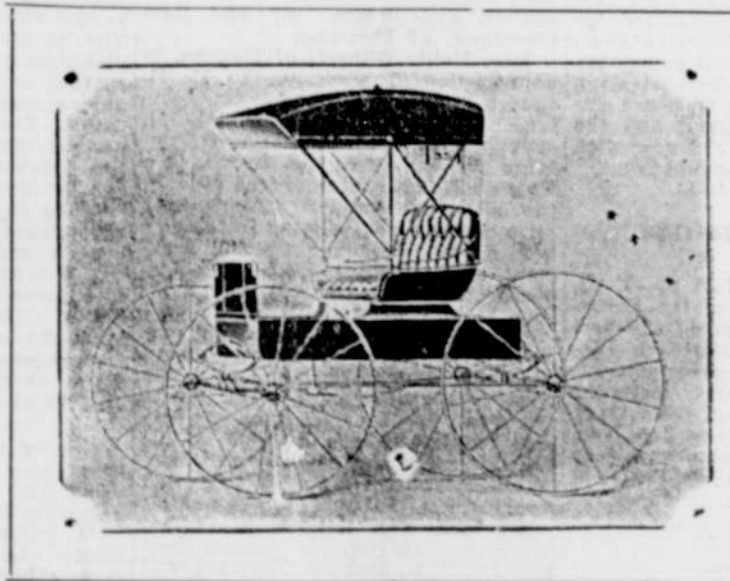
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