

HEIRS OF MC CART ARE IN QUANDARY

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ADMINISTRATRIX FILES COMPLAINT TODAY

George A. McCart and Others
Are Virtually Charged with
Fraud of Aged Man.

Continued from Tuesday, July 15.

After joining forces in fighting the claims of their deceased father's divorced wife for a portion of his estate, the heirs of the late George McCart are now disputing among themselves over the estate.

Filing a complaint this morning in the Linn county circuit court, Mary Elizabeth Robinson as administratrix and heiress and Isabella Fanton, as heiress virtually charge George A. McCart, Edmund McCart, Hattie Gibbs and Charles McCart with fraud, all of whom are sons and daughters of the deceased and his only heirs at law.

According to the complaint, the late George McCart, died in this county, October 24, 1912, and Mary Elizabeth Robinson was appointed administratrix of the estate June 2, 1913, qualifying June 7 of the same year.

It is claimed that prior to his death, the aged man, was in ill health which caused him to fail rapidly, being unable to care for himself and was incapable of attending to business matters. His wife died October 1, 1907, and a great feeling of loneliness came over him, which made him feel that he was in great need of the companionship of another wife. In this condition, according to the complaint, he was an easy prey to designing and unworthy women, desiring to secure his wealth.

It is alleged on that on June 13, 1910 while he was in that condition, one woman by name, Mrs. Mary J. Hunt, succeeded in consummating a marriage with him and later abandoned him, after securing a portion of his property.

By over persuasion and undue influence, it is alleged that George A. McCart with the assistance of other defendants made the aged man think of his property, reducing him to poverty and that to protect his interests it was necessary to place them in their hands. This was done in legal form February 20, 1912, and it is alleged that George A. McCart has since held the property from being administered to the various heirs.

When McCart's last wife sued for divorce, the case was settled out of court by a cash settlement and the case created quite a sensation when all of the heirs entered in defense of the deceased.

CHARLES MILLER WAS AN OREGON FORTY NINER

Charles Miller, who died July 9, on his farm near Jefferson, had been a resident of this state since 1849, coming to Oregon from Montgomery county, Indiana, where he was born in 1830. During the gold rush to California in 1849, Mr. Miller joined the miners, but returned in a short time and remained in Oregon until his death. He was instrumental in establishing and maintaining the Jefferson institute. In politics also, he was an active participant, serving a term in the Oregon legislature. He was a candidate for congress on the platform of the People's party in 1892. Mr. Miller was, in addition, one of the largest breeders of pure-bred Jersey cattle in the state and was a yearly exhibitor at the state fair. He died at the age of 83.

SHEDDS MAN CELEBRATES HIS SIXTY-SEVENTH BIRTHDAY

Shedd, Ore., July 14.—Mr. Ficke Ackerman, Sr., was agreeably surprised Sunday, July 13, 1913, at his home in Shedd, when his children came home to celebrate his 67th birthday. A bounteous basket dinner was served and enjoyed by all. After a day spent in visiting the company sang the hymn "God be With You Till We Meet Again," before they returned to their homes.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ficke Ackerman, Jr., of near Halsey; Mrs. Kate Looney and daughters, Florence of near Tangent, and Mrs. Myrtle Lang of California; Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Ackerman and son Delbert, of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. E. Farwell and family of Shedd, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ackerman and daughter Faith, of Brownsville.

There were 4 sons and two daughters unable to be present.

"CORVALLIS DAY" THURSDAY AT ALBANY CHAUTAUQUA

Every Citizen of That City is
Urged to Attend at Least
Portion of Day.

Next Thursday, July 17, is Corvallis day at the Albany Chautauqua. Every Corvallis citizen is urged to so arrange their affairs as to make attendance, at least during a portion of the day, possible.

A feature of the program is a reception between the hours of 1:30 and 2:30, with Corvallis ladies as hostesses. A short program consisting of a violin solo by Miss Bowden, accompanied by Mrs. Ressler, a song by Miss Tartar and a characteristic talk by Dr. J. R. N. Bell, will be followed by a social reception. It is especially desired that as many Corvallis people be present at this hour.

The day's events at the assembly are as follows: At 9, Miss Mary E. Sutherland will discuss domestic science matters. At 10, members of the O. A. C. faculty conduct class work and at 11 there will be a Bible school conducted by Rev. Franklin T. Conner. The Corvallis special exercises begin at 1:30 and at 2:30 the Brahms Quartet will give a concert. At 3, Walt Holcomb lectures humorously on "The Horse Race." Miss Sutherland lectures at 4 and at 4:30 the O. A. C. professors continue their class work. In the evening beginning at 8 o'clock, the Brahms Quartet in full concert, make their last appearance.—Corvallis Republican.

GIRLS WILL PLAY BASEBALL TODAY AT CHAUTAUQUA

"Waukan Inn" and "Seldom
Inn" Teams Will Battle
for Supremacy.

According to announcement made in the Chautauqua Daily News, edited by John McDermott, there will be a baseball game played this afternoon on the Chautauqua grounds between teams composed of the "Waukan Inn" girls and the "Seldom Inn" girls. The game is to be called promptly at 6:30 o'clock.

The girls appeared on the field yesterday afternoon for the initial work out and warm up. When interviewed Manager Gertie Taylor, of "Waukan Inn" team stated that her bunch of ball tossers were in fine fettle for the contest and she was confident of winning. On the other hand, Manager Willetta Wright, of the "Seldom Inn" aggregation entertains practically the same sentiments.

The lineups are given as follows: "Waukan"—Julia Crowell, c; Lora Taylor, p; Lila Patton, 1b; Elsie Bain, 2b; Winifred Austin, 3b; Ione Flynn, an imported Medford star, ss; fielders, Zona Haight, Myrtle Roberts and Gertie Taylor. "Seldom"—Nita Schultz, c; Kate Stewart, p; Claire Tillman, 1b; Louise Wieder, 2b; Selma Tebault, 3b; Mae Tillman, ss; fielders, Christine Pipe, Pera Wilkins and Willetta Wright. Miss Helen Hulbert will umpire because she is fair according to the Chautauqua Daily News.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Ben T. Suddell, a well known auctioneer of Halsey, transacted business here this morning.

P. E. Bauer, of Salem, was a business visitor in the city today.

Charles E. Burnett, of Lebanon, is registered at the St. Francis.

Charles Baker, of Corvallis, was a business visitor here this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hobbs, after several days sojourn at Newport, returned to their home at Eugene this noon, after spending the morning here visiting with Mrs. Harry Cusick, a sister of Mrs. Hobbs.

C. S. Myers after visiting with relatives in Lebanon left this noon for his home in Coos county. Mr. Myers is an old time resident of this section, being numbered among the early pioneers.

Judge Percy Kelly, after spending Sunday at home returned to Salem where he is holding court.

BOAT SERVICE ON LOWER WILLAMETTE DISCONTINUED

The boat service on the Willamette river for Corvallis and Albany to Portland has been discontinued for the season, the boat making its last down stream trip yesterday morning.

The river is getting to so low a stage, requiring so much time in making the trip, that there is no longer any profit in the traffic. The boat will operate as far as Independence for a short while but soon Salem will be the real head of navigation.

However the motorboats continue to ply the Willamette, chiefly for pleasure and their number here is increasing.

News Beginning With This Head Is
a Daily Feature of
WEDNESDAY, JULY 16.

CORVALLIS PEOPLE COMING EN MASSE

Tomorrow Is "Corvallis Day"
at Chautauqua and Big
Meeting Anticipated.

THE SISTER CITY WILL PRESENT GOOD PROGRAM

Special Train Accomodations
Have Been Arranged with
Oregon Electric.

Tomorrow is "Corvallis Day" at the Chautauqua.

Corvallisites are coming en masse according to a statement issued this morning at Chautauqua headquarters and it is anticipated that the day's attendance will be one of the largest of the present assembly.

Aside from the scheduled attractions, a special program will be presented by Corvallis people, consisting of musical numbers and an address by Rev. J. R. N. Bell.

The Corvallis Gazette-Times says: The few Corvallisites now at Newport, Elk City, Yachats, Soda Springs or in the mountain fastnesses of the Cascades will probably go to Albany Chautauqua on Thursday, "Corvallis Day." Many from here have been in attendance at special occasions at the big Chautauqua but an extra effort for a creditable representation on Thursday is now being made.

"Corvallis Day" will be marked by special courtesies from the Chautauqua management, and it is planned to give Corvallis an hour, 1:30 to 2:30, for any program this city may care to present. Corvallisites really prefer to go over and enjoy rather than to make entertainment, but will not wholly ignore this opportunity. The Chautauqua program for the day will be especially good the grounds are delightful, the Chautauqua effort in our sister city is worthy of support and Corvallis is inclined to enjoy a day's outing are urged to go to Albany on this day and wear a Corvallis badge.

Special train accommodations have been arranged by the Oregon Electric, including special rates. The regular train due here at 9:25 will be held at Vine street until 9:40, in order that the visitors may witness the evening's program. This will make a two blocks walk from the grounds.

BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE TOMORROW AFTERNOON

The following firms have agreed to close their places of business from 1 to 5 tomorrow: Alcorn & Herdeman, Fred Dawson, Barker Hdw. Co., Reagan & Stearns, C. O. Anderson, Cut Rate Mercantile Co., F. W. Horsky, Stetter Cash Store, H. Broders, Stewart & Sox Hdw. Co., M. B. Craft, Ed. Horsky, M. Ludwig, Scott & Conn, J. H. Gerdes, Mitts & Calavan, W. I. Christy, D. E. Nebergall, C. O. Budlong, H. Lempe, Fisher, Braden Co., Essex & Essex, F. G. A. Will, Tracey Clothing Co., McDowell Shoe Co., J. A. McKillop, W. M. Parker, Burkhardt & Lee, Hulbert, Ohling Hardware Co., Canfield & Jones, Golden Rule Store, Holloway Farmers' Store, Fortmiller, Furniture Co., M. Senders & Co., Kinne Mercantile Co., Beam-Fletcher Co., Oregon Power Co., Commercial Tea Co., H. J. Jones, Burno Shoe Store, Chambers & McCune, S. E. Young & Son, The Hamilton Store, The Blain Clothing Co., The Toggery, M. Sternberg & Co., Tomlinson & Holman, Gilbert Bros., Ralston Electric Supply Co., Woodworth Drug Co., W. F. Pfeiffer, First National Bank, Albany State Bank, J. W. Cusick & Co., First Savings Bank, Murphy Seed Store, G. A. Flood, F. M. French & Son, Foshay & Mason.

Miss Beula Pfeiffer of New Ulm, Minn., who is touring the Pacific Coast was the house guest of Mrs. Charles Kroschel the past week. Mrs. Alma Weidenman of Portland, Ore., who was a school mate of Miss Pfeiffer and Mrs. Kroschel, spent the week end with them.

Dr. H. J. Kavanaugh has removed his office from the Oddfellows temple into the new First National Bank building.

Father Lane is in Portland visiting friends.

DR. CURL IS REPORTED AS RAPIDLY RECOVERING

Dr. R. H. Curl who suffered a hemorrhage Monday is reported as resting comfortably at St. Mary's Hospital and an early recovery is looked for by the physicians in attendance. Dr. Curl has been confined to the hospital since Monday afternoon when he was taken there after being found in a critical condition in his office.

GIRLS BASEBALL GAME WAS NOT PLAYED YESTERDAY

For some reason the game of baseball scheduled yesterday evening at 6:30 o'clock on the Chautauqua grounds between teams representing the "Seldom Inn" and "Waukan Inn" girls, was not played. Members of the team who were to appear did not show up at the appointed time while scores of spectators, who were left waiting patiently on the bleachers, registered the complaint that neither team put in an appearance. However, John McDermott, the promoter of the contest, says he will get the girls together yet and some have expressed their willingness to comply with McDermott's wish.

Hugh Fisher left yesterday on a business trip to Tillamook. He will be gone the rest of the week.

J. J. Whitney went to Lawson yesterday where he will visit at his farm near that place.

CORVALLIS GUARDSMEN RETURN FROM TILLAMOOK

Tanned by the sun and ocean breezes, the members of Company D, 3rd Infantry, O. N. G., with headquarters at Corvallis, have returned from the annual encampment of the state troops at Tillamook after a week of military instruction and pleasure.

They were delighted with their experience and speak in the highest terms of the efficiency of their commanding officers. They say that the hospitality of the people of Tillamook cannot be surpassed. Captain C. A. Murphy commanding the company stated that the camp was by far the best of any he has ever attended.

Rev. T. J. Abbott, district superintendent of the Methodist church, arrived this morning from his home at Eugene to attend the Chautauqua.

Harry B. Cusick is having a neat garage constructed at his home on Seventh street.

POTATOES WILL BRING GOOD PRICE SAYS GROWER

With the potato crop almost a failure in California and the extreme hot, blistering weather all through the middle west, there promises to be a shortage of potatoes and those who planted a large acreage will no doubt do well with them. X. W. Boom, who lives on Fifth street has a nice little patch in spuds and says they never looked better at this time of year. The seed was cheap this year and there should have been a big acreage planted.

Tom Jensen, the genial motorman on the street car, will leave soon on a vacation and it is rumored among his close friends that he will not return a single man.

Miss Bessie Morris is the guest of friends at Lyons.

Get Better Values For Your Money

Take advantage of our July offerings in buying
your summer clothes

Why not
buy that
switch you
need at our
July hair
goods sale?

Latest models in R. & G. and Kabo Corsets, at 90c pair

Heavy Jumbo stitch, ruff neck sweaters, all colors and sizes
You have paid \$8.00 for this number \$5.85 each

Cadillac dresses for children, 2 to 6 years, special 98c ea.

Cadillac dresses for children 8 to 14 years, special \$1.19 ea.

Agents for
Standard
Patterns

FLOOD'S STORE
334 WEST FIRST STREET

Agents for
Kabo Reducing
Corsets

OUR JULY CLEARANCE CLOSES TONIGHT

But in the Shoe Department Prices Are
Still Low and Even Lower

MEN'S OXFORDS Any Men's Oxfords in the house, the regular values are \$3.50 to \$5.00, to close out quick, your choice.....\$1.50

MEN'S BUTTON AND LACE SHOES in tan calf, patent and vici, regular values \$3.50 to \$5.00 at.....\$2.98

Ladies' and Misses' Footwear

Ladies' Button Oxfords, white and tan patent and gun metal, regularly at \$4 but now for \$2.75.

Ladies' Button Oxfords, tan, black, suede, patent, gun metal and gun metal two-strap, \$3.00 and \$3.50 for \$2.35

Ladies' White Canvas Colonials and Two-Strap
\$2.50 and \$3.00 for \$1.48

Misses' White Canvas Shoes.....85c

LADIES' BUTTON SHOES

White Nubuck\$4.50 for \$3.60
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White Nubuck 4.00 for 2.95
White Canvas..... 3.50 for 2.25
Grey Nubuck..... 4.00 for 2.75
Brown Nubuck..... 5.00 for 3.75
Tan Russia..... 4.00 for 2.95
Tan Russia..... 3.50 for 2.60
Misses' White Nubuck, button \$3.00
Now\$2.25
Child's White Nubuck Buttons, \$2.50
Now.....\$1.95

MEN ! We Are Still Selling a Pair of Sox at 5c, Have You Any

Look for our Wednesday Specials in window No. 9, at these prices for tomorrow only :

FOULARD SILKS 50c at 39c
REMNANTS HALF-PRICE

BOYS' TWO-PIECE UNDERWEAR
25c at 19c

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