

GOLDBLATTS AGAIN ARE IN LIME LIGHT

R. Rogoway and Sons Charged with Showing Preference to Creditors.

TRUSTEE OF BANKRUPT CONCERN FILES SUIT

First Street Second Hand Clothier Named As Preferred to Debtors.

Continued from Wednesday, July 23.

Charged with violation of the uniform bankrupt system, in showing preference to a creditor, R. Rogoway & Sons, of the defunct Second street furniture concern, are involved in a suit filed in the circuit court this morning by the trustee in bankruptcy, L. G. Lewelling.

The plaintiff in the case is Attorney L. G. Lewelling, who is termed the trustee in bankruptcy of R. Rogoway, William Rogoway and Marc Rogoway, late partners as R. Rogoway & Sons against the defendant R. Goldblatt, who conducts a second hand clothing store at the corner of First and Lyon streets.

According to the complaint the firm was declared bankrupt April 14, 1913, and the plaintiff was duly appointed trustee. Goldblatt has been a creditor of the firm since March 1, 1913, and that during the month of March, R. Rogoway & Sons in violation of an act of congress to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy, did withdraw from the property of said firm the sum of \$354, transferring and paying it to said defendant, R. Goldblatt, who was acting through his agent, A. Goldblatt.

As stipulated in the complaint the payment was made in the month of March and that the defendants at the time had reasonable cause to believe the enforcement of such was in effect a preference to them.

As a separate charge, the complaint alleges that on April 2, 1913, the Rogoways withdrew goods and wares of the value of \$425.25 and transferred it to the same parties, which was also in violation of the uniform bankrupt system.

The plaintiff prays the court for the setting aside of these preferences and for judgment against the Goldblatts in the two sums, with 6 per cent interest from the respective dates. Attorneys L. L. Swan and Gale S. Hill represent the trustee.

DOG POISONED; NOT MAD SAYS ALBANY WOMEN

That the alleged "mad" dog which was shot by officers of the Albany police force upon complaint of citizens residing in the vicinity of Fifth and Madison streets, was in fact suffering from poison which had been administered to the animal, was the claim made by a well known Albany lady who resides at Fifth and Madison street.

S. I. McDaniels returned this noon from a protracted tour of the south. He visited in Louisiana, his birthstate, with relatives.

WILL OF LATE E. W. LANGDON ADMITTED TO PROBATE TODAY

Mrs. Annetta Langdon, Widow and C. H. Stewart Will Administer Estate.

The will of the late E. W. Langdon, who died here July 16, was admitted to probate today, and County Judge McKnight appointed Mrs. Annetta H. Langdon, widow of the deceased, as administratrix and Charles H. Stewart administrator of the estate, requiring them to file bonds in the sum of \$22,000.

According to the petition the estate consists of real and personal property in Linn, Benton and Multnomah counties. The valuation of the personal property is estimated at \$10,000 with an annual rental of \$1000. The real property is valued at something over \$10,000. The estate is to be divided between two heirs, the widow, and a daughter, Miss Grace Ellen Langdon.

The following is the will: I, Eugene W. Langdon, of the city of Albany, in the county of Linn and state of Oregon being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of life do therefore hereby make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament as follows:

First. After all my lawful debts are paid and discharged and the expenses of my funeral shall have been paid, I give and bequeath to my daughter, Grace Ellen Langdon, the sum of five thousand dollars.

Second. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Anette H. Langdon, the sum of fifty-five thousand dollars.

Third. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Annetta H. Langdon and to my daughter Grace Ellen Langdon a share and a share alike, all of the rest of the remainder of my property and estate of every kind, nature and description whatsoever.

Fourth. I hereby nominate Charles H. Stewart and Annetta H. Langdon, administrator and administratrix, hereby striking out all former wills.

In witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this 19th day of January, 1910.

EUGENE W. LANGDON (SEAL)
RALPH McKECHNIE,
RALPH W. KNOTTS.

The above instrument was signed by Eugene W. Langdon in our presence and he at same time declared it to be his last will and testament and we at his request and in the presence of each other have signed our names hereto as witnesses and have written opposite our names our respective places and residences.

Ralph McKechnie, Albany Ore.
Ralph W. Knotts, Albany, Ore.

BUSINESS THROUGHOUT THE NORTHWEST IS IMPROVING

Tacoma, Wash., July 22.—That the business of the Northwest is on the increase and the general financial condition of this section is improving was the feeling expressed at the ninth annual meeting of the Washington Millers' Association, including some of the largest manufacturers of flour in the state, which closed here today.

The foreign export business and means for improvement was one of the topics up for discussion.

Oil Car Passes Through.

The Southern Pacific road-oiling car passed through Albany Tuesday. It is a car with sprinkler attachment, drawn by an engine, which sprays heated oil upon the road crossings as it passes. This is done to protect the passengers from dust.

COMMERCIAL CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Plan to Improve City Cemetery Is Indorsed by Club at Meeting Last Night.

MEMBERS FAVOR MAINTAINANCE OF SWIMMING POOL

Large Volume of Business Was Transacted and Reports of Committees Received.

Meeting for the first time in two weeks, members of the Albany Commercial club last night disposed of a large volume of important business which has been accumulating during the Chautauqua.

The meeting was called to order by President Van Winkle with practically every member of the board of directors and a considerable number of members in attendance.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and the various bills for the preceding two weeks allowed.

A communication from T. P. Hackelman, suggesting the advisability of providing a swimming pool for the boys of Albany and offering to start the subscription with \$100 in cash was read by Manager Stewart and endorsed by the club. The secretary was instructed to refer the matter to the Y. M. C. A. with the request that some action be taken.

Ben Bartscher then presented in detail his proposed plans for the improvement of the city cemetery, calling attention to the fact that the property has been sadly neglected and urging the club to take some action towards permanent improvement. He submitted a proposition which received the unqualified endorsement of the club.

A. M. Hammer, chairman of the manufacturing committee then made a detailed report of the work of his committee and the members spent some time in discussing the proposed scheme of inducing manufacturing enterprises to locate their plants in this city.

CREDITORS OF CHAUTAUQUA ARE ASKED TO SEND IN BILLS

Manager Stewart of the Albany Chautauqua Association, announced this morning that it is the desire of the board that all of the creditors of the association hand in their bills at the earliest convenience. Auditing of the bills is to proceed immediately and the members of the board are anxious to complete the work as soon as possible, in order to compile a financial statement concerning the recent assembly. It is conceded that little if any money will be left over, due to the unsparing efforts of the association to place at the disposal of the people of Albany a Chautauqua with the best program obtainable.

Miss Hattie Hamilton left this noon for Roseburg to visit with friends for the next two weeks.

R. M. Jennings of Eugene was a business visitor in this city yesterday afternoon.

PROMINENT PLAINVIEW WOMAN CALLED BY DEATH

Wife of Merchant of That Place Died Late Yesterday Afternoon; Funeral Tomorrow.

That Mrs. G. A. Scott, wife of a prominent business man of Plainview passed away late yesterday afternoon was the word received in Albany this morning.

The deceased had been ill for more than a year and her death was not unexpected among relatives and close personal friends.

Born in North Carolina forty-seven years ago, the deceased leaves a husband and two daughters to mourn her death. Together with her husband, she located in Plainview some four years ago, having formerly resided at Philomath.

The funeral will be held at the United Presbyterian church of Plainview tomorrow afternoon at 3 p. m. and the remains will be shipped to Salem where they will be buried at 10 a. m. Friday.

LAYMEN HERE THINK TO MUCH OF THEMSELVES

Britisher Speaking Before Summer School Says That It Appears So.

Eugene, Or., July 23.—"But in this country it seems to be the layman that thinks rather too much of himself and has what we call in England the 'swollen head,'" said Dr. F. H. Hayward, of London, today in addressing the assembly of the University of Oregon Summer School. Dr. Hayward had come to speak on "Professional Egoism," the fallacy of his own superior excellence nursed in his heart by the expert in every line, but since his arrival the eminent British educator has come to the conclusion that the trouble, if any, in this country must be something different.

"Professional Egoism," said Dr. Hayward, "is really a rather serious matter in Europe. There," he declares, "the medical man, the lawyer, the clergyman, the educator, can hardly endure criticism from outside. In his own sphere he will not only not heed the suggestions of the layman, but will strongly resent all criticism. He will even invent fictitious forms and duties to magnify his own importance."

Circuit Court July 30.
Circuit Judge William Galloway, head of department No. 2, will convene an adjourned term of court here next Wednesday, July 30. The court will dispose of several cases now pending and other matters that may come on will be attended to.

FAMED NOVELIST VISITED IN EUGENE YESTERDAY

Winston Churchill Put in Days Fishing on McKenzie River; Ordinary Looking.

Winston Churchill, the celebrated American novelist, after visiting in various sections of Oregon in quest of recreation, dropped into Eugene yesterday after a fishing expedition on the McKenzie river.

The Eugene Register says: Winston Churchill is an ordinary looking man. With a day's beard on his face, and soft collar he might have been taken for any average citizen, though strong and well developed—perhaps he could pose for a railroad engineer, or a forestry man. He was accompanied by F. W. Leadbetter, a Portland paper manufacturer, with whom he made the trip to O'Brien's on the McKenzie.

The famous novelist, the author of "The Crisis," "The Celebrity," and more lately "The Crossing," "Coniston," "Mr. Creve's Career," "The Modern Chronicle," and lastly, "The Inside of the Cup," arrived in Eugene yesterday after a series of fishing trips from Lake Tahoe. He went to Portland this morning, but will return to Lake Tahoe, to return east in September. He is pleased with Oregon, exceedingly so in fact.

"I've had one triumphant procession ever since I've been in Oregon," he said. "The Oregon generosity is overwhelming. I like the Pacific coast so much that I should like to come and live here."

"I am afraid that I cannot directly place any of the Oregon country in my next novel. It will deal more with phases and situations—the aspect of human life. Scene is a secondary consideration. Only second rate novelists go about the country looking for local color. I don't. It's the subject and not the locality that counts."

It is the big home of Winston Churchill that the president's family is occupying at present at Cornish, New Hampshire.

G. M. Missall of Crabtree transacted business here yesterday afternoon.

Dr. J. P. Wallace and wife left today for Newport where they will spend the balance of the summer.

J. L. Tomlinson went to Portland yesterday on a brief business errand.

Miss Marguerite Pennebaker is spending a few days at Newport as the guest of friends.

Democrat Wants Correspondent
The Democrat desires to secure a local correspondent at Shedd's, Plainview, Harrisburg, Lebanon, Brownsville, Sweet Home, Scio, and all other points in the county not already represented. Anyone desiring to act as the representative of the paper will please inform the management at an early date. J23-tf

POLICE MAKE RAID ON EUGENE LODGING HOUSES

Clean-Up Campaign in University City Is on in Full Force.

This morning's Eugene Register says: About 4 o'clock Sunday morning the night police swept down upon four of the lodging houses of the city and examined almost every room in these houses to see if there were not some people occupying rooms there who had no legal right to do so. They were unsuccessful in finding anyone in any of the houses who had not a perfect right to be there, but arrested all the proprietors and took them before the police judge who had been awakened for the purpose and several

on put up bonds for their appearance and were allowed to go. Those arrested were Orren Bennett, proprietor of the Plymouth, Jane Doe Hoefler of the Matlock, J. W. Smith of the Hoffman and Mr. Wallace of the Alta Vista. Mr. Bennett was tried out before a jury in Judge Bryson's court yesterday afternoon and the case was submitted without argument by Attorneys Skipworth and Hardy. After being out until about 8 o'clock the jury could not agree and the court dismissed them as disagreed. The case against J. W. Smith will be heard at 9 o'clock this morning.

Hay Quotations Are Now Being Made Here

The figures which are now being quoted by local dealers for the new crop of baled hay are: Cheat, \$10; oat and vetch, \$10, and clover \$9. The bailing has already started, and although as yet none of the hay has been received in the city, it is expected that some will be in by the last of the week. This year's hops are now being offered to contract at 16 cents a pound.

Cooler Weather in Sight.

The maximum temperature yesterday was 93 degrees, 3 degrees below the record of the preceding day. Today it is considerably cooler with indications favorable to comfortable weather for several days. The maximum temperature yesterday was 56 degrees. The river 2.4 feet.

Attorney Yates of Corvallis was attending to legal matters in this city yesterday.

OUR JULY PRICES Are Making Business

Women's 16 button lisle gloves, black and white 48c pair

Women's long silk gloves, black white and tan 75c pair

July clearance prices, on sweaters, corsets, children's white and colored dresses, shirt waists and muslin underwear.

Good quality cotton corduroys, in tan, blue and cream, 29c yd.

Salem Woolen Mills suitings \$1.12, \$1.35, \$1.68
This is the best suiting buy, you can possibly make.

July clearance prices on table linens, sheetings, bed spreads, silk kimono's, dress goods.

Agents for Standard Patterns

FLOOD'S STORE
334 WEST FIRST STREET

Agents for Kabo Reducing Corsets

Are You Getting YOUR SHARE Of the Many Bargains at the Semi-Annual CLEARANCE SALE

No Selected Lots of Odds and Ends on Sale

EVERY ARTICLE REDUCED

Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Waists, Kimonos, Muslin Underwear, Knit Underwear, Hosiery, Art Goods, Parasols, Gloves, Corsets, Petticoats, White Goods, Muslins, Sheetings, Gingham, Percales, Calicos, Curtains, Curtain Nets, Scrims, Art Draperies, Embroideries, Laces and Notions ALL AT REDUCED PRICES.

Every Summer Dress HALF PRICE

Every Suit Less Than HALF PRICE

Children's Coats for HALF PRICE

White Serge Suits Less than HALF PRICE

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Elks' Temple, First and Lyon Streets, Albany, Oregon

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