

MAN CHARGED WITH CRUELTY

FRESNO, Cal., Nov. 5.—The case of Dr. Jackson Martin, charged with failure to provide medical attendance for his dying wife, went to the jury at noon today. Arguments by the attorneys for the prosecution and defense consumed the morning session. The main argument for the defense was that the defendant, in placing his wife in the care of two nurses, provided proper medical attendance and was therefore not guilty of the crime charged. To prove that Dr. Martin loved his wife, they pointed out that Dr. Martin accompanied her body as far east as Kansas City, from whence it was taken to a town in Kansas for burial.

The attorneys for the prosecution declared that the nurses were untrained, that although Dr. Martin revived his wife, he failed to give her proper treatment during the eight days she lingered before death and that he evinced no sign of affection for her.

District Attorney Church denounced the defendant for failing to call in other physicians and for refusing to kiss his wife as she was dying.

TAFT SOON OFF ON VISIT TO PANAMA

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 5.—With the work on the Panama canal progressing so rapidly as to insure completion of the ditch perhaps a year sooner than January 1, 1915—the date originally set—President Taft finds it necessary to make a hurried visit to the isthmus in order to secure first-hand knowledge of its problems as a basis for a program of legislation for the canal which he intends to push through at the coming session of congress.

The executive wants to anticipate the problems which will arise when the canal is completed. He wants to have everything covered prior to the opening so that there will be no necessity for legislative after-thoughts.

Congress will be asked for the following legislation:

An appropriation of at least \$2,000,000 for preliminary work in fortifying the canal. The total cost of fortification will probably be \$15,000,000.

Establishment of a definite government for the zone.

Settlement of the rate to be paid by foreign vessels for passage through the canal.

Disposition of the Panama railroad. Workingmen's compensation for injuries.

Salary adjustment of certain classes of laborers on the zone.

President Taft's most perplexing problem of all is to determine the form of government to be established on the isthmus. In reality, there is no government on the zone at present. Congress left to the president the job of administering justice and enforcing the laws, but it did not specify how he was to do it. So Colonel Roosevelt appointed a commission to work out the problems and under this sort of a makeshift the work has gone ahead.

With the canal fortified—and President Taft is determined that it shall be so defended—it will be necessary to maintain a large military force on the zone, and this means that military law will prevail over at least a part of the isthmus. The executive wants to find out, by personal conference with the men there, whether it would be better to make the government of the whole zone a military one, or part civil and part military.

The \$2,000,000 appropriation for fortification will be but a renewal of the request made at the last session of congress. In addition, there will undoubtedly be a naval base established on the Atlantic side of the isthmus.

STOCK MARKET STRONG

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The tone of today's market showed strength in the railroads and industrials. The market was lacking in vigor, but most of the stock issues were strong. St. Paul, Union Pacific, Reading and United States Steel gained from 1 to 1 1/2 points and Southern Pacific and Atchafalpa rose 1 1/2.

The market closed steady. Bonds were firm.

Range of Prices.			
(Furnished by Moss & Co. private wire.)			
	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Copper	71 1/2	70 3/4	71 1/4
Am. Smelter	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
Atchafalpa	104 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
Brook. R. T.	78 1/2	76 3/4	76 3/4
Can. Pac.	198 3/4	198 1/4	198 3/4
C. & O.	84 1/2	82 3/4	84 1/2
D. & R. G.	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
Erie	30	29 1/4	29 3/4
Gt. Nor. pf.	128 3/4	127 3/4	127 3/4
L. & N.	147 1/2	146 1/4	146 1/2
N. Y. Cent.	116 1/2	115 1/2	115 3/4
Nor. Pac.	119 1/2	119 1/4	119 1/2
Pennsylv.	130 1/2	130 1/4	130 1/2
Reading	105 1/2	104 1/4	105 1/2
Rock Island	35 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
St. Paul	126 1/2	125 1/4	126 1/4
Sou. Pac.	119 1/2	119	119 1/2
Un. Pac.	176 1/2	175 1/4	175 1/2
U. S. Steel	81 1/2	80 3/4	81 1/2

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Total sales, 289,500 shares.

Grains and Provisions.			
Wheat—			
May	95 1/2	95	95 1/2
December	89 1/2	89 1/4	89 1/2
Corn—			
May	49 1/2	49	49
December	47 1/2	46 3/4	46 3/4
Oats—			
May	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/2
December	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Pork—			
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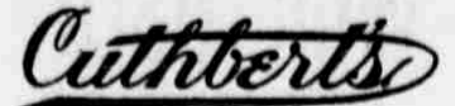
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WILL KING DESERVES RE-ELECTION



One of the very most important of the four years' term, while King and Moore are running for the six years' term on Tuesday is the office of justice of the supreme court. There are two judges to elect of the supreme court of Oregon. The present for the four years' term and two judges members of the supreme court of Oregon are, Thomas A. McBride, Woodson, T. Slater, Will R. King, Frank A. Moore and Robert Eakin. Of those following are the names of the candidates, Moore and Eakin are republicans dates as their names will appear upon and Slater and King are democrats, the ballot.

Four of these judges are asking for re-election on November 8th; these four year term.) Vote for two, McBride, Slater, King and Moore, 27. Henry J. Bean of Umatilla county, McBride and Slater are running for

29. Thomas A. McBride of Clackamas county, republican, democratic, non-political judiciary.

32. Woodson T. Slater of Marion county, democratic, non-political judiciary.

It is conceded that of the above Thomas A. McBride is certain of re-election and the contest, therefore, is narrowed for the four years' term to two men, Henry J. Bean and Woodson T. Slater.

For the six years' term, aside from the socialist nominee, the names will appear upon the ballot as follows:

For justice of the supreme court, (six year term). Vote for two.

33. George H. Burnett of Marion county, republican.

35. Will R. King of Malheur county, democratic, non-political judiciary.

36. Frank A. Moore of Columbia county, republican, democratic, non-political judiciary.

Of the above it is conceded that Frank A. Moore, present incumbent is certain of re-election; the contest is therefore narrowed to two men for the six years' term, George H. Burnett of Marion county and Will R. King of Malheur county, the present incumbent. Judge King in addition to being the democratic nominee, has been endorsed by the Oregon state bar association in its appeal to the voters of the state to elect a non-political judiciary.

Judge Will R. King is conceded by the bar of the state of Oregon as being one of the ablest members and in fact the very ablest member of the present bench. He should be re-elected for the reason that his work as a member of the supreme court in deciding important litigation in which the people of state are interested has been at all times in the interest of the people and along the lines of progression. He is admittedly the friend of Southern Oregon upon the present supreme court bench.

In the year 1909 the people of Southern Oregon appealed to the legislature then in session to grant an appropriation of \$100,000 for the purpose of constructing the Crater Lake road. After a campaign of education, the bill came up on its merits before the legislature of the state and the appropriation was carried and the bill authorizing the construction of the road was enacted into law by the legislature. Injunction proceedings by mossbacks followed. The case went to the supreme court and the law was declared to be unconstitutional; the judges who voted in favor of knocking out the appropriation are McBride, Slater, Moore and Eakin, while Judge Will R. King wrote a dissenting opinion in which he upheld the appropriation on the ground that the state had the right to engage in the work of exploitation such as this and on the further ground that the road would be of immense value not only to the people of Jackson county, but also to all of the people of the state. In this opinion Judge King criticised very severely the ruling of his



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fellow members of the court and cited a vast amount of authority to show that the appropriation was constitutional and that it should be upheld and maintained.

It is said that this dissenting opinion of Judge King's will cause him to lose a percentage of votes throughout certain mossback sections of the state, but it should certainly not lose him a single vote in Jackson county. He should carry the county unanimously.

Noted Lecturer Dying.
PORTAGE, Wis., Nov. 5.—Professor James C. Monaghan, lecturer and formerly professor of commerce at the University of Wisconsin, is believed today to be dying. The professor was stricken with apoplexy at a lecture last night. He was unconscious at an early hour today.

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