

LOCAL ORCHARDMEN TO INVESTIGATE FALSE REPORT FROM WASHINGTON

Story Sent Out From Washington, to Effect That Orchards in Northwest, Where Intensive Methods Are Protected, Are Deteriorating.

Local orchard men are considering sending a communication to James Wilson, secretary of the United States department of agriculture, urging him to ascertain the source of the reports, sent broadcast from Washington, D. C., that deterioration is noted in western orchards where intensive methods are practiced, also to instruct the bureau of pomology and the reclamation service to issue official statements setting forth the fact that the reports are without foundation and were not authorized by the department.

Prominent growers in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and other western states are planning to invite the most rigid investigation of the districts, to show there is no truth in the rumors that orchards are going back or declining in productivity and value.

It appears very much as if a deep plot were laid to injure the reputation of the Pacific northwest, which now is justly famed as the world's commercial apple district, and also harm other western states. California, Oregon, Washington and western states generally are mentioned in the Washington press report, saying the department of agriculture has decided to begin an investigation to determine the cause of the deterioration of orange, apple and pear orchards. The whole thing is a base fabrication from beginning to end.

Growers all over the western country are determined that this wrong to the west be righted without delay. Western orchards are thriving and increasing in value yearly and the growers are prosperous and contented; tree pests and other diseases, which never gained a serious foothold, have been reduced to a minimum, and in justice they demand that the truth be told.

WILL PASS ON NELSON TODAY

Judge Bardwell Hears Closing Arguments of Attorneys Over Venireman Nelson and Will Render a Decision Soon.

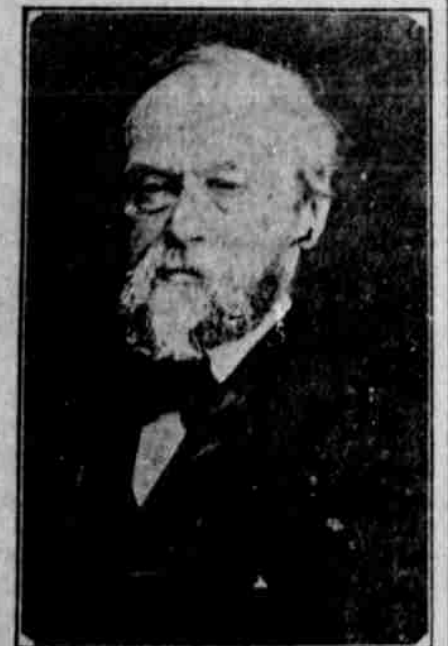
HALL OF RECORDS, LOS ANGELES, Oct. 16.—Judge Bardwell reserved decision on the motion of the McNamara defense to excuse for cause Venireman Nelson. His decision will be rendered this afternoon.

This ruling came after a hot fight between attorneys. Judge Bardwell will ask a number of questions of Nelson before rendering a decision.

RODGERS NOW IS OVER OKLAHOMA

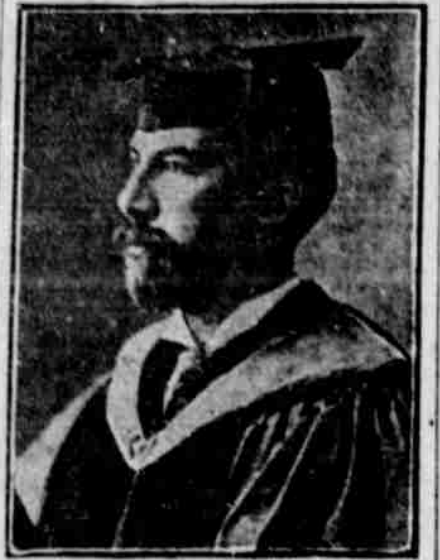
VINITA, Okla., Oct. 16.—Aviator C. P. Rodgers left here at 7:30 a. m. today and arrived at Muskogee at 5:15. He expects to resume his flight again today.

YANKEE GOVERNOR TO BE RENOMINATED



SIMEON E. BALDWIN. Despite his willingness to run for the vice presidency on the democratic ticket, it is the opinion of the members of the Connecticut senate and house that Simeon E. Baldwin, governor of the state, will be nominated another term.

SPORTS APPROVED BY PRESIDENT OF YALE



ARTHUR T. HADLEY. Yale University opens its portals for its 210th year. Arthur T. Hadley, president of the university since 1899, is a firm believer in football and other clean college sports.

BOZUS ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE

Judge Kelly Appears for the Defense and District Attorney Mulkey for the State—Case Will Probably Occupy Several Days.

Peter Bozus, the Greek who shot and fatally wounded Christ Spanos in this city, was placed on trial for his life this morning at Jacksonville. The case will probably occupy two or three days or longer.

Judge E. E. Kelley is appearing for the defense and District Attorney Mulkey for the state. Bozus some weeks ago entered a plea of not guilty.

EMBEZZLED FROM A LODGE OF MOOSE

TACOMA, Wn., Oct. 16.—Charged with the embezzlement of nearly \$1,000 from the Moose Lodge, Meyer Cohen, moving picture owner and one of the committee that arranged the big "Burning of Rome" spectacle in the stadium on Labor Day, is on his way back from Portland today in custody of an officer.

Cohen had charge of a minstrel show given by the lodge in June. At the close of the entertainment he tendered his check for \$991.15 to cover money said to have been taken in by him. The check was returned by the bank, marked "no funds."

Since then Cohen had been making promises to square accounts. The lodge members met yesterday to bring the matter to a settlement. Cohen slipped out of the city during the day and was arrested in Portland.

NOBODY SPARED

Kidney Troubles Attack Medford Men and Women, Old and Young.

Kidney ills seize young and old. Come quickly with little warning. Children suffer in their early years.

Can't control the kidney secretions. Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.

Women worry, can't do daily work. Men have lame and aching backs. The cure for man, woman or child is to cure the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are for sick kidneys—Have brought relief to Medford people.

Medford testimony proves it. W. P. Gould, 119 W. Jackson st., Medford, Ore., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills procured at Haskins' drug store, and am pleased to say that they gave me more relief than any other kidney medicine I had ever taken. Other members of my family have also used Doan's Kidney Pills and the results have been so satisfactory that I do not hesitate one moment in giving this statement."

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MADERO SOON IN PRESIDENCY

Congratulations Continue to Pour in on Newly Named President of Mexico—Suarez Is Certain of Being Vice President.

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 16.—Congratulations on his election to the presidency of Mexico are pouring in on Francisco I. Madero. Only the inauguration ceremonies remain before he is president in fact.

There still is some doubt as to the vote of the electoral college as to the vice president of Mexico, but it is generally believed that Pino Suarez, Madero's candidate, is certain of the place.

Diaz received only one vote for president in the electoral college. Support the manufacturers of your home city first, last and all the time, and you will help yourself to prosperity. But if your local factories cannot supply your wants, insist that the merchant carries "Made in Oregon" goods from other Oregon sources to supply your needs.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Real Estate Transactions. W. S. Derring to N. B. Hildreth lot 11, blk. 26 Butte Falls. \$150. F. Y. Allen to Y. H. Allen, property in Trail Creek precinct. U. S. to Chas. Toothaker, W 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 4, Tp. 33, 1W. Florence Herrick to U. Frederickson, lot 4, blk. 1, Anderson-Taft add. to Medford. Ida M. Hargrove to Eleanor M. Hargrove, property on Main and Harzadine ave. and in Chitwood add. to Ashland. Thos. Lovess to F. Salisbury et ux, 32.93 acres in Sec. 34, Tp. 38, 1E. Nellie Scott to W. T. Ward et al, 15 acres in Sec. 24, Tp. 35, 3W. C. W. Palm to W. P. Mealey, lot in blk. 55, Medford. 3000. H. Baum to L. Hatfield, lot 10, blk. 6, Central Point. 1275. W. W. Von der Hellen to Edith R. Boltz, lots 10 and 11, blk. 6, Central add. to Eagle Point. \$200. W. W. Glasgow et al. to W. C. Green, trustee, 22.52 acres in D. L. C. No. 38, Tp. 38, 2 W. W. C. Green, trustee, to Carroll McMillan, same property as above. J. F. Meikle et al. to J. M. Potter et ux., block G, Overlook add. to Ashland. 800. J. M. Potter et ux., to J. F. Meikle and Clyde A. Payne, block G, Overlook add. to Ashland. 10. Harry Harrison to N. H. Harrison, property on Helman and Oberlin streets, Ashland. 10. Geo. W. Owen to Eddie Murphy, E 1/2 Sec. 1 and NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 Sec. 12, Tp. 39, 2E. P. H. Myers to F. W. Dodge, lots 2 and 19, block 2, Dekum's add. to Gold Hill. 1. C. M. Ruch to Thos. Geagle, N 1/2 of 2-acre tract near Ruch. 10. F. J. Beagle to A. Throckmorton, same property as above. Bert Anderson to Carroll McMillan, 22.52 acres in D. L. C. No. 28, Tp. 38, 2W. E. T. Hall to Rebecca Essleston, 61.50 acres in Sec. 29, Tp. 36, 4W. Geo. R. Wilkerson to C. W. McDonald, N 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 27, Tp. 36, 1W. 2000. J. C. Grubb to John W. Pernoll, property on Applegate formerly deeded by R. Benedict John W. Pernoll to J. C. Grubb et ux., same property as above. 10. W. W. Cameron to Jackson county, strip of land on Applegate for road purposes. 10. Eva Allen to Felix Y. Allen, property in Trail precinct; deed of correction. Eleanor M. Hargrove to Anna E. Hargrove, property in Chitwood add. to Ashland. 10. Eleanor M. Hargrove to Ida M. Hargrove, property on Main and Frist ave., Ashland. 10. Ann Beall to F. M. Amy, triangular piece of land in Central Point. 1. Florence S. Herrick to Sophia B. Herrick, lot 6, blk. 1, Anderson-Taft add to Medford, property in Park add. ti Medford. 1. U. Frederickson to Sophie B. Herrick, lot 2, blk. 2, Anderson-Taft add to Medford. W. P. Mealy to A. M. Woodford and Ralph Woodford, 24x70 feet fronting on West Main street, Medford. 10. Lillian Woodford to Porter J. Neff, 25x100 feet fronting on North Grape street, Medford. A. M. Woodford to W. P. Mealey, 90x100 feet at S. E. corner of North Grape street, Medford. 10. Lillian Woodford to W. P. Mealey, 25x100 feet fronting on North Grape street, Medford. W. G. Myers to Lulu A. Myers, one-half interest in property in Gold Hill, also land in Secs. 12 and 24, Tp. 35, 3W. David Pence to Minnus Pence, 200 acres in Sec. 17, Tp. 33, 1E; also water ditch. 10. Minnus Pence to John W. Miller, 46 acres in Sec. 17, Tp. 33, 1E, and certain water rights. 10.

Circuit Court. W. T. O'Brien vs. Gold Hill R. R. & Lumber Co. Satisfaction of judgment entered of record. Spalding Mfg. Co. vs. Mrs. S. J. Erdman; to recover money. Judgment for \$166.40, interest and attorney fees; also \$82.55, etc. C. W. and W. W. McDonald; to quiet title. Order made for publication of summons. E. T. Staples, assignee of judgment of D. B. Grant vs. Rogue River Valley Orchards Co. Satisfaction of judgment recorded. F. M. Drake et al. vs. Jennie B. Davis et al., to register title. Decree granted. Lucinda Slover vs. heirs of Sarah M. Root; to register title. Decree granted. B. L. and Laura Nichols vs. City of Ashland; writ of review. Temporary injunction granted. First National Bank of Medford vs. R. R. Canning and Evaporating Co. Judgment for \$3492.92 assigned to W. H. Hamlin. Estate of T. J. Kenney, an insolvent debtor. Hearing of final account of assignee set for hearing Oct. 31, 1911. Bond reduced to \$3000. Application of J. O. Sample to register title. Decree granted. Application of Fred Publ to register title. Decree granted. Harry Messler vs. Lucy Mee. Release of judgment entered.

Probate Court. Estate of Chas. McKinnon. Nov. 11 set as day of hearing final settlement. Estate of Eugene Hoke. Appraisal and inventory filed showing property to the value of \$5000 and approved. Estate of S. M. Robison. Emmett Beeson, Robt. Purves and H. H. Goddard appointed appraisers. Estate of Joseph A. Kremson. Sale of real estate confirmed. Estate of John S. Sims. Sale of personal property approved. Guardianship of Mabel and Madeleine Scudder. County treasurer ordered to pay \$1236.99 belonging to said minors to Joseph Jones, duly appointed guardian. Estate of D. P. Norton. Inventory and appraisal approved. Estate of Mary A. Broker. Inventory and appraisal showing property valued at \$1200 approved and order made to mortgage same. Estate of W. H. Caine. Hearing of final statement of administrator set for Nov. 25. Guardianship of Vida and Wm. Thronburg. Annual report of guardian approved.

Marriage License. Oct. 11, James C. Ferguson and Jessie Trotter.

Married. WELLS-FOX—At Ashland, Oct. 11, 1911, by Rev. W. T. Van Scoy, Wm. Wells and Elean Fox.

New Cases. Alton W. Stone vs. Jackson county. Appeal from county court on claim for damages.

P. B. STRONG AGAIN IN LIMELIGHT. Several men prominent in the political, financial and social life of the Panama Canal zone have just learned that they have been imposed upon by Putnam Bradlee Strong, son of the late William L. Strong, formerly Mayor of New York, and who became most widely known as one of the husbands of May Yoke. Strong represented himself as a newspaper man and contracted several debts which he says he is unable to pay.



ATHLETICS WIN. (Continued from Page 1.) Philadelphia—Lord fanned; Oldring fouled to Meyers; Collins flied to Devore. No runs. New York—Merkle out, Collins to Davis; Herzog popped to Barry, Fletcher out, Barry to Davis. No runs. Philadelphia—Baker out, Doyle to Merkle; Murphy flied to Devore; Davis fouled to Meyers. No runs. New York—Meyers out, Baker to Davis; Marquard fanned; Devore fanned. No runs. Philadelphia—Barry out, Marquard to Merkle; Thomas out, Fletcher to Merkle; Plank fanned. No runs. New York—Doyle out, Davis, unassisted; Snodgrass singled to left, but was out trying to steal second, Lord to Barry; Murray fanned. No runs. Philadelphia—Lord flied to Snodgrass; Oldring flied to Devore; Collins doubled to left; Baker hit a home run over teh right field fence. Murphy fanned. Two runs. SEVENTH INNING. New York—Merkle singled; Herzog flied to Oldring; Fletcher popped to Baker; Merkle out, Plank to Davis, trying to steal. No runs. Philadelphia—Davis lined to Doyle; Barry lined to Herzog; Thomas flied to Fletcher. No runs. EIGHTH INNING. New York—Meyers lined to Collins; Crandall bats for Marquard; Crandall out, Collins to Davis; Devore fanned; No runs. Philadelphia—Crandall now pitching for New York. Plank fanned; Merkle dropped Lord's foul, Lord fanned; Oldring out, Herzog to Merkle. No runs. NINTH INNING. New York—Doyle fouled to Thomas; Snodgrass fanned; Murray out, Collins to Davis. No runs. DANCING CLUB WILL MEET THIS EVENING. The Medford Dancing Club will give its first dance of the season this evening at the Natatorium building. This new club is a partial reorganization of the Juvenile Club. All members are requested to present their membership cards this evening.

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