

FEELING STRONG IN THE STICKS AGAINST SO. P. COURT RULE ON GIRL'S DEATH AT MRS. GORE PLEA FRISCO PARTY CALLED SUICIDE

Real Dirt Farmers in Northern California and Southern Oregon Refuse to Conceal Animosity—Charge Starving of Cattle

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—(Special to Mail Tribune.) All the testimony today in the G. N.-S. P. hearing before L. C. C. Examiner C. D. Mahaffie has been given by witnesses for the more than one hundred intervenors on behalf of the extension.

The list of chambers of commerce, associations and towns interested is long and surprising. The witnesses have been asked but few questions by their own lawyers and even fewer by the S. P. attorneys. It has not been evident until today what feeling exists against the objectionable extension. From the region around Heber and the country south and north of Klamath Falls have come men and women with what they consider real grievances. They have on store clothes, but even in cosmopolitan San Francisco they seem out of their element. Their shoulders are too big, their carriage too free, their eyes too clear. Some to a dozen witnesses from close to Mt. Lassen, exhibited the same sullen and ring characteristics as their famous volcano, but under the cold eyes of Mr. Mahaffie they burned without smoking. One of these witnesses, a stockman, suddenly erupted and there was a distinct smell of sulfur and brimstone when he was asked by a S. P. attorney why he evaded answering the question "Why don't you ship your cattle south over the Alturas line?" His answer was expunged from the record but he said distinctly: "The last time I sent 'em over Southern Pacific they starved them." Perhaps it was another case of an "All Day Lunch Car." At any rate, I think that poor question will have to remain in the record without any answer.

Another man who has been a farmer in Big Valley for years, testified that up until 1910 the population of the rectangle under discussion had increased because it was thought that Jim Hill was going to build south of Bend to San Francisco, but that since that time the population had become less and less because of transportation difficulties. The attorney for the chamber of commerce of Medasto made a three-minute speech telling all about his two witnesses and the feeling of his fellow townsmen about the extension and ended up with the suggestion that he would not take the examiner's time to put his witnesses on the stand unless the examiner wished to hear them. The examiner made no bones about not wishing to hear them and I am sure he will always think of Medasto with gratitude.

There was quite a falling off in the number of lawyers today and most of the gold-legged chairs supported witnesses. When the S. P. begins its case there will be an awakened interest. Witnesses are funny animals. They answer questions from their own lawyers promptly and succinctly, but under cross examination they are over-cautious. One man today said somewhat as follows: "Yes, I know that country well. I've lived there for thirty-five years and later his answer was "Well, I know the country. Of course I don't know some of it. I've lived there on and off for about thirty years. I don't mean I've never been away. You see in 1910 I spent part of the winter in Red Bluff."

Doctor Reddy was a good witness, although he was allowed to say very little, but he gave the impression of knowing what he was talking about.

A Redmond, Oregon, witness after testifying concerning the rates on fertilizer, farm machinery etc., complained about the passenger service to California. She must go around by Portland when she wants to go to San Francisco, or take a cattle train, she said.

"There is a good S. P. passenger bus service in connection with the train service, is there not?" "Lady witness: "I don't care for bus riding."

S. P. attorney, soothingly: "But there is bus service, what?" "Lady witness: "I don't like buses."

S. P. attorney, slightly rasped: "But madam, answer my question, please, such a bus service does exist, doesn't it?" "Lady witness, sweetly: "You see, I don't like bus riding."

S. P. attorney, sharply: "Madam, can't you answer me; you could take a comfortable bus to Klamath Falls?" "Lady witness, very sweetly: "And I never have liked riding on buses. I sometimes drive my own private automobile to Klamath Falls to avoid them."

FRIEND GETS FORTUNE AND WIFE ONE DOLLAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—(Special to Mail Tribune.) As a reward for his kindness to him, when he was penniless and ill, Ralph Morris, former Seattle tailor, left Mrs. Edith N. Thorne, Oakland, \$26,000 in his will filed here for probate. Mrs. Mary J. McLean, his estranged wife, and their three children, were left \$1 each.

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SCHOOLS EMPTIED QUICKLY IN DRILL

If fire should ever break out in any of the Medford schools, all the buildings, with the exception of the high school, could be emptied in one minute, according to figures revealed today by Fire Chief Roy Elliott, who recently completed a series of tests in the various buildings.

The high school with 740 students, was emptied in one minute and 25 seconds, while the Washington school with 336 students, Roosevelt with 200 and Lincoln school with 304, were emptied in one minute flat. It took the 287 students of the Jackson school one minute and five seconds to march out, but Fire Chief Elliott believes this school can also come under the one minute class.

He was satisfied with the results and plans to give the next drills in connection with fire escapes and slides.

NEW PROFESSIONAL TAKES UP LINKS DUTY

Ken Jeffries arrived yesterday from Portland to take up duties as the new golf professional for the Rogue River Valley Golf association, taking the place left vacant by the resignation of Jack Houston, who had held the position for the past two and one-half years.

Mr. Jeffries is from the Spalding Brothers company at Portland and for three years was the pro at the Seaside country club and he was also with the Peninsula Golf club at Portland. He anticipates a busy season here, and is looking forward to meeting all members of the club.

APPROVE PLANS FOR GOLD BEACH BRIDGE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(AP)—The war department today approved plans of the Oregon Highway commission for a bridge across the Rogue river at Gold Beach, about three-fourths of a mile from its entrance to the ocean.

Special Communication Medford Lodge No. 192, A. F. & A. M., Friday, Nov. 22nd, 7:30 p. m. Work in P. C. degree. By order of W. A. 244. C. M. HOUSTON, Secy.

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Brevities

Piloted by C. O. Bell, a six-passenger cabin airplane landed at the Medford airport this forenoon, carrying Goodyear Rubber company officials from Portland to San Francisco. The party stopped here for luncheon and proceeded south shortly after 1 o'clock.

Hemstitching, piecing, pleating, button making and hose mending. Handicraft Shop, 1571 1/2.

The Elks lodge will hold a Thanksgiving auction sale of dressed turkeys in the basement of the temple, immediately after the lodge session tonight.

Big dance Sat. night at Jackson Hot Springs, 24.

E. O. Teague of Windsor, Vt., the eastern shoe manufacturer and former resident of Medford for several years while he owned the Gold Crest ranch near Gold Hill, who stopped off here yesterday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jerome, left this noon for a several days' visit at Seattle. He is making a swing around the western and coast country visiting the shoe makers.

Remember the Pythian Sisters' card party tonight at 8 o'clock, at Pythian hall, 243.

Graduate nurses of Medford and southern Oregon will meet at the home of Mrs. W. S. Holker, 1023 Queen Anne avenue, tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of organization. All graduate nurses in the district, whether active or not, are urged to be present.

D. G. Tyree, manager of the Capes investment department, left this morning for Klamath Falls on a short business trip.

Gore Trial Provides Shopping Hints For Christmas; Lady Spectator Jots Down List of Alleged Gifts in Book

An inventory of her husband's alleged "gift wardrobe" from his mother, Mrs. W. H. Gore, was recited from the witness stand by Mrs. Jay I. Gore under cross-examination by Attorney Charles Reames in the preliminary hearing yesterday afternoon. According to the witness' sworn affidavit, the defendant's mother had given him \$500 worth of clothes in the past year.

As the recital of the gift clothes commenced, "one woman in the court room, who was apparently looking for Christmas suggestions, took the list down in a small note book.

"Just what did this \$500 worth of clothes consist of?" asked Attorney Reames. The blue-eyed plaintiff began enumerating in a housewifely manner.

"Underclothes." "What kind of underclothes?" demanded the attorney. "A dozen sets of H. V. D's," returned the plaintiff, quietly.

"Ladies please—no Jay can hear you," insisted Attorney Reames. She repeated the first item in a stronger tone, and continued, "A dozen pair of heavy socks, a dozen pair of silk socks and a dozen pair of just common cotton socks; a dozen shirts, three dozen ties." She paused and gave her husband, who was seated in the jury box close scrutiny.

"Evidently a new suit," she said and lifted her eye brows with a note of humor. The assemblage of spectators laughed. She started to go on, but was interrupted by the attorney.

"You were guessing at that—

were't you?" She ignored him and started on to the next articles. He interrupted again.

"Mrs. Gore—you were guessing at the suit, weren't you?" She turned and smiled upon him genially.

"Yes, I was guessing at the suit," she returned and went on. "A lovely bathrobe and slippers." She emphasized the word lovely to denote its probable cost. "A half dozen suits of pajamas, working clothes—"

"What kind of working clothes," demanded the defendant's attorney. She mentioned five pair of corduroy pants and heavy flannel shirts.

"Summer work clothes—four pair of khaki pants and khaki shirts. Two suits of woolen underwear—"

The lady with the note book who took all these items down, looked at the clock and then over her list. She crossed out the lines, telling about the work clothes, put a circle around the "lovely" bathrobe and slippers, and rushed from the court room.

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