

JURY SELECTION UNDER WAY FOR M'REYNOLDS SUIT

Selection of a jury in the damage suit of I. L. McReynolds, against the Medford Domestic Laundry, and A. Hamilton, one of its employees, was underway in circuit court today. McReynolds seeks \$7700 damages for alleged injuries received while riding as an "aged guest passenger" in a laundry wagon of the defendant.

The suit is based upon an auto accident on the Crater Lake highway, two miles from the Lodge, in July 1934, when the laundry wagon driven by Hamilton, went over an embankment.

McReynolds charges in his complaint that the accident was due to the reckless driving of Hamilton, down a steep grade, which caused the laundry wagon to go over a cliff at a curve.

The laundry charges that McReynolds was a "guest passenger" asked Hamilton to ride from Prospect to Union Creek, and later requested permission to continue to Crater Lake, which was granted. The defendants claim that as a "guest passenger," he was under no obligations to assist Hamilton in the handling of laundry, which he avers he did.

The defendants cite that Hamilton, as the laundry driver, was proceeding down the grade at a moderate rate of speed and that at the curve, an approaching truck traveling at high speed was met. To avoid a crash, Hamilton turned to the edge of the road, whereupon the edge caved, causing the laundry wagon to drop down a short distance.

McReynolds is represented by Attorney A. E. Reames, and the defendants by Attorneys George M. Roberts and William McAllister.

SEEK POSSESSION OF SALLEE AUTO

Arguments in a suit to regain possession of the auto owned by Melvin F. Salloe, now serving seven years in state prison on conviction of a statutory offense involving a 7-year-old Central Point school girl, were made this morning by Deputy District Attorney George W. Nelson and Attorney R. Coleman. The suit is directed against the district attorney and sheriff of Jackson county and a local garage. It is alleged by the defendant that the auto is illegally held and \$249 is sought.

The auto, evidence at the trial showed, was used by Salloe in transporting the girl to the scene of the assault.

Motions and counter motions, involving many points of law, have been filed. In one motion Attorney Wilkins alleges the deputy district attorney will not speak to him except "in a manner to insult and annoy." This alleged gruffness prevents the smooth handling of the legal business at hand, it is deposited.

ADELAID HENRY, 91 DIES IN PHOENIX

Adelaid H. Henry, one of the oldest residents of Jackson county, aged 91, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Coffin, at Phoenix Wednesday evening. She had resided there since coming west from Duluth, Minn., eleven years ago.

Adelaid had been born at Fredericton, New Brunswick, Canada, April 28, 1844, and died August, 1898, was married at Fredericton to Nelson Henry and four years later they came to the States.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. J. O. Coffin, of Phoenix and Mrs. F. W. Teipel, of Superior, Wisconsin. Also five grandchildren, one of whom, Mrs. E. J. White, resides in Medford. Also 18 great grandchildren. Deceased was a life long member of the Episcopal church.

Funeral services will be conducted privately at the Conger chapel by Rev. Mallory of Phoenix, at 2:00 p.m. Friday. Interment in Phoenix cemetery.

LACK OF LICENSE ENTAILS FINE OF \$5

John R. O'Connor, R.F.D. No. 1, Central Point, pleaded guilty before Justice of the Peace William R. Coleman, to charge of failure to procure an auto operators license and a fine of \$5 and costs was affixed. O'Connor paid \$2.25 on the costs, and was given until September 21 to pay the balance when the fine will be remitted, the court ruled.

Bubonic plague killed 68,500 people in London in 1935.

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Society and Clubs

By JANET WRAY SMITH

Jackson P-T.A. Meets Tomorrow

First regular meeting of the Jackson school Parent and Teacher association will be held tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

It is the desire of the organization that every parent interested in the school attend, as the aim of the meeting is that the parents and teachers become acquainted. A special effort is being made in order that each mother may meet the teacher and mothers of other children in the grades in which she is most interested.

The Jackson school quartette will entertain the group with several numbers, and there will be a report from the Girl Scouts by Mrs. Van Valzah.

At the close of the meeting, tea will be served in the newly decorated lunch room of the school.

Garden Club Is Invited to Gold Hill

An invitation has been extended to the Medford Garden club by the Gold Hill Garden club to visit its autumn flower show which is being given in connection with the fair there this week. Mrs. Darby, president of the local club, urges everyone to attend this show.

A committee from the Medford club has gone today to judge the civic highway beautification entries in the Table Rock district. This committee is to be congratulated on its efforts in the direction of highway beautification.

Service Club Plans Party

Lincoln School Service club will hold the first of a series of card parties Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the Girls' Community club, 229 North Bartlett. For reservations see Mrs. Lang at the club or phone 981-L.

Funds obtained will be used for the opening of the soup kitchen. Contract, auction, pinocle and five hundred will be in play. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mrs. Daniels Returns From South

Mrs. T. E. Daniels returned Sunday morning from Beverly Hills, where she has spent the past two months as guest of her brother, Mr. C. C. Manahan. Mr. Manahan returned north with Mrs. Daniels and is planning accompanying Mr. Daniels on a hunting trip while here.

Gentle Home Coast Vacation

Vacations are still taking Medford people out of town. Among those enjoying a coast vacation are Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Gentle and daughter, Anne Louise. Dr. Gentle, physician in the civilian conservation corps, is on leave this week.

Keys Arrange Buffet Supper

Captain and Mrs. Glenn James Key were hosts Tuesday night at a buffet supper. Sixteen guests were invited to the affair.

Coos Bay Tragedy Closed Incident

MAHSHFIELD, Ore., Sept. 19.—(AP)—The fatal shooting of Robert Dow, 17, in a friendly scuffle with Henry Hansen, 18, over a revolver, was a closed incident today. District Attorney Ben Pixal announced there would be no inquest as his investigation satisfied him the shooting was accidental.

Be correctly coseted in an artist model by Ethelwyn B. Hoffmann.

Lorado Taft, the sculptor, was born in 1860 at Elmwood, Ill.

Students Make Early Departure

Although the greater number of students who are entering college this fall will not leave until the week end, several are going early, among them Robert and Fred Colvig and Dick Proebstel, all of whom will attend the University of Oregon. They are leaving today.

Also leaving soon is Miss Dorothy Roberts, who will go to San Francisco early in October, where she will enter business college.

Miss Surette Stennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stennett, will depart soon for Berkeley, where she will attend Armstrong's Business college. Miss Stennett was a student at Oregon State college last year.

Terhunes Here From San Francisco

Mr. and Mrs. Loren P. Terhune of San Francisco stopped in Medford while yesterday afternoon on their way to Crater Lake. They are making a vacation trip by motor, having come by the coast route, visiting Oregon Caves on the way. The planned on spending the night at Crater Lake lodge.

Mr. Terhune is a cousin of Albert Payson Terhune, the writer.

Officers' Wives Will Meet Today

Wives of officers, contract surgeons, forest service officials and other officials of the Civilian Conservation corps will meet today at the Town club for their regular Thursday luncheon meeting at one o'clock. Mrs. Fred Greene and Mrs. C. R. Curtright will act as hostesses. Five tables of bridge will be in play during the afternoon.

Blights Will Leave for Fort Lewis

Leaving Medford soon will be Lieut. and Mrs. Reynold F. Blight, who have been prominent members of the local army circle, for Fort Lewis, where Lieutenant Blight has been transferred in connection with the civilian conservation corps. Lieutenant and Mrs. Blight were married in Medford last June.

Mrs. Dolph Phipps Hostess at Luncheon

Mrs. Dolph Phipps has arranged a luncheon for members of a bridge club this afternoon. Guests were Madam and Leiland Mentzer, Frank Dillard, Glen Arringer, Harry Prentice, B. G. Harding, L. Pennington, Van Valzah, W. A. Gates and the hostess.

Mrs. Minto Returns Home

Mrs. Harry Minto, the former Melva Parrett, who has been visiting her parents and friends in Medford since Friday, returned yesterday to her home in Salem. The Mintos were formerly residents of Medford.

DeMolays T. Meet Tonight

All members are requested to be present at the DeMolay meeting tonight at 7:30 in the Masonic temple.

GOVERNOR ASKS ADEQUATE SITE FOR STATEHOUSE

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future expansion and no room for the group as they are needed. A new building on this site could not be properly sited and its architectural beauty would be lost.

He added that the railroad tracks do not form a suitable boundary and there is dirt and grit from trains, as well as disconcerting noise.

Of 25 states studied, Oregon had one of the smallest capitol sites, the governor said. Little Rhode Island has 22 acres while Iowa has 107.

"I believe it is our duty, as citizens of Oregon, to do this job right, and to start right by determining to have plenty of land to work on," Major-General Martin emphasized.

"Oregon is not a little state in any sense. I do not think its future is going to be little. And because it is already a great big state, physically, I think this generation should be least of all niggardly in allotment of land, which is a cheap commodity in the market today.

"Cost is indeed something to consider, but I don't think we should worry very much about the price of 40 acres of Oregon land today. We have several very reasonable offers of fine land on the hills, stately and beautiful as capitol sites."

FOUR ENLIST FOR DUTY WITH NAVY

Navy enlistments in the September quota from the Southern Oregon district include: R. A. Buckles of Central Point, V. M. Bostwick of Jacksonville, D. F. Thomas of Selad Valley, Calif., and Reo Robbins of Klamath Falls, Oregon.

They passed final examinations at Portland September 17 and enlisted the same day and were immediately transferred to the U. S. Naval Training Station, San Diego, Calif., for three months preliminary training, before being assigned to a ship.

Applications for enlistment in the navy are being accepted at the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station in the Post-office building here. All young men between the ages of 17 to 25 who possess the necessary qualifications, and desire an interesting, instructive and assured well-paying career can obtain full information by writing to or applying at the recruiting station.

A Miami, Fla., theater operator recently was threatened with a damage suit by a woman who claimed she had contracted a cold in his air-conditioned amusement house.

A ship figured, believed to have adorned a sailing vessel of the ancient Norsemen, has been dug from the sand at Elizabeth City, N. C.

The giant cactus of southern Arizona and southeastern California grows sometimes to a height of 70 feet.

Sir Rabindranath Tagore, the Indian poet and author, was born in Calcutta in 1861.

When Lieutenant Bligh visited Tahiti in 1788, Pomare was the leading chief.

QUEEN OF FAIR WEARS HER CROWN



Lilac Ziegler reigned over the two weeks Los Angeles county fair at Pomona, Calif. She was queen of the 14th annual county fete. (Associated Press Photo)

LUXURY LINER DIXIE PULLED FROM ROCKS

MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 19.—(AP)—The Morgan liner Dixie, driven aground on French reef south of Miami by the Labor day hurricane which lashed the Florida keys, was refloated early today.

Captain E. W. Sundstrom, master of the 8,100-ton luxury coastal vessel, radioed the Associated Press the terse message: "Dixie refloated one a.m. nineteenth."

The message contained no other details as to how the two big salvage tugs which had hauled on the ship succeeded in dragging her back into deep water.

Arch Finch of Wilson county, N. C., recently claimed the title of world's champion watermelon grower when he produced a melon weighing 113½ pounds.

The University of California has granted 59,755 degrees and certificates since 1864 when the first class of four was graduated from the old College of California.

A bronze memorial marker has been placed at Fort Harrison, Fla., to mark the spot which served as a health resort for soldiers.

GAMBLING 'BIG SHOTS' DUCK OUT OF PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 19.—(AP)—Portland's China town was quiet today and deserted by a number of reputed gambling "big shots" sought for questioning by the grand jury investigating gambling, beat-ups and rumored police pay-offs.

Some Chinese who had been subpoenaed could not be found. Police officers expressed the opinion the Chinese as well as some whites wanted for questioning had either gone into hiding or left town.

K. F. to Protest. KLAMATH FALLS, Sept. 19.—(AP)—The Klamath Potato Growers' association will protest to the ICC against a proposed reduction in potato rates from Idaho points to Los Angeles, it was learned here today.

St. Switun, who died in 692, said he was not to be buried within the church, but outside in "a vile and unworthy place."

The practice of automobiles following other cars too closely was held the cause of 1310 collisions in California in 1934.

The word "lambalize" derives from Tantalus of the Greek myth.

Building Permits

Nick Kime, 123 Almond street, was yesterday granted a permit to re-shingle his residence at a cost of \$100.

Oregon Weather Fair east, partly cloudy west portion tonight and Friday; little change in temperature; gentle northwest wind off the coast.

Planting of 3,800,000 trees in Kansas shelter belts and farm woodlots will be completed by next June 30, under present plans.

The tael is a Chinese weight of rather more than an ounce and is usually applied to silver.

Pear Market Yesterday

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—(AP-USA) Pear auction market, slightly weaker; 31 cars arrived, 7 California, 3 Oregon and 1 Washington cars unloaded; 32 cars on track.

California Bartlett, 14,023 boxes sold 1.80-2.60, average 2.01; Oregon Bartlett, 720 boxes extra fancy sold 1.84-1.95, average 1.83.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—(AP-USA)—Pear auction market: 4 California, 8 Oregon and 2 Washington cars arrived; five cars sold.

California Bartlett, 3578 boxes sold 1.60-2.45, average 1.95.

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