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CASES TO BE TRIED

Seven Old Cases Continued From Previous Terms - Some New Ones to Come For Trial.

DOE FAMILY STRICTLY IN FOR IT

Circuit court convenes next Monday, Oct. 17th. Following is the court docket:

CRIMINAL CASES.

Seven cases that have been continued from one term to another for several terms past in which defendants failed to appear.

State of Oregon vs. A. L. Howell, information for moving diseased sheep without a permit. Venator for defendant.

State of Oregon vs. Phillip Barry, information for manslaughter. Webster and Brattain for defendant.

State of Oregon vs. Fred Collins, information for larceny in a dwelling.

State of Oregon vs. John Doe, James Doe, Richard Roe, Wm. Roe and James Roe. Information for maliciously killing animals the property of another.

ACTION AT LAW.

Warner Valley Stock Company vs. A. F. Tonningsen. Ejection. Cogswell for plaintiff.

Warner Valley Stock Company vs. P. E. Taylor. Ejection. Cogswell for plaintiff.

State of Oregon vs. Warner Valley Stock Company. To set aside patent. Cogswell for plaintiff.

Chas Umbach vs. Montgomery Hodley. Action to recover money.

Geo. Conn vs. Geo. W. Hanan. Action to recover money. L. F. Conn for plaintiff.

A. F. Tonningsen vs. H. C. Whitworth. Action to recover money.

W. K. Verling vs. Zac Whitworth. Action to recover money. Brattain for plaintiff.

IN EQUITY.

Harry A. Warren, W. W. Warren, Nonrovia Malory and Ellen Bouray vs. State of Oregon.

Warner Valley Stock Co., vs. Chas. Tonningsen. Injunction. Cogswell for plaintiff.

Walter S. Hardin vs. Helen Hardin. Injunction. Dalrymple for plaintiff.

Summer Lake Notes.

Summer Lake, Ore., Oct. 9, 1904.

EDITOR EXAMINER:

Having seen no news in your paper from Summer Lake, I send a few items, and hope they will be acceptable.

F. O. Ahlstrom of Lakeview made a business trip to our burg yesterday.

M. Sult is still at the railroad, where he drove his beef cattle a few weeks ago.

Our school begun last Monday with Miss Nondas Howard of Silver Lake as teacher.

Mr. J. Prader started to Pokegama yesterday to attend to some business, while absent he will visit his family in Ashland.

Rev. Howard and family of Silver Lake passed through here yesterday from New Pine Creek, where they attended the Baptist Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Platt of Newberg, Ore., are here for a few months visit with their daughter Mrs. Frank Harris.

Mrs. Logan and son, and Mrs. Price of Crook Co., were here last Tuesday getting fruit; they were

guests at the Prader ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hill of Paisley, passed through here last Friday on their way to Portland where they expect to make their future home. While here they were the guests of Mrs. M. Sult.

While at school last Wednesday, the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Adams met with a painful accident. While helping to put a bridle on a horse he fell across a barb wire fence, lacerating his arm in a frightful manner. He has been quite ill, in consequence, but if blood poisoning does not set in, will soon be all right.

OCCASIONAL.

Richard Blair Succumbs.

Richard Blair, who was reported seriously sick at Paisley died at that place Monday morning at 1 o'clock.

Dick, as he was commonly called was the youngest son of ex-assessor J. B. Blair, and brother of W. S. Blair of Paisley and Mrs. Dovie Reeder of Silver Lake. He was a young and strong man not over 21 years of age, and had always been well.

It is sad, indeed, to learn of the death of anyone, but when strong young men like Dick are called upon to answer to the summons of death, it puts life on a very tottering foundation.

The general expression is, "too bad; Dick was a good boy, and it seems sad for a young man just entering the prime of life to be so suddenly taken away." But such is death, and all, sooner or later, will be marked as victims.

William Cloud.

Word was received here Tuesday morning of the death a few hours before of Wm. Cloud of Pine Creek.

"Uncle Billy," as most people called him has lived in Goose Lake valley since its early settlement. He was an aged man and has been sick most of the summer. His wife and several sons survive him, of which Thos. Cloud of Lakeview, is the youngest.

Mrs. Farrington.

"Grandma" Farrington, an aged lady of Pine Creek, died at that place last Thursday. She is said to have been about 80 years old, and has resided in Goose Lake valley for many years. Pete Follet and W. R. Barbarick came up last Thursday after the coffin, and the remains were laid in their last resting place in the Pine Creek cemetery Friday October 7th.

In Memoriam.

Hall of Lakeview Lodge, No. 77, D. of H., Oct. 6, 1904.

Again we are called upon to mourn the death of a member of our Lodge, our beloved sister Lillian Burrus, a charter member and one who ever took the deepest interest in our order.

Whereas, While we bow in humble submission to the decree, we do not the less mourn the loss of our sister and friend, therefore be it

Resolved: That by the death of Sister Lillian Burrus, we lose a faithful, efficient and worthy member.

Resolved: That the heartfelt sympathy of the Lodge be extended to the bereaved relatives of our deceased Sister.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge, a copy be sent to the bereaved parents and to each of the Lakeview papers.

Fraternally submitted:
Mrs. W. Z. MOSE,
Mrs. F. M. GREEN,
Mrs. W. A. MASSINGILL.

OREGON IN THE LEAD

Reclamation Service Finds Large Sum to Its Credit For Irrigation of Arid West.

TWENTY-FIVE MILLION DOLLARS

From the annual report of the Auditor of the Interior Department we glean the following facts relative to the reclamation service in the sixteen public land states and territories of the West:

The proceeds of the sales of public lands in these states beginning July 1, 1901, were appropriated by the act of June 17, 1902, for the construction and maintenance, under the direction of the secretary of the interior, of irrigation works or the reclamation of arid lands in said states and territories.

The fund accumulated under this act and set apart in the treasury as a reclamation fund for the three fiscal years ended June 30, 1903, amounted to \$16,444,339.94. The amount realized for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1904, has not yet been definitely ascertained, but it is known that this sum will increase the fund approximately to \$25,000,000. The secretary of the Interior is conducting the operations necessary to the accomplishment of the purposes for which this large and increasing fund is appropriated, through the officers of the United States Geological Survey.

The accounts of many general and special disbursing officers connected with this service, and claims arising under contracts for the construction of canals, reservoirs, tunnels, dams, and various other works necessary to the prosecution of an undertaking of such magnitude, are settled here. The settlement of these claims and accounts present many new questions for consideration and results in a material increase in the amount of work performed in this office.

The total number of disbursing agents in the Interior Department whose accounts were examined and settled during the year is 406, of which 208 were the Indian service, 18 were pension agents, 144 were in the public land service and 36 were miscellaneous.

Oregon's share of the fund appropriated for reclamation purposes is approximately \$4,000,000.

Destroyed Public Property.

J. P. Duke was up town Monday and informed us that some miscreant had destroyed the government gauging apparatus anchored out in the lake for the purpose of obtaining the evaporation of the lake. Mr. Duke was appointed by S. G. Bennett of the Geological Survey to make these observations and he attended to it every Saturday. When he went to take observations last Saturday he found that some one had taken the apparatus from its wooden frame, which is firmly anchored in the lake, leaving the frame. It will be remembered a few weeks ago notices were published in both the papers here, warning parties against molesting the boat left at the lake for use in making evaporation records, owned by the Government, and calling attention to the law providing for a fine of \$250 for the molestation of public property and a reward of \$25 for the informant.

The party who destroyed the evaporating pan would do well to lay

pretty low, as the government is none too lenient with perpetrators of such crimes.

Pastors Appointed.

The closing session of the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which was held in Eugene, Ore., occurred on the 3d of Oct., at which time, the pastoral appointments were made, for the ensuing year.

Rev. M. C. Wire was elected presiding elder of the Eugene district, which includes what was formerly the Grants Pass district.

The charge at Lakeview was given to Rev. Sanford Snyder. The Paisley charge to W. R. T. Brown, who was transferred from the North Dakota conference.

The districts have been changed from 4 to 3. The Eugene and Grants Pass districts have been consolidated. The conference reports show a very successful year in all aspects of the church work. The next conference will be held at Albany.

Was Not Accepted.

Rev. D. T. Summerville former presiding Elder of this district, was appointed by the Oregon Methodist Conference to fill the Albany pulpit, but the Methodist church at Albany being owned solely by the local congregation it is their right to reject any minister appointed by the conference, and they have rejected Rev. Summerville.

The Methodists at Albany wanted either Rev. Heppie, who had promised to go to the Albany Methodist church at Portland, or Rev. J. W. McDougall of Grants Pass, who did not desire to leave his charge.

The action taken by the Albany church is not due to any personal objection to Mr. Summerville other than his extreme age.

Off For Elko.

Guy T. Bowman, who has worked in this office, as foreman for the past three years, gave up the job last Saturday, and Monday left on the southern stage for Reno, where he will take the S. P. train for Elko, Nevada, where he has accepted a position on the Daily Independent as foreman at a good salary. Mr. Bowman is a first-class printer, and has done good work in this office. We wish him success wherever he goes, and congratulate the publisher of the Independent on his good fortune in securing a good steady foreman.

Sheep Sales Reported This Week.

Wm. Harvey sold one thousand head of 2 and 3-year-old weathers to G. B. Wilcox, the mutton buyer. Mr. Harvey refused to state the price, as nearly every man has done this fall who has sold stock of any kind, but said the price was fair.

S. B. Chandler sold a bunch of weathers to Champayne, the mutton buyer. He also bought some other bunches, about 3000 head in all. The best that we can find out about \$2.25 per head was paid.

Carey Act Still in Force.

Contrary to the general belief, the right of the state to select arid land under the terms of the Carey act did not expire by limitation on August 18. That the right to select land under the Carey act has not expired and will not expire at any time now fixed is declared in a letter from Acting Secretary of the Interior Thomas Ryan. Applications now on file and new ones are being considered.

POSTMASTER GENERAL

Died Of Heart Trouble After Brief Illness--Has Been in Poor Health For Two Years.

CORTELYOU PAYNES SUCCESSOR

Henry C. Payne Postmaster General of the United States, died at his apartments in Washington October 4, after an illness covering but 7 days. Mr. Payne had been in poor health about two years, and owing to this fact he has repeatedly expressed his desire to retire from the cabinet, and would have sent in his resignation before now had it not been for the muddle the department has been in the past several months as a result of the postoffice fraud investigation. He has said that he did not like to leave the cabinet until he completed the work he had started to do, that of clearing up the postoffice frauds.

Geo. B. Cortelyou, had been selected by the president to fill the office made vacant by Mr. Payne's resignation, when should come, and it is likely that the place will go to him. Cortelyou is now chairman of the National committee and has his hands full with campaign work, and it is not likely he will undertake the duties of Postmaster General till after election, and even then Mr. Cortelyou will have much to do in the final settlement of the campaign business, and may desire to take a rest, so that several weeks, and possibly months will intervene before Mr. Cortelyou is ready to take charge of the office, and in the interim, Mr. Robt. J. Wynne will act as Postmaster General.

Henry C. Payne was 60 years of age, and was considered one of the stalwarts of his party in his home state, Wisconsin.

President Roosevelt was the last caller at Mr. Payne's bedside to see him alive. Ten minutes after the President left the last spark of life fled. Payne was a particular favorite of the President.

To Be Goldfield Merchant.

Frank B. Evans left for Goldfield last Monday morning, where he goes to enter upon a business career under his own supervision. Frank was raised in Lakeview, and has been clerking in the stores here for about ten years, and has become a thorough scholar in his profession. For several years he has been head clerk in the Bailey & Massingill store, and his services with Messrs Bailey & Massingill have proven his worth to himself as well as to his employers, and imbued him with sufficient confidence in his own ability to start him out for himself.

Mr. Evans has selected an ideal spot to launch upon his own resources and his winning ways and business turn will certainly be an easy step to his success.

Frank has scores of friends who will wish him the greatest of success.

Asks For Information.

Frank Hayek of Portland writes The Examiner for information about Lake county. He wants copy of the paper and says: "If you know of any printed matter descriptive of your county and its resources, other than such articles as are from time to time published in the Oregonian, please inform me where such information can be had."