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GENEROUS DISPOSITION

Of Property Directed In The Simmons Will

Relatives Made Beneficiaries Of Majority Of Estate

Residue Is To Be Divided Among Decedent's Friends

Hite As Assignee Brings Ac- tion In Partition

Other Notes From The County Court House

The will of A. H. Simmons has been admitted to probate. It was executed on June 22, 1916, in the presence of Columbus Ewalt and Addison Myers.

The testator directs that his property, 110 East Ohio avenue, go to S. J. Simmons until the daughter of the latter, Ethel J. Reynolds, is ready to go to housekeeping when it shall become her property.

The property at 108 East Ohio avenue is given to a sister, Jemima J. Jackson, together with \$1,000 of life insurance.

A nephew, Albert J. Williams, is made beneficiary of a property, 308 Calhoun street, while a niece, Maude Miles, is given the property at 901 Vine street.

S. J. Simons is given the property under contract to Cooper Jackson and located at 300 1-2 Calhoun street.

The following miscellaneous bequests are made: \$500 and dresser to Sally Parker for kindness shown; piano, center table and clock to Anna Sites; 1-2 dozen black walnut chairs to Mrs. Sarah Sites; cancellation of mortgage and note held against Mary Anderson; \$100 to A. M. E. church; cancellation of notes held against

Tilton, has commenced an action in partition against Grace E. Tilton, John W. Tilton, the First National Bank of Utena and Jennie Probasco, the land in question being located in Martinsburg. Plaintiff is own attorney.

Deeds Filed—

Anna T. Trimble to Allie E. Lewis, part of lot 159, Mt. Vernon, \$1.

F. A. Shultz to Harry C. Conkle, lot 2, H. M. Richard's addition to Buckeye City, \$250.

Mary E. Whitte to Harry N. Johnson, lot 16, factory addition to Mt. Vernon, \$1.

FORD

DESPITE OPPORTUNITY FOR \$200 SALARY INCREASE, WILL REMAIN WITH M. P. CHURCH IN THIS CITY.

The congregation of the M. P. church has received an answer in the call recently extended the pastor, Rev. O. E. Ford, to resign next year, the same having been accepted.

Rev. Ford hesitated some time before communicating his decision to the members of his church here, another offer having been made him with a salary increase of \$200.

On account of his many friends here, together with the fact that he has been largely instrumental in bringing the local church to its present high plane, Rev. Ford decided to remain in this city.

"TINY" GINN

MAY BE ATHLETIC MENTOR AT MT. VERNON HIGH NEXT YEAR—PROMINENT AT O. S. U.

There is a well-defined rumor to the effect that "Tiny" Ginn, star athlete of O. S. U., will be the successor of Coach J. F. Jacks as instructor of the athletic teams of Mt. Vernon high school next year.

Ginn, it is understood, has not signed a contract as yet, but the terms offered him are said to be very favorable. He will, of course, instruct in academic work at the high school, if he comes to the high school.

Ginn is one of the best all-round athletes turned out by O. S. U. in recent years. His football prowess is well known, while his work on the basketball teams of O. S. U. for several years has attracted wide attention. He would be a worthy successor to Coach Jacks.

OFFICERS

PACIFIC COAST BACKS WILSON

Republican Referendum Up- holds All Vital Issues

REP. DILL MAKES CANVASS

Poll of 12,500 Votes in State of Washington Taken by Former Fredericktown Boy Shows Strong Administration Sentiment

Washington, D. C., June 29—Democratic congressmen regard as very significant a referendum taken by Congressman Dill, formerly of Fredericktown, Ohio, in the Spokane congressional district, state of Washington. The referendum was on the vital questions with which the administration is dealing. The president was sustained in every particular. The district is strongly Republican.

Thousands of Replies

"I sent a list of questions to every man and woman who voted in the Fifth congressional district of Washington in 1914, and I received literally thousands of replies," Mr. Dill said. "These replies came from every class of people in every part of the district, both city and country. The first question I asked was whether or not they favored increasing the appropriations from \$250,000,000 to \$500,000,000 for preparedness. In reply I received a majority of 300 in favor of the big preparedness program.

"The total was 12,517. Those in favor were 6,412 and those opposed 6,105. And the striking thing about it was that in Spokane, a city of 140,000 people, my home town, the vote was nearly three to two in favor of this program, while in the country districts surrounding Spokane, in the outlying counties, it was nearly three to two against the program.

Overwhelming Republican

"Now I happen to live in a district that is normally overwhelmingly Republican, and I asked two questions, the results of which are interesting from a political standpoint. I asked whether or not they were in favor of supporting the president's policy as to Mexico, and as to the European war, and the answers show that by a vote of more than three to one they support the president's policy in Mexico, and as to the European war, and the answers show that by a vote of more than three to one they support the president's policy in Mexico, and by a vote of more than two to one

BARRE

WILL PROBABLY TAKE OVER LOCAL BASEBALL CLUB

Possession Will Be Given July 8—Exceptionally Strong Team Is Promised—Big Tournament With National Stars

With the exception of a few minor details, a deal has been completed whereby Dale E. Barre will take over the Mt. Vernon base ball club from its present owner, Joseph Ferguson. Mr. Barre expects to assume charge on Sunday, July 8.

Only a few of the present members of the team will be retained by Mr. Barre who intends to place in the lineup several of the men he has used on his team which has been playing out-of-town Sunday ball this season. The remainder of the players will probably be imported.

Mr. Barre is planning for a big base ball tournament to be held here at the end of the season in which teams from Mansfield, Newark, Mt. Vernon and Knox county will compete. The latter nine will be organized from players outside of Mt. Vernon.

As a special feature of this tournament, Mr. Barre hopes to secure the services of "Ty" Cobb and Tris Speaker, in case these two stars are not playing post-season ball. The tournament will occupy two days and promises, if put through, to attract much attention.

High class base ball each Sunday will be the watchword of Mr. Barre in case he takes over the club. He promises that all games will be clean; that the Mt. Vernon club will be one of the strongest the city has known in years and that only the best nine will be hooked in for games.

ARDNER

Calls on Old Interstate League Companions in Mansfield and Has a Delightful Chinning Match

Joe Ardner, a baseball player who was famous in the old days when Mansfield belonged to the Interstate league, dropped into the city yesterday and called on his old friends. In his time, Ardner was one of the greatest players in the game and the older Mansfield fans will remember when he was the star second sacker of the Interstate league.

During his stay in the city he had an interesting fanning been with Carl McVey, Pete Sommers and Mit West, all of whom were playing when he was in his prime.