

BUT ONE OF JURY IS FOR HERMANN

Heney's Hearing Bad, He Misses Man With Opinion in the Box.

GEO. SELKIRK HOLDS OUT

Reports of Jury Conversations to Be Investigated—Dozen Discharged Though They Expected Final Agreement.

(Continued From First Page.) for his pay-check. "He is the man who possessed a conscientious conviction. Juror Metcalf corroborated Pearson. "Selkirk," said Metcalf, "said he had a conviction when they had him on the stand, and he kept it all the way through the trial. There never was a time when he was not for Hermann. We offered to compromise by recommending leniency, but Selkirk would not do it."

action in deciding to put him to trial. The government is ready to try the case against immediately, or at any time that Mr. Hermann and his attorneys can be ready to go to trial. Colonel Worthington came from a long distance, however, and had undergone business in the morning at Washington, D. C., and consequently I did not feel justified in insisting upon setting the case for trial again at this time. It is a curious fact that the one juror who voted for acquittal was secured after the defendant had accepted the challenge allowed to him under the law as it existed until the last session of the court. An act was passed at the last session of the court which increased the number of challenges allowed to the defendant in this kind of a case from three to ten. When the challenge was made, the court ruled that the defendant was entitled to have the benefit of that statute, and it was only by reason of that ruling that Mr. Selkirk was secured as a juror.

My experience in Oregon has deeply impressed me with the high sense of civic duty possessed by the average of jurors who are called into the Federal court for duty. I believe that the standard of citizenship and sense of personal obligation in the enforcement of the law is higher in Oregon than in any other state in the Union. Oregon is well regarded upon the character of the masses of its citizenship.

Defense Plans Unsettled.

"Kindly excuse me from any discussion of the Hermann case at this time," said Attorney Gearing. "The defense will be ready to take up a second trial of the case as soon as an attorney representing the government has arranged his Washington affairs. My associate departed for the Capitol as soon as the jury was discharged, and it is at this time I am unable to fix the date of his return."

Vancouver Army Athletes Divide Honors

Privates to Learn Cooking and Baking—Chances at Barracks. VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The finals in the indoor athletic games were played in the post gymnasium Saturday night and the honors were evenly divided between the three battalion teams of the First Infantry. The result of the series of games is as follows:

First Battalion, First Infantry, championship in indoor baseball, prize \$15; Second Battalion, First Infantry, in basketball, prize \$10; Third Battalion, First Infantry, championship in bowling, prize \$10.

The following men left the post last night for a four months' tour at the School for Bakers and Cooks at the Presidio of San Francisco:

Private Curtis Gardner, Company B, First Infantry, as cook; Private Nathaniel M. Strobel, Company D, First Infantry, as baker; Private George W. Dyer, Company G, First Infantry, as cook; Private Dalbert E. Johnson, Company B, Second Field Artillery, as cook.

A board of officers has been convened to meet at this post at 8:30 A. M. February 16, for the examination of such officers of the garrison school as are required to receive military orders, to take the examination in military topography. The members of the board are Major John Conklin, Second Field Artillery; Captain Leroy S. Upton, First Infantry; and Major J. E. Nowlin, First Infantry.

A board of officers has been convened to examine the non-commissioned officers of Company F, Engineers, in the subject of "Bridges." The members of the board are Captain Elliot J. Dent and Second Lieutenant D. E. Humphrey, both of Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel James S. Rogers, First Infantry, has been relieved as private instructor in the garrison school for officers in international law, and Captain Robert S. O'Leary, First Infantry, has been detailed in his stead.

Private Charles E. Fitzgerald, Company B, First Infantry, returned from furlough yesterday. Private, First Infantry, William B. Sinclair, Hospital Corps, is relieved from duty at Vancouver Barracks and is on his way to Fort Lacombe, Alaska. Austin D. Perry, Civil Service, is assigned to duty at headquarters, is ordered to report to Major George Bell, Jr., at Fort Wright, Wash., and Seattle, Wash. for temporary duty.

Second Lieutenants Matthew A. Palen, Twenty-fifth Infantry, has been ordered to proceed to Clark Creek Mine No. 4, near Coal Creek, King County, Wash., and Black Diamond Mine No. 21, near Black Diamond, King County, Wash., to superintend the mining, packing and shipping of samples of coal for official test by the Quartermaster Department.

The following officers have been detailed to make the annual inspection of the organized militia at the following places:

Major Francis J. Kernan, Twenty-fifth Infantry, the organized militia of the state of Washington, and the field companies of the First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Companies, Coast Artillery Reserve Corps, organized militia, state of Washington; Captain Francis R. Lacey, Jr., First Infantry, the organized militia, state of Washington; Colonel Richard E. Thompson, First Infantry, Company A, Signal Corps, organized militia, state of Washington.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. MEYER-SWICK—M. E. Meyer, 31 years, 412 Alder st., and Julia Swick, 24 years, 1221 Commercial, city.

HALDORS-PELSEKE—Bernard Severin Haldors, 29 years, 109 1/2 1st st., and Mathilda Pelseke, 22 years, city.

DOUGLASS-THOMPSON—John Downey, 28 years, Clackamas, and Florence Esbly, 22 years, city.

SEIP-TILLMAN—Alexander Seip, 23 years, 866 Rodney ave., and Katrina Tillman, 23 years, 214 1/2 1st st., city.

VIRGIN-HARRIS—Walter Virgin, 39 years, Seattle, Wash., and Lelah Del Harris, 23 years, city.

WARFIELD-MCKENZIE—Robert H. Warfield, 24 years, 1000 1/2 1st st., and Caroline McKenzie, 28 years, city.

SWANSON-McKENZIE—Robert E. Swanson, 28 years, city, and Julia M. Smith, 18 years, city.

RIBBAU-BROWN—Leou Ribbau, 22 years, Vancouver Barracks, Wash., and Adeline Brown, 19 years, city.

CRIPP-HOLMES—Frederick John Cripp, 24 years, Spokane, Wash., and Gertrude Y. Holmes, 18 years, city.

DUNN-SPENCER—Spencer W. Dunn, 27 years, 230 1/2 1st st., and Maxine Spencer, 22 years, city.

GILWIRE-GARDINER—Fred H. Gilwire, 27 years, Astoria, and Ada Florence Gardiner, 22 years, city.

WEVER-NICHOLS—J. C. Wever, 28 years, Red Oak, Iowa, and Ruth E. Nichols, 20 years, city, and Eva L. Lawrence, 23 years, city.

Wedding and visiting cards, W. G. Smith & Co., Washington bldg., 4th and Wash.

Bantam Would Be Champion Again. NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Harry Forbes, of Chicago, former bantamweight champion pugilist of the world, will make his appearance in a New York ring tonight after an absence of a number of years. He will meet Joe Coster before the Bedford Club in Brooklyn.

The strength of the bout will probably decide a match with Abe Attell, the featherweight champion, as a club in Troy, N. Y., will stage the bout on February 21 if Forbes is the winner.

STARVING, HE EATS DOG

ALASKA PROSPECTOR RELATES THRILLING STORY.

Without Food, He Loses Way in Wilderness, and Reaches Nome Badly Exhausted.

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—Lost for 18 days in the Koyukuk Valley, Alaska, with the thermometer registering 64 to 66 below zero, without food, matches, axe or knife, Vernon Brewster, an old-time prospector and miner, was forced to kill three of his dogs in order to save his own life in the frozen wilderness.

Brewster has reached Nome to recount his terrible experience. His journey down the Koyukuk was beset with terrible privations and multiplied hardships. He was making his way from Chandler to Beetles, and had food but for three days. In taking a short cut he missed Beetles and struck the river below where the store is located. On the sixth day out his condition became desperate. He feared that if he slept he could not awake to do his almost exhausted with hunger. He killed one of his dogs for food. For the next few days he went without food, and then, growing weaker, and realizing that his team could not hold out much longer, he killed another dog to satisfy his own hunger and the ravenous appetites of the team.

Five days later, with death again at his elbow, a third dog was sacrificed. On the 16th day he staggered into the telegraph station at the mouth of the river, where he was immediately given medical attention and nursed back to normal. One of his dogs was today badly frozen, and his face was scarred in many places by the cold.

Peter Munson, another Koyukuk miner, reports an even worse experience. He became lost in a blizzard while on a stamped to locate claims on the Pilgrim River on New Year's day, and was taken to Nome for treatment. Both feet and hands were so badly frozen that all four members had to be amputated. Notwithstanding the gangrene set in, and Munson became a raving maniac. By this time he has probably found release from his suffering in death, as there was no hope of his recovery.

It is expected that plans and specifications for the new Broadway bridge across the Willamette River, will be submitted today to Major J. E. McIndoe, United States Engineers, for his inspection and examination today. The plans are in the hands of the committee of the Council.

In case the specifications and plans are delivered to Major McIndoe today, a meeting of persons interested will be called for some day next week and objections heard regarding the construction of the proposed bridge. February 22 being a holiday the meeting will probably be called for Wednesday, February 23.

Interest on the part of the Government lies only in the bearing that the proposed bridge will have on navigation. It is in this feature alone that Major McIndoe will take up at the public hearing and in his personal perusal of the plans as sent to him by the Council committee.

MINDOE TO REVIEW PLANS

Council Expects to Call Meeting to Hear Objections.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. PORTLAND, Feb. 14.—Maximum temperature, 35.9; minimum, 33.2; range, 2.7. Wind, S. by E. 3.7. Clouds, 100. Precipitation, 0.00. Relative humidity, 92.0. Total rainfall, 0.00. Average wind velocity, 2.2. Maximum wind velocity, 3.0. Direction of wind, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of rain, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of snow, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of hail, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of sleet, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of fog, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of mist, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of drizzle, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of rain, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of snow, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of hail, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of sleet, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of fog, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of mist, S. by E. 3.7. Direction of drizzle, S. by E. 3.7.

WEATHER CONDITIONS. The barometer has risen rapidly over the Northwest States, notwithstanding which unsettled showers were common today over the Cascade Mountains, while to the east of this range there has been a moderate fall of rain, which later turned to snow. It is much colder in Southern Idaho, Northern Utah, Northern Nevada and Western Wyoming, elsewhere the temperatures have remained nearly stationary. Clear weather prevails along the coast, with moderately high winds from the west, and colder weather east of the Cascade Mountains.

PORTLAND AND VICINITY—Occasional rain; cooler to west, with light winds from the west, followed by fair and colder east. Idaho—Snow and colder. EDWARD BEAL, District Forecaster.

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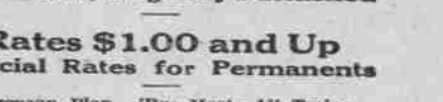
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FUNERAL NOTICES

STOCK—In this city, February 13, at the family residence, 228 Hall St., Myrtle Stock, 62 years, died of pneumonia at 10:30 A. M. Friends invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held at Holman's chapel at 10 A. M. today (Tuesday), February 15. Interment Greenwood Cemetery.

AUCTION SALES TODAY

At Baker's Auction House, 152 Park Street, at the Furniture, etc. Sale at 10 o'clock. Baker & Sons, auctioneers.

MEETING NOTICES

AND A. S. RIFE—Almorth Chapter of Rose Croix No. 1. Regular meeting in Auditorium, South Side Cathedral, this evening at 8 o'clock. Led by Bro. D. Solis Cohen, 221 George St., subject, "The West." By order WIRE MASTER.

MEETING NOTICES

PORTLAND CHAPTER, U. D. O. E. S. A. stated communication this evening at 8 o'clock. In W. G. Hall, 214 Russell St. By order W. M. Wallace, Secretary. ANNIE E. COOTE, Sec.

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