

CRIME AGAIN LAID TO MRS. HAZZARD

Body of Woman She Is Said to Have Starved, Mutilated, Lawyer Asserts.

FUNERAL MEN IMPLICATED

Damages Amounting to \$25,000 Asked for Alleged Illegal Autopsy by "Starvation Doctor." Defendant Is Still Held.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—Formal charges against Mrs. Linda R. Hazzard, of Seattle, known as the "starvation doctor," for alleged desecration of the dead body of Miss Claire Williamson, were drawn up in Tacoma today by Attorney Frank H. Kelley. Damages to the amount of \$25,000 are asked. E. R. Buttersworth & Sons, Seattle undertakers, are made co-defendants and must appear to answer the complaint which will be filed in Kitsap County courts probably tomorrow. This suit is in addition to the first degree murder charge already filed.

The principal basis of the suit, according to the attorney, will be the fact that Mrs. Hazzard held an autopsy at the rooms of the Buttersworth Company without due process of law. In addition, she is alleged to have "mutilated" and removed many internal organs therefrom and converted them to her own use.

Attorney Kelley alleges that these organs were kept on exhibition in Mrs. Hazzard's offices in Seattle. The law specifically says no autopsy may be held unless the deceased has no blood relatives who possess rights of sepulcher, or in case some crime was committed," said the attorney.

The sister, Evelyn Dorothea, was not consulted at all before the autopsy took place, and it was directly against her wishes.

Mr. Kelley, in discussing the charges made by Miss Dorothea that she was practically hypnotized by Dr. Hazzard, said:

"Miss Dorothea probably was misunderstood. It is not my belief that anything like hypnotism was resorted to, but that the women were kept under control by suggestion through fear and extreme weakness."

Mrs. Hazzard is still a prisoner at Fort Orchard, in spite of strenuous efforts of her counsel to furnish \$10,000 bail fixed by the court. Her attorney is trying to arrange with a surety company for the furnishing of the bond.

UNIQUE WHEAT SALE MADE

Buyer Pays 65 Cents Down and Is to Give More on Advance.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Aug. 7.—(Special.)—A unique sale of a large quantity of wheat stored in the Farmers' warehouse here since last harvest, has been made by Snow Brothers, large wheat growers of this section, to Mark P. Miller, proprietor of the Moscow Roller Mills.

The conditions of the sale were that Mr. Miller advance 65 cents per bushel on the 6000 bushels and Snow Brothers deliver the wheat yesterday, with a provision that at any time before January, 1912, that the price of wheat should be over 65 cents, Mr. Miller is to pay them the advance, providing they call the sale. On the other hand, if wheat goes down before Snow Brothers call a sale, and they must call on some date prior to January, 1912, then Mr. Miller is to pay or have returned the difference between the decline, if any, and the 65 cents he has already advanced.

OLD EUGENE CHURCH SOLD

Syndicate Buys Property—\$100,000 Edifice Is Planned.

EUGENE, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—Steps toward the construction of a new Methodist Episcopal Church in Eugene were taken Friday when the old church property was sold to a syndicate of local capitalists, and the contract for excavation and laying of the concrete foundation was let to Guy Pyle, of Eugene.

Plans for the building were received before the first of the year, but a mis-

understanding with the architect prevented work being begun in the Spring. W. O. Heckart, who superintended building of the Presbyterian Church here a few years ago, was employed to take charge of construction of the Methodist Church as soon as it was found that work could go forward. Only the foundation will be constructed this Fall, and in the Winter contracts for other work will be let that the building may be begun as early in 1912 as weather will permit.

The church will occupy 125 by 132 feet, and will cost \$100,000. Of this amount, between \$35,000 and \$40,000 has been pledged, and the sale of the old church property will add nearly \$25,000.

Purchasers of the old property include W. O. Heckart, R. H. Friendly, Dr. D. A. Raine, Dr. William Kuykendall, F. Chamberlain and R. A. Booth. The property is at the corner of Tenth and Williamette streets, just south of the last of the business houses on that side of town. The Young Men's Christian Association is just across the alley to the south.

The site for the new church is also on Williamette street, but two blocks further south beyond the business part of the city.

GUN AIDS IN KINAPING

RACHER INVADERS MOTHER-IN-LAW'S HOME FOR CHILD.

With Babe Crying in Arms He Escapes Across River at Summer, Wash., on Boom of Logs.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—Frustrated in his attempt to lawfully gain possession of his 3-year-old daughter through the machinery of the courts, Frank Neil, an Oregon rancher, with his father and a companion, went to the home of his wife's mother at Summer Saturday night and, at the point of a pistol, secured the infant, and escaped, according to a complaint made in the Superior Court today. It is thought the trio are in Oregon by this time.

The complaint says further that Thomas O'Donnell stood guard at the gate with a cocked revolver while Neil, with his father, Joseph Neil, entered the yard. Joe Young, the Chinese husband of the grandmother of the Neil child, was thrown to the ground and held by Joseph Neil, while the father of the girl hurriedly searched the house for her.

They were seen to cross the river on a boom of logs, the child crying lustily, and the father was seen seated astride log comforting her.

The kidnapping occurred at 8 o'clock in the evening and it is thought that the party changed their clothes on the other bank of the river and boarded one of the Portland tugs.

CAPITOL PLANS FRAMED

NEW YORK ARCHITECTS TO VIEW SITE AT OLYMPIA.

Changes in Interior of Temple of Justice Will Be Drafted and Work Started Within Year.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—In selecting the plans for the grouping of buildings of the new State Capitol and for the Temple of Justice, the first unit of the series, the Washington Capitol Commission had in mind the choosing of a firm of architects capable of handling the work, rather than deciding upon a hard and fast plan for the \$50,000,000 capitol. Wilder & White, of New York, the successful contestants, are believed by the Commission, to be qualified, as they are highly indorsed in New York and Washington, D. C.

They will come West to look over the site within a short time and then the commission will take up with them proposed changes in the interior of the Temple of Justice, and perhaps some modifications of the grouping arrangements.

Work on the temple will be started within a year, as the Commission will sell off a tract of capitol lands in October, let the contract this Fall, and will be started in the Spring, so that the building will be completed by the time the next Legislature meets.

Fire Loss Is Uninsured.

DUFUR, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—Fire which started at an early hour yesterday morning destroyed the large roller skating rink here owned by Faust & Furneaux. Hard work on the part of the firemen and citizens prevented the flames from spreading to adjoining buildings. The loss is estimated at \$1000. No insurance was carried on the property.

CONGENIAL OREGON LAUDED BY LONDON

Writer and Wife Enjoy Their "Mid-life Honeymoon" in Tour of State.

HOSPITALITY WINS HEART

Author Arrives at Roseburg After Long Journey by Team—Sporting Field in Journalism More Interesting Than Fiction.

ROSEBURG, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—Driving a prancing four-horse team and accompanied by Mrs. London and their Japanese camp boy, Jack London drove into the city late today after an uneventful journey from Bandon and Marshfield. London had hardly registered at the hotel when he was besieged by a large audience eager to learn of his wanderings.

In his apartments at the McClallen Hotel tonight London said he never felt better in his life, but he expressed regret that Mrs. London had contracted a severe attack of poison oak on their trip from California.

"We left the coast three days ago," said Mr. London, "and I assure you that we have enjoyed every foot of the trip. We stopped here and there along the road and that we were treated like princes would be putting it mildly. "One farmer became so enthusiastic over our coming that he offered to corral a deer that I might shoot it and show my California friends that I am not only a writer, but a hunter."

Oregon Scenery Laundered.

Talk about your natural scenery. I have visited many sections of the United States, but never in the past have I seen so much of the natural beauty of the state as I have here. Southern Oregon might be termed nature's own garden, blessed with all of those essentials required in the make-up of a tourist's paradise. Being a true-bred Californian, I must not say too much, other than I take off my hat to your people when it comes to climate.

"We have been on the road for several months, and to date have covered about 800 miles. Leaving here tomorrow morning, we will continue our journey southward, stopping at Crater lake and other points of interest."

"We expect to reach Glenn ranch about November 1, and this complete one of the most pleasant journeys of my lifetime."

Vacation Only Object.

"There are a lot of people who are of the opinion that my present trip is in the interest of journalism. Such is not the truth, however. My wife and I are simply enjoying our mid-life honeymoon. She needed the outdoor life and of course I was willing to go. We make it a point to stop at hotels as much as possible, and I wish to say that the hospitality displayed by the Oregon landlords is nothing short of marvelous. At each place visited we have been treated courteously, and I shall ever have a soft spot in my heart for Oregon."

London said that he best liked the sporting field in journalism, and that he probably would cater to the wants of the sporting fraternity in the future.

"You well know that novel writing is monotonous, while a seat beside the arena has its thrilling fascinations. Another thing, I believe that a journalist is given more encouragement in daily writing than in books which appear at intervals and are soon forgotten by a busy public," he said.

Mr. London and his wife leave Roseburg early tomorrow, expecting to reach Drayton by evening.

DOCTOR'S DEATH STRANGE

Physician Found Dead in Bed With Bath Water Hot.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Aug. 7.—Dr. Lewis E. Engelman, a well-known physician, was found dead in his office on the ground floor of the American National Bank building today. Evidently he had been dead for 24 hours. He was lying diaphanous on a bed and the gas lamps and an instantaneous water heater were turned on. His body was terribly blistered.

School Controversy Explained.

FOREST GROVE, Or., Aug. 7.—(Spe-

cial.)—(To the Editor.)—Your Beaverton correspondent was slightly in error in the item in reference to the Kinton School, which appeared recently. The teachers, Mrs. Willis and I, did not ask for any salary until a full school month of four weeks had been taught. The board, of which C. E. Kindt was chairman, refused to pay at the end of each month, insisting that salaries were not due until the first of each calendar month following the close of each school month. This would mean a delay of over half a month at the beginning, and nearly a full month at the close of the term, instead of "five days." We naturally refused to submit to such unprecedented treatment, and refused to open school until our salaries were paid, either in cash or by warrants. (Mrs. Willis and I composed the entire faculty.) The board refused to pay, and passed an order of dismissal, without giving us an opportunity to defend our action. We naturally did not feel inclined to allow our rights to be thus ignored, and now the case is left for the court to decide. V. WILLIS, Principal-elect Dilley High School.

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JUDICIARY COMMISSION SEES LACK OF "STABILITY."

Members Conclude Power Does Not Extend to Recall of Judges. Committees Are Named.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—That the jurisdiction of the Judiciary Commission on the revision of the judicial system does not extend to the recall of the judiciary is one of the conclusions reached at a meeting of the link of its prospective work along the line of the commission, further than organization of committees.

Informally there was considerable discussion of the questions with which the Commission must grapple and an abundance of varying theories were advanced, indicating that the commission has a task before it to reach distinct conclusions. There seems to be harmony, however.

A feeling has been put into expression by some of the members of the Commission that their present labors are more or less futile, owing to the possibility of repeated changes in the system.

Even though the present Commission prepares an elaborate bill, after months of study, and this bill becomes law, the constitution amendment allows full opportunity for the Legislature or the people to revolutionize the judicial system again in the course of the following year.

"Stability" is considered the real goal to be attained for the courts by these members of the Commission, and the possibility of repeated changes is not encouraging to them.

Members of the Commission present were S. T. Richardson, chairman; R. Butler, Condon; S. M. Garland, Lebanon; A. E. Clark, Portland; and Thomas O'Day, Portland.

The committee on pleading and practice includes Clark and Reames. Judges Butler and O'Day were selected on the structure of courts, Peterson and Garfield on consideration of probate practice. Chairman Richardson is an ex-officio member of all the committees.

The Commission will hold its meeting in Portland at the office of A. E. Clark on August 26.

GEN. MAUS AT KLAMATH

Proposed Maneuver Grounds Are Viewed by Commander.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—Brigadier-General Maus, in charge of the troops at Vancouver, is here to inspect the land being surveyed for a possible maneuver grounds for the Western division of the United States troops and militia. For the past six weeks Lieutenant Whitley, of the Field Surveying Corps at Vancouver, has been here with a corps of assistants making surveys of the country north of here and along the line of the Klamath Indian Reservation. This work is about half completed now. Today the General left for Fort Klamath, where he will be joined by Captain O. C. Applegate; they will accompany Lieutenant Whitley into the territory which he is surveying.

Babe Lies in Dead Arms.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—With her six-weeks-old baby in her arms, as she lay in bed at her home in Washougal, Mrs. Alice Corryell died of heart disease yesterday, where she was later found by the family. She seemed as well as usual the evening before and went with her husband, C. E. Corryell, for an automobile ride. She was 41 years old, a native of Pennsylvania, and had lived in this country 15 years. The body will be taken to a Portland crematorium.

A club there is of smokers— dare you come To that close, clouded, hot, narcotic room? —Crabbe

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EXCURSION ITINERARY OUT

Chamber of Commerce, Commercial Club, Exposition Officials, Press Club and City Fathers Due in Portland August 18.

ASTORIA, Aug. 7.—(Special.)—C. W. Burke, of San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, has advised the Astoria Centennial committee of the itinerary of the special train which is to carry the combined excursions of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, the San Francisco Commercial Club, Panama Pacific Exposition officials, the Press Club and Mayor McCarthy and city officials from San Francisco to Astoria for Panama-Pacific day, which is August 18.

The special train of electric lighted Pullmans, with dining and observation facilities is to run over the Southern Pacific Railroad to Portland and then over the Spokane, Portland & Seattle. Those leaving San Francisco will be able to make this trip at a cost of \$28.50, plus the sleeper charge.

The train will leave San Francisco at 9:40 P. M. August 16, arrive at Portland at 6:30 A. M. on the 18th, leave Portland a half hour later and arrive at Astoria at 10:30 A. M. The return from Astoria will be Saturday, August 19, at 2 A. M., getting into Portland at 6 in the morning, where the party will be all day and evening.

The special will leave Portland at midnight, Sunday, August 20, and arrive in San Francisco Tuesday. The tickets of the members of this party, however, will be good to return on any train two weeks after the sale date without any extra charge.

William J. Smith, district commercial agent of the Western Union Telegraph Company, arrived today to complete arrangements for installing a through line to the White House, Washington, so President Taft may press a button and officially open the Astoria Centennial on Thursday. With Mr. Smith were two linemen who are to make the necessary connections with the through wires of the Western Union Company. The through trunk line will run from Washington up through Harrisburg, Altoona, Pittsburg, Pa.; Columbus, O.; Detroit, Mich.; Chicago, Denver, Spokane, Seattle, Portland and then to Astoria. At Astoria the line will connect with the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company, over whose line

the connection will be completed from Astoria to the Centennial grounds. It has been arranged that as soon as President Taft presses the button in Washington an instantaneous circuit will be closed and a huge aerial bomb of lyditte will be exploded in the air.

The report from this bomb may be heard for 21 miles, and it will be the signal for all the guns of the warships in the harbor and from those at various Columbia River forts to belch forth the Presidential salute.

Members of the Oregon National Guard will answer this salute from the batteries, which will be located on Coxcomb Hill, and then the Centennial pageant will be officially opened with a speech by John Barrett, director of the Pan-American Union, representing President Taft, and Governor Oswald West, of Oregon.

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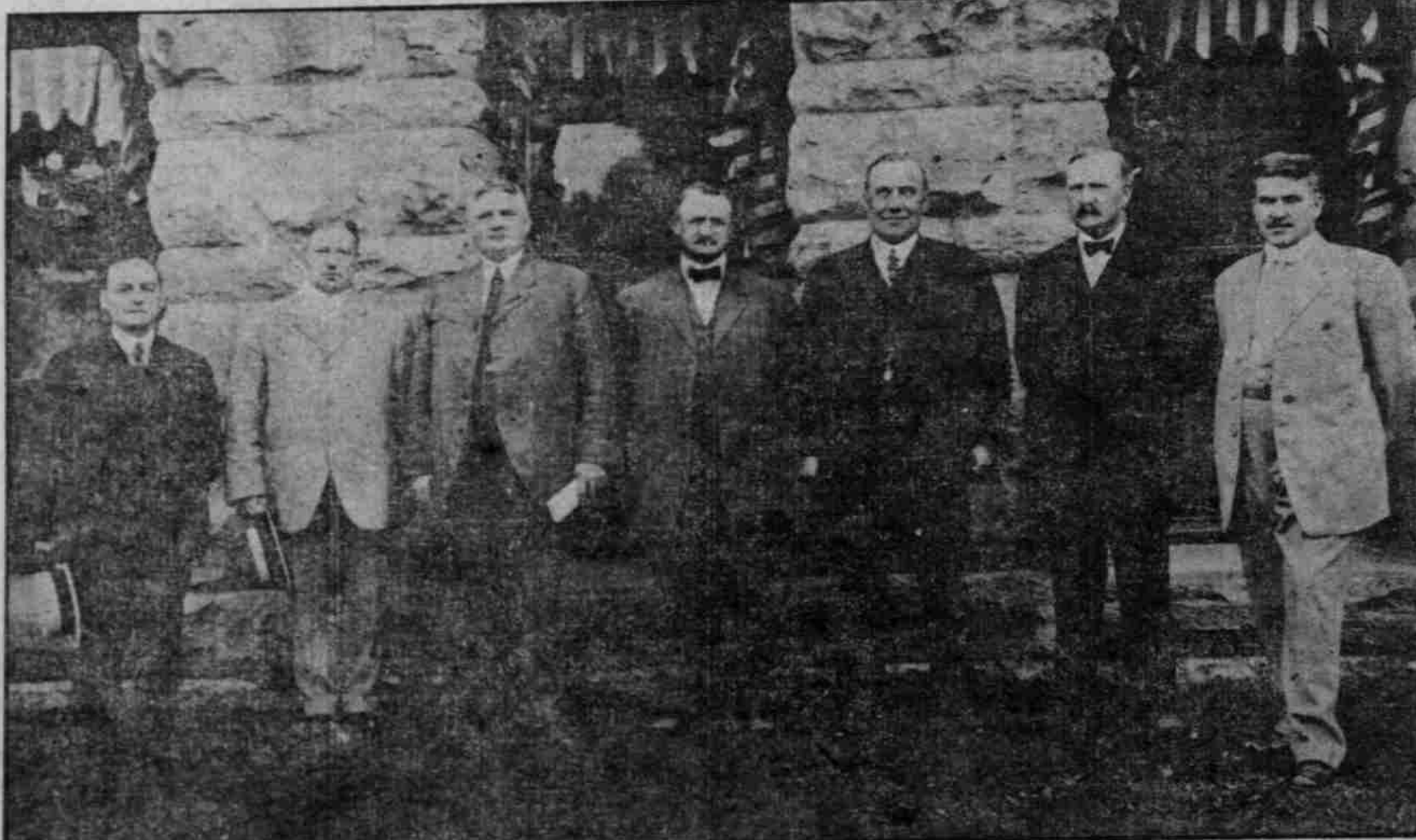
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