

DR. HAZZARD, SEVERELY ILL, IS UNDAUNTED

"Fast-Cure" Specialist Gets Indeterminate Sentence to Penitentiary.

NEW TRIAL MOTION DENIED

Judge, However, Approves Big Bail Bond of \$10,000 and Woman Says She Will Be Out and Practice Methods This Week.

PORT ORCHARD, Wash., Feb. 7.—(Special.)—"I feel that I am the victim of a great injustice, I know it takes time and patience to right such matters, but I know the truth will triumph in the end."

Standing erect before the court, and controlling her emotions with difficulty, Mrs. Linda Burfield Hazzard, the "fast-cure" specialist, convicted of manslaughter, received an indeterminate sentence of from two to 20 years in the state penitentiary at Walla Walla today, after firmly declaring her innocence of the charge on which she was convicted.

A few minutes after sentence had been passed the woman, convicted of slaying Miss Claire Williams, left the courtroom with her husband, Samuel G. Hazzard, ex-army officer and instructor at West Point.

Big Bail Bond Approved. A bail bond to the amount of \$10,000 pending appeal to the Supreme Court was approved by Judge John B. Takey and the presiding Attorney Thomas Stevenson just after Mrs. Hazzard had been sentenced. The bond would be furnished by the Standard Surety Insurance Company, of Texas.

Motion of her attorney for a new trial was denied by Judge John B. Takey. Instead of the jury had been returned the trial, Mrs. Hazzard received her sentence before a crowd of not more than 20 persons.

G. W. Gregory presented his grounds for asking a new trial without argument, his principal support being an affidavit from his law partner, E. D. Kerr, charging that the jury had been supplied with a magnifying glass with which to examine handwriting exhibits. Judge Takey declared that while the jury was deliberating, the bailiff had asked him if the jury could have a magnifying glass but that he had refused. He said he had no reason to believe the bailiff had disobeyed the court.

No Ground for Error Seen. He also stated that he could see no ground for error even if the jury had been supplied with a magnifying glass, as in the case a juror had put on eyeglasses.

Mr. Stevenson presented counter-affidavits contradicting the charge that a magnifying glass had been used. The affidavits were those of Jury Foreman F. T. Ryan and the bailiff in charge. In denying the motion Judge Takey declared the facts established in the trial warranted a manslaughter verdict and that it devolves upon the higher court to decide whether its interpretation of the law is correct.

"I will resume my practice in Seattle before the week is out," said Mrs. Hazzard, as she left the courtroom. Requests for treatment have been pouring in from all parts of the country during the trial. One woman has just come all the way from the State of Maine to place herself in his care.

Witnesses in the Hazzard trial who are alleged by the special prosecutor in the case, British Consul Agnew, to have committed perjury, will not be prosecuted. Mr. Stevenson said today. His little county looks upon the expenditure already resulting from the case as ruinous.

LINCOLN DRIES ARE ACTIVE

Campaign Already on in County by Prohibitionists.

MORO FARMERS NOW HAPPY

Reclamation Engineers Working on Big Dam for John Day Water.

BRIDGE FOES DROP CASE

Completion of Broadway Contract Prompts Dismissal Plea.

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Public Hospital Will Be One of Best of Kind in Oregon.

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of the companies which he and De Larm organized and of which he was secretary until recently.

The Columbia River Water Company, McWhorter testified, did no business, contracted no debts and could not be made insolvent even if the other subsidiary concerns went bankrupt. It was made the recipient of the valuable earnings of the other concerns.

McWhorter testified, De Larm believing it to be beyond the reach of all creditors. De Larm made a miscalculation, however, in the length of time which would elapse before a crisis in the affairs of the orchard companies was reached. Under the bankrupt laws, transfers such as De Larm made to the Columbia River Water Company are void unless made more than four months before the date of insolvency.

Attorneys for the creditors said today that it would be possible, after a court order, to record all assets of the Columbia River Water Company had been organized with the purpose to defraud.

The hearing before Judge Hoyt, the referee, was held at the request of several of the creditors, whose petition in the Federal court led several days ago to the appointment of Elmore Winkler as receiver of the Washington Orchard Irrigation & Fruit Co. Owing to a misunderstanding between Winkler and Receiver Harry E. Wilson, the receiver appointed by the state court, Wilson declined to turn over whatever papers he may have without a court order directing him to do so.

Wilson was cited today to appear before Judge Hoyt tomorrow to explain his attitude or be adjudged in contempt of court. It is believed the rival receivers will adjust their differences amicably.

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OREGON ELECTRIC SERVICE EXTENDED IN FEW MONTHS. Though Corvallis at Present Is Made Terminus of Cross-Valley Line, Extensions Are Predicted.

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President Carl R. Gray, of the Oregon Electric, told the Benton County Council at a reception tendered him last night in the Commercial Club rooms, that his line will give a service to Corvallis from the east side of the Willamette River within eight or nine months and will be running into the city proper as soon as the bridge across the river can be constructed.

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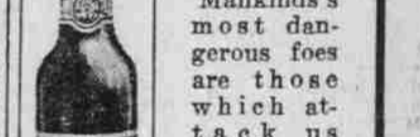
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