PROBE IN POLICE GRAFT IS DROPPED

Deputy Prosecutor Moves Dismissal of Indictment Against Captain Bailey.

PATROLMEN FREED ALSO

"Lack of Sufficient Evidence" Is Cause for Action—Fuller and Larfield Released for Services Given in Cole Trial.

Marking the end of almost a year of prosecutions for alleged graft in the police department, Deputy District Attorney Page, in Judge Kavanaugh's department of the Circuit Court, moved the dismissal of the indictment against Police Captain George H. Bailey, charged with accepting $12 from a woman of the underworld, "for lack of sufficient evidence." Captain Bailey had prepared a vigorous defence and recently said that he had secured a confession from a state witness.

At the same time a dismissal was taken of the indictments against Patrolmen George Larfield and Guy E. Fuller, indicted for perjury in the same connection, the reason given being that they had given valuable services to the state in the trial of Sergeant E. W. Cole. In one form or another the charges have been active since July 1 last year, when the suspension of Cole brought the alleged grafting to the public notice.

Coming close upon a raid last Tuesday upon the North First-street dive of "Mother" Olcese, which at the time was deemed significant, because Deputy Page took an active part in it, the dismissal yesterday is seen to be connected with that event. The Olcese woman was an important witness against Bailey before the grand jury, but has proved recalcitrant, and it is quietly admitted that the raid on her house was a disciplinary measure, which, however, proved ineffective.

Move Astounds Commission.

The dropping of the Bailey case fell upon the members of the police committee of the Executive Board, in session yesterday, and was particularly surprising to Commissioners Coffey and Seton, who took an active part in the investigation which led to the indictments. The time for hearing departmental charges which are pending in the Executive Board against Captain Bailey was up for discussion and one of the Commissioners remarked that it could not be set till the criminal case was disposed of.

"It is disposed of," replied Chief Slover, and he gave the committee its first notice that the case had been dismissed. The news plainly astounded the committee. It was agreed that the charges be set for hearing May 23. Captain Bailey is accused, in substance, with having failed to conduct the duties of his office properly and with being an agitator and an unharmonious official. He remains under suspension on account of this case, regardless of the dismissal of the case against him.

Larfield and Fuller Freed.

Disciplinary charges against Sergeant Cole will be heard by the Civil Service Commission next Wednesday. He was indicted along with Bailey and underwent two trials on a charge of accepting a bribe. On the first trial the jury disagreed and on the second he was acquitted. He stands charged with having carried a complaint to the Mayor without consulting his Chief.

Larfield and Fuller, who also were freed yesterday, had been indicted for testifying falsely before the Civil Service Commission that they had not taken graft money and for exonerating Sergeant Cole. Later they made confessions to Deputy Page and were used as witnesses against Cole. They told on the witness stand of making weekly collections and delivering part of the money to Cole. They were to have been used as witnesses at the Bailey trial.

New Indictment Is Possible.

"We were handicapped throughout," said Deputy Page yesterday, in commenting upon the end of the case, "first by the moral effect of Cole's acquittal and more yet by the methods by which Larfield and Fuller were discredited by machinations of Cole's attorney, who went before the grand jury and inspired their indictment in order to weaken their testimony. They rendered good service to the state in the outcome, and I think their release is well merited. We had a mass of undigested evidence against Captain Bailey, but it was scattering and did not link one act with another. As to the specific charge of taking the $12 bribe, we had only the testimony of the girl from whom it was taken, others who knew of the transaction having gone back on us. The case can, of course, be brought up again for a new indictment whenever the evidence can be had."

Since Sergeant E. W. Cole was suspended July 1, 1911, for a technical breach of discipline, followed by specific charges of grafting, some phase of the matter has been at all times till yesterday in the courts. Nearly six months later he, Captain Bailey and Market Inspector Joe Singer were indicted for various acts connected with police grafting, and all have now been freed from restraint. Many others were involved directly or indirectly and other indictments are reported to have been drawn up, but later destroyed.

BIBLE MANDATE FAILS HIM

Man Who Stole Overcoat Gets 120 Days Instead of "Cloak, Also."

While disciples of the Apostolic Faith kneeled in prayer at their mission on North Front street, Gus Erickson, stimulated and footsore, dropped in and took a seat on a back bench. When fervor was at its highest he picked up an overcoat and hat and departed. Instead of following the scriptural mandate and calling him back and giving him a cloak also, members of the congregation had Erickson arrested. He told the court he had been just one day away from the Linnton rockpile.

"Since you have been forced to return the overcoat, and there is a hard Winter ahead," said the court, "I could not think of turning you out in the coming inclemency, and will send you to Kelly Butte to remain till next March, 120 days."

HYLAND TALKS AT BAKER

Portland Man Tells Club Town Will Be What Citizens Make It.

BAKER, Or., May 9.—(Special.)—That a community can be just what its citizens desire it to be, was the thought that George N. Hyland, president of the Mount Hood Railway Development Company, gave to the members of the Baker Commercial Club, which filled Elks' hall for its annual banquet last night.

Mr. Hyland won much applause during his speech on the method of boosting a city, and his stories of the development days in Portland. He told of the organization of the civic improvement association 14 years ago and its method of clearing Market street by warning the merchants to remove the boxes and advertising devices and carting away the boxes of those who did not heed the warning. He told of arrests when prominent citizens did not clean their premises of dandelions.

Complimenting the city on its progressiveness and urging them to keep up the work, he said:

"The Commercial Club does not need your dollars, it needs your spirit of citizenship. You owe that to the city and to the state for what it has done for you and for what it will do for you. You must see that the way is paved for the man whom you want to come to live with and have the tools ready so he can go to work when he arrives. It is up to you to make any proposition just what you want it to be. My admonition is to have the real desire, then work hard and you will build up your city and your state."

Many prominent Baker men also spoke.

George H. Bailey, Police Captain Under Suspension, Freed From Indictment.

LITTLE TWINS GAINING

BOYS AT SANITARIUM HOPING TO LEAVE SOON.

Appeal Made to Public to Invest Few Dollars Needed to Give Lads Start in Life.

FUND FOR JOHNSON CHILDREN.	
Previously reported	$90
Cash, R. J.	5
Cash	1
Frank P. Clark	1
Total	$97

"One dollar invested in buying health for the two little Johnson twins will bring returns at many hundred per cent."

That is what one ardent well-wisher said of the two tots who are struggling to get well and strong, as he handed in his contribution to The Oregonian.

Friends have been found who have taken an interest in the future of the children and want to see them educated and given a real start in life, but before that time must have every germ of tuberculosis banished from their systems.

Earl and Everett Johnson, just under five years old, lost their mother less than three weeks ago. They do not know she is dead. Every day they talk confidently of "going home." Their mother died of the "great white plague." From a story she told, it was learned that both boys also were in the toils.

Little Everett wants to walk now, although his foot is curved out of shape. But every day it straightens out a little, and before six months have passed his leg will be strong and well. Earl, who has tuberculosis glands in his neck, is almost cured.

Yesterday the two lads ran across their pictures in The Oregonian. Everett could not believe it, but Earl said:

"Sure, ain't the sticks ours!" and he pointed to his twin brother's crutches.

"The boys are brimming over with pluck. Earl takes the greatest of care of his temporarily-crippled brother.

When the doctors have to "press on" Everett's foot, as he describes it, Earl often indignantly yells:

"Doctor, hurt I instead."

Everett promptly tells the doctor he "better not hurt Earl."

They are now in a little cottage of their own at the Open Air Sanitarium on Milwaukie Heights. There is just a roof and a floor. The open "windows" round the two little cots, which are supplied with heaps of warm wraps, permit the odor of the pine woods to bring health and strength to their lungs. A nurse takes care of them.

Every day the little chaps try to get into mischief of some kind or the other, which, their nurses say, is a certain indication of returning strength.

Members of the knockers' table at the Commercial Club, whose wards the children are, will be informed today at noon by Dr. E. A. Pierce of the progress they have made, and it is expected the fund for their maintenance will be still further increased.

In the meantime, anyone who wishes to buy health and strength for or who wishes to contribute towards building up the unfortunate children into worthy citizens may send their contributions to The Oregonian.

STARS GIVE BENEFIT PARTY

Members of Lodge Raise Funds for Sick and Disabled.

Several hundred members and friends of the Order of the Eastern Star, Wednesday night attended the annual benefit party given at the Masonic Temple. The party was given for the benefit of sick and disabled members of the organization and music, recitations, dancing and cards constituted the programme.

The following took part in the music and recitations: Miss Christine Anderson, Harry Glen, Maud L. Johnson, the girls and boys of the ninth grade of the Arleta school, Mrs. Ulric Seward Dodge, Miss Modesta Mortensen, Mrs. James Albert, Mrs. Herbert Garr Reed, Mrs. Fred L. Olson, Mrs. George M. Hall, Earl Robinson, Florence A. Smith, H. K. Evanson, Miss Florence Jackson, and a trio from the People's Theater. The programme was given under the direction of Miss Mary Mackenzie Cahill.

CHARGES TO STAND

Parole System Puts Stop to Complaint Reductions.

JUDGE TAZWELL TO ACT

Municipal Court Will Insist Upon Hearing Offenders on Original Accusations — Rockpile Pardons Increasing.

Because Governor West persistently pardons criminals sent by the Municipal Court to the rockpile for misdemeanors which have been reduced from felonies, Judge Tazwell asserts, no further reductions from the face of the complaint will be allowed after the cases come to trial. The order strikes a blow at a custom which has been in existence in the lower court for years and which has increased greatly since the adoption of the parole system in the higher courts.

Scarcely a day passes that some offender charged with a felony and due to go by way of the grand jury and Circuit Court to the penitentiary, is not allowed a reduction of the charge, with a sentence not to exceed a year on the rockpile. Burglars and highwaymen get off with charges of simple larceny, intending murderers with assault and battery, and usually, where the case is strong, seize the opportunity to plead guilty to the minor offense.

System Gains Speed.

Officials favor the system because the disposition of the case occupies but a few minutes instead of days, requiring the presence of witnesses in the grand jury and in the upper court, and in addition the probability of a trial by jury being demanded, if it is sought to press the heavier charge.

Police officials accepted the custom at the time when the Circuit Courts began paroling a majority of the offenders appearing before them, many second and third-termers being in the list. Because of this fact the custom has grown until not one out of a dozen felonies reaches the grand jury.

If Judge Tazwell adheres to his announcement, the District Attorney either must draw his complaints for misdemeanors in the first place, or must face a congestion of the criminal docket in the Circuit Court. The former expedient probably will be adopted to some extent.

Pardons Show Increase.

Pardons of prisoners at the rockpile have been increasing in the past few months. While the Governor has no jurisdiction over the city prisoners confined at Linnton, his pardoning power reaches those convicted under statutes and sent to Kelly Butte. Officers, prosecutors and courts who have aided in sending men there say that their recommendations in these cases are disregarded. They cite as an instance the case of Harry Davis.

This prisoner was released some months ago, after queries had been made by the Governor as to his past record. A reply was sent showing that as a mere boy he had been imprisoned in New York, had been before the courts here many times, had been deported to San Francisco and had returned to fall into new crimes. Yet, he was given a parole. The city detectives are now informed that he is under arrest at Los Angeles.

FRAUD CHARGE MADE

AUSTRIAN ACCUSES H. C. KING OF SWINDLE OF $281.

Order for Money, Signed in Prison, Cause of Complaint Against Lawyer.

Charging that H. C. King took advantage of his inability to read or write English to swindle him out of $281.35 and a revolver, Joe Miller, an Austrian, has started in Circuit Court suit against King to recover the money and $10 for the revolver. King acted as attorney for Miller when the latter was in jail as a fugitive from justice.

Miller declares that he was arrested on September 16, 1911, and that he employed King as his attorney at a fee of $50. He complains that King induced him to sign an order on the Chief of Police for the money. The attorney, he states, told him that the order was for $50 and he signed it, only to learn later that it was in reality an order for all the money and personal property taken from Miller when he was placed in jail.

Miller was taken in charge here at the instance of the authorities of Aberdeen, Wash., where he was charged with robbing another Austrian. Attorney King procured Miller's release on a writ of habeas corpus, but the Austrian was again arrested by Deputy Sheriff Leonard.

In the present suit Miller is represented by Malarkey, Seabrook & Stott and W. G. Hale.

About two months ago Chief of Police Slover, tiring of constant complaints from prisoners that they had been swindled by police court attorneys, promulgated an order that thereafter no money or property belonging to a prisoner should be honored until after an officer had obtained confirmation of its terms from the person by whom it was signed.

Y.M.C.A. MEN TO MEET

PHYSICAL DIRECTORS ARE TO CONFER TODAY.

Dr. George J. Fisher, Head of Work Throughout World, Will Address Two Public Sessions.

Physical directors of the Young Men's Christian Association of the Pacific Northwest will hold their annual conference in the Portland Y. M. C. A. auditorium today and tomorrow. Arrangements for the conference have been in the hands of A. M. Grilley, physical director of the Portland association, who has completed an excellent programme.

The conference is especially important as the chief speaker will be Dr. George J. Fisher, of New York, head of the physical department work of the Y. M. C. A. throughout the world. Dr. Fisher will deliver several addresses, including public discourses tonight and tomorrow night, which will be open to the public. His subject tonight will be "The Health of the Community." There will also be an address by E. T. Mische, Superintendent of Portland Parks, on the subject, "Playgrounds—Their Supervision and Maintenance," and an open discussion of health topics. Tomorrow evening Dr. Fisher will deliver the only address, his subject being "Physical Training's Greatest Need." The Y. M. C. A. officials are desirous that the public take advantage of the invitation to attend these meetings and crowd the auditorium at both sessions.

All the chief associations of the Northwest will be represented at the conference, and the larger associations will send several delegates each. The delegates will meet first at 5 o'clock this morning for a devotional service with the Portland secretaries. This will be followed by an inspection of the Portland building under the direction of H. W. Stone, the general secretary. The programme for the two days follows:

Friday, 10 A. M.—President's address; report of the secretary, treasurer and library committee; "The Athletic Situation in the Pacific Northwest," A. G. Douthitt; discussion.

12 M.—Lunch with Social Hygiene Society.

2 P. M.—"The Social Hygiene Movement and the Y. M. C. A. Physical Department," Calvin S. White, secretary State Board of Health; "A New Definition of an Amateur," Dr. George J. Fisher; "Possibilities of the Physical Department," A. S. Allen; "Report of Standardization of Leader Course," A. M. Grilley.

7:30 P. M., open session—"Playgrounds, Their Supervision and Maintenance," E. T. Mische, park superintendent, Portland; address, "The Health of the Community," Dr. George J. Fisher; discussion of health topics.

Saturday, 9 A. M. — Devotional meeting with Portland secretaries.

10:30 A. M.—"The Personality of the Physical Director," Harry Booth; "The Teaching of Calisthenic Exercises" (discussion), Smith.

2 P. M.—"Co-operation With the Boys' Department—How to Secure It" (discussion), J. W. Palmer; "The Physical Department Summer Problem," A. M. Grilley; "Use and Abuse of Basketball," P. W. Lee; "The New Athletic League and Athletic Federation," Dr. George J. Fisher.

8:30 P. M., open session—"Physical Training's Greatest Need," Dr. George J. Fisher.

THIEVES INVADE SPOKANE

Professional Band Reaps Rich Harvest; Hauls Are Big.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 9.—(Special.)—An unusually successful series of diamond burglaries, the latest taking place at the residence of R. H. Dent, Tuesday morning, where the thieves secured two solitaire rings worth about $300, has led the police to believe that a band of professionals is working Spokane.

Chief W. J. Doust said today: "It is evident that the races have brought to town some skillful burglars who are working in combination. They have marked down places where they would find good returns for their work, the reports show, and the size of the haul exceeds greatly anything that the ordinary thief manages to get."

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The Princess Tokio Wrinkle Book is a message full of sisterly feeling and sympathy for the American ladies. It tells, without hesitation, all about the Princess Tokio new method of removing wrinkles without harmful creams, pastes, lotions, or plasters or mechanical appliances.

Reports from all over America prove conclusively the wondrous excellence of this remarkable new treatment and it is simply astonishing the thousands of letters being received from grateful women. A letter today from Mrs. H. E. Campbell states she used this treatment for two weeks and her wrinkles are all gone, and she further states that her face is as smooth as it was when she was a girl and that she is so happy that she cannot say too much in praise of this remarkable new treatment.

Ada Colville of Texas states that she used the treatment eight days and her face is entirely free of wrinkles and she is so delighted that she has found something that will keep her young longer.

A letter just received at this office from Mrs. A. L. Morran, away off in Canada, states that she was delighted with this new combination wrinkle treatment. That it removed all her wrinkles and leaves the face smooth as an infant's and makes the skin fresh and young looking.

Mrs. E. W. Jones in her letter states: "The Princess Tokio Wrinkle Treatment is excellent." She further states that it not only removed her wrinkles, but made her face as soft and smooth as velvet, and that she never before found a remedy which would make her young-looking, and that she tried Chicago and New York treatments without success.

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