

FRANK GARRISON SENTENCED BY JUDGE COKE AT COQUILLE

Convicted Murderer of Roy Perkins to Expiate Crime On Gallows.

DELIVERS TIRADE AGAINST TWO MEN

Years Sentence Without Emotion but Condemns J. W. Carter and J. E. Graham

(Special to the Times.)

COQUILLE, Ore., Nov. 22.—Frank Garrison, convicted of murder in the first degree for killing Roy Perkins Sumner, today prior to be sentenced to the gallows by Judge John S. Coke, delivered a long address to the court in which he maintained his innocence and declared that he had been convicted on "the perjured evidence of Marshal Carter and Graham" and further declare that Carter and Graham had invoked dire threats to force admissions from him.

Garrison's statements and accusations caused no little stir. Before pronouncing sentence, Judge Coke told Garrison if he had any statement to make and the latter said he did. He thanked the jury, saying that under the evidence submitted to them, they probably could not reach a different verdict than they had. Then he started in on his tirade against J. E. Graham and Marshal Carter.

When Judge Coke pronounced the sentence, Garrison showed no emotion but took it very coolly. The date of the execution was not made public, it being contained in the sealed death warrant which Judge Coke will send to the officials of the Oregon State penitentiary at Salem who must execute him. Under the law, the date of his execution must not be fixed for less than thirty days nor more than sixty days after the date of conviction.

It was stated today that an effort will be made to appeal the case, Judge Coke having denied the motion for a new trial. This appeal will probably result in a stay of the date of execution.

FIRST STEEL BRIDGE DONE

STRUCTURE ACROSS SOUTH FORK OF THE COQUILLE COMPLETED AND IS FIRST OF KIND IN COUNTY.

The first steel bridge in Coos county has just been completed. It is across the south fork of the Coquille and is known as the "South Fork Bridge."

It was accepted by County Judge Hall and the county commissioners yesterday and is now open for traffic. The bridge span is about 180 feet. Heretofore the county court has been constructing wooden bridges because they were cheaper than the steel bridges. In this instance, the bridge was larger than usual and bids for both steel and wooden structures were called for. The bid for the steel structure was only about \$500 more than for the wooden structure and the steel structure was decided upon. The total cost of the bridge which will accommodate a large amount of traffic will be \$7,900.

THANKSGIVING WINDOW.

W. H. Dindinger of the Bazar, is displaying many bouquets for the attractive "Thanksgiving Window" which he put in at the store. It is attracting much attention from passers-by. With pretty background of foliage, the window teems with nuts, fruits and ought to be thankful.

FOOT BALL Pants at MILNER'S.

HOLD BANQUET THIS EVENING

Booster Gathering at Chandler Tonight Promises to Be Largely Attended.

One of the most representative gatherings of Marshfield business men that has ever been held on the Bay is expected to be in attendance at the Booster Banquet to be given at The Chandler hotel at 7 o'clock this evening. The limit of 120, owing to the seating capacity of the dining room, promises to be taxed to the utmost.

The object of the banquet and meeting is to arouse a stronger boosting spirit and push Coos Bay's development more than ever. W. S. McFarland, F. S. Dow and A. T. Haines who have had the banquet in charge are enthusiastic over the prospects for it.

T. T. Bennett will preside as master of ceremonies and the program will include the following: "Coos Bay and its Future"—C. A. Smith.

"Public Schools and their Influence"—Supt. Tiedgen.

"Chamber of Commerce and its Work"—J. S. Smith.

"General Remarks"—J. W. Bennett, Wm. Grimes, C. J. Mills, Francis H. Clarke, R. M. Jennings, R. A. Copple, C. F. McKnight and others.

PROVIDE CLUB FOR LOGGERS

C. A. Smith Introduces Innovation in Coos County Logging Camps.

To improve the condition of the logger and rob the logging camp of many of the hardships that its inhabitants must now undergo, C. A. Smith, head of the C. A. Smith Lumber and Manufacturing Company, will introduce something absolutely new in the history of the lumber business. The innovation will be in the nature of a type of the city club house at each logging camp.

The plan in brief is to provide each logging camp with a clubhouse or apartments which will be provided with shower and tub baths, reading room, smoking room and general diversions. The club at each camp will be maintained at the company's expense, the employees paying nothing for the benefits enjoyed. All of the details of the plan have not been worked out yet.

The clubs are to be installed at each of the camps of the Smith-Powers Logging Company in Coos County, and it is expected to have them all in within the next few months.

The innovation will eliminate from the logging camp employee's lot the desolation and hardship that for years have made the work about the hardest encountered. With the modern conveniences, plenty of good reading and a comfortable place to spend their evenings, it is believed that the loggers will find their work less arduous.

number of candidates for recorder to the two receiving the highest vote, Tom Bennett nominated John W. Butler, the present incumbent, paying high tribute to his work in that capacity. No other nominations being received, the caucus by a viva voce vote instructed the chairman to cast the unanimous vote for Mr. Butler.

This being all the business before the caucus, it adjourned.

TICKETS ON SALE for the RILEY evening at Crosby and Homer's Book Store.

PLUMBING Have your plumbing done by PIONEER HARDWARE COMPANY.

DON'T PAY MORE for Hardware than MILNER'S Price.

COME out to Depot grounds Thanksgiving and see a fast FOOT-BALL GAME.

HALE CASE IS TO BE TRIED

Action of Man Paying Sixteen Cents Taxes Attacking Port of Coos Bay.

The case of A. Hale attacking the validity of the Port Commission of Coos Bay will be argued in federal court at Portland this week. The Port Commission will be represented by C. R. Peck while Portland attorneys will represent Mr. Hale.

It is understood that the Port Commission will attack the standing of Mr. Hale as a party to the suit on the ground that he is evidently "a dummy" for somebody else. County Assessor T. J. Thrift has made an affidavit that the total tax Mr. Hale will have to pay for the improvements to be made by the Port of Coos Bay will be sixteen cents this year. Just who Mr. Hale is has not been ascertained but he owns only a small amount of property in the port district.

Other questions that will doubtless be raised in the argument of the case in the federal court will doubtless be as to how a case involving only sixteen cents can be started in United States court and also why a client should go to the expenses such litigation will involve to escape the payment of sixteen cents taxes.

PETTY CRIMES ARE NUMEROUS

Thefts of Boats and Appurtenances and Destruction of Blinds.

The petty depredations around the Bay that caused so much annoyance a year or so ago have been renewed and boat owners and others are talking of organizing to offer a reward for the conviction of the miscreants. Not all of the depredations and thefts are believed to have been committed by the same party or parties, however.

H. W. Painter had a good rowboat stolen from near his warehouse the other night.

Fred. McCormac had a dozen or so decoys stolen from his boat Sunday night.

A. J. Davis of the Whitehouse store at North Bend had a fine rowboat stolen there.

Geo. Dindinger and a few others had their "blinds" on Haynes' inlet torn down a few days ago.

The Glasgow Gun Club had its blinds on Haynes Inlet torn down by some miscreant who, according to a clue obtained by them, they believe was a certain party who was trying to get even with certain members of the club. They hope to secure sufficient evidence to convict him soon.

Other minor offenses have also occurred and many of the victims are becoming decidedly tired of it and will do anything in their power to stop it.

EVANS IS KNOCKED OUT.

Bower Who Appeared On Coos Bay Last Summer Beaten.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 22.—Before an assemblage of fully 1,000 fight enthusiasts who journeyed down to St. Johns, Bud Anderson put an end to the championship aspirations of Bobby Evans. There was plenty of fighting and any amount of knockouts on the evening's program. It could be seen from the top of the goag in the first round that Anderson was Evans' master at all stages, but the wise ones figured Evans to be stalling, which later proved to be a myth.

Anderson was the aggressor in each round, using advantage of every opening that Bobby left. Evans up until the time he was knocked out in the ninth round, fought on the defensive.

DON'T FORGET the big GAME at Depot grounds, Marshfield, THANKSGIVING afternoon.

BANDON MURDERER SENTENCED TO FIFTEEN YEARS IN PRISON

WIRE STILL DOWN TODAY

Western Union Has Not Reestablished Service Between Roseburg and Coos Bay.

The Western Union wire between Coos Bay and Roseburg is still down today but Manager Schetter is hopeful of restoring service about 6 o'clock this evening. At noon it was working as far as Sumner but no further.

In consequence of the wire trouble, The Times was again unable to secure its Associated Press report.

TO INSPECT NANN SMITH

BIG LUMBER CARRIER WILL GO ON DRY DOCK AT SAN FRANCISCO THIS WEEK FOR ANNUAL OVERHAULING — CHANGES IN CREW.

The Nann Smith when she discharges her cargo at Bay Point this week will go on the dry dock at San Francisco for her annual inspection. While she is being inspected, it is likely that Capt. Olson will have some minor overhauling and repairs made.

Changes in Crew.

Capt. B. W. Olson of the Nann Smith, has advanced Wm. Magee, formerly master of the tug Columbia at Empire, from third mate to second mate on the Nann Smith to replace Second Mate Eklund who has become first mate on the Redondo. Mr. Eklund succeeds A. Ahlin who left this week for a visit at his old home in Finland. Gust Lundquist who has been appointed third mate on the Nann Smith.

If the weather will permit, both the Nann Smith and the Redondo will sail tomorrow afternoon. As the Redondo goes to San Pedro, it will be nearly two weeks before either vessel is back in the Bay again.

COOS COUNTY'S CLIME.

Mrs. Alva Lee brought in from Mrs. M. Lee's place on the North Fork some samples of the English walnuts grown there which seem to be fully equal to the California product. They are from 20 to 25 years old and bear quite liberally, but not much of a crop can be harvested, as the chipmunks, diggers and other members of the squirrel family seem to require a generous share for their use.

B. Bartlett, the Catching creek dairyman, brought into the Enterprise office the other day, branches of a wild blackberry vine that had both ripe and green berries on it. It is another testimonial to Oregon's excellent climate when their fruit will ripen in November. Ripe strawberries are so common as to be hardly worthy of notice, but the blackberry season was supposed to be over months ago.—Myrtle Point Enterprise.

The BAND will give the SECOND of their series of DANCES THANKSGIVING night at the EAGLES' hall.

See that PLAIN cut glass at MILNER

BIG Thanksgiving BAND DANCE at Eagle's Hall, THURSDAY night, November 24th.

Roastin' 'ANS at MILNER'S.

BOXING Gloves and PUNCHING Bags at MILNER'S.

Get what you want when you want it through The Times Want Ads.

William Penn White Penalized For Slaying LeRoy Jones Last February.

ALMOST BREAKS DOWN WHEN HE HEARS IT

Will Be Taken to Prison With Frank Garrison Carefully Guarded.

(Special to the Times.)

COQUILLE, Ore., Nov. 22.—William Penn White, convicted of manslaughter for killing his step-father, LeRoy Jones, at Bandon last February was this morning sentenced to fifteen years in state's prison by Judge John S. Coke. This was the maximum penalty that could be imposed under the law, White having been indicted of murder in the second degree and found guilty of manslaughter. Just prior to pronouncing sentence, Judge Coke dismissed the motion that had been made for a new trial for White.

White showed considerable emotion when he heard his sentence and all but broke down.

The defense in the White case had been the same as in the Garrison case—insanity.

White and Garrison will be taken to the state prison at Salem together, Sheriff Gage being authorized by the court to take two guards with him to insure the safe delivery of the prisoners.

Court December 5th.

After the sentencing of the two murderers, the special term of court called to hear the Garrison case was adjourned until December 5. The grand jury has been summoned for that date so that the criminal matters will be ready for the jury at the regular term of circuit court which opens December 12, for which a trial jury has been called.

STORM DAMAGES DREDGE.

Oregon Out of Commission As Result of Squall the Other Night.

The dredge Oregon is laid up as a result of damage by the storm Sunday night. The dredge itself was not damaged but three of its pontoons were sunk and several sections of the pipe-line broken.

It seems that the pipe line was not uncoupled from the Oregon and when the heavy seas struck it, it "buckled up" and was badly smashed.

Some were criticizing the officers in charge of the Oregon today for not having taken advantage of the storm warning and prepared for it, thus reducing the actual damage and the delay caused.

QUIT NATRON JOB.

Contractors Will Not Finish Branch to Klamath Falls.

EUGENE, Ore., Nov. 22.—It is reported that Erickson & Peterson, who were awarded the contract to build that stretch of the Natron-Klamath cut-off of the Southern Pacific Company that lies between the end of their present contract in Klamath County and the end of the Utah Company's contract, in Lane county, have thrown up the contract and the company will endeavor to complete the job under its own engineers. It is not known why the contractors refuse to go ahead with the work.

SOME BIG APPLES.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 22.—At the National Apple show just closed here, Lorr and Ball of Methow, Wash., won \$25 for the largest perfect apple. B. M. Chapman of Cashmere, Wash., was second. F. L. Post of Chelard, Wash., won first prize for 50 largest apples, showing a pyramid weighing 79 pounds and 15 ounces. Lorr and Ball were second with a pile of 50 weighing 73 pounds and 13 ounces. These are the largest apples ever exhibited anywhere.

Warranted SHEARS and Scissors at MILNER'S.