

FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

Arthur Leberman Lies in Jail So Charged.

ADMITS HIS GUILT, IN \$6,000

Fisher Bros. Company Mulcted—Unhappy Man Attempts Suicide by Taking Laudanum—Preliminary Hearing Tomorrow Morning.

Charged with larceny by embezzlement, in the sum of \$6,000, to which he has made due confession, Arthur Leberman, the well known head book-keeper for the house of Fisher Brothers Company, of this city, was arrested last evening and now lies in the Clatsop county jail, awaiting his preliminary examination before Justice J. P. Goodman, tomorrow.

For some time past the management of the house has suspected an untoward condition of affairs in its office, and had sent to Portland, for Expert R. A. Black to come here and concern for the whole period covering the term of employment of Mr. Leberman, and he arrived here last evening on the steamer Lurline, having been joined en route by Manager Frank J. Carney of the company, who was absent in Portland on business for the house and was wired to meet Mr. Black and return here with him in this behalf.

These gentlemen arrived and went instantly to the Bond street store where they met the members of the company who had assembled in conclave on this important matter, and Mr. Leberman was brought in. He was found in a room over the Wigwam saloon on Astor street at the corner of Eighth, where he was suffering severely from the effects of an overdose of laudanum taken about noon yesterday, with suicidal intent, and in anticipation of the exposure that followed last night.

On his arrival at the store Leberman waived all preliminaries and forestalled all questioning, by an open avowal of his guilt to the extent of \$6,000 as before stated his admission being made to Messrs: Asmus Brix, Manager Carney and Mr. Black. A warrant was instantly sworn out by Manager Carney and the unhappy man

was placed in the county jail where he will lie until the matter is judicially investigated tomorrow.

It was not possible to interview Mr. Leberman last night, as to the motive behind his offense, but from those who are familiar with his life and family relations, it is assumed that he was sorely pressed to meet demands of an over-extravagant family and violated the trust confided to him. He held the position of head-book-keeper and cashier with the firm whose transactions were of a scope that placed great sums frequently within his hands, and it is said at the store that his pecuniations cover almost the entire period of his service with the company, some three years or more.

The books of Fisher Brothers Company were experted about one year ago but Mr. Leberman had so skillfully covered his tracks that no suspicion was then attached to him, and the sense of wrong was not felt by those in interest, until during the past few weeks, when steps were taken, that led up to the miserable finale of last night.

Personally Mr. Leberman was heartily liked in this city and counted his friends by scores.

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WATERFRONT ITEMS

Columbia Due to Sail South This Morning.

NUMANTIA DEPARTS FOR CHINA

Costa Rica Starts North Today—Mabel Gale Leaves Out—Alliance Gets Away—Thyra Arrives Down—Tiberus Due In—Cheney Waiting.

The sea tug Geo. R. Vosburg went to sea yesterday morning. After she touches in at Nehalem and disembarks a lot of stuff for the merchants and good people there, she will proceed to the Tillamook bar and pick up the barkentine Northwest, now lying there awaiting her, and tow her into that port.

The German steamship Tiberus is due in this morning from San Francisco, to load part of her cargo of lumber, 1 and 1-2 million feet, at the Tongue Point Mills, after which she will go up to Linton and taken on the balance. She will sail for the Orient when ready for sea.

The steamer Harvest Queen was doing a sounding stunt along the channel sands opposite the city yesterday morning: evidently acquainting herself with the possibilities of a new course, in case she finds the regular channel congested with ships and steamers; Astoria does grow so.

The bark B. P. Cheney is waiting in a lumber barge from the Bay. The Wizard is due in today, after tow-which will tow her to her destination, the lower harbor for the arrival of the San Francisco sea tug Wizard, City to Coos Bay.

The steamship Costa Rica will leave San Francisco, today, for this port and Portland, and her running mate the Columbia will be down from the metropolis this morning, en route to the Bay City.

The Norwegian steamship Thyra came down the river about sundown yesterday evening with 3,000,000 feet of lumber on board for Oriental delivery and will leave out on this morning's flood for her long voyage.

The steamer Lurline came down in good season last evening and went back to Portland at her usual hour with several passengers, among whom were George Ohler, A. M. Gardner and Benjamin Franklin.

The schooner Solano, which went ashore on North Beach some weeks ago has practically been abandoned by her owners, and is now so far ashore as to make her chance of ever being floated an impossibility.

The bark Agate came down from Portland on the tow lines of the Harvest Queen yesterday morning, and being short in her crew will wait till she has enlisted some more help before going to sea and San Francisco.

The Portland-Asiatic liner Numantia nearly ten days behind schedule, arrived down from Portland yesterday and left out for China and Japan at once, with an immense cargo of grain and general merchandise.

Bay points, with plenty of business. The steamer Geo. W. Elder is due to arrive here today, or early tomorrow.

The fine schooner Mabel Gale went to sea and San Francisco yesterday morning, being towed to sea by the Tatoosh.

The steamer Alliance was among the get-aways from this port yesterday leaving out on the early flood for Coos.

The steamer Washington, lumber laden for San Francisco went to sea yesterday afternoon.

The new steamer Helena went to sea yesterday with her first cargo of lumber, San Francisco bound.

The following from yesterday's Oregonian will be read with interest, by all old Californians:

"The famous old side-wheel steamer Yosemite is being overhauled and repaired in Seattle. A large force of carpenters and engineers are putting the boat in order. She will be painted and newly furnished and fitted for an excursion boat. It is the intention of her owners to operate her during the

Alaskan-Yukon Expedition. There is an unconfirmed report to the effect that she will come to Portland and operate as an excursion boat between Portland and the Cascades during the season of 1907.

The Yosemite is one of the famous old craft of the Pacific Coast. She was built for the Sacramento River trade in the early '60s. In October, 1865, her boilers exploded, killing 55 persons and wounding many more. She was rebuilt and lengthened 35 feet. Steel boilers were placed in her and when she again went into commission she carried off the broom for speed and elegance. With the decline of steamboating on the Sacramento the Yosemite was tied up and later was sold to John Irving, of Victoria. She has been on the Sound since 1883. The Yosemite is 232 feet long, 83 feet beam (over all) and 13.6 feet depth of hold. She has been out of commission for some time past."

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following effects the List of Lights and Fog Signals, Pacific Coast, 1906.

OREGON.

Upper Gauge Pile Light, page 30, No. 104 List of Lights, Buoys, and Daymarks, Pacific Coast, 1907, page 59.—Located in 15 feet of water, on the northerly side of the channel of the Columbia River, and about 7-8 mile W. by N. from Tongue Point Light.

The structure from which this light was shown, heretofore reported carried away and the light extinguished, was rebuilt and the light re-established March 8.

Taylor Sands Light, page 30, No. 106 List of Lights, Buoys, and Daymarks, Pacific Coast, 1907, page 60. Located on the southerly side of the channel of the Columbia River, about 1 mile northerly of Tongue Point.

The structure from which this light was shown, heretofore reported carried away and the light extinguished, was rebuilt and the light re-established March 8.

Beacon 1 Light, page 30, No. 103 List of Lights, Buoys, and Daymarks, Pacific Coast, 1907, page 59.—Located in 6 feet of water on the southeast sand spit on the northerly side of the channel of the Columbia River, and about 2 5-8 miles NNE 1-2 E from Tongue Point Light.

The structure from which this light was shown, heretofore reported carried away and the light extinguished, was rebuilt and the light re-established March 8.

Beacon 2 Light, page 32, No. 109 List of Lights, Buoys, and Daymarks, Pacific Coast, 1907, page 60.—Located in 6 feet of water, on the southeasterly side of the channel of the Columbia River, and about 2 3-8 miles above Tongue Point, Oregon.

The following effects the List of Lights, Buoys, and Daymarks, Pacific Coast, 1907.

Yaquina Bay Entrance, page 51.—Channel Rock Buoy, O, a red, second-class nun, heretofore reported adrift, was replaced March 9.

Columbia River, page 55.—Middle Ground South Side Buoy, 13, a black first-class can, found out of position, March 6, was replaced the same day.

Washington

Gray's Harbor Entrance, page 75.—Outer Buoy, a PS first-class can, reported dragged off its station and in a misleading position in the breakers on the North Spit, March 7, will be replaced by another buoy as soon as as practicable.

Alaska.

Wrangell Strait, page 100.—Turn Point Buoy, 9, a first class spar, reported out of position, March 8, will be replaced as soon as possible.

Do Not Crowd the Season.

The first warm days of spring bring with them a desire to get out and enjoy the exhilarating air and sunshine. Children that have been housed up all winter are brought and you wonder where they all came from. The heavy winter clothing is thrown away and many shed their flannels. Then a cold wave comes and people say that grip is epidemic. Colds at this season are even more dangerous than in mid-winter, as there is much more danger of pneumonia. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, however, and you will have nothing to fear. It always cures, and we have never known a cold to result in pneumonia, when it was used. It is pleasant and safe to take. Children like it. For sale by Frank Hart and Leading druggists.

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