

JOHN HALL CALLED BEFORE GRAND JURY

Federal Body Hears District Attorney and Two Other Witnesses.

EX-SENATOR HILTON AND DETECTIVE BURNS HEARD

No Fresh Indictments Reported—Linn County Witnesses Through Federal Building.

No additional indictments were returned by the federal grand jury today. A throng of witnesses, most of them from Sweet Home and Foster, in Linn county, filled the lobby outside the jury room and waited anxiously for their turn to face the inquisition of Mr. Heney and the jurors.

Only three witnesses were called this morning. The first was ex-Senator Charles Hilton, who remained in the jury room only a few minutes. He is supposed to have been subpoenaed only to throw light upon some minor point, as gossip has not connected him with the frauds.

United States District Attorney John Hall was then notified that the jury desired him to appear before them as a witness, and he went at once into the jury room. Mr. Hall's examination lasted over half an hour. The nature of the questions asked him is not known, but it is regarded as significant that he should have been called as a witness.

It is conjectured that Mr. Hall has knowledge of certain transactions in which George C. Brownell was involved and which are now being subjected to the grand jury's scrutiny.

Since the conduct of the present investigation was taken out of Mr. Hall's hands by the attorney general and entrusted to Mr. Heney, the district attorney Justice Moore's office, and then only for a few minutes at a time.

The last witness at the morning session was W. J. Burns of the government secret service. Mr. Burns remained in the jury room for about half an hour.

"Would you really like to know what happened while I was in the jury room?" he said in a confidential undertone, to a curious inquirer. "Well, I will tell you. The grand jury indicted me, but I begged off. But they turned right around and indicted me again, and now I am in hot water."

And then Mr. Burns resumed the occupation of curling the ends of his moustache.

Dr. W. H. Davis, mayor of Albany, H. E. Ormsby and George Sorenson, all of whom were indicted earlier this week with C. E. Loomis and Henry A. Young, appeared before the clerk of the United States court this morning and gave bonds in the sum of \$4,000 each.

Dr. Davis's bondsmen are J. W. Pusick, a banker, and D. P. Mason, both of Albany. Dr. Davis, who was accompanied by his attorney, J. R. Wyatt, of Albany, declined to discuss his indictment, saying merely that while he might have a statement to make later, he was not prepared to give one now.

Captain L. H. Tarpley, the surety being John H. Albert, a banker of Salem, and George F. Rogers of the same city. Ormsby executed the bond at Salem before Justice Moore of the supreme court. George Sorenson gave as his surety the United States Fidelity & Guaranty company, of which Hartman, Thompson & Powers are the local agents.

PRIEST SAYS BISHOP WROTE DEFAMING HIM

Philadelphia, Dec. 30.—"Can a bishop, or ought a bishop to write defamatory letters in order to injure any member of the ministry?" said Rev. Ingram T. Irvine today.

"My reinstatement," continued Irvine, "is of secondary consideration when contrasted with this query. Of course I wish this unjust accusation of Bishop Talbot removed, but I wish, entirely without malice to be vindicated in the sight of God and my friends."

Irvine denied all charges brought by Talbot, and said the charges against him originated in his persistent refusal to serve communion to Mrs. Emma D. Elliott of Huntington, Pa., who is divorced against the wishes of Bishop Talbot.

Mrs. Emma D. Elliott, implicated in the charges brought against Bishop Talbot by Rev. Irvine, declared that her accuser and the bishop's should be horsewhipped. She denies that she ever had acquaintance with much less married James Alexander or James Anderson.

WOOL CROP SOLD

Baker City, Or., Dec. 30.—The wool crop of Baker county is practically cleaned up. Most of the sales were made at 15 cents, although as high as 16 1/2 cents is said to have been paid in several instances. The Baker City market is now cleaning up practically at 15 cents.

"Clean-Up" Sale On furniture and carpets at Calif. Bros.

ACT OF HEROISM ON THE WATERFRONT

Henry Brandenburg Springs Into River and Saves Drowning Edward Long.

Losing his balance, Edward Long, checking clerk for the Portland & Astoria Steamship company, fell from a lumber barge into the river last night and would have drowned had he not been given immediate assistance. Henry Brandenburg gallantly went to his rescue and pulled him from the water.

The barge was loaded with lumber, which was being placed into the hold of the steamship Arabia. Long was checking up the timbers, and he stepped on the end of a protruding plank, which flew up and threw him into the river.

STOCKMEN EVADE LAW

Cannot Sily Cattle by Regular Steamers, and Use Vancouver Ferry.

Although steamboat men are not allowed to carry cattle from Oregon into Washington unless the owners have certificates showing the stock in a healthy condition, they claim that this is done regularly by those operating the Vancouver ferryboat. J. V. Harrison, agent for the Kama line of steamers, says: "I refuse to handle the stock, but the owner usually drives the animals across the peninsula and takes them across the river on the ferryboat. He never stops to have the animals inspected. The matter has been called to the attention of the Washington veterinarian, and he has promised to put a stop to the traffic. And there the matter rests."

It is a Washington law recently enacted which it is alleged is being evaded. It provides that neither a horse nor a cow may be taken from Oregon to Washington without inspection by a competent veterinarian. A heavy fine is imposed for violation of the law.

APPEAL GRANTED

Those Interested in Interrupted Cargo of Arabia Notified of Russia's Action.

All interested in the cargo of the Arabia, which was appropriated by the Russian government, have been notified that an appeal from the decision of the prize court has been granted, and a second inquiry will be held before the supreme court at St. Petersburg on January 15. The consignees and underwriters will probably appoint representatives to look after their interests at the hearing. The cases of the Calchas and Knight Commander will be heard at the same time.

The Arabia will finish discharging her cargo in time to move over to the flour mills today. Longshoremen worked on her all last night. They put lumber in two hatches for the outward trip, and removed freight to clean the hull of the remaining two hatches. If the vessel is to get out on time the work of loading her will have to be continued day and night.

ALONG THE WATERFRONT

Superintendent McIntosh, superintendent of the drydock, reports that the workmen engaged to clean the hull of the schooner Andy Anthony were in no danger of drowning when the pontoons began to sink the other day. He says the wires of one of the motors got crossed, and the pontoons had to be lowered a short distance in order to get the dock on a level.

"The men were not in more than 18 inches of water," he declares.

Careful inquiry has failed to reveal the identity of the man who was drowned Wednesday evening from the barge Monarch. Richard J. Reilly of the Oregon Round Lumber company says fifty or more different people have called at his office in the past two days reporting that they have friends missing.

MARINE NOTES

Astoria, Dec. 30.—Arrived at 5 and left at 8 a. m., steamer George W. Elder, from San Francisco.

Astoria, Dec. 29.—Arrived down at 3:30 p. m., British bark Dunraggan.

Astoria, Dec. 30.—Condition of the bar at 8 a. m., rough; wind, southeast; weather, cloudy.

ANOTHER STEAMSHIP COMPANY

Articles of incorporation were filed in the county clerk's office yesterday by the Newport Navigation company, which will operate steamboats and ferryboats on Yagueta bay and its tributaries. The capital stock is \$5,000, and the incorporators are John Marshall, George A. Marshall and Charles Rivears. The company owns the steamer Richardson plying in these waters.

BLUE JACKETS BOAT

Valparaiso, Chile, Dec. 30.—The outcome of a conference between the Chilean government officials and the American charges d'affaires held here yesterday resulted in an agreement that no American sailors shall be granted shore leave at this port. The cause of this action is due to the disturbance created by some bluejackets from American warships, who while on shore became intoxicated and created some trouble, though not of a serious nature.

MILLIONAIRES AND SEARCH FOR POLE

Group of Wealthy Men Form a Combine to Aid Peary in Reaching North Pole.

ARE NOW CONSTRUCTING WORLD'S STRONGEST SHIP

Vessel Equipped With Powerful Engines and Built to Resist Ice Floes.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Dec. 30.—A group of wealthy men has combined to aid Lieutenant R. E. Peary in reaching the North Pole. They have formed a club and incorporated it. The president of the club is Morris A. Jessup; treasurer, Henry Parrish; secretary, J. L. Bridgman. Among the directors are John H. Flagler, Anton A. Raven and Professor H. F. Osborne.

The organization has raised principally from the members, a considerable sum to equip a ship, and has assumed the responsibility of contracting for and are now building a special ship of exceptional strength and powerful engines, to be completed about March 1, 1905.

The ship will be the first ever constructed in this country for Arctic discovery, and the strongest ever built anywhere for that purpose.

RIVER ON RAMPAGE

(Continued from Page One.) His information was gained from United States Engineer Heghardt, who is now engaged in making a survey of the remains of the jetty. A remarkable feature about it is that the portion which withstood the storm is the outer end which extended out into the sea.

"I do not believe it, hardly possible," said the major this morning, "but it may be that the terebos have been at work down that way again. The rock piled around the framework of the structure can be saved. If the weather should become favorable we may be able to do some repair work to the trestle this winter. However, I will not know definitely about this matter until later on. We will have to inquire thoroughly into the matter before taking any steps to make repairs."

WATER IS HIGH

Willamette River 14 Feet Above Low Mark at Eugene But Slowly Receding.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., Dec. 30.—The Willamette river at Eugene reached 14 feet above low-water mark this morning, but is slowly receding this afternoon. Although out of its banks in many places, no great damage is reported. Factories here that are operated by water power are idle today, the back water from the river rendering the power useless.

The slough in the aqueduct part of the city is overflowing, and spreading over a large territory, the residents in that vicinity having to wade to reach the sidewalks, which are afloat. The rainfall of the past 48 hours ending at 3 o'clock this morning, was two and a half inches.

AT OREGON CITY

Factories Prepare For Flood—Favorable Opinion Is That Danger Is Past.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Oregon City, Or., Dec. 30.—The recent heavy rains have raised the waters in the Willamette river at this point a considerable degree, and the several factories operating at this river banks were busily engaged yesterday evening in taking precautions in expectation of a flood.

While today the waters are quite high, the prevailing opinion here is that the danger of a damaging overflow is past.

RISING RAPIDLY

High Water Sweeps Railroad Bridge Near Albany Away.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Albany, Or., Dec. 30.—The Willamette river is rising rapidly at this place. The bridge across the South Santiam on the Woodburn-Natron branch of the Southern Pacific went out this morning. The train from the south end branch was compelled to come down the Lebanon branch to this city, thence out on the Corvallis & Eastern to Mukwonago, where it again transferred to its own line.

FLOOD AT SALEM

High Water Flows Into Basements, Forms Small Lakes and Still Rising.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Dec. 30.—As a result of the heavy rains in the past few days many basements in this city are flooded and lakes formed in the low ground surrounding the town.

The Willamette river at this point at noon today was 14 feet above low water mark and rising at the rate of two tenths of a foot an hour. Heavy rain streams are out of their banks. So far no damage is reported from the high water.

ODD MEMORIAL FOR AFRICAN EXPLORER

(Journal Special Service.) London, Dec. 30.—In Pirbright churchyard a memorial of a remarkable kind has just been placed over the grave of the late Sir Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, whose widow was desirous of securing for the purpose some great monolith. "Fashioned by the ages, tempered and colored by time and untouched by man." Search was made, especially in the neighborhood of Dartmoor, and eventually a large granite monolith was discovered that appeared to be suitable. It was in recumbent position, forming part of a fence on the roadside, and three of its faces were known to have been exposed for many years.

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ADVISES BRITONS TO LEARN TO SHOOT

(Journal Special Service.) London, Dec. 30.—In the January number of the Nineteenth Century Field Marshal Lord Roberts has contributed an article in the nature of a lecture calling attention to the necessary duties of all classes of Great Britain relative to the exigencies of the time as they relate to the increasing demands that are made by modern warfare.

In part Lord Roberts' article says: "A terrible lesson awaits the nation whose soldiers find themselves opposed by equally brave but better trained opponents on the field of battle. No amount of money, no national sacrifices will then avail, for modern warfare moves fast, and time lost in peace can never be made up during the stress of a campaign. I hold this view very strongly, and would urge my fellow-countrymen with all the force at my command to look the plain facts in the face."

In discussing the question of compulsory service, which he does not advocate, Lord Roberts says: "It is the bounden duty of the state to see that every able-bodied man in this country, no matter to what grade of society he may belong, undergoes some kind of military training, in youth sufficient to enable him to shoot straight and carry out simple orders if ever his services are required for national defense."

Mrs. Jonathan Bourne

331 Seventh St., City.

Is now riding in a \$900 automobile, the gift of Dr. B. E. Wright. Mrs. Bourne was present at the Lyric last evening and held the lucky number,

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And today has the automobile.

Dr. B. E. WRIGHT'S DENTAL OFFICE

34 1/2 WASHINGTON ST. Cor. Seventh

HUNT IS ACCUSED

(Continued from Page One.) The jury was drawn by Judge George in chambers, and that Marion R. Johnson, clerk of department No. 1, did the work. The facts, easy to obtain, stamp it as a veriest commonplace. Witnesses saw the drawing, which took place in Judge Cleland's court room, in open court, with newspaper men watching the drawing, and members of the regular jury panel, attorneys and spectators crowding the room. Clerk Henry Buch, not Marion R. Johnson, drew the names.

Among the witnesses before the grand jury this morning were Johnston W. McCulley, police reporter on a morning paper; Attorney Murdoch, Policeman C. E. Foster, Louis Hirsch and Frank Hart.

PROGRESS-PROSPERITY

Prosperity does not come to a business establishment unless deserved. To insure a healthy growth it is essential to first establish yourself in the confidence of the public. To do this is no easy matter. The "sinner" or "faker" is always at work abusing confidences. In order to prove to them the honesty and loyalty of a business house it first requires absolute honesty in all dealings pro and con. In other words, the establishment must be in the hands of honorable people. Good, substantial and late style goods must be sold as low as possible. Deceiving the public is commercial suicide. The prize or lottery store are not popular with the masses. The people demand full value in merchandise for the money expended. In fact, people will trade where they can get the best value for their money. Advantages of buying goods so they can be sold under competition is another feature. The Chicago, the big clothing store, 59-71-73 Third street, is Portland's greatest and best store. The page ad in today's paper is an honest statement well worth reading.

Mrs. Bourne Got Automobile

At the Lyric theatre last night Mrs. Jonathan Bourne of No. 331 Seventh street was awarded the \$900 Toledo automobile, which was given away by Dr. B. E. Wright. Mrs. Bourne is the wife of Jonathan Bourne, a prominent local politician and mining man. The number that won the automobile for Mrs. Bourne was No. 11,791. Nearly 245,000 coupons were given out by Dr. Wright since June 1.

Watch Night

Tonight a \$25 gold watch will be given away at the Bijou theatre—the first of a series of \$4 gifts—\$50 bicycle and a \$200 automobile absolutely given away to the patrons of the Bijou with a great show as an attraction, all for 10 cents admission to any seat in the house.

Seven Eagle Point young women had new gowns made for the grand masquerade, but what aish thought of the others' was not reported, if expressed.

FIFTH VICTIM HURT AT WALVILLE EXPIRES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Chehalis, Wash., Dec. 30.—The bodies of Epiling, Hicks and Buchanan, the men killed in the Walville accident Wednesday, were brought to Chehalis today. Buchanan, the fifth victim, died last night. Hicks was buried at Pe-Bell, Hicks, Epiling and Buchanan will be buried here. Dowla's body was taken to Missouri by his wife.

NEARLY LOST AN ARM

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Wilbur, Wash., Dec. 30.—W. R. Thompson, proprietor of a wood yard here, came near having his arm amputated yesterday by getting that member caught in a steam wood saw. His clothing was cut and his arm gashed, necessitating several stitches.

SUBJUGAL CAPTURED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pomeroy, Wash., Dec. 30.—Sheriff Strain arrived from Colfax today in charge of Jack Carroll, wanted for burglary here, and captured in La Crosse, Whitman county.

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