

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.

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.

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.

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."

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.

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.

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 Yaguina 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.

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.

RIVER ON RAMPAGE

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 treble 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.

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.

AT OREGON CITY

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

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.

RISING RAPIDLY

High Water Sweeps Railroad Bridge Near Albany Away.

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.

Salem, Dec. 30.—As a result of the heavy rains in the past few days many basements in this city are flooded and lakes are forming on 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

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.

This stone, which is 12 feet long, 4 feet wide, 2 feet 6 inches thick and weighs six tons, was conveyed from Devonshire to Pirbright with much difficulty, and it now stands with the simple inscription, "Henry Morton Stanley; also the name by which he was known on the dark continent, 'Bula Matari' (the Rock Breaker); the word 'Africa' and above all a cross.

Eagle Ball. Tomorrow night, New Year's eve, at Merrill's Auditorium hall; Everett's orchestra. New maple surface repolished. Room for 1,000 couples. Gentlemen \$3.00, ladies 25 cents.

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Men's Shirts and Neckwear	Women's and Children's Hosiery	Laces, Ribbons and Neckwear
Handkerchiefs, Veils and Fans	Men's and Boys' Sweaters	Table Damasks and Napkins
Towels and Toweling	Dress Findings and Linings	Silk and Cotton Umbrellas
Sheets, Sheetings and Cases	Silk, Wool and Kid Gloves	Outing Flannels
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ADVISES BRITONS TO LEARN TO SHOOT

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.

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

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 verdict of sense. 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.

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 with the public.

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 24,000 coupons were given out by Dr. Wright since June 1.

FIFTH VICTIM HURT AT WALVILLE EXPIRES

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-Eli, Hicks, Epiling and Buchanan will be buried here. Dowla's body was taken to Missouri by his wife.

NEARLY LOST AN ARM

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.

SUBJAC CAPTURED

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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