

NO BOAT IN VALENCIA TO BE HANGED

Walter Who Escaped From the Doomed Ship Testifies as to Lack of Discipline.

SURVIVORS HAD COLD FEET, SAYS FIREMAN

Frank Richley, One of Those Who Reached Shore Admits Rescued Men Could Have Reached Cliff If They Had Wanted To.

(Journal Special Service.)

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 31.—Into the investigation into the cause of the Valencia wreck this morning, Walter Charles Hodding said that he had asked women to go into the lifeboats, but they had refused. He testified that no boat had been held during the entire trip. The witness was thrown into the water, but saved by a life raft. Frank Richley, a fireman with the Bunker party, said that he could have reached the cliff when he intended from the wreck but that the other members of the party had cold feet and he could not go alone.

The investigation seems to be a whitewash for the inspectors for allowing such conditions on the boat. A body supposed to be that of William Sibley was found today on the beach at Pachena bay by the revenue cutter Grant. The cutter Perry is also searching for soldiers. The Bahada arrived here this noon.

Miss Bruer of Minneapolis, who has been unable to obtain any news of the recovery of the body of her uncle, a high official of St. Paul, intends to leave here with an Indian guide and explore the coast. The United States cutter Perry was in this morning on route to the scene of the wreck, but returned to take the "beach board."

The tug Bahada brought a corpse, which was identified as W. Wilson, second-class seaman, by Cook Hancock, who said that Wilson was the man who went crazy and jumped from the first raft.

The Bahada officers report that Attorney Peters is aboard the Perry looking for the body of Miss Van Wyck whom it is thought to be tied to the rigging. This is denied by others.

In the investigation William Gosling, seaman, corroborated McCarthy.

MEDALS FOR HEROES.

Garnegie Fund Curtodian Wants Names of Those Worthy of Deception.

Victoria, Jan. 31.—Mayor Morley has received from Pittsburgh an inquiry from a custodian in that city, asking for recommendations for the decoration of those who manifested bravery in the Valencia wreck and offering assistance to those destitute. The mayor forwarded his recommendation.

THINKS PUTER HAS LEFT COUNTRY

Hiram Goddard, One of His Victims, Heard From Swindler Last Month.

Hiram Goddard of La Crosse, Wisconsin, one of the numerous eastern capitalists who were beguiled by S. A. D. Puter into exchanging their good money for counterfeit school land certificates, believes that Puter has fled the country. "I had a letter from Puter last month," said Goddard this morning. "It was written from San Francisco and was dated December 10, but was not mailed until four days later. I think Puter wrote it just as he was about to sail and then left it with his wife to be mailed when he was safely out of the country."

"Puter wrote me that he was going to have some more money pretty soon and he said something about taking up the bogus certificates he sold me. I don't know where he's gone, but he'll get along all right," and Goddard added, with a smile, "Puter's pretty handy and he would get along somehow even if they put him in state's prison."

An entertaining story is told of the manner in which Henry Salsar, another La Crosse capitalist, was fleeced by Puter and then left with his wife to be mailed when he was safely out of the country.

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A confederate, who passed under the name of Mueller, posed as the owner of the lands which were offered Salsar. He jumped into the chain owned by the exchange. Then he sent for Horace McKinley and presented him with \$500 as a token of his gratitude for being "put next" to such a good thing.

PORTLAND BOY MAY NOT HAVE BEEN LOST

Information which was received today by Mrs. H. J. Gregory from Victoria is to the effect that the authorities there, after making investigations, do not believe that the Harry Gregory who was on the ill-fated steamer Valencia was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory of this city. The name of the Valencia passenger is the same as that of Mrs. Gregory's son, and from what information the family could get just after the wreck it was feared that their son was on the boat. As yet the father and mother have not been able to locate young Gregory.

See Nature in Her Winter Garb.

To see the far-famed Rocky mountains in their wondrous winter garb is the treat of a lifetime. The canyon, peaks and gorges are even more attractive in winter than in summer. The Deaver & Rio Grande, popularly known as "The Scenic Line of the World," pierces the very heart of the Rockies, and besides is the only transcontinental line that is open to the coast.

Washington, Jan. 31.—It is announced that the state of California has been granted a right of way through the Grand Canyon, and will receive \$2,000,000.

LOBBY BARRINGTON TO BE HANGED

Supreme Court Confirms the Sentence and Sets Day in March for Execution.

ROPE AND KNIFE FOUND IN CONVICTED MAN'S CELL

Man Who Won Love of Confiding Maidens Posing as English Lord, Then Killed Benefactor, Must Pay Penalty for Crime.

(Journal Special Service.)

Jefferson, Mo., Jan. 31.—The supreme court today affirmed the sentence of "Lord" Frederick Seymour Barrington and set March 15 as the day for his execution for the murder of James P. McCann, a St. Louis horseman, on the night of June 19, 1923. The court held that the evidence was sufficient to sustain the verdict and that the sentence should stand.

Barrington is 45 years old and police records show that he has spent nearly three quarters of his life in prison, yet during the few years of his liberty he has stolen thousands of dollars' worth of property, wedded at least two women, committed one murder and is suspected of another.

Barrington first went to prison at the age of 16, when on July 7, 1870, he was sentenced to five years in a reformatory for the crime of stealing a horse. He was released from the juvenile prison he enjoyed two months of liberty, when he was given a 12 months' sentence for stealing his master's watch. At the expiration of his sentence after a few weeks of liberty he was convicted of burglary and given 10 years' penal servitude but procured his release after serving four years, upon forged papers.

Barrington married an English girl, got possession of her property and deserted her, and within two months was again in prison under a 10-year sentence. After serving the full 10 years he made his way to America, turning up in Brooklyn as Sir Frederick Sydney Burgoyne. He was suave of manner and spoke English, Spanish, German, French and other foreign languages fluently, as he spent his leisure weeks in prison in mastering foreign tongues. He married Celeste E. Miller in 1891, whom he took to England and deserted after getting all her property. A few months later he was again sent to prison, while his wife made her way home and took in washing to support the baby that was born.

In 1902 he married a wealthy young woman in Philadelphia, whom he speedily deserted, and next appeared as Lord Frederick Seymour Barrington at St. Louis, where he won the hand of Miss Cochran of Kansas City.

While tending bar in a saloon he became acquainted with a woman named "Follower," who took him into his home and provided him with everything he needed when he lost his position. He induced McCann to go into the country with him, and then he turned down and hid his throat cut for his money.

After an interesting trial in the police court, Willis Edmunds was convicted of conducting a slaughter-house within the city limits by Police Judge Cameron this morning and fined \$100. A. C. Edmunds, his father, also a defendant, was acquitted for lack of evidence, and promptly paid the fine imposed on his son.

The father acted as counsel for himself and his boy. He endeavored to drag in state and federal law, accused the operators of the Zimmerman slaughter-house of violating the law, and finally had Deputy City Attorney Fitzgerald, who was prosecuting him, placed on the stand as a witness.

Charges of perjury were made in open court by Mr. Fitzgerald and Judge Cameron once stopped Albert Klein, a butcher.

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KANGAROO COURT SHE DID NOT DARN AGAIN PERHAPS HIS SOCKS

Assistant City Attorney Fitzgerald Scores Police Inspector Bruin in Court.

(Journal Special Service.)

Herman Busch was arrested last night by Patrolmen Endicott and Galbraith and charged with vagrancy. He was with a man who two weeks ago passed a forged check for \$44 Fritz's saloon. When his case was called in the police court this morning Bailiff Circle was sent after him. He returned with the information that Busch had gone.

"Gone," sneered Assistant City Attorney Fitzgerald, "gone where?" "He was discharged this morning," "Discharged by whom?" "Discharged by Inspector Bruin."

Mr. Fitzgerald's face showed his astonishment. He asked a few more questions and then said: "A complaint was filed against this man charging him with vagrancy after he was arrested and lodged in prison by the police. That complaint took him out of the jurisdiction of the police and into that of this court. Nobody had the right to discharge him but the judge of this court."

"We lived a time in Albin," said Smith, "and she used to get mail while key for a stall. Guess if you would go and dig under the house where we lived you would find a wagonload of bottles."

The former prisoner also testified that for the past seven years "Kangaroo court" established. There must be no more discharging of men after complaints have been filed against them, except by the judge of this court.

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When asked regarding his business affairs, Smith said that he was the manager of a saloon for Harry Sullivan, for which he received \$50 a month and his room. He denied having entered into a deal in which his property was transferred to Sullivan pending his trial.

Mrs. L. Wertz, a neighbor of the Smiths; Leona Smith, the 16-year-old niece of the fighter; T. D. Smith, the plaintiff's brother; Mrs. Cook, E. Denison, "Pat" McCann, Ed Gee and Mrs. Gee testified to having seen Mrs. Smith under the influence of liquor or having seen her drink beer.

ENOUGH RESOLUTIONS FILED TO SINK A SHIP

So Says W. W. Cotton in Answer to Hill Attorneys in Right-of-Way Fight.

AGED MAN IS KILLED WHILE SITTING IN CAR

FINED TWO HUNDRED AND SENT TO JAIL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

The Dallis, Or., Jan. 31.—Kull Kelsor, aged 70 years, a respected resident of this section, was shot and killed while on an Oregon & Southeastern car homeward bound, by Walter Foley last night. Foley, who is said to have been intoxicated, had a new revolver in his pocket and was exhibiting and pointing at passengers. He was prevailed to take a seat and sat down beside Kelsor. The weapon was discharged, the bullet entering Kelsor's chest. He expired shortly after being taken home. The weapon is said to have been accidentally discharged. A warrant is out for Foley's arrest. Kelsor leaves an aged widow and several children. He kept a boarding-house on the Bohemia road.

The Dallis, Or., Jan. 31.—Carl Anderson was fined \$200 and sentenced to 100 days in the county jail by Recorder Ferguson yesterday afternoon. This is the man arrested at the depot with burglar's tools and nitroglycerin on his person by Officers Wood and Fitzgerald. He was tried on a charge of carrying concealed weapons.

James S. Backenstos this morning filed his declaration with County Clerk F. S. Fields that he would be a candidate for justice of the peace in the east side district. Other declarations filed today are: J. P. Finlay, for coroner; Frank E. Fields, for county clerk; Frank C. Barnes, for county commissioner, and Carl A. Brandes, for county auditor. All the last four named hold the offices for which they are seeking the nomination, and all are Democrats.

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WASHING ELKS ON WEDNESDAY

Van of Throng That Will Assist in Dedicated Temple Arrives Today.

CEREMONIES TO LAST THROUGH TWO NIGHTS

General Reception to Public Will Be Given Friday, When All May Inspect the New Quarters of Portland Lodge.

(Journal Special Service.)

E. A. Beard and E. B. McDaniels of Baker City, grand lodge representatives are the vanguard of the Elks who will arrive in the city today and tomorrow to attend the dedicatory services of the new home of the Portland lodge. They are followed by the other representatives of the grand lodge.

The officers of the local lodge will not dedicate the new home, as is the prevailing practice, but such services are supposed to be conducted personally by the grand lodge officers.

When they cannot attend, the grand exalted ruler appoints a substitute, grand lodge to represent the body. In this instance the grand exalted ruler has appointed the following Oregon Elks to officiate as the grand lodge:

Charles V. Brown, G. E. R., Astoria; George C. Blakeley, G. E. L. K., The Dalles; E. B. McDaniels, G. E. Leading K., Baker City; W. H. Byrd, G. E. Leading K., Salem; E. A. Beard, grand exalted ruler, Baker City; Malcolm G. G. G., grand secretary, Astoria; Charles H. Burggraf, grand treasurer, Albany; Charles H. Pierce, grand tyler, Ashland; Lewis Kinney, grand inner guard, Heppner; Frank C. Baker, grand chaplain, Portland.

After the building has been dedicated early tomorrow night, the dedication committee, appointed by the members of the local lodge, will have in charge of the subsequent exercises. The committee has arranged an elaborate program for the occasion. The dedicatory services Thursday evening will be held in the new quarters of the lodge.

Charles E. McDonell, exalted ruler, is chairman of the committee on reception of grand lodge officers and will be assisted by J. H. Upton, T. H. Crang, John B. Coffey, John Lamont, Frank S. Fields, Sig. Wertheimer, Frank C. Anderson, L. H. Damasco, W. R. Anderson, Carl Zimmerman, John E. Kelly and H. R. Everding.

Henry T. Oviatt is chairman of the ushers' committee and will be assisted by W. Adams, L. H. Adams, W. H. Barry, C. A. Boyce, M. F. Brady, J. H. Burgard, W. M. Davis, D. M. Dunne, F. A. Hettkemper, Alex. Gavin, J. P. Carney, C. E. Holmes, Phil Harris, Charles H. Hinton, George H. Johnson, J. P. Kavanaugh, Dr. H. I. Keeney, W. A. Knight, Benjamin Litt, W. G. McPherson, E. W. Moore, Harvey O'Bryan and W. T. Fangle.

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BURT and PACKARDS Warranted Patent Leather, all styles; regular \$4.00 shoe—Reduced to... \$3.55

BURT and PACKARDS All Domestic \$3.50 shoe—Reduced to... \$3.15

SPECIAL attention is called to our BOYS' Heavy Soled Box Calf \$2.50 Shoe—Reduced to... \$1.75

The Shoe that saves you money, wearing out three pairs of soles to one pair of uppers.

WOMEN'S Patent Leather \$4.00 Shoe—Reduced to... \$3.15

WOMEN'S Welt Vici Kid, latest styles Blucher \$3.50 Shoes—Reduced to... \$2.55

WOMEN'S McKay Patent Colt Flexible \$3.50 Shoe—Reduced to... \$2.15

WOMEN'S McKay Welts, Blucher \$3.00 Shoes—Reduced to... \$1.95

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Great Bargains in Misses' and Children's Shoes. Don't miss this rare opportunity of your life to buy up-to-date Shoes at these prices.

293 Morrison Street

The Little Shoe Store Near Fifth.

PACKING HOUSE A NEW YORK HALF CERTAINLY DAY NEARER

C. M. Levey Confirms Report That Swift & Co. Have Bought Ground.

New Mail Service Cuts Almost Fifteen Hours Off of Old Schedule to Coast.

A report published some weeks ago by The Journal to the effect that Swift & Co. were buying ground for a large packing-house plant in Portland is now confirmed by a statement made by C. M. Levey, president of the Portland & Seattle Railroad company, which is building a line across the peninsula. The Swift plant will be built this year, and will be the company's principal packing plant on this coast.

"It is a fact that the Swift Packing company has bought ground adjacent to the Portland plant will be the largest of its kind in the Pacific northwest. They are going to build so large a plant here for the reason that this is the livestock region. Portland has the country back of it to supply the plant. The rich Willamette valley and the ranges of eastern and central Oregon, Idaho, Wyoming and Montana produce great numbers of cattle and sheep."

It is understood that the packing company will begin construction of its plant as soon as the railroad situation on the peninsula clears and the Hill lines are placed on the eligible list for appointment to the right of way and bridge locations. The ground purchased by the packers was selected with the understanding that the Portland & Seattle company's lines would run across the peninsula to the drydock bridge site, as surveyed. The plant will consist of large stockyards and feeding pens and one of the most up-to-date and complete abattoirs in the country, involving the expenditure of \$1,000,000 by the time everything is ready for operations. The ground bought for a site includes the P. T. Smith and Macrum farms, lying on both sides of Columbia slough, and takes a part of Smith's lake, east of St. Johns. The ground was purchased from the Leadbetter-Pittcock syndicate, which has been dealing extensively in slough lands on the peninsula.

At present Swift & Co. have no packing-house in the Pacific northwest. They operate a cold-storage plant at Seattle.

TOWN OF BARSTOW IS LOCATED AS GOLD MINE

OF 48 WHO TRIED, 30 PASS TESTS FOR FIREMEN

TO SECURE STRIP FROM WALLULA TO ILWACO

(Journal Special Service.) San Bernardino, Cal., Jan. 31.—John O'Donnell has made a strike in the Grangeville area, which has resulted in repopulating Barstow, the entire community joining in the rush. The whole region has been located for miles. O'Donnell claims most of Barstow under an old mining location. The Santa Fe has built a road through the house, depot and freight yards on lands within the claim and begun suit to quiet title.

Saturday O'Donnell uncovered rock which was literally honeycombed with gold. Samples were assayed showing \$125 a ton. The news quickly spread, precipitating a grand rush. The strike will probably strengthen his claim against the Santa Fe.

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 31.—The Wallula Pacific railroad has served notice on the state of Washington, through the attorney-general, for condemnation of a right of way from Wallula to Ilwaco, Washington. The case will be heard before the Goldendale superior court on February 13. The strip sought to be condemned is described as follows:

"Strip 200 feet wide through lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, section 16, township 3, range 11 east, and lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, section 20, township 3, range 11 east, and so much of the shore of the Columbia river in front of said property as is covered by the proposed right of way, as shown by the plat on file."

Washington, Jan. 31.—Sainis & Shields of St. Paul, who have the contract for the north bank line, have also been awarded the contract for construction of the line from Clatskanie to Grangeville. This is the statement made today by J. P. Vollmer of this city, who is closely identified with the operations of the Northern Pacific in this vicinity.

The road will be 11 miles in length, connecting the line from Clatskanie to Grangeville. This is the statement made today by J. P. Vollmer of this city, who is closely identified with the operations of the Northern Pacific in this vicinity.

For 25 delivered in the hand in each second by the automatic change and each register, 404 Marquam building.

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Woolen Mill at Eugene to Begin Operations

Eugene, Or., Jan. 31.—A company which has been formed at Salem, known as the Eugene Woolen Mill company, with the Thomas Kay Woolen Mill company, the principal stockholder, today completed a deal for the purchase of the woolen mill here which has been idle for the past three years.

Thomas B. Kay, who was in Eugene yesterday in interest of the deal, made the announcement that the plant would be put into operation within 60 days and would employ from 70 to 75 persons with a payroll of \$3,000 or \$3,500 a month.

John P. Wilbur and Will Wright of Union have owned the mill for the past year, having purchased it at receiver's sale.

The new company announces that it will make a number of improvements in the plant and operate it steadily.

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