

DESPOONDENT MAN TAKES POISON

C. E. Jones, Deserted by Wife, Tried Hard to End His Life.

RECOVERY DOUBTFUL—TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Leaves Farewell Letter Addressed to Wife, Who Is Suing for Divorce. Had Planned to Kill Her and Himself Tonight.

Spurned by the woman who had sworn to love and honor him, C. E. Jones, 22 years of age, sought success from his sorrows shortly before noon today by scuttling a portion of a bottle of chloroform. The attempt at self-delusion occurred at Tenth and Couch streets and caused considerable excitement in that neighborhood.

City Physician Spencer was called to attend the unfortunate man, who was removed to the Good Samaritan hospital in the patrol wagon. His recovery is doubtful.

From a farewell letter found in Jones' possession and the investigation by Detectives Kay and Burke it has been learned that the young man has been separated from his wife, Ethel Jones, and that she has instituted a suit for divorce.

Rejected Suitor Attacks Girl

CHECKED BAGGAGE BEFORE DYING

Conductor of Whitcomb Excursion Faithful to Duties to Last.

SIMMONDS KILLS HIMSELF AS STEAMER IS LEAVING

Pleasure-Seekers Sail for Alaska Without Learning That Leader Is Lying Dead on Seattle Wharf—Dead Man's Wife Is With Party.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Seattle, Wash., July 20.—Gordon F. Simonds, personal conductor of the Raymond Whitcomb excursion party that left Seattle for Alaska this morning, shot and killed himself on the front of pier B of the Pacific Coast Steamship company, at 9:30 o'clock this morning, just a few minutes before the steamships Spokane and City of Seattle, having the excursionists on board, poked their noses by the front of the wharf.

The two steamers were lying at the side of the wharf when Simonds committed suicide. No one heard the shot, saw the dead body until after the excursionists and officers had landed.

Simonds and the excursion party he was directing reached Seattle last night from Portland. The party was at once transferred to the steamers. Simonds had charge of the excursionists who left on the City of Seattle. When he did not appear as the boat was about to depart search was made for him, but he could not be located.

Before he committed suicide he attended to checking the excursionists' baggage. At 8:45 o'clock this morning he bought a revolver at a shop. He then went to the wharf and checked the bags. A woman, believed to be his widow, is believed to be on the City of Seattle.

No cause for the suicide has yet been learned. Simonds had a bottle of carbolic acid in his pocket. He placed the revolver against his forehead over his right eye.

Physicians Are Scored By Judge Hunt

ICE TRUST PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Officials of Combine Liable to Heavy Fine and Imprisonment for Offense.

TRYED TO MONOPOLIZE BUSINESS OF CAPITAL

Refused to Sell Products to Those Who Would Not Boost Prices to Standard Maintained by Members of the Trust.

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, July 20.—Members of the local ice trust this morning declared not guilty and were given until September 1 to file answers. They were indicted a week ago for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

If convictions are had there will be a total fine of \$30,000, and four of the officials will have to go to jail for a year.

This case will be one of some importance because it involves the imprisonment of the officials and it will therefore be fought to the end. The government and officers indicated are:

The American Ice Company—The Chapin-Sacks Manufacturing company.

Samuel A. Kimberley, local manager of the American Ice company.

George F. Hoover, agent for the American Ice company.

Arthur A. Chapin, president of the Chapin-Sacks company.

Samuel C. Redman, secretary and treasurer of the Chapin-Sacks company.

Unlawful Conspiracy.

The offense charged in these cases is: "Unlawful conspiracy, by which conspiring and agreement the parties indicated agreed between themselves that they would not sell ice wholesale or retail ice at less than 40 cents a hundred pounds."

The penalty, according to the Sherman law, is: "Every person who shall monopolize, or attempt to monopolize, combine, or conspire with any other person or persons to monopolize any part of the trade or commerce among the several states, or with foreign nations, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding \$5,000 or by imprisonment not exceeding one year, or by both punishments, in the discretion of the court."

Standard Oil Will Have the Nation's Cash.

To the negotiations which will follow the Portsmouth conference will be a Mellon's Food breakfast to a wood alcohol jar.

The question now confronting Wall Street is: Will you let Standard Oil slip out while you hold the bag, or will the old guard of the street jump into the breach and nail them in the act?

"Had I been able to be at my task during the past two weeks the world would have had the story in detail to judge for themselves, but I don't think I will be too late as it is.

THOMAS LAWSON.

Thursday, July 12, 1906. 7 p.m.

The Second Circular.

The second, entitled "Word From Mr. Lawson," is signed by Edward McSweeney, Lawson's secretary. It follows:

"Mr. Lawson writes me from Dreamland today:

"It is now just two weeks since I have given any thought to the market. A glance at the doings of that period tells me unmistakably that those helpless idiots of Wall street, the sucker speculators who have been swallowing premium agent yarns for the past six months, are hanging on, grimly and desperately, when Rogers is safe on Broadway, and the men who six months from today will either be in penitentiaries or beyond the jurisdiction of American authorities are feeding out the last share of the market will take."

"Print this letter and send it to 'the street' so some of my old friends, the traders, who are in the loaded pool, may make dry land before it is too late. When I say 'the street' two weeks ago, there may have been more sense in their hanging on, in their hoping against hope, but now it is evident to all that the big crowd are keeping things steady only long enough to get out the last share possible."

"Does not the simplest fool on 'the street' now read the handwriting? Does it not see John D. and William in Europe staying only long enough to understand that 'the end' is near? That sailing of Roosevelt next week is to be the signal?" When Rogers is safe on European soil and the crash is on, when the Amalgamated dividend is cut instead of increased, when the price of copper, the metal, is splitting wide open, and when steel is dropping five points a day, cannot 'the street' hear from abroad this insolent Rogers interview?

"Tell the American people not to blame Standard Oil or Wall street financiers for the present fall, but Smartly Roosevelt. We had prosperity and to spare and Wall street was only too willing to do the things necessary to continue that prosperity, but Smartly Roosevelt, bah!—let the American people take the consequences, and after the Democrats and Socialists and anarchists have swept the fall elections, the new president will have to decide what it is, has been replaced with free trade, and there is universal hell to pay, perhaps, I say, the American people will know whom to go looking for and I don't mind saying right now for publication it won't be Standard Oil or any of my friends. In the meantime you may say to your readers that no enterprise with which I or my associates are connected will do anything to give relief to the stock market which Smartly Roosevelt and his crazy followers have created—not a damn thing."

"Don't let any of my Wall street friends think Rogers, Rockefeller and their gang have lost any of their cunning. They know just how to deal with an emergency like the present and they are preparing to deal with it, and when they have all their wires laid Wall street will be a lurid spot for a few days."

EDWARD M'SWEENEY.

Secretary to Thomas W. Lawson.

BOSTON, July 12, 1906.

DRIVES TO FIRE WITH LATHER ON HIS FACE

That a fireman's life is not always a happy one was amply demonstrated at noon today in the case of George Guida, driver of chemical engine No. 1. Guida was busily engaged in lathering his face preparatory to a shave when a telephone message announcing a fire at Fourth and Washington was received. Forgetting everything else when duty called he jumped upon his rig and drove to the fire.

The spectacle of a man face covered with foam lather, and much merriment to the passing throng, was rife as to the cause of the exhibition. By a strange coincidence the blaze was in a chimney over a barber shop next to the Perkins hotel.

Henry Campbell, employed at Pan-Pacific theatre, was arrested last night on a statutory charge. Flora Lough, 15-year-old girl, is in confinement and the case will be heard in the Municipal court tomorrow. Considerable excitement was caused at Grand avenue and East Morrison streets by the attempt of the father of the girl to force her to accompany him home.

It is understood that he found his daughter in the company of Campbell and ordered her to at once leave her escort. She refused, and upon the father starting to use force she ran down the sidewalk and refused to stir. A crowd gathered and Detective Means, attracted by the excitement, jumped off a passing car to make an investigation.

We took the girl and her parent to police headquarters and the arrest of Campbell was ordered by Chief Grimes. Pending a disposition of the case, the girl has been placed in charge of the Boys' and Girls' Aid society.

William T. Shoultz, a well-known man, has been called to be the trial of the girl and her mother.

EVERETT PREACHER IS CALLED TO ASTORIA

Rev. Theo B. Neste from Everett, Washington, who has been called to Astoria by the Norwegian Synod church arrived in Portland this morning. He will be installed next Sunday by Rev. W. H. Sorenson, his predecessor, who next week leaves for Newman, California.

DESERTER FROM ARMY ARRESTED AT SALEM

Balem, Or., July 20.—Richard Ely, who was arrested here last evening for desertion from the United States army, Company K, at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will probably be delivered to the military authorities at Vancouver. He escaped last October.

BISHOP IS SECRETARY ON CANAL COMMISSION

(Journal Special Service.)

Washington, July 20.—J. B. Bishop is appointed secretary of the Panama canal commission at a salary of \$10,000 a year.

Juan Barrios, Arturo Ubico, Jose Pinto and Manuel Caprari are appointed to represent Guatemala in the peace conference.



Breakfast on Monday.

Dinner on Wednesday.

Supper on Saturday.

From the Detroit News.

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