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BILLY CHAPPELLE INDICTED

Seattle Grand Jury Charges Him With Renting a Building for Immoral Purposes and for Gambling—Is the Owner of New Paris House. Three Bills Returned.

Seattle, Feb. 25.—William Chappelle the Klondike millionaire, has been indicted by the Seattle grand jury. Three bills have been returned against him. One accuses him of renting a building where gambling is conducted. Another alleges that he derives his income from premises devoted to immoral purposes, and a third charges him with breaking the laws by letting the notorious new Paris house out to immoral women.

CITY TREASURY REIMBURSED

By Fines Received This Morning

Sellers of Unlicensed Liquors Are Compelled to Pay for so Doing.

The city ordinance prohibiting the sale of liquors in any but licensed premises is to be strictly enforced. The authorities are exercising a large degree of diligence in locating and punishing violators of this ordinance.

Three people were before the magistrate this morning charged with keeping liquor for sale upon their premises without a license and a conviction was obtained in each case.

Lucas Martin, keeper of the Bartlett house on Third avenue, was the first called and pleaded guilty to the charge. In giving judgment the magistrate stated that the law was passed for the purpose of controlling the sale of intoxicants and had in mind its sale in places where the proper accommodations had been made.

Those who obtained the right to sell intoxicants understood the requirements and had paid for the right to sell. It was not only wrong to take undue advantage over the licensed premises but the manner in which it was sold was entirely contrary to the spirit of the law which had for one of its chief features the restriction of the traffic.

Having pleaded guilty to the charge the magistrate fined the penalty at \$50 and costs, which made the total amount which Lucas had to pay into the city treasury \$70.

The next case was against Paulette Barge and Mignon Miller who were charged with the same offense. The two women are the proprietors of the Sanitarium baths on Second avenue opposite the Regina hotel. They were represented by Attorney Schoff who made a strong fight for them but the evidence was too complete and they were pronounced guilty and the same fine of \$50 and costs was imposed.

The costs in this case amounted to \$35, making a total expenditure on the part of the proprietors of the bath house \$85, as against two \$1 bills which they received from the sale of the liquor which was supplied to Corporal Egan and Constable McMillan.

The evidence disclosed the fact that the two members of the N.W.M.P. went to the bath house at 1:45 Sunday morning in civilian clothing. At the admitting the manner in which the walls were papered one of them stated that he was about to leave the city and was having a good time here he let and asked if he could get a drink. A bottle of Seagram was produced together with four glasses and they had a round of drinks. Constable McMillan asked for the amount of the damage and upon being told \$3 handed over two \$1 bills.

Paulette Barge when put on the stand called for an interpreter as she does not understand English very well. She stated that the two officers had come to the bath house on Sunday morning, stating they were going away and were out for a good time before they left. Asking for a drink she had produced the bottle of Seagram which they kept for bathing purposes only and not for sale. She stated that she could not understand English very well and had answered their questions yes and no as she thought would please them. She had taken the money only as a pastime and not for the sale of the liquor.

Attorney Schoff made such a strong plea for his clients on the ground of their unfamiliarity with the English language, their desire to please the officers and the fact that the liquor was kept for external use and had only been known to have been taken internally upon this one occasion, as to call forth a complimentary remark from the judge.

"One swallow," said the attorney, "does not make a summer, as you know, and therefore one instance does not prove a case."

"If it were necessary," answered the magistrate, "for the officers to go there often to prove their case it might prove disastrous to them."

"But I submit," protested the attorney, "that there being no liquor on the place except this bottle of Seagram which is kept for bathing purposes only, shows that liquor is not kept for sale."

"Seagram is good for selling purposes, if it is the right brand," replied the magistrate.

CONDIGN PUNISHMENT.

Meted Out to the Murderer of Policeman

ANARCHIST CONVENTION

Will Shortly be Held in Paris

New York Newspaper Makes Sensational Disclosures—Death to the Monarchs.

New York, Feb. 25.—The New York Evening Telegraph asserts that a convention of anarchists will be held in Paris very shortly to devise an active crusade against the lives of the leading monarchs of Europe.

EIGHT MINERS KILLED.

Pitched Battle Takes Place in Virginia Between Officers and Mob of Coal Workers—Latter Had Refused to Allow Injunction Papers to be Served.

The miners who were chiefly foreigners assembled to resist the officers and a conflict was precipitated. The marshalls fired on the mob several times and finally put the infuriated men to rout.

It was then discovered that eight miners had been killed outright and twelve others seriously injured. One negro deputy marshal was also killed.

PIONEER OF EAGLE CITY

Well Known Contractor Arrives With Stock

Pins His Faith to Dawson's Neighbor Across the Line in Uncle Sam's Domain.

Mr. H. N. Ford, a well known young man who has been making his home at Eagle for the past three or four years, returned yesterday afternoon from an extensive trip outside and will leave in the morning for his camp on the other side of the line.

Mr. Ford in company with his wife spent the winter at his old home in the state of Michigan and on his return to the far north brought with him direct from the place of his birth two sled loads of tools such as plows, scrapers, etc., which he will use in his business during the coming season. He also brought four horses he is driving which are as fine specimens of horse flesh in the way of draft animals as were ever brought inside, as may be proven by the fact that he has refused \$1000 for one of the teams since his arrival yesterday. The outfit was eleven days out from Whitehorse and report the trail in most excellent condition.

Mr. Ford's business at Eagle for the past year or two has been that of a general freighter and contractor, a typical Yankee trafficker in this and that, anything in which there was a dollar in sight. When he went outside last fall he had drafted trucking away in his inside pockets amounting to \$14,000, besides all the cash needed to take him home, which is a pretty certain indication that at least some of the people at Eagle have money.

Mr. Ford is interested in the saw mill at Eagle and as the boiler and engine have power to spare the managers of the institution are seriously considering the advisability of installing an electric light plant for the use of the building city. It is not considered likely that such a venture would be very profitable at the present time, but in the event of the Valdez road being built Eagle would probably enjoy a regular frontier boom. Mr. Ford has a contract for

DIVORCE SECURED

Titled Woman Breaks Nuptial Ties

Was Formerly a Baroness, But Hereafter Will be Known as Plain Miss Smith

New York, Feb. 25.—Baroness De Fontenillart, aunt of the Duchess of Marlborough and of Mrs. H. P. Belmont, has secured a divorce and will resume her maiden name of Miss Smith.

CHOKED HIS FATHER

Disgraceful Deed of a Drunken Man.

Guelph, Ont., Feb. 25.—Peter Canfield of this place is under arrest charged with choking his own father while under the influence of liquor.

FAMOUS CHURCHMAN

Vicar of Montreal Has Passed Away

Was Once Accused of Heresy, But Charge Was Dismissed

Montreal, Feb. 25.—Prof. W. F. Steen, vicar of Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal, is dead. He is familiar to all Canadians because of the charge of heresy made against him by Archbishop Bourne. The charge was dismissed by the synod.

WILL ACCEPT

Panama Canal Company Agrees to Knox's Terms

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Panama Canal Company has signified their willingness to accept Attorney General Knox's changes in the agreement.

THE CZAR

Will Appoint the Venezuela Arbitrators

Washington, Feb. 25.—The czar will name the Hague arbitrators of the Venezuela question.

FIERCE STORM

Plays Havoc in the Samoan Islands.

San Francisco, Feb. 25.—The Samoan islands have been ravaged again by a fierce hurricane.

Power of Attorney Blanks for the Tanana-Nugget Office.

COLONIAL SECRETARY

Completes African Labors and Sails Homeward.

AGREEMENT IS SIGNED

Document Receives the Proper Signatures

Naval Coaling Stations Will be Provided in Cuba for Protection of Caribbean Sea

Washington, Feb. 25.—President Roosevelt has signed an agreement providing a requisition for several naval coaling stations in Cuba. It is hoped thus to make the Caribbean sea unsafe for an enemy.

DIES OF FEVER

Whitney, Feb. 25.—Rev. Waddington Clark, rector of St. Luke's church, died of scarlet fever.

WAR SECRETARY RECEIVES HARSH CENSURE

London, Feb. 25.—Criticism of War Secretary Brodrick continues in the British commons. Winston Churchill charged that Brodrick's policy has resulted in a decrease of volunteers and increased expenditure. The army corps scheme was denounced as a humbug and sham.

UPPER HUDSON ICE JAM

Glens Falls, N.Y., Jan. 31.—Last night there was a decided change in the temperature and this morning brisk winter weather prevails. The change is desirable, as the rain and warm weather of yesterday tended to loosen up the ice jam at the Glen and the gorge threatened to burst. As it was, the massive formation moved several feet. While the cold weather is a measure assured safety, grave apprehension for the hamlet of the Glen is felt, and should the jam, which now extends back several miles, go out, the village would probably be wiped out of existence.

KILLED FAMILY AND HIMSELF

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 31.—News reached here today by telephone from Woods, in Panola county, of the killing of an entire family and that of a village last night. Charles Howe, who has been considered insane for several months, killed his three children and his wife by splitting their heads open with an axe as they lay sleeping in their beds. Howe then went to a field and cut his throat and died in the woods.

FOR SALE

Four strong dogs, year and a half old. Apply to Dr. Richardson, York street, between 3 and 4 p.m.

CANADA FINALLY DECLINES

To Nominate Alaska Boundary Commissioners—Is Dissatisfied With Appointment of Lodge and Turner and Awaits an Answer to Recent Letter. Senators Prejudiced.

Ottawa, Feb. 25.—Canada absolutely declines to nominate any Alaska commissioners until an answer is received to the remonstrance against the appointment of Senators Turner and Lodge by the United States. Canada claims that the understanding has been violated, the agreement providing that six judges and not senators were to be appointed.

KILLED IN CARNIVAL

Madrid, Feb. 25.—During a carnival riot at Viga, Spain, two men were killed and four wounded.

LENTEN SEASON

Is Ushered in by Ash Wednesday

Season of Sack-Cloth and Ashes is at Hand—Lasts Forty Days.

Today marks the beginning of the most solemn fast in the calendar of the Catholic, Anglican and Lutheran churches, Lent, and for the next forty days the faithful will gather at their various shrines of worship and there repeat them of their sins of the past. Ash Wednesday, which today is so designated, is named from a custom in the western church of sprinkling ashes on the penitents admitted to penance on that day. The origin of this ceremony is generally attributed to Gregory the Great. According to the present rite in the Roman Catholic church, the ashes are consecrated on the altar, sprinkled with holy water, signed with the cross, and then strewn on the heads of the clergy and people, the priest repeating "Memento quod cinis es, et in cinerem reverteris." (Remember that thou art dust and wilt to dust return.)

Lent one of the leading authorities has described as being an annual fast of forty days, beginning with Ash Wednesday and continuing until Easter, observed from very early times in the Christian church in commemoration of Christ's forty days' fast and six weeks of special penitence and preparation for the Easter feast. The Lenten fast is now observed as obligatory by the Orthodox Greek and other Oriental churches, and by the Roman Catholic, Anglican and Lutheran churches, and as a probable exercise by many members of other churches. It has varied in length at different times and in different parts of the church, and has begun later or earlier according as Sundays only or Saturdays also were excepted from fasting. In the Western Church it begins on Ash Wednesday, forty-six days before Easter, but as the intervening Sundays are not counted as a part of Lent, the fast lasts only forty days.

The first Sunday in Lent is known as Quadragesima, Sunday, the fourth as Mid-Lent Sunday, the fifth as Passion Sunday, and the sixth, beginning Holy Week, as Palm Sunday. The two weeks and a half preceding Lent form what is known as the pre-Lenten season, a transition between the joyous Christmas and Epiphany season and the penitential season of Lent. In medieval times the name Lent was given to other periods of fasting also.

Services were held this morning at 8 and also at 11 o'clock in both the St. Mary's and the Church of England. At the latter the holy eucharist was celebrated and the litany was chanted. There will be services held every morning during the Lenten season.

THE PIONEER

Is Headquarters for Late Tanana News.

Geo. Butler's Pioneer saloon is headquarters for all Tanana news as also for everything that is best in the line of wet goods. The Pioneer is the stamping ground for all the old timers, where they meet, pass the time of day, discuss the latest scandal and between talks enjoy a quiet smoke.

Butler makes a specialty of fine cigars, having the best brands always in stock. He imports his own goods and knows what he is getting.

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