

**MERCIFUL JUDGE
DEFIES JEROME'S
PENAL DOCTRINE**

Mulqueen Changes Sentence on Young Forger to Term in Elmira.

PUTS IT ON RECORD.

Province of Justice Is Not to Destroy Life, but to Lift Up Fallen.

Judge Mulqueen, in the Court of General Sessions, today revoked the sentence of six years and six months in prison that he had imposed upon Samuel Hankin in January, and committed him to Elmira Reformatory instead.

Hankin had been convicted of forging the signature of Abraham Kerns, of No. 171 Barclay street, to a check for \$50. Immediately after his conviction he was sentenced, but Judge Mulqueen made an investigation and decided to reopen the case.

In reopening the sentence Judge Mulqueen said:

"Hankin, you were convicted of a serious crime, thereby showing your utter contempt for the laws of America. I thought at the time you pleaded guilty that you deserved a heavy sentence, and I still think so. It is the easiest thing in the world for a Judge to impose a heavy sentence, but to administer justice in such a way as to preserve order and not destroy life is a more difficult task.

Tempered Justice With Mercy.

"I have ascertained that you haven't a friend. There was no plea for clemency in your case. You are alone, apparently, in the world. That fact set me thinking, and I caused your case to be investigated fully. The people who voted for me know my character when they elected me—not to inflict unnecessary hardship on any man. Whenever there is a chance to hold out a helping hand to a man and lift him up I propose to do it. That was the only plea I made to the people.

"To give you such a long sentence practically meant damnation to you. I am going to give you a chance to make a good American citizen and by this I want you to see that the laws of this country are not brutal and are not devised to destroy life, but rather to maintain order. I am going to commit you to the Reformatory at Elmira and while there you can learn a trade, and when you are discharged from that institution you will, I hope, become a useful citizen.

"You can thank your God that there are some merciful judges, and right here I want to go on record as being a merciful judge."

The Judge made no other comment on Jerome's lecture of yesterday, in which the District-Attorney insisted that leniency licensed crime.

**SUIT AGAINST HARRIMAN
GOES ON IN CHICAGO.**

Thirty Witnesses to Testify in Action to Break Up Alleged Transportation Monopoly.

CHICAGO, March 16.—The Chicago hearing in the Government suit against Edward H. Harriman and his associates, the Union Pacific Railroad Company and subsidiary railroads, to break up what Attorney-General Bonaparte termed "a substantial monopoly of the transportation business between the Missouri River and the Pacific coast," opened today before Special Examiner Sylvester G. Williams.

The hearing is a branch of the case instituted in Salt Lake City a year ago. The government's first witness was J. A. Wentze, a retired railroad man. Thirty other witnesses are expected to testify at the present examination.

**LAWYER CHOOSES
"EASY" JUDGE, IS
JEROME'S CHARGE**

Objects to Transfer of Cramer Larceny Case From Malone's Court.

District-Attorney Jerome had something to say about practice in the Criminal Courts Building while arguing a case before Supreme Court Justice Hendrick this morning.

The case was that of Max A. Cramer, indicted for grand larceny. The trial is scheduled to come before Judge Malone in the Court of General Sessions, and Charles A. Collins, counsel for Cramer, seeks to have it transferred to the criminal part of the Supreme Court, where Justice Blanchard is sitting.

"The reason for this application is obvious," declared Jerome. "Judge Malone imposes extreme penalties on persons convicted of crime before him, while Mr. Justice Blanchard is extremely lenient."

It appeared that the city ordered 3,900 pounds of rope from Cramer. The indictment alleges he delivered only 1,247 pounds, but put in a bill for 3,900 pounds, at sixteen cents per pound, defrauding the city out of \$104.68.

Mr. Collins contends there are many novel points of law involved in the case that should go to the higher court.

"The argument advanced by Mr. Collins," said Mr. Jerome, "is almost like 'conning' the Court. The issues involved are very plain. If Cramer is guilty as charged, he should be convicted. On the other hand, if he is innocent, he should be acquitted. The proper tribunal for the trial is General Sessions."

Justice Hendrick reserved decision on Cramer's application.

**BARYE'S ART SHOWN
AT GROLIER CLUB**

Some Remarkable Examples of French Artist-Modeller's Work on View.

The Grolier Club, No. 29 East Thirty-second street, has a remarkable exhibition of the bronzes and paintings of Antoine Louis Barye, the famous French artist-modeller whose genius was devoted almost exclusively to the study of animal life. Admission is free, by card, until March 27. Such an opportunity for a comprehensive study of Barye is rare, as there is no large permanent collection of his works—if we except that of the Walters Museum, in Baltimore—corresponding in scope to this temporary one shown at the Grolier.

Barye (born in 1765, died 1825) was originally a silversmith, like his father. Several of his celebrated pieces, including a "Roman Jester" and a "King Charles Spaniel," are in the present exhibition. There are also a number of his heroic (in spirit if not in size) equestrian statues, such as the well-known "Napoleon," "Arab Killing Lion," "Tartar Warrior," "Gaston de Foix," "Theseus Fighting Centaur," &c.; also the great lion and tiger models. Cats, dogs, jaguars, gazelles, bears, dromedaries, elephants, gazelles, bears, dromedaries, bulls, stags, rabbits, tortoises, storks and pheasants—all find their places in Barye's artistic art, and not one but that is graceful, strong, vital—in fact, zoological!

The portraits of Barye, as well as his paintings and sketches, possess an intimate personal interest. A rather pathetic autograph letter tells that he could not do the "Napoleon" in colonial bronze for the city of Grenoble because his landlord had dispossessed him of his atelier.

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Petticoats made of black percaline, deep Spanish flounce, tucked and shirred; shirred and corded narrow ruffle; value \$1.10; special at 79c.

\$2.00 Corsets at 98c
98c for \$2.00 "J. B." Corsets, made of fine white batiste; low, medium or high bust, long hips, medium long or long back; sizes 18 to 24.

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"Marchioness" Corsets, made of fine white striped coutil, trimmed with satin ribbon, sizes 18 to 30; value \$7.00; special at \$4.96.

Women's Negligee Wear

39c for Nightingale Sacques, made of lawn, with dainty floral patterns, colored stitched border.

59c for Dressing Sacques, made of figured lawn, fitted back, tucked front, turn-over cuff.

79c for Kimono Sacques, made of soft cotton challis, Empire back, with belt, shawl collar effect, and sleeves piped with braid in contrasting color.

89c for Dressing Sacques, made of white lawn, sailor collar, trimmed with Valenciennes edging and inserting; trimmed kimono sleeves.

\$2.97 for Negligees, made of Japanese crepe, Empire back, Princess front, piped with sateen and trimmed with self-covered buttons.

\$3.59 for Princess Dressing Sacques, made of foamy wool challis in floral patterns, trimmed with fine tucks and messaline ribbon.

\$7.24 for Negligees, made of all gross, Empire effect back, shawl collar, turn-back cuffs, made of Florentine silk edged with lace; silk girdle.

Women's Night Gowns

89c for \$1.25 Nainsook Gowns; low neck, trimmed with two rows of Torchon lace insertion and banding with ribbon drawn through; short sleeve with two rows of lace insertion.

89c for \$1.25 Nainsook Gowns, finished with embroidered medallion, lace insertion and banding with ribbon; very short sleeve.

\$1.29 for \$1.75 fine sheer Nainsook Gowns, low square neck, trimmed with German Val. lace insertion and banding with ribbon.

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\$1.39 for \$1.75 fine Nainsook Gowns, square neck, finished with blind embroidery edging and embroidery beading; ribbon bow; short sleeves.

\$1.79 for \$2.50 very fine Nainsook Gowns, high neck cut V, trimmed with fine embroidery medallions, embroidery beading, ribbon and embroidery ruffle.

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\$1.98 for \$2.75 French Lingerie Cloth Blouses, yoke of lace insertion and fine tucks each side; trimmed back; fancy stock collar and very fancy long sleeves.

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