

P. S. POTVIN CHARGES FRAUD.

SAYS THAT THE DENNY HOTEL COMPANY IS CHEATING HIM.

In a suit which he has commenced in the Superior Court the contractor alleges that valuable property has been transferred.

Fabian S. Potvin, the contractor who built the big landmark known as the Denny hotel on Second avenue, between 7th and 8th streets, is having a very hard time getting his money out of the Denny Hotel Company, the corporation which acquired the scheme. On March 6, 1896, he obtained a judgment against the company for \$186,333.75, but so far he has been unable to obtain any satisfaction.

The complaint goes into some unwritten history of the hotel matter and makes interesting reading. The story it tells starts nearly two years ago, when Potvin was awarded the judgment against the Denny Hotel Company for \$186,333.75, which amount was adjudged to be a valid lien against the property.

The next chapter tells of the sale of January 3 of the property, which was confirmed on January 17. This leaves a deficiency now due the plaintiff amounting to more than \$186,000, and the whole amount owed by the company exceeds \$200,000. The company is alleged to be wholly insolvent.

Then comes the interesting part of Potvin's complaint, in which he charges the company and others with attempting to defraud the creditors by sending away the property. The complaint alleges that just before the sale of the property on the judgment due, the Denny Hotel Company, without any consideration therefor, and intending thereby to hinder, delay and defraud the plaintiff and other creditors, executed and delivered to A. Denny et ux. a deed to all its real estate, to-wit, blocks 46 and 50 in A. Denny's addition to Seattle.

The complaint further alleges that part of the same transaction all of the personal property of the hotel company was disposed of. The foregoing transactions A. Denny was a stockholder in and president of the company, and knew, it is alleged, for what purpose the deed and bill of sale was given and accepted.

The plaintiff asks that the deed and bill of sale be adjudged a fraudulent transaction; that they be decreed by the court to be null and void, and that a decree be made for the costs of his suit and general relief.

Articles of Incorporation. Articles of incorporation were filed with the county auditor yesterday for the Eureka Gold Mining Company, by E. D. Phelps, William Smith, R. J. Tompkins and D. M. Sherry; capital stock, \$100,000 in \$1 shares.

New Suits Filed. The following new suits were filed in the superior court yesterday: Sarah J. McClure vs. The Preferred Accident Insurance Company of New York. Complaint not yet filed; application and bond for removal to Federal court filed by plaintiff.

Fabian S. Potvin vs. Denny Hotel Company and A. Denny. That the deed which transferred the Denny hotel property to A. Denny be declared fraudulent and that general relief be granted. Cause set for trial at 10 o'clock.

C. Harris vs. N. K. Lytle et al. To enforce payment of a judgment for \$157.24. Cause set for trial at 10 o'clock.

Chas. Skoodele et al. vs. William H. Meyer, sheriff. For an illegal execution. Cause set for trial at 10 o'clock.

R. J. Fisher vs. E. Langell et ux. Promissory note for \$20.30.

Appraisers of the estate of Laura Maria Rose, deceased, making \$400 worth of real property in the county.

Solon T. Williams was yesterday appointed by Judge Hughes, referee in bankruptcy, charged with the duties of a receiver of the estate of Alfred Marshall, charged with burglary.

Judge Benson yesterday signed an order approving the report of the State Auditor in the case of the Seattle Savings bank.

Judge E. D. Benson yesterday entered an order of default in the case of C. E. Marshall vs. the Pacific Athlete Club.

In the case of W. N. Growell et al. vs. Mary E. Donald et al., Judge Benson yesterday ordered a decree for the plaintiff.

In the case of Thomas M. Coffey vs. T. J. O'Farrell et al., Judge Moore yesterday entered a decree for plaintiff for the sum of \$1,000.

Mark Parrish, a subject of the emperor of Austria, yesterday declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States. He came to the United States in 1884.

Henry G. Stone, who was sent to the Western Washington hospital for the insane at Shelton on April 21, 1894, died here on January 15. Official notice was filed yesterday.

The Saguin Lumber Company yesterday filed suit against Sheriff Meyer, for selling a room in the Saguin Hotel to the company to satisfy a judgment against Thomas T. Joss. The amount sued for is \$300.

In the case of the Washington Dredging and Improvement Company vs. McNaughton, the improvement company, a partition suit was signed yesterday by Judge Hughes, awarding George Kinnear certain lands.

O. S. Wright, of San Diego, Cal., made application yesterday for letters of administration in the estate of the late Mrs. Evra A. Wright, deceased, who at the time of her death owned, with her husband, considerable improved property in this city.

The Costa Rican Counterfeiters. For months the Costa Rican counterfeiters have been issuing bogus notes of the government of the island until the amount, it is said, has reached \$100,000.

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THE PASSING THROUGH.

H. A. Chadwick, editor of the Argonaut, returned Monday from a business trip, during which time he visited all of the large cities of the Atlantic coast. Yesterday he said:

"During my trip I visited Boston, New York, Washington and Chicago, as well as a number of smaller cities in New England. I found that Seattle has been getting a bad reputation, not only as regards her connection with the Alaska trade, but those with whom I discussed this city possessed a knowledge of her climate, business and location that was positively startling. It shows conclusively that some good work has been done. In two instances I came across people, one of them a woman, who were intending to go to Alaska and were in correspondence with Mr. Brainerd, of the business men's advertising committee, and both were highly pleased with the careful attention that was given to their inquiries. If not in the interest of the cities liable to be injured by the reaction.

E. J. Coyne, district passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific, J. Roche, of Portland, Northwest passenger agent of the Rio Grande Western; George W. Helm, of Salt Lake City, assistant general passenger agent of the Rio Grande Western; W. H. Paul, of Portland, general agent of the freight department, Rio Grande Western; J. Brinker, of Salt Lake City, general agent of the passenger department, Rio Grande Western; J. Devereaux, of Portland, general agent of the Santa Fe, and Maine Joyce, traveling passenger agent of the Pacific coast, with headquarters at San Francisco, formed a representation of out-of-town railroad officials in Pioneer place yesterday.

G. W. Garvide, who is heavily interested in quartz mines at Summit, Alaska, is at the Stevens hotel on his way north. Mr. Garvide is a brother of the Garvide who has been helping to construct the Skagway road. He is not going to the interior of Alaska, being perfectly satisfied with his rich quartz mines on the coast.

Mart Watrous, a well-known capitalist and sporting man of Denver, is expected to arrive here in a few days with a company of Colorado capitalists bound for the gold fields of the far north.

Personal. Fred Wilcox, of Samish, is at the Tremont. James McLain, of South Bend, is at the Tremont. Hon. Frank Allyn, of Tacoma, was in the city yesterday.

George H. Funk, of Olympia, is a guest at the Stevens. H. Marion, of Woodville, is registered at the Stevens. A. L. Rutherford, of Fall City, is stopping at the Diller.

Mrs. M. A. Storrs, of Mount Vernon, is a guest at the Diller. M. D. Gibson, of Port Angeles, is registered at the Tremont. Thomas Grant, of Port Townsend, is a guest at the Stevens.

W. W. Blackford, of Fall City, is at the Rainier-Grand yesterday. J. P. Baker, of Bismarck, N. D., is a guest at the Rainier-Grand. Will R. Neund and wife, of Ellensburg, are among the Diller guests. D. B. Charleston and wife, of Vancouver, B. C., are at the Rainier-Grand. Mrs. M. A. Storrs, of Mount Vernon, and wife, and P. S. Cook and wife, all of Anacortes, are at the Stevens.

Thomas G. Allen, of Seattle, and T. D. Stewart, of Walla Walla, were at the Northern last night. W. E. Burnside, M. J. Camp and Ben Chamberlain, of Seattle, were guests at the Northern last night.

FLORANCE MARVIN predicted Klondike strikes. 614 First.

MRS. JOHNSON'S FAITH. She Believed That God Would Do Her Household Work.

Mrs. Ida C. Johnson, of Enumclaw, was brought to the county jail yesterday morning by her husband, E. Johnson. The warrant against her was issued on a charge of insanity. The warrant was sworn out by the husband, and the wife was taken in charge by Sheriff Meyer. She is a Swedish woman, who until a short time ago looked after a cosy home and her six children. Then she got interested in Christian Science. She began to show symptoms of insanity. She could not do any work about the house, saying that if her faith in Christian Science was strong enough God would do the work. Her husband thought it was but a passing fancy, but it proved otherwise, and he considered that the treatment at the asylum might cure her. Accordingly she was brought to the city. She will be tried today.

Will Be Cremated. The remains of Charles White, who died here a week or two days ago, will be shipped to San Francisco on the steamer today to be cremated in the Odd Fellows' cemetery there.

BREVITIES. Revival services at the Free Methodist church, 912 Pine street, are still in progress and the interest is increasing. Rev. J. B. Fennell, of the South Dakota conference, preaches every night.

The regular meeting of the G. O. B. C. A. was held at the city hall yesterday. Officers were elected for the ensuing year: Bornstein, president; E. Lobe, vice president; P. J. Bornstein, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Lizzie Beach Brown, state superintendent of the Washington Home Society, desires Christian homes for the following children: Boys, aged 2, 3, 5, 7 and 8 years; and girls, aged 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

Police Notes. Pat Nolan, an old petty larceny offender, was sentenced by Judge Austin yesterday afternoon to sixty days in the county jail.

Pat Nolan was using his best endeavors to dispose of a pair of black shoes when arrested by Officer Tennant yesterday. He stands charged with petty larceny on suspicion of the owner of the shoes not having been found yet.

FOOD AND SHELTER HOME.

SALVATION ARMY OF SEATTLE HOLDS ITS FORMAL OPENING.

Major S. Marshall, Commander of the North Pacific Division, Delivers an Interesting Address—Don't Give Beggars Money, He Says.

The new food and shelter home in connection with the Salvation Army's social work was formally opened yesterday afternoon by Maj. S. Marshall, commander of the North Pacific chief division, assisted by the local officers in charge of the various branches of the army in Seattle. Gen. Booth, accompanied by Commissioner Booth-Trucker and Commissioner Nicol, editor of all the army publications, will visit Seattle March 7 and speak



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at the army. It has been the desire of the local officers to have the depot open and in running order sometime before the arrival of the distinguished visitors.

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"Seattle," he said, "has at last a place where the poor and the helpless may obtain food and shelter without humiliating themselves by begging. Our religious people, we must remember, are called to conform to the teachings of Christ, must be practical; that is, in caring for the soul we must not neglect the body. In a word, we must help a man to help himself. To do that, we must respect his manhood and his self-respect, and that can be done only by refusing to help him unless he is willing to help himself. We must not degrade a man, and people who give money to beggars through sympathy for their state injure them instead of doing them good. The majority of the people who frequent the back doors of the houses throughout the city, soliciting alms and imposing upon the goodness of the public, with a story as threadbare as the old proverb, 'Give a man a fish, and he will eat for a day; teach a man to fish, and he will eat for a lifetime.' This institution and those of a similar character established in this city do away with the necessity of begging. When a poor man comes to us for assistance we give him a little work in return for which we feed and shelter him. Often we meet a man reduced by some stroke of bad luck to necessity; we receive him, we work for us and secure his own maintenance until we find more suitable employment for him. In another case, the chief cause for his poverty is his own idleness and dissipation may have been the chief cause for his poverty. We must help him to start again in the right path. 'Beggars are not made, they are made by the way of their own idleness and dissipation. We have similar institutions throughout this country. In Portland we opened a rescue home for fallen women, and so far we rejoice in the fact of our being able to assist five unfortunate, two of whom returned to their parents.'

Rev. Mr. Ross spoke upon the same lines, and said he felt sure that the citizens of Seattle would do all they could to encourage the work and do away with the past of begging.

A. S. Allen, secretary of the Associated Charities of this city, also made a few remarks, promising to work hand in hand with the army and endeavor to help it on every occasion.

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prayer and declared the home formally open. Among those present were Adj. Jewell, Capt. Taylor, Lieut. Helm, Cadet Jones and Miss K. McClelland, formerly of the Seattle General hospital.



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