

# Anaconda News.

## ABOUT THE TRAGEDY

Deputy Sheriff Daly's Close Call to a Terrible Death.

BELL WAS A HARD CUSTOMER

The Details of the Arrest and Killing—County Taxes Coming in to the Treasurer's Office—Deer Lodge Notes.

Special Dispatch to the Standard. Deer Lodge, Nov. 28.—Sheriff Fitzpatrick and Deputy Sheriff Joe Daly arrived from Elliston last night about midnight from the scene of yesterday's tragedy near Elliston. The inquest upon the body of Bell was held yesterday afternoon, Justice of the Peace Hartwell acting as coroner. The story of the shooting as elicited at the inquest was substantially the same as that contained in previous dispatches to the Standard. In its details the tragedy was one of the most thrilling ever recorded in this part of the state and nothing but the alertness and bravery of Officer Daly prevented the desperado from adding another cruel crime to his already black record.

When he left Deer Lodge Officer Daly realized that he had a dangerous task on his hands to accomplish the arrest of Bell. He was instructed under no condition to attempt to make the arrest without having assistance near at hand, should trouble occur. Arriving at Elliston Officer Daly carried out the instruction of the sheriff by deputizing Frank Bossler to accompany him to the place where Bell was staying.

The scene of the tragedy is a singularly lonely place about a mile from Elliston. The house, the only one in the vicinity, is a mere cluster of low roofed and shabby constructed rooms, ten in all. The place is conducted by a Mrs. Rodgers, whose husband at one time worked in the town of Deer Lodge. Mrs. Rodgers has two grown up daughters and two sons who reside there. There is nothing whatever prepossessing about the appearance of the building or its occupants. Mrs. Rodgers claims that Bell came to her house some time ago and engaged board and lodging. He told her he was a workman and desired to stay there until he obtained employment. It is conceded that it was a singular place for Bell to go to look for work. Yesterday morning about 9 o'clock Deputy Sheriff Daly and Frank Bossler went to the Rodgers house to make the arrest. Luckily for them they entered without knocking or giving any notice of their approach. They found Bell sitting in a room with his back towards the door. One of the Rodgers boys was in the room with him. Officer Daly stepped quickly to the side of the desperado saying:

"Bell I have a warrant for your arrest." "All right," replied Bell, "but I did not have my breakfast yet. Wait till I get my coat," as he said this Bell sprang from his chair and entered a bedroom, the door of which stood open. As he arose Daly commanded the fellow to stop. Bell paid no attention to the command and the officer followed him. At the door of the bedroom Bell met Daly with a Winchester rifle in his hand. Without a word Bell raised the rifle and placed the muzzle of it under Daly's chin. Quick as a flash Mr. Daly threw his hand upon the lock of the gun. That instant the hammer fell. Fortunately it fell upon one of the officer's fingers and not upon the cartridge. Thus by the merest accident, Mr. Daly was saved from a horrible death.

Then ensued a desperate encounter for the possession of the rifle. Both were powerful men physically. Bell fought like a demon to get possession of the weapon. Mr. Daly shouted to Bossler who in the meantime had gone into the kitchen, returning to the room Bossler said to Bell, "Frank give up." Bell shouted, "never! never!" and renewed his efforts more fiercely than ever to discharge the rifle. Bossler pulled his pistol and approached the struggling men. When he came near enough Bell seized Bossler and endeavored to direct it against the officer. He fought like a madman having one hand on each weapon. In the struggle Bossler's gun was discharged twice. Officer Daly realizing the terrible jeopardy of himself and his companion, drew his own gun and shot Bell, who lived only a few minutes.

He never uttered a word after he fell to the floor. There is no word of criticism heard concerning the action of the officer. Public sentiment endorses the action which took Bell's worthless life. Bell was buried to-day by order of the coroner at Elliston, the county bearing the expense. So far as known he had no relatives in this part of the country. He had no property of any kind.

Pierce Butler came down from Butte this morning and passed the day with his family, returning to his duties on the late train.

The county treasurer reaped a rich harvest yesterday and from early morning until the hour of midnight he was kept busy counting the checks and making receipts to the taxpayers. After checking up the day's business he found that he had collected \$28,000 during the day in taxes, nearly all of this amount being received through the mails. About one half of the whole amount due the county still remains unpaid and only three more days remain in which to pay it in before the penalty is added.

Lew Coleman of the four C's come over from Anaconda this morning to eat Thanksgiving turkey at home. About 25 enthusiastic lovers of football sport went to Butte this morning to witness the game. A special train was provided by the Montana Union for their convenience.

County Attorney Trippet made a business trip to Anaconda last evening, returning on the morning train.

Good and Bad. While all the people in Tribby, the great, powerful, fascinating play which A. M. Palmer is to present at the Evans opera house on next Saturday night are not all good people, neither are they in any play worth a place on the stage. The world is made up of good and evil people and the drama is simply a reflex of human nature. Svengali, one of Du Mauriers great creations for instance, is a double dyed scoundrel, but happiness and good cheer offset his work and dominate the play as well as the book. It is said that Paul M. Potter has done the work of dramatizing with a master hand, and the result is a play which every one in this city and vicinity will surely want to see. This will be the only opportunity to witness this great work about which the whole English world is talking.

Ed Devine lives at corner Fourth and Ash streets.

At the Montana. Guests at the Montana hotel were given an elaborate dinner by Manager Reynolds last evening. No such card has been presented in the Rocky Mountains for many a day. The bill was as follows:

- MENU.
- Blue Points
  - Little Neck Clams
  - Chilled Celery
  - Salted Pecans
  - Cheese Sticks
  - Green Turtle, clear
  - Diague of Partridge
  - Caviar on Toast
  - Broiled Fresh Mackerel, Drawn Butter
  - Sliced Tomatoes
  - Olives
  - Cucumbers
  - Prime Ribs of Beef
  - New Potatoes in Cream
  - Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
  - Green String Beans
  - Pontet-Canet
  - Breast of Quail Larded Water Crust
  - Fried Egg Plant
  - Broiled Live Lobster, Chilli Sauce
  - Asparagus Tips
  - Queen Fritters, Almond Flavor
  - CHARTREUSE PUNCH.
  - Roast Grouse Bread Sauce
  - Haunch of Antelope Shaker Preserves
  - Fresh Shrimp Salad
  - Boned Turkey en aspic
  - English Plum Pudding
  - Hard and Brandy Sauce
  - Hot Mince Pie
  - Pumpkin Pie
  - Petits Fours
  - Charlotte Russe
  - Champagne Jelly
  - Tutti Fruitti Ice Cream
  - Assorted Cakes
  - Mixed Nuts
  - Wafers
  - Fruit
  - Edam and Eric Cheese
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Notice for Proposals for the Care of the Poor and Furnishing Medicines and Medical Attendance.

Notice is hereby given that the board of county commissioners of Deer Lodge county, state of Montana, will at its December session, A. D. 1895, receive, and it invites, sealed proposals for the care, support and maintenance of the sick, poor and infirm of said county for the term beginning at the expiration of the present contract, in March, 1896, and ending at its December session, 1896; said proposals to include the entire cost of feeding, clothing and nursing of the sick, poor and infirm, and the burial expense. Sealed proposals are also invited at the said December session, 1895, from resident practicing physicians of said county to furnish medical attendance and treatment to the sick, poor and infirm of said county, for said term, and to the inmates of the county jail. Such attendance and medical treatment to include attendance upon and medical treatment of the sick, poor and infirm having or affected with contagious or infectious diseases, and shall include surgical treatment of such sick, poor and infirm.

Said board also invites sealed proposals at said December session, 1895, for the furnishing of medicines for the said sick, poor and infirm for the said term. The proposals must be addressed to the undersigned, clerk of said board, marked, "Sealed proposal for (inserting what the proposal is for)," and must be in possession of the clerk on or before Dec. 2, 1895. The contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.

The board reserves the right to reject any proposal of any person whom they deem unsuitable as a contractor. JOHN B. FISHER, County Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of said Board.

Gold! Gold! Gold! At present there is more of this precious metal in South Africa than anywhere else. For all necessary information as to how to reach the gold fields of the Dark Continent, the cost of transportation, etc., apply to E. V. Maze, general agent Union Pacific system, Butte, Montana. All correspondence will receive prompt attention, and the Union Pacific being a direct line to New York, is prepared to book passengers to all parts of the old world at lowest possible rates.

Co-Partnership Certificate. State of Montana, County of Deer Lodge, ss.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that we are partners transacting business in this state at the city of Anaconda and county of Deer Lodge, under the firm name of Walsh & Fagan; that the names in full of all the members of such partnership are William Walsh, Joseph Bernard Fagan, and the place of our respective residences are set opposite our respective names, hereto subscribed.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 25th day of November, A. D. 1895.

WILLIAM WALSH, Anaconda, Mont. JOSEPH BERNARD FAGAN, Anaconda, Mont.

State of Montana, County of Deer Lodge, ss. On this 25th day of November, in the year 1895, before me, Benjamin F. Mahan, a notary public in and for said Deer Lodge county, personally appeared William Walsh and Joseph Bernard Fagan, well known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing certificate of partnership, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notarial seal the day and year in this certificate first above written. BENJAMIN F. MAHAN, Notary Public.

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