

SHOWING OF MOTIVE WILL BE PERMITTED

Judge Extends Scope of Evidence in Dynamite Conspiracy Cases.

EXPLOSIONS ARE RECITED

Umbrella Bearing Initials of One of Defendants, Who Has Pleaded Guilty, Identified by Construction Foreman.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 22.—A battered ivory-handled umbrella that had survived an explosion was produced as a Government exhibit at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial today.

"I notice you are examining the handle. What attracts your attention to it?" asked United States District Attorney Miller.

"I see on the handle engraved the initials 'E. C.'," replied the witness.

It was the umbrella which, the Government charges, Edward Clark, of Cincinnati, carried when he attempted to blow up the bridge and which he held over the dynamite to protect it from a heavy rain. The Government says that Clark, after lighting the fuse forgot the umbrella. Clark, at the opening of the present trial pleaded guilty. The indictment alleges that Herbert S. Hooker, acting secretary of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, assisted Clark in preparing for the Dayton explosion.

A dozen foremen of construction firms testified about explosions in various sections of the country.

Court Admits Evidence.

Judge Anderson, before whom the 45 men charged with illegal transportation of explosives are being tried, ruled that evidence concerning all of the 100 explosions referred to by the Government, including the Los Angeles Times disaster, might be introduced as showing a motive. He said a conspiracy already had been proved by the pleas of guilty on the part of Clark and Orrie McManigal, but the jury was to determine whether the remaining defendants were implicated.

The court said further that the Government had undertaken to show that the object of the conspiracy was much broader than the mere illegal transportation of dynamite and nitroglycerine, that the explosives were being transported to destroy property and enforce a "reign of terror" against contractors who maintained the "open shop."

ELY IS RESUMING NORMAL

Several Hundred Return to Work in Mine and Smelter.

ELLY, Nev., Oct. 22.—Several hundred miners and smeltersmen returned to their work here today.

The Carpenters' Union at McGill has called the strike off and it is reported that the machinists have asked consent from their National headquarters to take the same action. There have been no recent disturbances and the camp is assuming its normal condition rapidly.

BINGHAM, Utah, Oct. 22.—Nearly 2000 men were at work today in the mines here. Many former employees of the Utah Copper Company returned to work and the total number of men now at work for this company is more than 1000. The district is now producing about 50 per cent of its normal output.

CLAIMANT IS EXAMINED

Jury Sees Kimmel and Compares Him With Several Photographs.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 22.—After slipping into court twice and slipping out again as silently, the Kimmel claimant appeared for the third time late this afternoon and was put on the stand in the effort of an insurance company of New York to resist the collection by his sister, Mrs. Edna K. Bonlett, of two \$10,000 insurance policies on the life of George A. Kimmel.

The jurors examined several pictures of Kimmel before his disappearance, and the claimant was walked up and down in front of the jury that the jurors might compare him with the pictures. They were asked to compare the set of his ears and the curve of his nose with the photographs. Attention was called to the scar on the back of his neck.

NEW LODGE LAW INVALID

Court Rules Modern Woodmen Members Must Ratify Changes.

DES MOINES, Oct. 22.—The proposed change in the law governing the Modern Woodmen of America is a direct violation of the vested contract rights of the members and is null and void so far as it attempts to change the rules without the consent of the members affected, Judge Bradshaw, of the District Court, decided today.

The decision was given in a case wherein the insurgents asked the court to set aside any annual changes in the articles of the association bylaws adopted at the head camp of the Modern Woodmen of America in Chicago in January, 1912.

ADMIRAL TO BE CAUTIOUS

Nicaragua to Be Guarded Until After Election Day.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—No trouble is expected on election day, November 3, in Nicaragua, according to a cable today from Rear-Admiral Southerland, in charge of the American forces there.

The Admiral said, however, that he considered it wise to be prepared and would retain the present force on shore until after the election.

COOS BAY SURVEY OPPOSED

Federal Engineers Believe Cost of Jetty Construction Too Great.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 22.—(Special.)—Official notice was received today from the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Washington, D. C., by Representative Hawley, that the proposed survey of Coos Bay for the purpose of obtaining a project for the reconstruction and extension of the north jetty,

which survey Mr. Hawley had provided for in the last rivers and harbors act, probably will not be made. The board decided from the preliminary survey made by the local office of United States engineers that such a project was not advisable at this time because of the excessive cost of constructing the jetties. Mr. Hawley secured an appropriation of \$350,000 for the construction of a bar dredge in the act of Congress of 1910. This dredge will be ready for use during the next season and it is the opinion of the Board of Engineers that this dredge will provide the desired relief. Mr. Hawley, the captain of the ocean steamer using Coos Bay and the local commercial bodies believe that the present jetties also will have to be reconstructed to make the harbor available should be. At present the jetties have been so battered by storms that at some points they are sunken and in a condition so that incoming vessels are endangered. Many accidents have occurred recently. Believing that upon personally presenting the matter

MANAGER OF PORTLAND FACTORY 15 YEARS REMEMBERED BY EMPLOYEES.



Charles H. Hoeg.

Charles H. Hoeg, who for nearly 15 years has been associated with the firm of Fleischner, Mayer & Company, of this city, in the capacity of manager of its manufacturing establishment, the Mount Hood Shirt and Overall Factory, has resigned his position owing to the condition of his wife's health, which necessitates a change of climate. The factory was inaugurated under his supervision, and has attained a wide reputation on the Pacific Coast. Employees of the factory met Thursday and presented Mr. Hoeg with a diamond locket and traveling trunk as a token of their esteem. Mr. Hoeg for several years was a director in the Manufacturers' Association and served on many of the most important committees of that association, and was particularly active in extending the "Made-in-Oregon" movement.

the board can be persuaded that further jetty construction is in the interest of safety and economy, Mr. Hawley has telegraphed asking for a date when he may personally appear and present the matter in behalf of Coos Bay. He probably will go to Washington early to do this before the December session.

ECONOMY WEST'S HOPE

UNIFORM ACCOUNT KEEPING SYSTEM IS PLAN.

Proposal to Be Made to Legislature to Install Work in Various Counties of State.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 22.—(Special.)—To establish a complete plan for a uniform system of keeping accounts in all of the counties of the state is one of the schemes which Governor West intends to propose to the Legislature and one which he has outlined tentatively as what he believes to be a decidedly essential feature in the reduction of taxes and an economical basis on which to work.

"Extravagance in state government comes from a lack of opportunity to keep a check and to gather information," said the executive in discussing his plan. "The first step in economy in county offices is a uniform system of accounting. The Interstate Commerce Commission found it out of question to make investigation into the accounts of railroad companies owing to a great variety and diversity of system of accounting which made it impossible to compare cost units.

"For instance under a certain system of accounting of one railroad there will be a vast number of items under one heading which would not be applied under that heading in the system of accounting in another company. Consequently any attempt at comparisons would be unreliable. The commission established a uniform system among the railroads and under that system the same item will appear under the same heading in the accounts of all of the railroad companies. A comparison of cost units is thus made possible.

"If a uniform system should be established throughout the counties of the state with annual reports made to the Secretary of State, who, in turn, could publish the summary of such reports, it would enable the taxpayer in a given county to compare the cost in his county with the cost in any other county and ascertain whether the supplies in his county were being purchased cheaply or without due regard to cost.

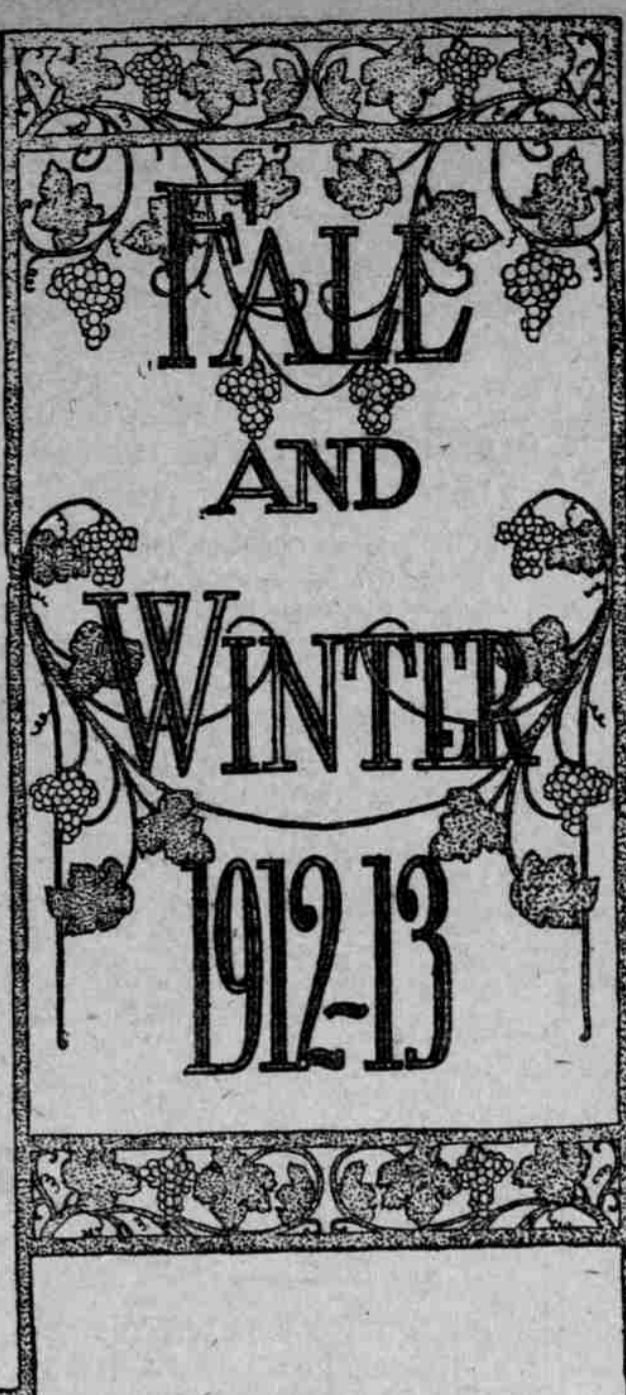
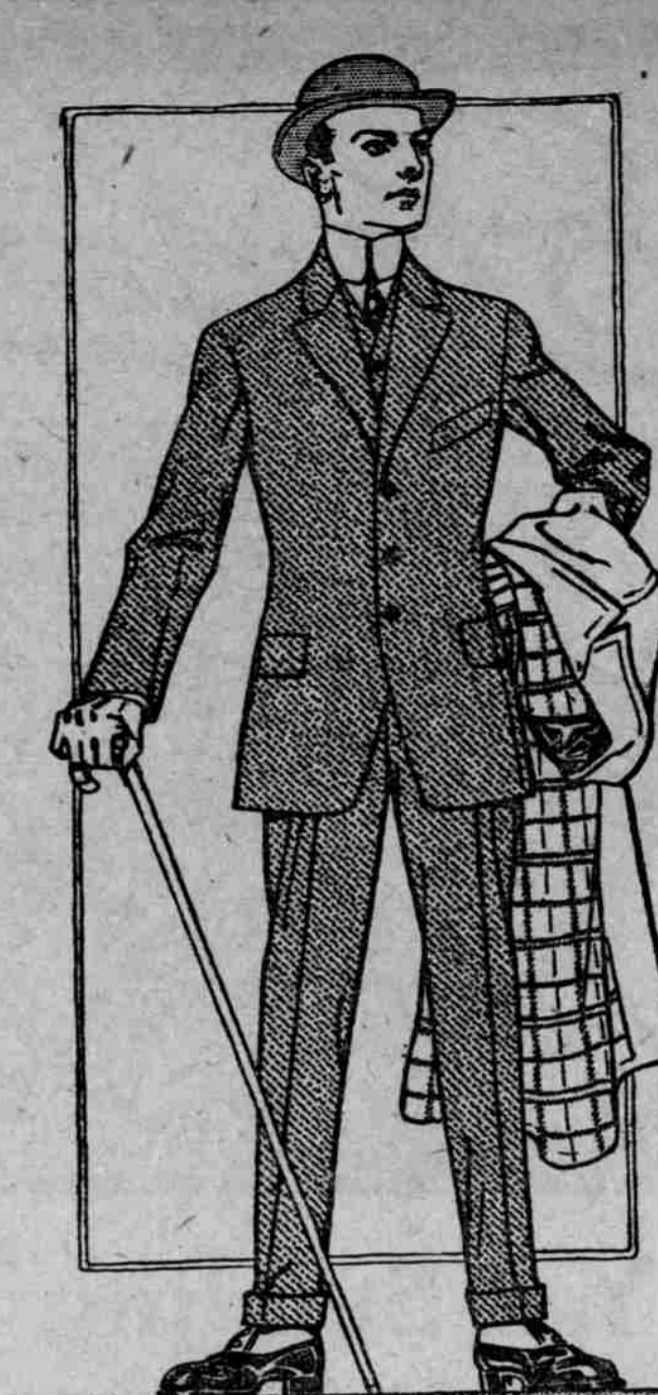
"Furthermore, a uniform system of accounting would make it easier for those who investigate county records when they have occasion to visit a county other than their own. A uniform system should be authorized by the Legislature and made under the direction of the Secretary of State and be prescribed by him after a conference with the County Clerks of all the counties and after a searching investigation had been made.

"Each county official would report on uniform blanks prepared for the purpose, making his report to the County Clerk. The County Clerk in turn would transcribe all of these reports, including his own, in uniform books and forward them to the secretary of State. The County Clerk keeping the original report for filing purposes in his office.

"Publicity is a great weapon in any event and would be of enormous value in this instance. County officers, knowing that these reports would become the property of the taxpayer, would be decidedly careful as to their expenditures, and particularly so when such expenditures would be placed in a form so that they could be compared with the expenditures made by officers of other counties than their own."

Silverton Couple Get License.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 22.—(Special.)—A marriage license was issued Monday to Frank G. Goebel and Miss Beulah Partlow, of Silverton, Or.



A Welcome for Every Man

All men are welcomed to this world's exhibit of Clothes of Quality. Fabrics are here from a hundred looms—from every nation under the sun that weaves good woolsens; you'll give them a hearty greeting when you see them. "Tailored with expression" is the best and the shortest way we can put it. Slip into some of these garments and you'll feel that we've used the right term. Suppose you drop in this rainy day and spend a pleasant hour with our young men.

Suits for Men, \$20 to \$40 Overcoats and Raincoats, \$15 to \$40

The Young Fellows, Too

are welcome at the Ben Selling store. There's a whole shop on the second floor devoted to the kind of clothes they like to wear—a touch here and there that distinguishes them from the more conservative men's garments, and that also distinguishes the young men who wear them. You come in, too, fellows—we'll show you clothes.

Suits for Young Men, \$12.50 to \$35 Overcoats and Raincoats, \$12.50 to \$27.50

Every Boy in Portland Town

knows the road to Ben Selling's, for this is the home of those famous Knicker Suits with the extra Sunday trousers at \$5 and \$6.

Boys' Knicker and Double-Breasted Suits, \$5 to \$15 Boys' English Raincoats, \$12.50

Fun for a Rainy Day

Today, Thursday, Friday and Saturday we will sell a few hundred Boys' Rubber Capes, the best ones in town for \$2 and \$2.25.

Rainy-Day Price, \$1.65 Made especially for this store—that means Quality.

BEN SELLING LEADING CLOTHIER Morrison Street at Fourth

TROOPS PREVENT RACES

INDIANA MILITIA KEEPS ALL AWAY FROM TRACK.

Horseowners, Disgusted With Move of Governor Marshall, Take Stables Out of State.

PORTER, Ind., Oct. 22.—The Mineral Springs race track at Porter is in the hands of the Indiana state troops. Ordered by Governor Marshall to remain at the track until all racing had been stopped, the troops arrived this morning bringing with them three days' rations.

It had been decided by the owners of the course to make an attempt to hold the races in defiance of the Governor's order, but when the horses appeared from the paddocks for the first race they were halted by the troops and the races were called off.

The troops stopped all spectators as they appeared at the gates, and those who had gone in before the troops arrived were detained in the inclosure for more than an hour before being permitted to depart. Among those in the inclosure were 50 women. A conference of the owners and other

interested in the racing was held at which court proceedings to restrain the Governor from further interference with the races were discussed. A final decision was not reached.

HUSBAND KILLS HIS WIFE

Woman Said to Have Attacked Him With Knife in Delirium.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—"I've just killed my wife," said a voice on the telephone at police headquarters today. "You'd better come get me in a hurry before I kill myself."

At the address given, the police found Mrs. Alice Currier lying dead on the kitchen floor. George, her husband, told the police that his wife had attacked him in a delirium resulting from typhoid fever, with a knife and a pistol and that he had shot her in self-defense.

As the woman lay on the floor the husband says she told him: "Well, George, you'd better finish me." So he shot her again.

Currier was formerly an inmate of the Napa Insane Asylum.

ARCHBOLD REMAINS AWAY

Testimony Not Strongly Desired Until Court Decides Question.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—John D. Archbold, who was expected to appear as a witness today in the proceedings involving the control of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, again failed to attend and adjournment was taken until tomorrow.

It was explained that while the court order signed yesterday directed Mr. Archbold to appear today, his presence would be of little value until a decision is given in the case of Samuel G. Bayne, who refused to produce books and records sought by the Waters-Pierce interests.

New Incorporations Completed.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 22.—(Special.)—Articles of Incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State today by the Bandon & Oregon Eastern Railway Company with a capitalization of \$100,000.

The road, according to the articles, is to build between Bandon and Eagle Point and to pass through Coos, Curry and Josephine Counties. Articles of incorporation were also filed today by the Ebank Electric Transmission Company, with a capitalization of \$2,500,000, the company to have its main offices in

Portland, and by the Vancouver Packing Company with a capitalization of \$10,000.

The population of the City of Buenos Aires on December 31, 1911, was 1,500,404, an increase of 50,000 for the year. The population of the City of La Plata was estimated at 102,923.

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