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DARROW IS FREED ON FIRST BALLOT

GREAT LABOR LAWYER IS GIVEN OVATION WHEN VERDICT IS ANNOUNCED

JURY IS OUT ONLY 35 MINUTES

Two Members Of Panel Embrace Defendant And All Others Rush To Him To Shake His Hand

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 17.—Clarence S. Darrow, the noted Chicago lawyer, was found not guilty today of the charge of bribing a juror in the McNamara case. The jury was out just thirty-five minutes. Three ballots were taken by the juror and each juror voted not guilty. Although warned against any demonstration by the ballots, there was a spontaneous outburst of applause when Foreman M. R. Williams, in response to the court's query, stated that the jury had found a verdict of not guilty. There was a rush to the side of the defendant, which was stopped by the bailiffs, but it was a few moments later, after Judge Hutton thanked and discharged the jury.

Then ensued a remarkable scene. Darrow was placed in the custody Darrow approached the jurors still in the box to thank them, and two of them, Jurors Golding and Dunbar, threw their arms about him and patted his back. Other jurors reached forward and clasped hands with the attorney.

The scene gradually resolved itself into a reception for Darrow and the jurors, friends of the erstwhile defendant, crowded up to congratulate him and shake hands with the jurors. While the flashlights of newspaper photographers boomed from every angle of the courtroom.

The case of Darrow, the Chicago lawyer, charged with jury bribery in the McNamara trial, went to the jury at 9:20 o'clock this morning after instructions by Judge George H. Hutton, the reading of which required just an hour.

The instructions were regarded as very favorable to the defendant. One of the first instructions disposed of the charge of bribing George N. Lockwood, a juror, the court holding that there was no evidence to justify a verdict of guilty on that count. The jury was warned against uncorroborated testimony of accomplices, and that of witnesses testifying under a promise of immunity.

The court also instructed that the defendant was not on trial for any of the several crimes charged against him except that directly contained in the indictment. Evidence of other alleged crimes could only be considered if the jury believed that such crimes formed a part of a general plan or system.

of his chief counsel, Attorney Earl Rogers, upon the submission of the case to the jury. Most of the crowd which filled the courtroom remained, the prevailing sentiment being that there would be an early verdict.

The penalty for the crime charged in the second count of the indictment, the only one upon which a verdict of guilty could be found, is a penitentiary sentence of from one to five years or a fine of \$500.

A direct outcome of the abrupt ending last November of the trial of J. B. McNamara for the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building, the trial of Clarence S. Darrow chief counsel for the McNamara brothers, was the result of an indictment by the county grand jury for the alleged bribery of George N. Lockwood, a prospective juror in the McNamara case.

On November 28, 1911, Bert H. Franklin, chief detective of the McNamara defense, was arrested for the bribery of Lockwood. On December 1 the McNamara brothers pleaded guilty, J. B. McNamara to murder in destroying the Times building and J. J. McNamara to dynamiting the Llewellyn Iron Works.

On January 15 Franklin made a confession to Assistant District Attorney Ford that he had bribed Robert F. Bain, the first juror sworn to try the McNamara case, and that he had sought to bribe five other prospective jurors, including Lockwood. The latter had reported early in November to the District Attorney that Franklin had approached him, and from that time he acted under the instructions of the prosecution.

On January 29 two indictments were reported by the county grand jury against Darrow for the alleged bribery of Bain and Lockwood, and upon arraignment the lawyer entered pleas of not guilty.

The trial on the Lockwood indictment was begun on May 15, and just 13 weeks and two days elapsed until the case went to the jury, making it the longest criminal trial ever held in Los Angeles County. During that time approximately 2,000,000 words were transcribed by the court reporters, for which the cost to the county was something like \$6000. The entire cost of the trial was close to \$30,000.

Dr. Hill's Daughter Hurt

INGOLDSFADT, Bavaria, Aug. 21.—The family of Dr. David Jayne Hill, ex-United States Ambassador to Germany, suffered a bad automobile accident near here today. One of Dr. Hill's daughters was seriously injured.

ELLEN BOHNSACK IS AWARDED DIVORCE DECREE

Ellen Bohnsack has been granted a divorce from Richard Bohnsack. The plaintiff was awarded the custody of their daughter and \$150 alimony.

GRANGES ANNOUNCE FOR EQUAL SUFFRAGE

The announcement by Mrs. H. R. Wall, representative of the state Grange at the meeting of the state central campaign committee of the equal suffrage organizations of Oregon in Portland that the Granges of the state were supporting suffrage and that articles in favor of suffrage by prominent suffragists would be published in the Bulletin, the Grange paper, was received with rejoicing by suffragists, as the Granges represent over 10,000 people in the state.

The need of cooperation among the suffrage organizations of the state in the coming campaign was emphasized by Colonel Robert Miller, who presided and by W. M. Davis, of the Men's Equal Suffrage League. Both declared that funds could be made to do double the work if a carefully laid out course of action was decided upon.

The organizations represented at the meeting were the College Equal Suffrage League, the Men's Equal Suffrage League, the Oregon State Equal Suffrage Association, the Stenographers' League, the Portland Equal Suffrage League and the Portland Civic Progress circles.

SAYS T. R. ASKED OIL TRUST HELP

PENROSE ANNOUNCES THAT COLONEL KNEW OF STAND-ARD CONTRIBUTION

FLINN ACCUSED OF OFFERING MONEY

Senator Admits Receiving \$25,000 From Archbold, But Declares It Was For Republican Campaign Fund

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—In a careful, deliberate speech in the Senate late today, Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, replied to the charges made regarding a certificate of deposit for \$25,000 sent to him by John D. Archbold, of the Standard Oil Company, in 1906.

Senator Penrose admitted receiving that sum from Mr. Archbold, but said it was part of a contribution of \$125,000 made by Archbold to the Republican National campaign fund, \$100,000 of which amount, he said, went to the Republican National committee and \$25,000 to himself for use in Pennsylvania.

President Roosevelt had been advised of the contribution, Senator Penrose declared. He said that later Cornelius N. Bliss, then treasurer of the National Committee, asked for another contribution of \$150,000 from Archbold and his associates. "Interested in the Standard Oil Company,"

"The demand was urged, insistent—I may say imperative—and it was reported it came direct from President Roosevelt," declared Senator Penrose, forcefully.

William Flinn, Roosevelt leader in Pennsylvania, was scored by Penrose. The Senator charged that in 1904, Flinn offered him and Israel W. Durham \$1,000,000 or \$2,000,000 if they would favor his candidacy to the Senate to succeed Senator Quay. Senator Penrose read what purported to be copies of telegrams to show that Flinn asked John D. Archbold to assist him in securing the election.

At the conclusion of his speech the Senator promised further disclosures. Penrose had read by the clerk a newspaper interview with Colonel Roosevelt in which the latter was quoted as saying that Penrose had nothing to do with the Presidential campaign of 1904. The Senator said he was a member of the National Committee and chairman of the Pennsylvania state committee and conducted the campaign in Pennsylvania.

"Mr. President, is this ingratitude, mendacity or political aphasia?" he demanded.

A ripple of laughter greeted this question and Penrose settled into his seat.

Senator Bacon asked to whom the \$2,000,000 was to be paid by the "citizen who wanted to be elected to the Senate?"

"I suppose either to Mr. Durham or myself," responded Mr. Penrose. "We did not get that far in the consideration of the business."

SENATE SUSTAINS TAFT STEEL VETO

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—The Senate defeated the motion to pass the steel bill over President Taft's veto. The Senate's vote on the passing of the steel bill over the president's veto was 32 to 53. Advocates of the measure were unable even to muster a majority.

By a vote of 48 for to 18 against, the Senate this afternoon adopted the conference report on the Panama canal bill. It is generally believed that similar action will be taken in the house. Then the bill, which provides that American ships engaged in foreign trade must pay full tolls and bars railroad owned ships from the canal, will go to the president for signature. The conference report also provided that American vessels engaged in coastwise trade should be allowed free passage.

DANIEL BOYLES KILLED BY BLAST

FORMER RESIDENT OF OREGON CITY VICTIM OF COTTAGE GROVE ACCIDENT

HEAD IS TORN FROM HIS BODY

Man Sitting On Trestle 1,000 Feet Away When Struck Worked For Southern Pacific Here

Daniel Boyles, for several years a resident of Oregon City, where he was in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company was killed near Cottage Grove Saturday by an explosion of blasting powder. He was married here about one year ago to Miss Anna Halling, of Parkplace, and they have a child, only a few months old. Mrs. Boyles' father and brother left for Cottage Grove immediately upon receipt of the news of the death of their daughter's husband, and will bring the body here for interment.

In excavating for the blast a stone wall in front of the blast was weakened. When the charge of 2500 pounds of powder was set off its force burst through the weakened spot and sent rock hundreds of feet further than at any previous blast. A large crowd of men, women and children had gathered to see the blast go off, and a number of these missed injury only by dodging the flying missiles.

Mr. Boyles was sitting on the trestle of the railroad bridge about 1000 feet away, and although many others got out of the way of the death dealing rock, its approach was unobserved by him. He was hit in the neck, his head being nearly severed from his body, and his breast torn. Death was instantaneous. His mother was near him when the accident happened. Mr. Boyles had charge of the Southern Pacific block system at Cottage Grove and was present to make any repairs that might be necessary as a result of the blast.

Rock work on the city streets will be delayed by the demolition of the crusher. A crew of fifty men is clearing away the debris, which nearly buried the quarry building and getting things in readiness for repair work.

YOUNG DAUGHTER OF PASTOR KILLED

EUGENE, Or., Aug. 20.—When Rev. H. A. Green went upstairs to call to breakfast his 12-year-old daughter, Mildred, this morning and looked into her bedroom he beheld her lying with her head cut almost off. Without his having heard a sound during the night, someone had entered the child's bedroom and cut her throat clear across with a razor or sharp knife.

The perpetrator of a crime that has horrified Eugene beyond description then departed as he came, noiselessly and without leaving apparently any trace. The murder had been committed several hours when Rev. Mr. Green went upstairs at 8 o'clock this morning. The body was already cold.

Rev. Mr. Green is pastor of the Baptist church and resides at 268 West Sixth street. He and Mildred had been living alone recently, for three of the older children are visiting at McGregor, Iowa, having left here for Iowa in July. The child's room was directly above her father's.

Nothing downstairs or upstairs was disturbed, indicating that no robbery was committed.

The police and sheriff's forces, which are working together, are at a loss for a clue. They have examined the premises thoroughly but have been unable to find the least trace of any finger marks of blood or of any footprints in the rear yard that might lead to any clue. They have visited the railway construction crews nearby with the hope of learning something of the crime among the many foreigners at work in and around the city, but no satisfaction has been gained thereby.

SALVATION ARMY FOUNDERIS DEAD

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LONDON, Aug. 20.—Weakened by a night of restlessness and with his mind wandering, the condition of General William Booth, head of the Salvation Army, is much worse today. Physicians say his death is but a matter of a few hours.

In the event of General Booth's death, it is regarded as practically certain that Bramwell Booth will succeed his father in command of the Salvation Army. This, however, will not be definitely known until General Booth's will is opened.

In referring here today to his father's illness Bramwell Booth said: "Father undoubtedly is dying. He is beyond speech now but his last message to members of the Salvation Army throughout the country was: "His promises are sure if you believe." "Father spoke his last intelligible word Friday when he said to me: "Do not worry. Let me die. I want to go to Heaven." "The general is grieving because there has been no reconciliation with his son, Ballington, from whom no word of sympathy or interest has been received."

MILWAUKIE CALLS CRITICISMS SLANDERS

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Then, moving down the center aisle, he continued: "On the day that Theodore Roosevelt was made President of the United States there were 149 trusts and combinations in the United States. When he turned this Government over to William Howard Taft there were 10,025 plants in combination. When he became President the trusts had an aggregate capitalization of three billion dollars and when he left the Presidency they had an aggregate capitalization of thirty-one billion and more than 70 per cent of its was water."

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JOHN F. BLOUNT, OF GLADSTONE, DEAD

SON OF PIONEERS EXPIRES BEFORE OPERATION WAS TO HAVE BEEN PERFORMED

HEALTH FAILING FOR SEVERAL YEARS

Father, Eighty-Five Years Of Age, Three Sisters, Two Brothers And Three Children Survive

John Franklin Blount, one of the well known residents of Gladstone, formerly of this city, died at St. Vincent's Hospital, Portland, Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, where he had been taken a few days before to undergo treatment. He was to have been operated upon at the hospital Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Blount has been in failing health for the past five months, but his condition was not thought serious until a few weeks ago.

Mr. Blount comes from a well known Oregon pioneer family, being the son of William Blount, of Albina, who is eighty-five years of age, and the late Mrs. Carrie Blount, who died at Canby many years ago. He was born on the donation land claim of his parents, near Canby, March 7, 1857, and for the past thirty years has resided in and near Oregon City, for ten years residing at Gladstone. Mr. Blount on November 26, 1899, married Leola Blair at Astoria, and they were born three children, Leola, Iva May and Franklin Ellis, who with their mother, survive. Mr. Blount also is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Frank T. Barlow, Mrs. Charles W. Kelly, of Oregon City; Miss Sarah Blount, of Gladstone; two brothers, Albert Blount, of Gladstone; George Blount, of Chico, Cal.

The deceased was a member of the Knights of Pythias, Cataract Lodge No. 76, of Willamette Falls Camp No. 149, Woodmen of the World, being a beneficiary member of the latter order.

Funeral arrangements are being made by the family which will be held at the Knights of Pythias hall under the auspices of this order. The interment will be in the Mountain View Cemetery.

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ESTACADA TO MAKE FIGHT FOR BABY PRIZE

Babies Having Claims to Physical Perfection in the Estacada Country, or in fact anywhere within East Clackamas County, may be entered in a show to be held at Estacada, August 27, when the District fair under the supervision of H. M. James is to take place.

Superintendent James expects a good many entries for the district and he believes that a baby show in connection with the fair will prove a big attraction. There will be three classes: Babies up to 6 months. Babies from 6 month to 1 year. Babies from 1 year up to 2 years.

The judges will be physicians and nurses, those most competent to determine physical perfection, less attention being paid to beauty than health. Of course a combination of beauty and health will be a winner. It has been suggested that the winner of the local contest, be sent to the state fair, where the child may enter into competition with babies from all over the state. Estacada has many fine babies and it is believed a representative from that district would win in the state contest.

HIGH SCHOOL FUND LAW IS APPROVED

CITIZENS, INTERESTED IN EDUCATION, URGE ITS PASSAGE AT NEXT ELECTION

CAMPAIN FOR MEASURE PLANNED

Defeat Two Years Ago Ascribed To Misunderstanding—Many Thought It Provided County High Schools

About twenty representative citizens of all sections of Clackamas County, at a meeting in the county court room Saturday afternoon, went on record as favoring the adopting of the high school fund law. The meeting, which was presided over by County School Superintendent Gary, was harmonious throughout, and it was the consensus of opinion that the law passed by the legislature four years ago should be approved by the voters of this county. The law, if put into practice, will mean a high school education for virtually every boy and girl in Clackamas County. Under its provisions they will not have to leave home to obtain a high school education.

The law provides that any district that can maintain a high school may draw from the county high school fund \$40 for each student up to twenty and for the next twenty \$30 each. All over that the charge will not be more than \$12.50.

Representatives of Estacada, Canby, Molalla, Mackburg, Milwaukie, Gladstone, Parkplace, Willamette and other sections attended the meeting. Mr. Gary announced that the question would be submitted to the voters at the next election and said he was confident it would be passed if thoroughly understood. It was defeated two years ago by a narrow margin, the superintendent explaining, that many voters thought the law provided for county high schools. Among those favoring the proposition, who made speeches, were Robert Ginter, candidate of the Socialist Party for County School Superintendent; Superintendent of the Oregon City Schools; Toose; A. M. Vineyard; of Canby; W. W. Everhart; of Molalla; Charles X. Krackberger; of Mackburg; Captain J. E. Apperson; of Parkplace; E. P. Carter, of Gladstone; Robert Goetz, of Milwaukie and H. M. James, of Estacada.

Plans for an educational campaign were outlined, and it was decided that meetings should be held in every district in the county in the interest of high schools. Circular letters will be given the pupils to give to their parents. The high school law, which was passed four years ago by the legislature, must be approved by the voters of the various counties before it can become effective. Among the counties that have approved the law, and find it a distinct advantage, are Lane, Linn, Polk, Marion, Yamhill, Jackson and Umatilla. That it will be approved by the voters of Clackamas County at the coming election is generally believed.

CANAL TOLLS MAY BAR BRITAIN FROM FAIR

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The United States embassy received today a reply from the British foreign office to President Taft's invitation to the British Government to participate in the Panama-Pacific Exposition. The foreign office is disposed to accept the invitation on principle, but its final decision will be influenced partly by the possibility of arriving at a satisfactory settlement with the exposition authorities in regard to the accommodations to be provided for British exhibitors.

No hint is given in the reply in respect to other possible influences which may affect the British decision but it is evident that a loophole has been left for British refusal of the invitation on account of possible unfavorable canal legislation.

JAGGAR FINDS WHEAT CROP BELOW AVERAGE

Frank Jaggar, of Carus, who has been threshing wheat and oats throughout the county, said Thursday that there was not more than two-thirds of an average wheat crop and about an average crop of oats. He said that much of the wheat had shriveled as a result of the wet weather and ravages of the Hessian Fly and the aphid. Mr. Jaggar has threshed about 9,000 bushels of wheat and oats. There is considerable smut in the oats. Mr. Jaggar expects to devote several weeks to threshing. He announced that the rains if they continued would do much harm to the hop crop.

The fair at Milwaukie, because of the large number of children interested and the complete organization of the forces will no doubt be a pronounced success. The fair will be held in beautiful Crystal Lake Park. There will be a ball game in the morning, speaking by Mr. A. E. Wood of Reed College, and other; music by the Oak Grove Girl's Band, and various other attractions.

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JUVENILE FAIRS TO BE NEXT WEEK

TEN EXHIBITIONS PLANNED FOR CLACKAMAS COUNTY IN BIG COMPETITION

STATE SUPERINTENDENT TO ATTEND

Merchants Of Oregon City And Other Parts Of County Offer Fine Prizes To Prize-Winners

Ten juvenile fairs will be held in Clackamas County next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Superintendent of County Schools Gary has sent out circular letters, of which the following is a part, describing the work:

"At these fairs will be shown the products of the labor and intelligence of the boys and girls of the county. There will be displays of vegetables, grain, furniture, toys, bread, jelly, mending, sewing, flowers and various other things that have been raised or made by the youth of the county."

"That the people appreciate the importance of the work is shown in the many generous prizes that are offered. The prizes from the ten fairs aggregate more than thirteen hundred dollars."

"The business people have more than done their part in the giving of prizes, the superintendent of the various fairs have given much time and energy in promoting the interests of the fairs, most of the teachers did what they could, will you encourage the young folks and those who have done so much for them by visiting the fair nearest your home or others if you can and give a word of encouragement wherever you can honestly give it."

"State Superintendent, L. R. Alderman, has accepted the invitation to visit all the fairs and address the people. President Kerr, of the Oregon Agricultural College has also promised to come if he can get away from his work, if not he will send a man to represent the college."

"The fairs promise to be a success everywhere and in some places they are going to be events long to be remembered."

"The fairs at Sandy, Estacada, and Logan will be held Tuesday, August 27. Sandy will have a street parade at 11 o'clock with music by the orchestra. The fifteen districts participating will each have a float in the parade. The crowd will then enjoy a basket dinner, after which there will be speaking by Clifton McArthur of Portland. The prizes will then be awarded and the day closed by a social dance at night."

"The detailed program from Estacada is not in but Estacada never does things by halves and you may be assured that you will have a good time if you visit the fair there."

"Logan is one of the best farming parts of the County. The writer visited that section recently and found much interest. There is no good reason why Logan should not capture some of the prizes at the State Fair."

"Clarkes will also make a good showing, the plan there is to have each school compete against the other schools of the fair district. The local pride and patriotism will be a spur to best endeavor. They are contemplating building a pavilion for annual displays of this kind."

"Molalla has for several years past held juvenile fairs in connection with the annual Grange Fair, therefore the young folks having had experience will know how to do things about right. The people of Molalla are most loyal to their school and everything that is good for the community and therefore there will be no doubt about the success of this enterprise."

"Canby, the home of the County Fair will hold the juvenile fair in the Clackamas County Fair Pavilion and will have an attractive ball game during the day."

"The Commercial Club of Oregon City has generously given the beautiful club rooms for the fair at that place. There is a live interest in the schools of the districts about Oregon City, the large number of children in the fair district should insure an extensive display."

"The interest at Wilsonville is most commendable. Doors will open at 9 o'clock and there will be something of interest all day and evening. There will be speakers from the O. A. C. and elsewhere and a musical and literary program by the people of the district."

"Oswego has the disadvantage of having a very small fair district, but they are not daunted by difficulties and are going to have a very commendable display and a royal good time."

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