

FINE IS IMPOSED FOR PACKERS

They Plead Guilty to Accepting Rebates From the Railroads.

ONE IS A NERVOUS WRECK

Jail Sentence Remitted on Account of Well's Condition—Government Has Entered Verdict to Break Up System.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—Four officials of the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Packing Company, of Chicago, were fined an aggregate of \$3,000 by Judge Humphrey in the United States District Court here today. The fines followed a plea of guilty to indictments charging conspiracy to accept railroad rebates. The defendants were Samuel Well, of New York, vice-president of the company; E. J. Palmer, of Chicago, secretary; and two other men, names of whom were not given.

With the entering of the declaration was made that unless at least one of the cases is immediately settled the life of Samuel Well, vice-president of the company and the defendant in the case, is in jeopardy. It is said to be a nervous wreck and fears were entertained for his life if he had been allowed to continue under the stigma of an indictment.

The plea was entered, it is declared, after a complete understanding had been reached between counsel for the defendants and Attorney-General William H. Moody.

Act of Mercy to Well.

While in Chicago the Attorney-General was apprised of the condition of Vice-President Well, and it is said, agreed to the entry of a plea of guilty, with the understanding that the defendant, in the law under which the indictment was returned should be waived and merely a fine imposed. The same concession was made in the case of the other three defendants.

These four defendants were charged with unlawfully combining and agreeing to solicit rebates for the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Company from the Michigan Central Railway Company, the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, the Grand Trunk Western Railway, the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, the Boston Maine Railroad Company and the Mobile & Ohio Railroad Company. Charges were made that the defendants conspired with each other in presenting supposed claims for damages, which were in reality claims for rebates.

Other Charges Undecided.

The plea made today does not in any way affect the charges of interference with Government witnesses made in previous indictments returned against Coney and other Schwarzschild & Sulzberger men. The four defendants were in the Federal Court building, and all appeared before Judge Humphrey accompanied by their attorneys.

The fines carried with them a provision that the defendants be confined in jail until the fines were paid. The fines, however, were paid immediately, Max Sulzberger giving his check for the total amount, \$3,000. The check, after being duly certified, was accepted as payment for the fines, and the defendants then left the courtroom.

District Attorney Morrison, discussing the case after adjournment of court, said:

Decision is Entering Wedge.

I am perfectly satisfied with the matter as it stands. The defendants came into court, pleaded guilty, and the court showed leniency in his sentence. The fine is heavy, but the imprisonment provision is there, the most important part of the law. It was proved conclusively by the Government that, after the issuance of the injunction by Judge Grosscup, the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Company withdrew from the combination. They were independent, but in order to carry on their business in so strenuous competition against the other packers it seems to me necessary for them to accept rebates. The results today only go to show that the Government has now lodged an opening wedge into the question of rebates. We have found what to proceed with and it seems proper, it seems to me, that the Government is in a fair way of breaking up the entire rebate wall in this country.

From the books of the Government it is shown to take evidence against the four defendants and bring about their indictment, the Government spent \$16,000. The case against Armour & Co. and others were continued until Wednesday.

Mr. Morrison today filed a demurrer to the plea in abatement made yesterday by the packers' defendant. The demurrer alleges insufficiency of the allegations in the plea of the packers.

FIVE CARS WERE DERAILED

Several Persons Injured in Wreck on the Santa Fe.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 21.—Five cars of the California Limited train, No. 4, eastbound, on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, were derailed at Walton, Kan., a small station just west of Newton, last night. Several persons were injured, but it is believed that only one, Fred Kempnick, of Chicago, second cook, in the diner, who was badly scalded, will die. No one was killed. Among the injured are:

Fred Kempnick, Chicago, second cook; probably fatally.

Grant Conrad, Los Angeles, member of the Grand Public Works, slight.

W. F. Callender, Los Angeles, slight.

Ernie Lawrence Havin, vaudeville actress; slight.

Miss Violet Dale, vaudeville actress; slight.

Miss Christine West, of Chicago, a trained nurse, face fractured, hole in cheek, severe contusion of forehead; condition serious.

Jacob Havill, of New York, theatrical manager; leg cut and bruised.

The train was made up of a composite car, a diner and five sleepers. All but the two sleepers left the track. None of the cars was badly damaged. The train was running at the rate of 35 miles an hour. The injured were started for Topeka and the wrecked train was made up and sent East, after several hours' delay.

The cause of the wreck has not yet been determined.

SCHOONER RAMS STEAMER

Eight Passengers Injured in Collision Off Atlantic Coast.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—The injury of six passengers and two of the ship's officers by a collision at sea was reported by the steamer Junonia, of the Merchants' & Miners' Transportation Company, bound from Boston for Baltimore and Norfolk, which returned to this port this afternoon badly damaged.

The Junonia was rammed last night 30 miles off Chatham by the five-masted schooner Harwood Palmer, bound from Baltimore for Portland, Me., with a cargo of coal.

Eight persons were injured. No one on board the schooner was injured. No one on board the steamer was injured. That the accident did not result in a general loss of life on the steamer is considered remarkable by every one on board. The steamer had a great hole stove in her starboard side amidships, her cabins from that point forward being torn into kindling wood; her pilot house was wrecked, and the foremast and smokestack were carried away. The Palmer lost her jib-boom, bowsprit and head gear.

GIVES BRAIN AND ARM

Singular Provision in Will of Philadelphia Millionaire.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—Under the provisions of the will of General Isaac Wistar, the well-known financier and railroad man, which was admitted to probate today, the bulk of the estate, together with the brain and right arm of the testator, was bequeathed to Wistar Institute of Anatomy and Biology of the University of Pennsylvania, which he founded.

The estate left by the deceased, according to the petition of the executors and trustees, is personal property \$100,000 and upwards. The actual valuation of the estate, it is said, will amount to over \$2,000,000.

ARSON CASES IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—Twenty-three arson cases, including two attempted murders and involving fraudulent insurance claims amounting to many thousands of dollars, will be made the subject of a sweeping investigation by the grand jury. The inquiry began yesterday. One effect of the investigation will be a recommendation that an arson board be established which will keep a record of all fires reported to insurance companies. These greatly exceed those reported to the fire department. Another recommendation will be that insurance adjusters be required to report to insurance companies. There are about 200 of these adjusters, and some of them are believed to be in collusion with the incendiaries.

IN FAVOR OF THE LONGSHOREMEN

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The executive council of the American Federation of Labor today decided a number of disputes which have arisen in various parts of the country. In the matter of the dispute between the longshoremen and seamen growing out of conditions on the Pacific Coast, the council decided in favor of the longshoremen, holding it to be contrary to trade union principles or policies for any one to demand that they surrender the charter received from their international union.

MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM OREGON

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—At the last meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers here the following candidates who made application for admission to membership were reported favorably and elected: J. H. Lewis, State Engineer, Salem; W. C. Sawyer, engineer, United States Reclamation Service, Pendleton; A. E. Wood, manager Oregon Securities Co., Cottage Grove. Thirty other new members were elected from various parts of the country and Europe.

FOUR BURIED IN DEBRIS

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—Four men were injured here today, three fatally, in the old County Courthouse, which is being torn down to make place for a new structure. The flooring in the center corridor of the fourth floor of the building gave way, burying the men in the debris. The injured men were taken out alive and removed to a hospital.

WILL ARBITRATE DIFFERENCES

LUCERNE, Switzerland, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The Scandinavian League to the International Peace Congress stated yesterday that Sweden and Norway would submit the adjustment of their differences to arbitration. The Swiss Federal Council will be asked to select the president of the tribunal which will arbitrate the matter.

ST. ANDREW BROTHERHOOD CONVENTION

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—When the 23rd annual convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew opened at the University of Chicago today, 800 members were present representing many nationalities. Among

BAD FAITH TO CHINA

Congress Condemns Failure to Build Railroad.

BLOW TO TRADE RELATIONS

Relinquishment of Concession Is Violation of Pledge and More Harmful to America Than Boycott.

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 21.—In an address before the Grant Club tonight, ex-Minister to China, Edwin H. Conger, said that by the failure of the Americans to build the Chinese railway, faith had been broken with China, and America's good standing with the Chinese seriously impaired.

"We made a very serious mistake when we permitted our railroad concession in China to be relinquished," said Mr. Conger. "It will prove a sad blow to our future efforts to establish advantageous business relations with that country. It will set us back many years."

"When we were granted the concession, personally I made representations to the Chinese that the railroad would be built by the Americans with speed. The relinquishment of the concession, assured them upon my honor that it was not secured for the purpose of exploitation, and that it would not be sold or relinquished. Now, however, it has been, and the business men of China feel that they have a right to look upon future business propositions from Americans with suspicion."

"The relinquishment of the concession was utterly defenseless, it seems to me, after the representations which we made to the Chinese. It is vastly more harmful to this Nation than a boycott, concerning which so much has been said and written."

INSPECTION IRREGULAR

Evidence Against Commander Young Wade's Testimony Wanted.

MARE ISLAND, Cal., Sept. 21.—At the morning session of the Young court-martial, Witness J. J. Northen was recalled. The court asked if he knew of the condition of the handling gear of boiler B before the explosion on July 21. He replied in the negative.

The prosecution called Lieutenant F. H. Yates, United States Navy executive officer of the Bennington, who testified that the accused did not inspect the Bennington every Sunday morning. An objection by Judge Gear to this answer was not sustained.

The prosecution offered in evidence extracts from the logs from 3 A. M. to midnight each Sunday from November 14, 1904, to July 21, 1905, to show how often the commander inspected the ship. Judge Gear asked if the completion of 197 men included a warrant machinist, and the witness stated it did not. At this point a recess was taken.

At the afternoon session Charles Baskirk was recalled. Judge-Advocate West asked him if he had lifted the scutling valve on boiler B; witness said he had.

Captain Franklin Drake, U. S. N., stationed on Mare Island, was also recalled. He related that he had gone to San Diego after the explosion and explained the position he found the Bennington in. Drake stated that the Bennington was in the channel, heaving to starboard about 15 feet in about one foot of water.

The Judge-Advocate said he could not proceed without Esig Wade at present, and suggested that a medical board be appointed to inquire into Mr. Wade's condition, as Dr. work stated Tuesday Mr. Wade could testify in two or three days. The matter was still open when the court adjourned until tomorrow.

YIELDS TO WISH OF THE CZAR

Baron Rosen Informed President of Peace Conference Plan.

OSTER BAY, N. Y., Sept. 21.—It is learned that the most important international question considered at the conference today between the President and Root, Lodge and Choate was that relating to the second peace conference to be held at The Hague.

The President explained to his visitors that September 12 Ambassador Rosen had visited him at Sagamore Hill to inform him of the desire of Emperor Nicholas of Russia to call a peace conference at The Hague, which should be supplemented by a formal reply to the Emperor three years ago on the Emperor's initiative.

The President last Autumn took the initial step toward the calling of the second conference, advising through the Secretary of State John Hay a note to the powers. The powers, including Japan, acquiesced to the proposition of the President, but Russia, by accepting it in principle, objected to holding the conference while she was waging a war with one of the signatories.

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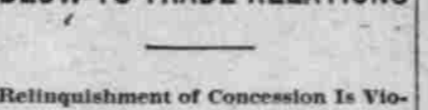
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HOSPITALS CROWDED

MAJORITY OF PATIENTS WOMEN

Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Saves Many From This Sad and Costly Experience.



It is a sad but true fact that every year brings an increase in the number of operations performed upon women in our hospitals. More than three-fourths of the patients lying in the nurseries are women and girls who are awaiting or recovering from operations made necessary by neglect.

Every one of these patients had plenty of warning in that bearing down feeling, pain at the left or right of the womb, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, leucorrhoea, dizziness, flatulency, displacements of the womb or irregularities. All of these symptoms are indications of an unhealthy condition of the ovaries or womb, and if not heeded the trouble will make headway until the penalty has to be paid by a dangerous operation, and a lifetime of impaired usefulness at best, while in many cases the results are fatal.

The following letter should bring hope to suffering women. Miss Luella Adams, of the Colonsade Hotel, Seattle, Wash., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"About two years ago I was a great sufferer from a severe female trouble, pains and headaches. The doctor prescribed for me and finally told me that I had a tumor on the womb and must undergo an operation if I wanted to get well. I was entirely cured by Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and she advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it was said to cure tumors. I did so and immediately began to improve in health, and I was entirely cured, the tumor disappearing entirely, without an operation. I wish every suffering woman would try this great preparation."

Just as surely as Miss Adams was cured of the troubles enumerated in her letter, just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure every woman in the land who suffers from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability and nervous prostration.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all young women who are ill to write her for free advice. Address, Lynn, Mass.

RAISING OLD-AGE PENSIONS

Government Still Paying Five on Account of Revolution.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The report of the Commissioner of Pensions for the fiscal year ending July 1 last shows that during the year there were 6,985 allowances under the old age disability order of March 15, 1904. It also shows that 465 pensions of \$72 a month have been increased to \$100 a month on account of total blindness, under the act of April 8, 1904.

There are pending only 13,524 original claims of survivors of the Civil War and the Commissioner gives assurance that they will be adjudicated as speedily as possible.

There are still five pensioners on account of the War of the Revolution, one of them being Esther S. Damon, the widow of a revolutionary soldier, and the other four daughters of such soldiers. Miss Damon is 91 years old.

YOUNG RAILSTON COMMITTED SUICIDE

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21.—In the case of Archibald Railston, Jr., of Boston, who

died under sensational circumstances last week, the coroner's jury today rendered a verdict that death resulted from poison taken with suicidal intent. The jurors believe the poison to have been cyanide of potassium.

The conduct of the proprietors of the restaurant wherein Railston took the poison and of Chief Hospital Surgeon Stephens in trying to conceal facts in the case were severely criticized.

BACK FROM SEAT OF WAR

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21.—Brigadier-General Thomas H. Barry, Captain Syd-

ney A. Cloman and Colonel John Van B. Hoff, the American military attaches in Manchuria, have started for home. They are returning by way of St. Petersburg.

The Cunningham faction speaks guardedly of this at present, however, and the delegates that are backing Cunningham say they do not expect such action to be taken.

Alfonso Signs Treaty With Belgium.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Sept. 21.—King Alfonso today signed a treaty of general arbitration between Spain and Belgium.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 21.—In the National Rural Letter-Carriers' Association today a motion to have President Cunningham retain his office for one year longer was carried by a large majority. As a result it is possible that about ten states which are unfriendly to the project will drop out of the association and start a rival organization. It is stated that a

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25c Men's Socks 19c

Men's fancy striped and plain black cotton Socks; these are all high-grade, imported goods, and are special value at 25c. For Friday and Saturday..... **19c**

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Men's Fall Neckwear, in four-inches, tees, bows and string ties, made of fine quality silks, medium and dark colors; regular 50c quality, for Friday and Saturday..... **25c**

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Our Lace Counters are crowded with rare Lace Bargains. In no Lace Department will you find more irresistible offerings in beautiful New Fall Laces. A few of the many bargains offered:

40c to 25c Point de Paris Val Laces..... **12c**
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You haven't purchased your children's outfits yet? We have just received a splendid stock of Misses' Suits, Coats and Cravettes; beautiful garments, tailored in the very latest styles by boys' tailors.

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