

STANDARD WANTS  
BIG FARMER JURY

Objection of Octopus Is Cause  
of Rejection of Whole  
Venire.

CHICAGO ALMOST IGNORED

Judge Declares Preponderance of  
Farmers Design or Coincidence.  
Possible Size of Fine Hangs  
on Legal Question.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The trial of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana was unexpectedly delayed today when Judge Anderson, in the Federal Court, quashed the panel of 150 veniremen because of the large proportion of farmers among those summoned. Sixty per cent of the venire are farmers; only three are residents of Chicago, and but 16 live in Cook County, which contains two-thirds of the population within the court's jurisdiction.

It was a "farmers' jury" which brought in the verdict making Judge Landis' fine of \$25,000 in the original case. John S. Millard, of the Standard, promptly reminded the court that the panel contained but three Chicagoans.

Design or Coincidence.  
"It looks like design, or a strange coincidence," commented Judge Anderson. "I don't want to start in this hearing feeling that there is something not quite fair. I think this panel ought to be set aside. I instruct the jury commission to put in 150 names of men, a good proportion of whom shall be good business men from Chicago and Cook County. This case is tried in a district composed of an enormous commercial city and several rural counties. The country may have purer air, higher moral standards, and greater intelligence than the city, but that is an open question. However, I am not going outside the issue when I say that, if the jury were composed partly of business men who would realize the great industrial and commercial phase of the case, a more satisfactory and just verdict may be reached."

Fine May Be Only \$750,000.

Judge Anderson said he would hear argument of counsel tomorrow as to whether a shipment settlement of freight charges constituted a single offense. There were, it is charged, 36 settlements of freight charges in certain shipments made by the Standard. Accepting this view, a maximum fine of \$750,000 is possible.

DRUNKEN MAN STABS WIFE

Is Beaten Off by Woman's Young  
Brother, Who Comes to Rescue.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 23.—While lying on her bed soothing her 22-month-old baby into sleep, Mrs. Taylor was stabbed in the breast last night by her father, Theodore Syphus, aged 52 years, and was only saved from further attack by the timely interference of her 16-year-old brother, Theodore Syphus, Jr.

COLORADO TO TRY PRIMARY

State Officers and Senators to Be  
Named Direct by People.

DENVER, Feb. 23.—The special Democratic caucus, appointed to draw up a primary election bill, today agreed upon a measure and the bill as drafted will now probably be rushed through the Legislature. The bill is a compromise. It provides for the naming by petition of candidates for state offices and United States Senators. Candidates for city, county, municipal and district offices will be named in convention, but the right to go on the ballot by petition shall still be allowed for those offices. Candidates receiving 10 per cent of the convention vote shall also have the right to have their names placed on the ballot.

COOPER TELLS OF QUARREL

On Sunday, November 3, how he met Craig and sent the message to Carmack. "Craig returned," said the witness, "and told me that nothing could be done, that Carmack was in an ugly mood. But as he left he said to me: 'Your name will not appear.' I told Craig I wanted these attacks to cease. I said that unless they held both of us; that I was tired of having a man spit in my face each morning as soon as I got up."

Gets Gun From Colonel Hutchinson.

"Did you have a weapon on that Sunday?" "No, sir, and so stated to Craig when I asked for a personal interview with Carmack."

Tells of Note to Carmack.  
"When I returned home about noon," he continued, "I found my daughter hysterical and crying because of Robin's telephone message. She feared that I would be shot down on the street. I

found that there was no cause for fear, but her tears made me anxious and to please her I tore up the note I had written in Bradford's office and wrote another. I struck out one sentence that was in the first note. I had written that Carmack had no more right to abuse me in the paper than he had to abuse me to my face, and thus far you have not had the temerity to do this. It was this sentence that I struck out.

At 3 P. M. I went to Bradford's office. Before I left, Governor Patterson called on me so did Bradford and Robin. "What did Patterson want to see you about?" "He talked to me about my strained relations with Senator Carmack."

PHILADELPHIA MINISTER  
THUNDERS AGAINST  
SALOME.



NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—(Special.)—Dr. Preasly is the Philadelphia minister who started agitation against the production of "Salome" in that city and succeeded in giving Strauss' nasty opera a good advertisement. Protestants from the pulpit are the most valuable aids the press agent has.

efforts to settle the difficulty. I found Colonel Talley Brown there. "Did Robin attend?" "Did you agree not to send the note?" "I did."

Did Not Expect Meeting.  
"Did you or Robin expect to meet Senator Carmack?" "No. In fact, Robin urged me to take the route less likely to bring me into contact with the Senator."

HETTY TAKES PRIVATE CAR

CELEBRATES DAUGHTER'S WEDDING IN STYLE.

Sylvia Married to Great Grandson  
of John Jacob Astor, and  
Everyone Is Happy.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Feb. 23.—Miss Sylvia Green, daughter of Mrs. Hetty Green, of New York, one of the wealthiest women in America, was married at noon today to Matthew Astor Wilkes, Mr. Wilkes is the great-grandson of John Jacob Astor.

Indians Forward Protest.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—On behalf of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians, Senator Owen, of Oklahoma, has presented to the Senate a petition from the General Council of those tribes, protesting against the reopening of their citizenship rolls. The petition is a review of all the efforts that have been made to establish correct citizenship rolls up to the time of the action by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Citizenship Court by which only about 150 out of more than 500 applicants, which had been favorably passed upon by the District Courts, were largely fraudulent and the petition declares that many of them were admitted on testimony presented before the court.

SILENCED BY HOT SATIRE

McCumber Stops Talking When  
Blythe Lampons Him.

NEW MOVE IN LIBEL CASE

Attorney-General Bonaparte  
Considering Transferring Case.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—United States Assistant District Attorney McNamara has been commissioned by Attorney-General Bonaparte as special assistant to the Attorney-General to aid in the prosecution of the Press Publishing Company, the editor of the New York World and left the chamber of the Senate yesterday indicted for alleged criminal libel in connection with the purchase of the Panama Canal.

WILL RE-ENLIST  
NEGRO SOLDIERS

Senate Passes Bill Authorizing  
Court of Inquiry on  
Brownsville.

RECEIVE BACK INNOCENT

Compromise With Roosevelt Gets All  
Republican Votes and Will End  
Long Controversy About  
Shooting Affray.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The President is authorized to appoint a court of inquiry to determine the qualifications for re-enlistment of discharged negro soldiers accused of shooting up Brownsville, Tex., August 13-14, 1906. The Aldrich bill for this purpose was passed by a party vote of 56 to 26, except that Senator Teller voted with the Republicans.

35c Hose 19c Pr.  
Women's Fast Black Cotton  
Hose, medium weight; regular  
35c values, today, pair...19c  
Children's Hose, fine ribbed  
cotton; regularly 25c the pair,  
at...19c

NO GRAFT IN AFRICAN HUNT

Mann Kills Democratic Suspicion  
and Fitzgerald Gets Rebuff.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—President Roosevelt's African trip was brought up during the consideration of the sundry civil bill in the House today. Garrett of Tennessee wants to know how much of his expenses would be paid by the Government.

TARIFF SPLITS DEMOCRATS

BELIEVE IT SHOULD BE FOR  
REVENUE.

"Protection" Not Their Idea of Pur-  
pose of Tariff, and Wran-  
gle Is Likely.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The Demo-  
cratic Senators are going to be divided  
when the tariff bill reaches them next  
session as to the best policy to be  
pursued. They are a unit on the gen-  
eral principle that the tariff should  
be based on the demands of the Gov-  
ernment for revenue rather than pro-  
tection, and apparently if the Demo-  
crats are framed a bill it would be  
upon this basis.

NO HOPE FOR STATEHOOD BILL

Senate Committee Admits No Time  
for Action This Session.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The second  
session of the Senate committee on  
territories to consider the New Mexico  
and Arizona statehood bill was held to-  
day. A number of amendments were  
offered and it was stated that an earnest  
effort would be made to perfect the  
measure. It is admitted that it is prac-  
tically impossible to get action by the  
Senate during the present session.  
Another meeting will be held tomorrow.

BRADY ON UNWRITTEN LAW

Toledo Pastor Pays His Respects to  
Lawyer Delmas.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 23.—Dr. Cyrus  
Townsend Brady, formerly of Toledo, O.,  
at a banquet to the Sons of the Revolution  
here last night delivered a scathing  
denunciation of the "unwritten law" and  
openly attacked in the effort to get  
new legislation.

Chinese Stories Conflict.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cal., Feb. 23.—After  
being put through the sweat-box at  
some length, the 22 Chinamen who were  
captured in a sealed Government car  
on Sunday convinced the authorities that  
they had been smuggled into the country  
by way of New Orleans. J. C. Nard,  
chief of the United States Immigration  
Service, arrived here last night with  
three assistants and an interpreter. The  
Mongolians gave various responses to  
the questions asked of them, some claim-  
ing that they came from Mexico and  
others from Los Angeles, but Sheriff McFadden  
has no doubt but what all came from  
New Orleans and had been smuggled  
in the car by a Government official. The  
prisoners were photographed and taken  
in a special car to Los Angeles this  
morning.

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JAPAN PLEDGES COREA AID

Prince Ito Says His Country Will  
Preserve Other Nation.

SEOUL, Corea, Feb. 2, via San Fran-  
cisco, Feb. 23.—That the strongest im-  
pression he retains of his recent tour of  
Northern Corea is that Japan must con-  
tinue fearlessly in her attitude of pro-  
tection and guidance toward the Coreans  
was the declaration of Prince Ito, Japanese  
Resident-General in Corea, on the day  
following the return of the imperial party  
to Seoul. Prince Ito said that he had  
observed conditions obtaining throughout  
the empire very closely, and, speaking di-  
rectly to the Coreans, said that despite  
the dislike of interference by the Japane-

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JAILBREAK IS FRUSTRATED

CONFEDERATE CAUGHT FILING  
BARS BELLINGHAM JAIL.

Captured Thugs Confess They Went  
From Seattle to Effect Release  
of Prisoners.

BELLINGHAM, Feb. 23.—Joe Healey  
and Horace Richie were captured early  
this morning while sawing the bars to  
the corridor of the Skagit County Jail at  
Mount Vernon. A string led from the  
point where the men were working to  
the steel cage occupied by Leo Beamer,  
convicted of kidnaping, with Meyers,  
awaiting sentence for obtaining money  
under false pretenses, John Kelley and  
Eugene Veil, confessed counterfeiter, all  
awaiting sentence. The men were armed  
with axes and drills, and were making  
good progress when captured. They ad-  
mitted they had been employed to re-  
lease the counterfeiter, coming up from  
Seattle for that purpose. Beamer and  
Meyers would have profited by the de-  
livery.

ECHO OF BAY CITY QUAKE

One Man Killed as Ruins of City  
Hall Crash Down.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—One man  
lost his life and another probably was  
fatally injured when a swaying metal  
floor in the ruined City Hall gave way  
today, sending the two men to the  
basement and precipitating upon them  
tons of brick and debris. J. Tislerat,  
one of the workmen, who was oper-  
ating a block and tackle on the west  
front of the building, was so deeply  
buried that his body was recovered  
only after 20 minutes of frantic dig-  
ging by a score of fellow workmen,  
who themselves braved death in the  
hope of finding him alive.

Would Have State Take Hold.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 23.—A plan to  
discontinue the proceedings for the ap-  
pointment of receivers for the Wash-  
ington Life Insurance Company and  
instead have the affairs of the  
company administered by the State In-  
surance Department pending determina-  
tion in the courts of certain questions,  
was agreed upon at a conference here  
yesterday, called at the suggestion of  
William Hotchkiss, State Superinten-  
dent of Insurance, with the co-opera-  
tion of Attorney-General O'Malley.

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