

BROWN TOLD HOW TO SERVE WARRANT

Los Angeles Constable Tells of Going to San Francisco in Kidnaping Trial.

CHAUFFEUR TELLS STORY

Man Who Drove Older to Redwood City Denies Having Asked \$300 for His Testimony—Disavows Knowledge of Libel Action.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—The trial of Luther Brown, charged with having kidnaped Fremont Older, managing editor of the Bulletin, proceeded today before Judge Mahon.

The morning session was occupied chiefly by the cross-examination of George A. Wyman, one of the chauffeurs who drove the party of alleged kidnapers from this city to Redwood City. Older was placed on a Los Angeles train. He denied saying he had asked \$300 for his testimony. He said he was not aware that Older had brought action against Brown for wrongful imprisonment, asking \$10,000 damages.

TRACE MONEY PAID AT MINT

Prosecution Tries to Show How Supervisors Got \$200,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—The prosecution in the case of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads, on trial for offering a bribe, continued today its painstaking effort to trace the \$200,000 in currency paid to T. L. Ford at the mint on Calhoun's order in 1904 to the hands of the supervisors, or rather to their alleged agent, Abraham Ruef, from the office of Ford, where the last positive evidence on the subject left.

The acting treasurer, A. M. Dahler, of the company, through whose hands all money, either received or paid out, must pass, was, perhaps the most important witness of the day, since he showed that this great sum had not been handled in the ordinary course of business, or, in fact, passed through his office at all.

From this statement and the previous testimony of other witnesses as to the visits of Ruef to Ford's office, somewhere around the time the money was consigned there by Ford and Abbott, it is the hope of the prosecution to convince the jury that no other deduction is possible but that the money was paid to Ruef and his disbursement to the supervisors. Evidence taken today was all along the line of elimination of other possible explanations for the withdrawal from the mint in cash of these particular amounts.

The only other feature of the day was the testimony of George B. Willcutt, secretary and controller of the United Railroads Company, who brought into court the minute books of the directors' meeting for the year 1906, which related the election of Mr. Calhoun as president, and told of the holding of all board meetings, and the disbursement of stock by the United Railroads Investment Company. He was asked to bring to court such franchises belonging to the company as were secured from the fire in 1906, on Monday, when the case will be resumed.

George H. Myers, a newspaper man who was present at the Board of Supervisors' meeting on May 14, 1906, when the trolley ordinance was passed to print, told of the reading and passage of the measure. Questions by the prosecution laid stress on the fact that Myers, who was a regular attendant at the board meetings, had never mentioned the matter until it was read for passage.

Mrs. Henrietta Sittenfeld, sister of Abraham Ruef, was called today. She produced a receipt for \$3500, paid to L. A. Rea by her on June 2, on behalf of her brother, in a business transaction, but could not recall in what form the money was paid over.

Alexander S. Latham, Ruef's chauffeur in the summer of 1906, told of driving Ruef to the United Railroad office twice. The dates of these visits he could not recall. He was dismissed without cross-examination.

BOMB AT BUENOS AYRES FIRED ON STREETCAR BY SYMPATHIZER WITH STRIKE

Policeman and Girl Have Legs Blown Off and Many Other Persons Injured.

BUENOS AYRES, May 7.—A bomb was exploded today at a street corner, presumably by some persons in sympathy with the strike of protest against the action of the police in firing upon a crowd of May day demonstrators. The explosion tore one of a policeman's legs off and fractured a little girl's legs. Eighteen others were also injured, some seriously.

The bomb was hidden in a basket of vegetables placed on the platform of a trolley. A passenger heard a noise like the ticking of a clock coming from the basket and informed the policeman, and the explosion followed. One arrest has been made.

A number of cars and cabs were operated today, though there was some disorder attending their progress through the streets. Business is at a standstill.

FRENCH PEOPLE SWINDLED

American Found Guilty of Working Mining Shares Game.

PARIS, May 7.—Charles Woods Gammon, an American, who says he is a native of Sacramento, Cal., was today found guilty of swindling the French public by selling shares in California mining companies. He was condemned to two years in prison and to pay a fine of \$500.

According to the accusation against Gammon, he obtained something over \$100,000 from French investors. He had agencies in various French cities and issued alluring prospectuses promising colossal returns.

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FIRE LOSS IS \$6,000

Two People Injured in Blaze at Marshfield.

BUSINESS HOUSE BURNS

Entire Block of Wooden Structures Threatened for Time, and Merchants Hastily Move Their Goods to Places of Safety.

MARSHFIELD, Or., May 7.—(Special.)—Fire, from a defective flue, at 4 o'clock this afternoon, did \$6000 damage, caused injuries to two people and threatened for a time to wipe out an entire business block in Marshfield.

The Sengstacken building, a two-story frame structure on Broadway, near C street, was burned, and for a time the Garfield Hotel, on Front street, and a whole block on C street, known as the Donaldson property, were threatened.

It looked impossible for a time to save the whole row of buildings, and a dozen of the business houses moved out all their goods and fixtures. The total loss by fire, water and damage from moving will be about \$9000. The burned building was occupied by the Anonia Cash Grocery, owned by J. W. Umstead, and the J. McCutcheon restaurant.

The fire evidently started from a defective flue, and the entire upper story was in flame before the fire was discovered. Mrs. M. L. Buckingham, who with her husband occupied rooms in the second story, was asleep, and awoke to find the place in flames. She jumped out of a second-story window, but was not seriously hurt. She left behind a purse containing over \$300 in cash.

Attorney Tom Hall received a wound on the face by dropping from an automobile when hurrying to the fire.

The flames reached the rear of the Garfield Hotel and the roof of the Donaldson building. Excellent work was done by the fire department with the help of citizens. The Government dredger Oregon quickly had a stream of salt water on the burning building, after a hard fight the fire was stopped.

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SICK MAN RUNS TO WOODS

Escapes in Fit of Delirium and Is Tracked by Bloodhound.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 7.—(Special.)—Just before daybreak this morning Shurt Short, 30 years old, who for days had lain ill with pneumonia in a little room over a livery stable in Kirkland, became delirious and thus with the stealth of a somnambulist abroad in the night crept through a tiny aperture near his bed and escaped to the woods nearby. He was barefooted and his clothing consisted of naught but an undershirt.

The task of tracing the missing man was taken up and a bloodhound was procured. Near Redmond they came upon Short sitting upon a log, emitting shrieks of laughter. He seemed immensely pleased with several bunches of weeds and shrubs that he had in his hand, and from which it was apparent he had been eating. It is believed he will die.

NO ORAL BOOKMAKING

Prosecution Only Possible When Bets Are in Writing.

NEW YORK, May 7.—There can be no bookmaking without writing or recording, according to a decision of the appellate division of the New York Supreme Court, which today sustained a writ of habeas corpus releasing from custody Orland Jones and Sol Lichtenstein, arrested at the race tracks last Summer.

The court refused to sustain the contention of the prosecution that bookmaking could be done orally.

TWO KILLED IN TUNNEL

Explosion Occurs Just Before Work Is Completed.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 7.—Just before work on the spiral tunnel on the Canadian Pacific Railway in the Rocky Mountains near Field was finished last night, a dynamite explosion occurred, resulting in the death of two workmen and serious injury to two others. The seriously injured were: M. J. McDougall, of Roseland, Ainsworth in Capital.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU

Washington, May 7.—John C. Ainsworth and Samuel Veach, of Portland, are visiting in the capital. Word has been received from Senator Bourne that his mother is recovering, and that he will return here Saturday or Sunday.

Lipman-Wolfe & Co.

500 Trimmed Hats

Go on sale today. Hats in black and colored, tastefully trimmed in flowers, ribbons and velvets. In an immense variety of selection. Both large and small shapes. Values up to \$6.

Saturday Only \$2.48

Children's Hats Ladies' Bonnets

An assortment of pretty New Trimmed Hats for Children in fancy straw and body shapes. These hats are trimmed in flowers and ribbons, and come in an assortment of pretty styles.

Regular Price to \$3.50 Values up to \$7.50
Friday \$1.95 Friday \$3.95

Silk Sale Continues Today

85c, \$1 Satin Foulards 59c

3000 yards high-grade Fancy Silks and Satin Foulards for Summer suits, shirtwaists and jumper dresses. The collection embraces all the newest patterns and the latest Spring shades, and are offered at

Special for Saturday 59c

Armenian Hand-Crochet Mats

Never in the history of our Linen Department have we ever been able to offer such a startling bargain as these Armenian Hand-Crochet Mats. The assortment is varied and unique in both designs, patterns, shapes and sizes. Round and square ranging from a 6-inch Doily to a Large Bedspread.

Every Piece Offered Friday Half Price and Less

25c pieces for...	10¢	\$2.00 pieces for...	95¢
60c pieces for...	25¢	\$2.50 pieces for...	\$1.05
65c pieces for...	29¢	\$3.75 pieces for...	\$1.65
75c pieces for...	35¢	\$4.50 pieces for...	\$2.00
\$1.00 pieces for...	42¢	\$6.50 pieces for...	\$2.50
\$1.25 pieces for...	50¢	\$7.00 pieces for...	\$3.50
\$1.50 pieces for...	70¢	\$8.00 pieces for...	\$3.75
		\$12.00 pieces for...	\$5.00

CHILE TO LEARN FROM US

Sends Admiral Gacitua to Investigate Ship Construction.

SANTIAGO, Chile, May 7.—Admiral Perez Gacitua, of the Chilean navy, will leave here shortly for the United States, where he will visit a number of shipyards and investigate the possible construction of Chilean warships.

BOOST FOR HIGH BRIDGE

Albina Club Indorses Broadway-Street \$2,000,000 Project.

The proposed high bridge at Broadway and the bond issue of \$2,000,000 to be voted for at the June election for its construction received a big boost at the meeting held last night in Woodmen Hall, on Russell street, Albina. It was the sentiment of the meeting, which was largely attended and enthusiastic, that

WASHING TON, MAY 7

Uprising as imperative for the better interests of both the country and the Navy the need for greater economy and less friction among the line and staff officers, Representative Albert F. Dawson of Iowa, a member of the House Naval affairs committee, delivered the principal speech tonight at the banquet of the American Society of Naval Engineers.

A lack of unity of purpose in Naval administration, asserted Mr. Dawson, is responsible for the present unbusinesslike manner in which the Navy-yards are conducted. If the different branches of the Navy service would work in harmony there would be a healthier sentiment in Congress for larger Naval appropriations, he said.

He alluded briefly to the trip of a special committee among the Navy-yards of the country recently and the evidence of lax methods and apparent extravagance that were found to exist in many instances. He urged that the system of administration be brought up to date, with resultant good to the Navy and the country.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN FLEE