

DEFICIALS BARRED BY REPAIR FIRM

Ex-Director Threatened With Death if He Told of Deal, He Says.

RAWN'S NAME BROUGHT IN

Testimony in Illinois Central Fraud Case Brings Out Sensational Developments—Many Officials Offered Stocks, It Is Said.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Resumption today of the hearing of the charges against Frank B. Harriman, Charles L. Ewing and John M. Taylor, former Illinois Central Railroad officials, accused of the Overman fraud, developed sensational evidence.

Thesphyl Ruther, a former director of the Ostermann Manufacturing Company, grafting from the railroad, declared on the witness stand that he had been told that the late Ira G. Rawns held 200 shares of the Overman Company stock.

Ruther testified that Ostermann said he gave Rawns the shares in consideration of an order for 30,000 car doors.

Rawns, who was reported to be dead at his summer home at Kinneton, Ill., several weeks ago, had held a high official position with the Illinois Central Railroad. It had been expected that he would be an important witness in the present case.

Previous to his death, when being questioned before a master in chancery, Rawns declared that he held no interest in the repair firm.

Ruther's evidence regarding Rawns was given while the witness was being cross-examined regarding a conversation with Henry C. Ostermann, president of the Ostermann Manufacturing Company.

During this conversation, Ruther said, Ostermann expressed his intention of giving Joseph Baker, John M. Taylor and Frank B. Harriman 200 shares each of Ostermann stock.

Death Threatened if He Talked. "Rawns, according to Ostermann, promised to give to the Ostermann Company the work of making 10,000 doors if he got the stock," testified Ruther.

"Did he get the shares?" asked Attorney Hoover. "I asked Ostermann that question subsequently and he said he had given them the shares of stock," replied Ruther.

Ruther related a story of an encounter with Ostermann during which he declared Ostermann threatened to kill him if he told of the transactions between the Illinois Central and the Ostermann Company.

Ruther stated that he went to Ostermann's office to protest because he had not received dividends upon his stock in the repair company.

Ostermann said no dividends had been paid," testified Ruther. "and he told him that I had seen a check sent to a man named Tomski. He said it was a lie.

Ostermann Hurts Paperweight. "You have done more harm than good with this company," Ostermann shouted, and I replied that I had done a whole lot toward organizing the concern, and said: 'It will come out how the Illinois Central was robbed.' He grew angry, seized a paperweight and struck me on the head. I fell to the floor and some men came out and placed me on my back. Ostermann said he would kill me if I told about the Illinois Central business.

"I got home and had to go to bed. August, Dietrich, foreman in the Burnside shops, called at my home and told me I should not say anything about what happened. 'Don't mix up John M. Taylor, Dietrich asked me. Mr. Milligan also called and told me not to say anything about the Ostermann affair, but I told them I was going to tell the Illinois Central just as soon as I got to bed.

"I went to see Mr. Burton, master mechanic of the Burnside shops—he was my boss—and told him about what I knew of the stealing in the Illinois Central and that I was going to sue him. He advised me to keep quiet and said that the men who were stealing would get caught anyway.

"Then I went to see John M. Taylor and William Renshaw, superintendent of machinery, and told them how the railroad was being robbed. They said there was no stealing and told me to keep my mouth shut."

JEALOUS LOVER SLAYS MAN WHO KILLED AFRICANED WIFE CAUGHT HERE.

Italian Confesses to Slashing Throat of Bride-to-Be When She Confesses Love for Another.

For the second time within a month a fugitive criminal, whose whereabouts has been eagerly sought by the authorities of other states, has been indirectly captured by Sheriff Stevens.

The latest capture was made yesterday when Amelio Carloni, an Italian 24 years of age, was recognized as a fugitive by justice and wanted by the Wisconsin authorities for the murder of Angela Frediani, a pretty Italian girl, killed on July 5, this year.

The apprehension of Carloni was brought about in a peculiar manner about 5 o'clock last evening. With two of his countrymen, who were unable to speak the English language, Carloni entered the Sheriff's office and, approaching Deputy Sheriff Archie Leonard, said:

"I wish to speak with Sheriff Stevens. The trio were ushered into the Sheriff's private office and Carloni, acting as an interpreter, proceeded to inform his listeners of the losses by theft from his countrymen. Carloni's suave mannerisms attracted the attention of the officers.

PINCHOT POLICY IS PUT ON SHELF

Land Office Takes Responsibility for Patenting Lands in Public Domain.

FIELD OFFICERS CONFER

Agreement Puts Into Force Regulations Agreed to by Secretaries Ballinger and Wilson, by Virtue of 1905 Law.

KLAW & ERLANGER MAY HAVE EIGHT-STORY BUILDING.

President of Sweeny Construction Company Says Architects' Drawings Are on Way.

THEATER TO RISE SOON

Plans for new Klaw & Erlanger theater said to begin in about two weeks, said Bruce Clendenning, president of the Sweeny Construction Company, last night.

"The plans have been drawn in New York by New York architects, and are on their way to me at Spokane. When they come I shall come to Portland again and see about getting the work started."

"The theater is to be ready for the 1911 season," went on Mr. Clendenning, "and I want to get at the work as soon as I can."

Charles Sweeny will put up the Klaw & Erlanger theater on the west end of the old Dekum homestead block, which is bounded by Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Morrison and Yamhill streets. The building will have its entrance on Morrison and will extend clear through Yamhill, occupying a space 82 feet wide.

Mr. Clendenning's ideas as to the kind of building that will be built are somewhat limited, for he has not seen the plans. The extent of his information, he says, is that the theater will be a class A building.

Judging from the plans of other theaters that have been built for Klaw & Erlanger recently, he says, the front part of the building will be devoted to other purposes, either offices or a hotel, and will be about 75 feet. This will mean a structure possibly eight stories high. Then behind this will be the auditorium and the stage set rear, with an entrance on Yamhill street.

Mr. Clendenning agrees thoroughly with the idea expressed before, that the remaining 115 feet of the lot should be devoted to a good hotel. This is the only logical structure to put there, he thinks, but he cannot say with authority when it will be built.

CHARTER CHANGE ASKED

LIVE WIRES WILL PUSH AUDITORIUM PROJECT.

City Attorney Tells Committee How to Proceed to Secure City as Sponsor for New Hall.

Plans for Portland's proposed auditorium took tangible shape last night when the "Live Wires" of the Portland Commercial Club decided upon the procedure of making the enterprise a purely municipal proposition to be passed upon by the people of Portland. In order to accomplish this end, it has been found necessary to proceed under an amendment of the city charter.

The committee in charge of the matter, George W. Kleiser, John F. Carroll and Robert Tucker, reported that the members of the City Council were unanimously in favor of passing an ordinance providing for placing a petition for amending the charter to permit the proposition to be voted upon at the coming general election.

An opinion regarding the procedure of financing the scheme for an auditorium was prepared by City Attorney Frank S. Grant and read at the meeting. In his opinion Mr. Grant said, the proposed charter amendment could be submitted to the voters at the general city election or at a special election authorized by the City Council for the purpose. He favors submitting it at the general election. The amendment must be filed with the Auditor 60 days before the election is held.

The amendment could be submitted, he said, to the voters by the Council without an initiative petition, by a resolution, or by an initiative petition signed by 25 per cent of the voters at the preceding election. He heartily favors the auditorium plan.

COAST CITIES GROW BIG

CENSUS BUREAU WITHHOLDS FIGURES TILL VERIFIED.

Remarkable Increase Shown Causes Extra Caution Because Intense Rivalry Exists.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Aug. 30.—Because leading cities of the Pacific Coast have made remarkable gains in population during the past 10 years, the Census Bureau is scrutinizing returns of enumerators from those cities with unusual care, so as to avoid all mistakes. Because of this precaution announcement of the population of Portland and other Coast cities may be delayed some time longer.

This explanation was made by Director Durand today, when asked why the population of none of the Coast cities had yet been announced. It has been found necessary, he says, to return a number of schedules to local enumerators for correction and no announcement will be made until all detectable errors have been corrected.

Mr. Durand says he wants his announcements to stand, once they are made, and does not want to run the risk of having his figures upset through premature announcements that may be erroneous. Particularly is he anxious to avoid errors on the Coast because of intense rivalry between the Coast cities.

The population of Colorado is 4,225,262, the number of doctors 1,590, this is one every 273 inhabitants. There are two medical schools.

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Dyspepsia is caused by an abnormal state of the gastric juices. There is one element missing—Pepsin. The absence of this destroys the function of the gastric fluids. They lose their power to digest food.

We are now able to supply the pepsin in a form almost identical to that naturally created by the system when in normal health, so that it restores to the gastric juices their digestive power, and thus makes the stomach strong and well.

We want everyone troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia to come to our store and obtain a box of Rexall's Dyspepsia Tablets. They contain Bismuth-Subnitrate and Pepsin prepared by a process which develops their greatest power to overcome digestive disturbance.

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although the soldiers fired a number of shots.

Cranberry Crop Will Be Large.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The cranberry crop of Coos Bay will be particularly good this year. In the North Inlet district the yield will be about 400 bushels to the acre. The crop sells for \$1 a bushel, and allowing \$1 a bushel for harvesting and boxes the profit is \$399 an acre. It is estimated

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Advertisement for Two Brothers' Dennos Baby Food. Text: 'Their Infant Children Helped Back to Life by Dennos (MILKFLAKE) Baby Food. All Mothers Urged to Use This Food. Dennos Baby Food makes cow's milk like mother's milk. John H. Doyle, Chief Fire Dept., Seattle, Wash., says: 'I can't say too much for DENNOS BABY FOOD. It not only helped my baby wonderfully, but saved the life of my brother's baby. His baby was given colic and Seattle. Everything known to science was used. Finally we heard of DENNOS BABY FOOD and my brother's baby was helped at once. Today she is a perfect baby with firm, healthy feet. Both babies owe their lives to this food, and I wish I could tell all mothers who need advice about bottle feeding the wonderful merits of this food.' Dennos Baby Food can be obtained by your dealer from any wholesale druggist. Prices, 35 cents and 65 cents per package.'

Advertisement for Pabst Extract. Text: 'Always have a tonic in your home. By using it consistently, a good tonic is the greatest insurance against the ravages of many diseases that often result fatally. This is where forewarned is forearmed. Pabst Extract The Best Tonic is accepted in all parts of the world as the standard of malt tonic value—it is the essence of absolute purity and nature's greatest aid to health. It is a predigested food in liquid form, containing the tissue-building properties of rich barley malt and the rare toning elements of the lupulin from choicest hops combined in most palatable form. The United States Government specifically classifies Pabst Extract as an article of medicine—not an alcoholic beverage. Order a dozen bottles from your local druggist. Insist upon it being Pabst.'

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