REBELS ACCUSED OF TRAIN WRECK 35

Four Passengers Killed, including Noted Scientist of Mexico City.

SAVANT WITHOUT COUNTRY

International Complications Not Expected Because Dr. Olsen-Seffer Could not Have Proved Citizenship

MEXICO CITY, April 30 .- The weekend special train for Cuernavaca, 75 miles south of here, was shot up and wrecked, presumably by rebels, last night at El Parue, a few miles from its destination. Three passengers and a negro porter were killed and several others were injured. The engineer is missing.

Among those killed was Dr. Pehr Olssen-Seffer, a botanist of repute, who formerly was attached to the depart-ment of the Mexican government as an expert in rubber culture. A brother of Dr. Olssen-Seffer is at Madison, Wis-attending the state university. It is attending the state university. It is not expected that any international controversy will ensure as the result of the killing of Dr. Olssen-Seffer for it is doubtful if he could have established his right to citizenship in any country. His parents, who are yet living near Oakhand, Cal. are Swedish. He was born in Finland, but when a hoy went to Australia, where he lived for many years. From Australia he went to California, where he became an instructor in botany in the University of California.

There he was married to an Ameri-

There he was married to an American girl and some years ago he came to Mexico. To his friends the doctor frequently said he was one of those men without a country. At the time of his death he was vice-Congul here for Portugal. A few weeks ago he was chosen for the chair of botany in the newly-created Mexican University.

As a tropical agriculturlist Dr. Olssen-Seffer was regarded as an expert. He was sent on a tour through the tropical world by the government and since his return he has been closely identified with the government in its efforts to develop not only the rubber industry but all forms of tropical agriculture. There he was married to an Ameri-

Second Tragedy Enacted.

The tactics of the rebels were similar to those employed a few days ago when they held up a train in Cajones and wiped out a detail of 30 Federals. The enginemen were given a signal to stop, but crowded on steam instead, tearing that an attack was intended. to atop, but crowded on steam instead, fearing that an attack was intended.

As the train rushed past the point where the rebels were stationed, a volley was fired through the windows of the chair car. Once out of range of the firing the train slowed down, but not in time to avoid being partially wrecked through the tearing up of the tracks.

Running down to the right of way the rebels warned all passengers not to leave the scene of the wreck until after the second act of the tragedy. Crowded back as far as possible from the debris, the men, women and chil-dren waited while the rebels chatted.

Freight Fireman Killed.

short time the reason of the delay was apparent. There came in sight on the heavy grade a freight train. Had any one of the passengers been permitted to leave a warning might have been given to the crew. Too late the engineer of the freight eaw the wrecked train. The brakes were applied, but the grade was too steep and the heavy train crashed into the deralled passenger coaches. The fireman was killed and the engineer and coalpasser were badly scalded by

escaping steam.

Recently the government began sending troops over the main line of the National railroad between here and Laredo and in pursuance of their threat the rebels repeatedly have interrupted traffic on that line. The latest interrupted traffic on that line. The latest interrupted traffic on that line. stance was last night, when four bridges were destroyed north of San Luis Potosi. So far no train has been fired upon, although they have been

NEGRO IS PRIZEWINNER

Colored Student at Cornell Writes Best French Essay.

ITHACA, N. Y., April 20.—(Special.)— It was announced that the prix d'honeur in the competition for literary prizes of-fered by the Society of French Profes-America has been awarded to James R. Clarke, the Cornell negro stu-dent whose articles on the negro ques-tion at Cornell provoked an anti-negro petition of co-eds and brought out a statement by President Schurman that statement by President Schurman that negro women had a perfect right to live in the Sage College. The prize is for French essay writing and also for the translation of the works of a French author. Clarke also won several other

The annual contest for the Woodford prize in oratory, the highest public. prize in oratory, the highest public-speaking prize in the gift of the univer-sity, was won by George Morris Wolfof New York, a senior to the Col-

WERLEIN RESUMES BATTLE Candidate to Be Aggressive Until

Having recovered from his temporary physical indisposition, J. E. Werlein, Republican candidate for Mayor, today will resume his aggressive campaign. He will address the voters of Kenton, speaking on the subject. "Good Government and What It Means." He will speak Wednesday night in the Firemen's Hall, Williams and Abbina avenues. At this meeting Mr. Werlein will speak on the Broadway bridge, especially with reference to what its early construction means to that section of the city.

Another meeting has been arranged by Mr. Werlein for Mair's Hall, Russell street and Williams avenue, for Friday night. This will be Mr. Werlein's concluding address in the present campaign and at this time, as on former occasions. Eve of Primaries.

cluding address in the present campaign and at this time, as on former occasions, he will tell the voters specifically what he stands for in municipal affairs. sodes not usually given to the average audience to witness. The younger Warde is a discriminating actor.

Edouard D'Oize showed real fervor in the impassioned orstory of the funeral speech, and received repeated applause during the deliverance of his lines. Arthur Hohl made a virile Caesar. The mounting of the production is only fair, and in no sense pretentious, probably because "the play's the thing."

Mr. Warde and his company will present "Julius Caesar" this evening and again tomorrow evening and at a matines.

Columbia River Rising.

VANCOUVER, Wash. April 20.—(Special.)—The Columbia River has been rising about one foot a day for the past two days, and is still coming up. The season has been so cool for the greater part that the snow has not been melted in the mountains yet to any great ex-

TWO MOST PROMINENT FIGURES IN PRESENT DEVELOPMENTS IN LORIMER CASE.



Above, Edward Hines, Who Is Alleged

of a Lorimer "Jackpot,"

New Bills Open at Theaters

to Have Told Clarence S. Funk, Man-

ager of the International Harvester Company (Below), of the Existence

that the Helm committee has compiled

a list of authorities to prove the right

of the Senate to continue the investiga-

tion in future sessions of the upper

House of the general assembly in which

any member is sitting who was a mem

"THE GIRL PROM RECTOR'S."

A Comedy in Four Acts, by Paul

CAST.

Col. Andrew Tandy. John A. Boone

Marcia Singleton Evelyn Monroe

Mrs. Wiggleford Adele Leonard

Bay from Therley's.... Leigh Potter Augustus Wiggleford.... Willie Love

O'The Cirl Portland,

to good patronage yesterday afternoon

at the Bungalow, where she has come

to flirt and fritter with amusement-

surgical operations since its last ap-

pearance here, and has been lopped off here, taken in there, spliced or cut

here, taken in there, spliced or cut out in various ways, until Paul Potter.

the objectionable lines have been elim-

Battle Creek, Mich., as a philanthropist, moralist and respectable matron. Of course, the inevitable "complication" is brought on by the habitues of her New

York haunts meeting her relatives and her husband, all as invited guests at a wedding. That the bridegroom is one

of the "Girl's" friends in the city, and the father-in-law-to-be is also a friend of hers, and many other of the male

members of the party only adds to the

have belonged to some one else at some

stage of the game, but in the last act, by previous arrangement with the playwright and as a sop to public sentiment, all the couples are paired

Charles Walton, in the leading male role, is a very capable actor and has an ingratiating personality. John A. Boone affords real comedy in his portrait of Colonel Andy Tandy.

Anita Allen is a pretty little maid-Angelica. The role of the Girl is played by a damsel who, having neither

physical charm, youth nor voice, put to utter rout that adage of vice coming in the form of lovelineas.

George W. Palge, in the really comical impersonation of a professor of science, gives the audience several cheerful joits. The bill will continue all week

Washougal Man Goes to Europe. WASHOUGAL, Wash., April 30.-Al-

all week

little person has a little af-his own. Everyone seems to

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Professor Aubrey Mahoon ...

Mrs. Witherspoon Copley ..

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George W. Palge

.Edward S. Thompson

Lillian Paige

Lorimer Scandal May Involve

Big Corporations.

TARIFF PLOT IS SEEN

WITNESSES CALLED

Investigating Committee of Illinois Senate Shows Determination to Continue Until Results Are Obtained.

(Continued From First Page.) journed before any material progress is made by the inquisitors, other than the uncovering of the bare fact that a "jackpot" was created, as Edward Hines is alleged to have told Clarence S. Funk, general manager of the International Harvester Company, Members of the upper House are expecting the Senate to take a vacation during the Summer instead of adjourning sine die.

That the investigation into the election of William Lorimer will not be dropped until the truth is ascertained a trial on a charge of bribery, the crime by the probers is evidenced by the fact having been committed 17 years before.

FREDERICK WAFDE

Heilig Theater.

CAST. Julius Caesar Arthur Hohl

Metellus Cimber H. D. Percival

Second Citizen Henry Travers

Calphurnia Frederica Going

By every token Frederick Warde, vet-

Bard, should have been pleased with the welcome he received on his return

in "Julius Caesar" at the Heilig. Leav-ing the dramatic stage for six years of lecture work, and then returning us

Brutus in this historical tragedy, the actor was halled last evening with de-

light by an audience which gave every evidence of appreciating the best and highest in dramatic art.

Mr. Wards has always been a prime favorite locally ever since his first ap-pearance here in Julius Caesar, then at the old New Market Theater many years

last evening may rightly be regarded

as one of the most notable events of the local dramatic season.

His selection of the play itself has been a happy one, inasmuch as Julius Cassar is one of the most popular of Shakespeare's works, it is in the curriculum of all the schools, it affords every contrast of types of manhood, is more educational in its general lines and makes an appeal to all people.

The role of Brutia is also happily chosen for it suits Frederick Warde as

chosen, for it suits Frederick Wards as he is today. He invests the part with every dignity. During the 42 years this actor has been before the public he has been the companion and co-worker

of such famous players as were Booth,

Barrett, John McCullough, E. L. Dav-enport. Sir Henry Irving. Charlotte Cuelman, Adelaide Nielson and others. He is considered one of the foremost

exponents of the classic drama on the English-speaking stage, and today up-

His presentation of the classic

to of the most notable events of

Marcus Antonius

Cassing

Decius Brutus . . .

Pindarus.....

Soothsayer

Lucius

Third Citisen.

Caesar," Presented at the

.Frederick Warde

.... Ernest Wards

William Carruthers

...John Burke

... H. C. Barton

John Kennedy

Henry Travers

R. W. Bruener

... John Davis

.. Helen Hilton

.. William Lorenz

Holland Hudson

DYNAMITE CASE

Well-Known Lawyer Hesitates About Leading Defense of Accused Men.

STRIKE SITUATION SERIOUS

Conditions in Los Angeles Grow More Difficult for Labor Leaders to Handle and General Walkout Is Imminent.

(Continued From First Page.) left out of all consideration by the

friends of the McNamaras. Leo M. Rappaport, attorney for the international Association of Bridge & Structural Ironworkers, will arrive tomorrow and Judge Hilton, who has been acting as senior counsel, will return from Pomona and confer with him on the question of awaiting Darrow's decision. Judge Hilton is opposed to any arraignment of the prisoners until the Chicagoan arrives, if he finally decides to

District Attorney Fredericks spent the day in the country and could not be found to verify the report concerning the expected legal aid from the East. The prisoners spent a quiet day. The cell of each man, is light enough to permit of reading without eye strain and all three spent the day with mag-

McNamara Reads About Dynamite James McNamara entertained himself with a technical magazine, reading with apparent avidity an article on What a Thousand Pounds of Dyna-

McManigal's preference seemingly lay in narratives of adventure, and the story he read this afternoon was entitled "Throwing Death Off the Trail."

It was a day of rest for the detectives It was a day of rest for the detectives who have been working on the case. Detective Sergeants Reed and Biddinger, of the Chicago police force, with Operative McLaren, of the Burns agency, made a trip to Avalon on pleasure. Operative Barry and Assistant Manager Charles J. Smith, of the Burns agency, left for the East on the Santa Fe limited this morning, their destination being given out as Chicago, but the reason for their trip they prefer to keep a secret.

to keep a secret.

All day today a curious Sunday crowd watched the jail. ber at the time of Lorimer's election. Among these the chief case in point is The police and Burns' guard is still maintained, two police officers pacing back and forth along the two street considered to be that of ex-Senator Olds of New York, who was expelled back and forth along the two street sides of the prison, while special guards are still maintained inside of the fail and the men accused of perpetrating the series of dynamite outrages are watched every minute of the day, despite the fact that they are within chrome steel cells inside of a prison that is almost a fortress. from the Senate about a year ago after that is almost a fortress.

Gathering More Evidence.

On the part of the Burns' men and the District Attorney, one of the chief objects this week will be to locate the boy who saw the Times dynamiters within the Los Angeles Times building within the Los Angeles into the night of October 1 and the watchmen who stopped them as they were entering the alley to place the bomb that destroyed the building.

Until Ortic E. McManigal had made his

alleged confession it was not known that anyone had seen the dynamiters about the building on the night of the expio-sion, but McManigal said Bryce McNamera told him that he and M. A. Schmidt met an aged watchman at the entrance of the alley at the rear of the Times building and also that in the basement of the Times building a boy approached them and asked for whom they were looking. According to the "confession" looking. According to the "confession" of McManigal, Bryce told the boy he was looking for one of the mechanical departments of the newspaper and the boy went on after giving the proper direc-

Whether the youth who gave those directions lost his life and was one of the 20 who were killed in the explosion that was caused by the dynamite and nitroglycerine, is a question the detectives are trying to clear up.

Messenger Strenuously Sought.

There was a messenger about the building but his name and address still are unknown. The detectives are redoubling their efforts to find the youth, as his identification of James W. McNamara as the man he saw in the building would be the strongest piece of evidence yet secured by the state, notwithstanding the alleged confession of McManigal, which is not direct, it is said, as he did not take part in the Los Angeles Times dynamiting, the chief case against the accused men. The watchmen who The farce has undergone several the author who is responsible for the frivolity, would probably not recognize the show. This is not to say that all inated, for if they were, the plot, the players and the Girl, in particular, would not have a leg left to stand on. The story is the usual one, of French origin, of marital infidelity and escapades. The lady from Rector's is a flirtatious malden who spends 10 the accused men. The watchmen who were on duty at the entrance to the alley will be taken to the prison this week nch to see if they know either of the prison-ers or if they recall having seen either s a of them about the Times building at or about the time of the explosion. months of each year frolicking on New

The men who were acting as watchYork's gay White Way. The rest of
the year she poses at her home in
Battle Creek, Mich., as a philanthropist,

the photographs of the accused prisoners

cannot recall them.

However, they will be given a chance to see them. There was some excitement about the County Jail today when a woman heavily velled was seen to enter and it soon became known that she had seen the prisoners. The story gained circulation rapidly that the woman was Mrs. Belle Lavin, of San Francisco, at whose home M. A. Schmidt, wanted as one of the dyna-miters, lived for a time before the Times explosion. The woman was Mrs. Moltava, landlady of a local lodginghouse, who believed one of the men had stayed at her place here a couple of months ago. She could not recognize months ago. She either of the men.

Rogers Refuses to Talk

Attorney Earl Rogers, who was in charge of the Times dynamiting investigation for several months after the expinsion, and who, as special prosecuting attorner, submitted to the grand jury the mass of evidence he collected and which resulted in the returning of 23 indictments, returned to Los Angeles late last night and announced then that he might have a public statement to make today.

Rogers refused absolutely to say what position he will take in the case. It is understood, however, that his familiarity with it will make it almost necessary that he assist the prosecution at the trial. tigation for several months after the

necessary that h

Attorney Ford Fails to Arrive. washougal. Wash. April 30.—Albert Goot and family leave on May for a year's travel in Europe, and will visit all points of interest. Twenty years ago Mr. Goot, then a penniless young man unable to speak the language of the country, came to Clark County and settled at Washougal, where he has amassed a fortune that runs up into large figures. W. Joseph Ford, the Assistant District Attorney of Los Angeles County, who with Detective Burns was arrested in Indianapolis on a kidnaping charge, was expected here today but did not arrive. Attorney Walter Drew, of the National Erectors Association, is expected to accompany Ford to the

Coast. Ford will have active charge of the prosecution of the case here under District Attorney Fredericks.

The strike situation in the city added to the perplexities of labor leaders. Anton Johannsen, of the State Building Trades, and Joseph Gray, president of the Carpenters' Union, who came down from San Francisco to direct the battle of the local carpenters for a higher wage and shorter hours, were in conference with the officials of the Los Angeles organization most of the day.

of the Los Angeles organized of the day.

Andrew Gallagher, it was said, had been in the city three days before and was expected to return tonight or tomorrow to join in the discussion of whether a general strike should be called to compel the acceptance of the union demands.

General Walkout Imminent.

The proposition of a general strike, heretofore minimized by the labor leaders themselves, seemed more probable today when it became known that instead of accepting the carpenters' de-mands for \$4 for eight hours the em-ployers were rapidly discharging all

union men.

At a meeting last night the carpenters decided to defer their proposed strike from tomorrow, the day originally set. to May 4. The attitude of the employers then, it was said today, would determine whether men of other months of the property of the same of t crafts would join in a general strike to enforce the demands of the Carpen-ters' Union and likewise those of the Ironworkers' Union who have been out for months.

GOMPERS IS AT INDIANAPOLIS

American Federation of Labor to

Take Charge of McNamara Case. INDIANAPOLIS, April 30. - Samuel INDIANAPOLIS. April 30.— Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, arrived today and immediately went into executive conference with about 40 state and National labor leaders, whose headquarters are here. After the conference, Mr. Gompers said the McNamara case was discussed and that it was decided that the executive council of the American Federation of Labor take charge of a the executive council of the American Federation of Labor take charge of a defense fund which would be raised by contribution from the labor organizations of the country.

A meeting of the executive council is to be called soon by Mr. Gompers, who said the session probably will be held here.

Besides the local labor men present.

Besides the local labor men present. William J. Spencer, secretary of the building trades department of the fed-eration, and Frank L. Mulholland, of Toledo, O., were in attendance.

Mr. Mulholland is an attorney for the
National organization, and probably
will be one of the lawyers for the defense of the men now in jall in Los William J. Burns, whose agency was

instrumental in the arrest of the three men, still is in Indianapolis rounding up the "odds and ends" of his evi-dence. He said there were no ne He said there were no new developments and that he expected to leave tomorrow for Los Angeles. Mr. Gompers in discussing the case

whole thing is a frame-up deep-seated and deep-rooted. I am firmly convinced the men are inno-cent. It is an outrage and the American Federation of Labor will leave nothing undone in defending the men now imprisoned in Los Angeles. No means will be spared in the matter of

counsel for our men.

"We also purpose to press the kidnaping charge to the fullest extent.

"McNamara was spirited out of this
state without an opportunity for a

hearing."

In the conferences this afternoon it was the consensus of opinion that the executive council of the American Federation of Labor should take complete charge of this case in every detail—in the matter of raising funds, in the employment of counsel, in fact, everything in connection with the trial.

Mr. Gompars said he would hold con-Mr. Gompers said he would hold con-ferences here tomorrow and probably would remain in Indianapolis two or

PRIZEFIGHTING DENOUNCED AT VANCOUVER MASS MEETING.

Seven Thousand Signatures Estimated to Be on Anti-Bout Appeal to Be Presented.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 36.— Special.)—Following the circulation of anti-prizefight petitions in churches of Vancouver today a mass meeting was need at the First Buptist Church tonight o complete plans to storm the City Council tomorrow night and demand that the prizefight franchise granted the Vancouver Athletic Association be revoked. Mayor Kiggins did not attend the mass

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Among those who denounced the prize-ring at the mass meeting were: Rev. C. R. Poole, Rev. J. H. Berringer, Rev. Morris Goodrich, Rev. J. T. Merrill, Rev. D. M. Deams and N. E. Allen, a layman. Mr. Allen, said that liquor was the cornerstone of all evil and likened prize-fight followers to eagles quoting, "where the carcass is there will the eagles be also." Mr. Allen noted the failure of Mayor Kiggins to attend, saying, "He doesn't stand where we do."

we do."
Fully 300 attended the mass meeting. Fully 300 attended the mass meeting, and the orators were applauded vehemontly in their attacks on pugilism. It is estimated that 7000 signatures have been obtained on the petition opposing the franchise granted the Vancouver Athletic Association. Leaders of the movement here say the fight against nugilism will be carried to the State pugilism will be carried to the State Superior Court If the City Council does not revoke the franchise, and that If the first court fight fails an appeal will

dist Church, touched on prizefights and

meeting, although, said the ministers, he promised to lend official action to the movement.

Among those who denounced the East will at and for anything that will have a had influence on the community, as prizefights have. The citizens of the East will not come to Vancouver if they prize-ring at the mass meeting were: hear or learn that it is a city of dihear or learn that it is a city of di-vorce, cheap marriages, prizefights and the large number of salcons, he de-

> "No official can take the stand in favor of anything that is so question-able that it is difficult to distinguish it from a sparring contest or a prize-fight." he said. "The statement that it will bring money to the city is the pus-llanimous way many officials and cities have of believing that all money left in the town is gained. They may gain ten dollars and lose ten hundred. The money brought to this city by those who attend the amusement is spent after the stores, for the most part, are closed, so the profit is only for the assumptions and the salcons." promoters and the saloons."

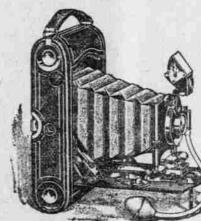
Fallieres Home From Africa.

PARIS. April 30. — President Fal-lieries arrived here today after a fort-night's visit to the French protectorate and regency in Africa.

its results in his sermon tonight. He on country slab and block wood, dry, said that no man was stands for prog-

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