

THREE NEW JURORS MAKE EIGHT IN BOX

Single One Added Yesterday Will Be Challenged by McNamara Defense.

VENIRE OF 50 NETS 17

Court Disallows Challenge of Man Who Admits He Believes Defendant Guilty—Both Sides Excuse Bank Cashier.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 24.—Eight sworn jurors sat in the McNamara jurybox tonight, three having been added today. To this number was added one man named as to cause ever challenge by the defense.

Defense Expresses Anxiety. For the first time since the trial began, the defense today expressed in court its anxiety over extraneous issues affect the verdict.

When Calvin D. Collins, for 39 years a cigar manufacturer, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., was being examined, Attorney Lecompte, of counsel for the defense, asked him if he were opposed to labor unions as a whole.

District Attorney John D. Fredericks interrupted. "Suppose he is; suppose he isn't," said Fredericks. "What of it?"

"In this case," said Davis, "he might think he could do a blow which, in his belief, would crush organized labor out of existence."

The question was overruled by the court. J. B. Gist, a bank cashier who went through two railroad strikes as confidential clerk of a railroad executive in Bakersfield, Cal., was excused by agreement of both sides at the suggestion of Judge Bordwell.

J. B. Sexton, whose brother is seriously ill, was allowed to go home, accompanied by a deputy sheriff, after the close of the afternoon session and to remain there over night. Weeding out the jury was the order of business as soon as the adjournment. It was the third time in the course of the trial that 12 men qualified as to cause sat in the jurybox.

Forty-seven members of the 11th venire of 50 appeared before court opened and presented the usual round of excuses. H. W. Petrie's reason for being relieved was unusual, as he said he was the only barber in a small town in the northern part of the county and thought his community would go unshaven if he were forced to do jury duty. He was excused in all 30 instances were excused, leaving 17 veniremen and three who did not put in an appearance, but will be summoned again.

Defense Challenges Four. When the regular session of court began, District Attorney Fredericks announced that the state had no peremptories to exercise. Attorney Darrow challenged Talsman Oleott, McBurney, Marshall and Stevens.

F. A. Brode, G. S. Hibbes, and J. H. Coks remained to be sworn. When Brode learned that he had not been challenged his face turned pale. "Your honor," he said, "there are reasons why I cannot serve."

Judge Bordwell received him in his chambers for an explanation, and Brode returned to the jurybox, keeping, as his excuse was of no avail. Immediately after the new jurors were sworn in, the box was filled with new veniremen and the work of filling the jury-box a fourth time was taken up with four new talsmen. They were Calvin Collins, D. E. Hunter, H. S. Beaman and J. B. Gist.

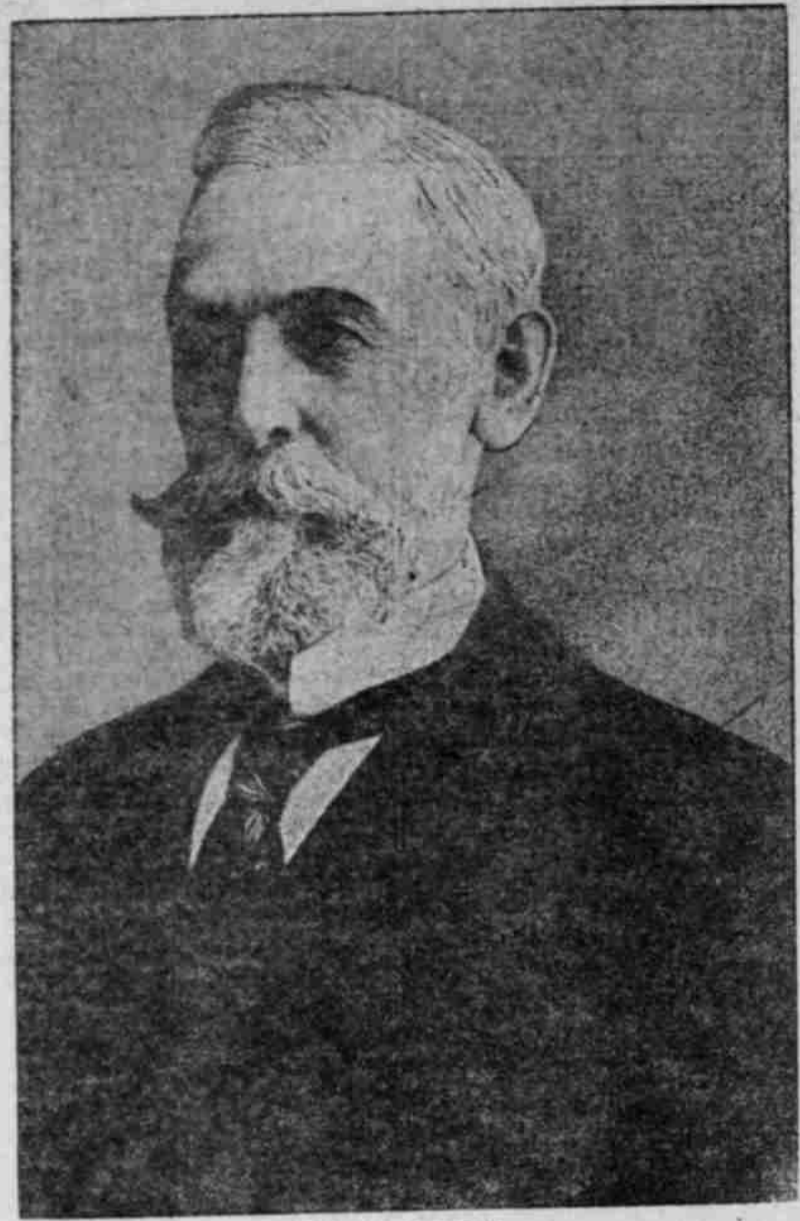
Beaman, a real estate dealer here, said he came to California from New Carlisle, Ind. He opposed strikes and said that his views on strikes in labor did not differ materially from those of the Los Angeles Times. He declared he felt pretty sure the Times disaster was caused by dynamite. Beaman was challenged for bias after saying he firmly believed McNamara guilty, but the court disallowed the challenge after further questioning.

Fredericks Admitted. Talsman Gist said he was a bank cashier here and once was chief clerk in the Southern Pacific machine shops at Bakersfield. He had observed the strikes at the railroad shops in Bakersfield in 1892 and 1894. This, he declared, prejudiced him against organized labor. As his prejudices were founded on his personal experience with the unions, he said he could not remove his opinion. He had discussed strikes with his friends, Fred L. Baker, president of the Baker Iron Works, and L. Livingstone, of the Keystone Iron Works, the two concerns against which a strike was being waged by the iron workers at the time of the Times disaster.

Attorney Davis, of the defense, challenged Gist and the challenge was not resisted by the state. Talsman C. O. Collins, a retired wholesale dealer in iron, who came from Pittsburg five years ago, from his observation of strikes in Pittsburg, declared unions "a menace to the prosperity of the country, unless controlled properly."

Collins said that he served in August, 1910, on a jury which tried a union man for violating the anti-picketing ordinance in connection with a strike of metal workers. Although the jury in that case disagreed, Collins said he voted to convict and formed an opinion unfavorable to unionists. The examination of the venire was not yet completed and court adjourned.

FOUNDER OF INDUSTRIAL LIFE INSURANCE IN UNITED STATES, WHO DIED YESTERDAY.



JOHN F. DRYDEN.

J. F. DRYDEN DEAD

Ex-Senator Widely Known in Insurance Field.

INDUSTRIAL SYSTEM HIS

Founder of Prudential First Obtained Friendly Legislation for Development, Then Proved Principle Sound.

NETARK, N. J., Nov. 24.—John F. Dryden, ex-United States Senator from New Jersey, and widely known as the founder of the system of industrial life insurance in the United States, died here at 9 o'clock tonight.

Mr. Dryden developed his plan after he had been compelled in the last year of his attendance at Yale to leave school because of failing health. In the leisure time that followed he made a study of industrial insurance, and then in effect in some of the countries in Europe, and secured financial support in New Jersey for such an undertaking as he planned. He first secured the enactment of necessary legislation and then organized a "Friendly Society," under which in two years the general principle of the policies he proposed was tried experimentally and found to be sound. This is asserted, by Mr. Dryden's friends, to have been the beginning of industrial insurance in the United States.

The Prudential Insurance Company, of which Mr. Dryden was for many years the head, was organized as the successor of the Friendly Society, and subsequently became one of the largest insurance companies in the country. He was secretary of the Prudential when it was founded in 1875 until 1881, in which office he continued constantly. Mr. Dryden was elected to the Senate later in 1895 and four years later was the choice of the primaries for re-election. His health broke down during a deadlock in the State Legislature, during which he was induced to withdraw.

He was twice Republican Presidential elector for New Jersey and was a director of the United States Steel Corporation. He was 72 years old. Death was due to pneumonia, which developed after an operation which he underwent a week ago for gall stones.

JURY CONVICTS EDITOR

S. B. Axtell Found Guilty of Murder of Charles Sollars.

STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 24.—The jury in the case of S. B. Axtell, charged with the murder of Charles Sollars, in the first degree with the recommendation that Axtell be sent to prison for life. Instantly was the defense made in behalf of Axtell and the trial covered 22 court days. Axtell was editor of the Post Sentinel.

Dr. A. W. Holsboit, of the medical staff of the Stockton State Hospital, which was called as an expert witness, testified that Axtell was sane at the time he shot Sollars.

\$10,000 PACKAGE STOLEN

Money Taken From Express Office When Clerk Is Gone.

WINNIPEG, Man., Nov. 24.—An express package containing \$10,000 stolen from the office of the Canadian Northern Express Company at Regina today. Night Clerk Cameron was absent from the office. When he returned he found the package gone.

His answers to the police threw no light on the theft. There have been no arrests.

REPORT THAT HE MAY AGAIN BE A CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT TOLD A WORLD CORRESPONDENT THAT A STATEMENT MIGHT BE MADE AS FOLLOWS:

"Colonel Roosevelt finds it difficult to understand the comment that has followed upon his article in the Outlook regarding National laws and business conditions. He says the same things many times. He cannot see why it should be assumed that this article indicates that he is ready to take any personal part in the coming campaign. "It can be stated that Colonel Roosevelt will be a candidate in the National campaign. To this letter Colonel Roosevelt has replied that he earnestly hopes that the Senator will not only refrain from any action looking to the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt, but also will prevent his friends from taking any such steps. "No comment will be made by Colonel Roosevelt upon this announcement, which he insisted should be made in the third person. He would not name the Senator to whom he referred.

MORSE MAY GET PARDON

TAFT DIRECTS REMOVAL TO ARMY HOSPITAL.

Prison Officials Believe Banker's Condition Is Serious and Pardon May Follow.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—President Taft today directed the warden of the Atlanta Penitentiary to transfer Charles W. Morse, the New York banker, to the United States Army Hospital at Fort McPherson, near Atlanta, where he will be under medical observation.

The President's further action in the case it was said at the White House, would be determined by the observations of the Army physicians. Information which has reached Washington is that Morse is suffering from an acute form of kidney disease. It was said here today that at times the banker does for 17 or 18 hours at a stretch and evinces little interest in things around him. Prison officials are convinced that his condition is serious. The Attorney General caused a thorough investigation to be made before approving his removal.

AILMENT REPORTED INCURABLE.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 24.—Friends here of Mr. Morse said today that the disease from which he is suffering is incurable. However, it is believed, his life will be indefinitely prolonged if he is removed from the depressing environment of prison.

NEW ALLOTMENT SOUGHT

Chamberlain Hopes Taft Will Give Oregon Part of \$20,000,000.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Nov. 24.—"If President Taft cannot be induced to make an allotment for the West Umatilla irrigation project out of funds now in the Treasury," said Senator Chamberlain today, "I shall support the Borah bill, which proposes to send an additional \$15,000,000 to the reclamation fund."

"I have not given up hope that the President will give us an allotment of the \$20,000,000 now available, but if he turns us down, the Borah bill should be passed at this session."

FINNEY WITHDRAWS NAME

Baltimorean Not Candidate to Succeed Dr. Wilson at Princeton.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 24.—Dr. John M. T. Finney, of this city, today announced that he had requested that his name be withdrawn from consideration as president of Princeton University.

Dr. Finney said that he felt that his work in Baltimore, for which he believed he was better fitted, was not yet done.

What shall we do this evening

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PLOT INVOLVES 20

Mexican Government Makes Arrests at Cananea.

REYES ADHERENTS TAKEN

One Declared to Have Appointment as Governor of Sonora Under Proposed New Regime—Uprising Was Planned.

CANANEA, Sonora, Mex., Nov. 24.—That a conspiracy exists in Mexico, participated in by adherents of General Hernandez Reyes, to foment a general rising against the rule of President Madero, was declared here today by Mexican officials, who caused the arrest of more than 20 men.

The prisoners include Postmaster Padilla, Oil Inspector I. Romero, Attorney T. L. Linares, Dr. D. J. Martinez and Dr. Buesoro. Being there are under arrest eight men from Naco and four mounted policemen and three soldiers of Cananea.

Postmaster Padilla was asked to continue his duties, but is under constant surveillance by an armed guard. The officials here assert that on some of the prisoners incriminating evidence was found. Romero, it was alleged, had an appointment from General Reyes as Governor of Sonora. The officials say also that they have positive information that the prisoners have exchanged letters with General Reyes at San Antonio, using the express company as a means of transmission.

Reports were received here today of the arrest at Hermosillo of Lieutenant Colonel Rafael Romero, who recently resigned the post of prefect of the Hermosillo district. He was in Madero's army and held his position through Madero's influence. He is charged with being allied with the Revistas. He is being held with the other prisoners. Two of those brought here from Naco today were former captains in the Madero army.

PICTURE THIEF CAUGHT

Italian Police Recover Stolen Madonna, Which Is Undamaged.

FLORENCE, Italy, Nov. 24.—Fra Angelico's famous painting, "The Madonna Della Stella," which was stolen last Sunday night from the monastery at San Marco, now used as a museum, has been recovered by the police, who arrested a man with a package under his arm.

"The Madonna" was found in the package undamaged.

SMUGGLING PLOT EXTENDS

(Continued From First Page.) Down, Federal officers today found evidence which leads them to believe that hundreds of contraband Chinese had been kept there. More than 100 mattresses were found in the rear end of the place. It is also believed that opium was distributed from that place.

El Paso, Tex., was another favorite point of entry. Federal detectives are expected to report numerous new arrests in Texas and along the North Pacific Coast at once, now that the exposure has come.

RING HAS FLEECE YOUTH

Profits of Millions Alleged in Prosecution in Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 24.—The existence of a gigantic conspiracy composed of opium operators in Seattle and Vancouver, B. C., whereby unscrupulous young men are persuaded

to smuggle contraband opium into Seattle from over the border, and then lose both opium and money, was affirmed today by Attorneys W. A. Holzeimer and Jerry Finch, in the United States Circuit Court, before Judge C. H. Hanford and a jury of 12 men.

That connected with this conspiracy were customs officials and men high up in the social and business world, and that by successfully fleecing scores of youths and ignorant men who were able to raise money, the ring was enabled to realize profits running close to millions, was further asserted, witnesses being placed on the stand to prove the facts.

Representing Sam Wingrass and Ben Goldsmith, who were captured by customs inspectors in a local hotel on September 29 and charged with having brought opium into the country without paying the duty, the two attorneys made no pretense of trying to prove their clients' innocence, but completely turned the tables on the Government by advancing the charge of conspiracy.

It was their plea that their clients had been taken in by representatives of one Mueller, or Callison, who persuaded them to try smuggling, brought them safely to Seattle, then disappeared with either the contraband or the money received from its sale.

ROGERS KEEPS BRAVADO

BLOODSTAINED CLEWS WIN NO MURDER CONFESSION.

"I Can Face Any Jury in World and Get Away With It," Is Reply to Detectives.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 24.—Confronted with bloodstained clothing, the hatchet with which the murder is believed to have been committed and jewelry stolen from the murdered man, John H. Rogers doggedly insists that he is innocent of the murder of Benjamin Goodman, a jewelry salesman, found buried beneath a pile of refuse in the commission district here Monday morning.

Rogers admits that the hatchet, overalls and shoes, all bloodstained, belong to him. They were found today in a telephone booth in the produce house where Goodman was killed. He accuses Michael Frattoni and John Parmenter, employees of the produce house, of the crime. Rogers declares that Frattoni handed him the packet of jewelry stolen from the murdered man, which was found in a safe deposit box last night by detectives.

Rogers' attitude is one of bravado. "I can face any jury in the world and get away with it," he commented at the scene of the murder. Hazel Smith, the woman to whom Rogers gave one of the dead man's rings, is held as a witness.

Democrats Will Convene.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—A mass meeting of the Democrats of the county has been called for Saturday at 10 o'clock at the county courthouse. It is expected that organization will be effected and a central committee chosen and plans laid for the coming campaign.

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