

INDICTMENTS FOUND AGAINST PLUMBERS

Members of National Association Accused of Conspiring for Monopoly.

36 WARRANTS ARE ISSUED

Agreement With Supply Houses to Sell Only to Those "Legitimately Engaged" in Business Is Basis of Prosecution.

DES MOINES, June 4.—Indictments were returned today against 36 officials and members of the National Association of Master Plumbers and officials of state organizations in Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska and Iowa by the Federal grand jury.

Warrants Promptly Issued. Judge Smith McPherson ordered that warrants for the arrest of the indicted men be issued. They will be served as rapidly as possible.

The indictment is in blanket form, and among other things recites that "the object of the National, state and local Master Plumbers Association has been to secure to these members all of the business of the United States growing out of the furnishing and installing of plumbing supplies, and this to the absolute exclusion of all others engaging in, or endeavoring to carry on such business."

The basis for the monopoly of the plumbing business charged by the Government was what is known as the "Baltimore resolution," adopted at the National convention of master plumbers in 1884, according to B. F. Welty, special assistant to the Attorney-General, who has been assisting Claude R. Porter, District Attorney, in the investigation before the grand jury.

Master Plumber Defined. This resolution provided an agreement between members of the Plumbers' Association and supply houses to confine the sales of plumbing supplies to persons "legitimately engaged" in business as master plumbers.

Only the Middle West is represented in the present investigation, but it is the plan to extend the inquiry to all parts of the country, according to District Attorney Porter. He said the extreme Western states probably would be taken care of at the meeting of the Federal grand jury in Salt Lake City next month, after which the inquiry would be adjourned to Philadelphia.

DIVA IN DIVORCE COURT

have abused my silence, and nevertheless I offer you this opportunity to end everything. Mrs. Dean, and one from a New York detective who told of numerous visits to a Fifth-avenue restaurant by Mrs. Dean, and one from Rapp. According to his deposition, the detective followed Rapp many nights from his office to places where he met Mrs. Dean.

The deposition of Mrs. Williams was to the effect that Rapp had lived at the apartment of Mrs. Dean for several months in 1913. In the cross-examination, Mrs. Schumann-Heink frequently expostulated with her husband's attorney.

Husband's Charges Denied. "Let me say what I wish," she begged. "I do not mean to say the wrong thing."

Rapp had charged in his cross-bill that his wife had been too friendly with other men. She denied all such accusations.

The singer denied she had any love for Edward McNamara, a one-time policeman, who visited her in New Jersey. She declared he came for musical lessons, not for love-making.

"Who was with you in Caldwell, N. J.?" the attorney asked. "Wasn't there a man named McNamara?"

The question aroused Mrs. Schumann-Heink's wrath and her eyes blazed. "I never have lived with any man," she answered. "I have lived alone since my husband left."

"I hadn't asked you that," the lawyer retorted.

Rapp's counsel asked about a visit to Culver Military Academy when her son was graduated. The singer said she met nearly every officer of the academy on the drill and that the officers had visited her at her home here.

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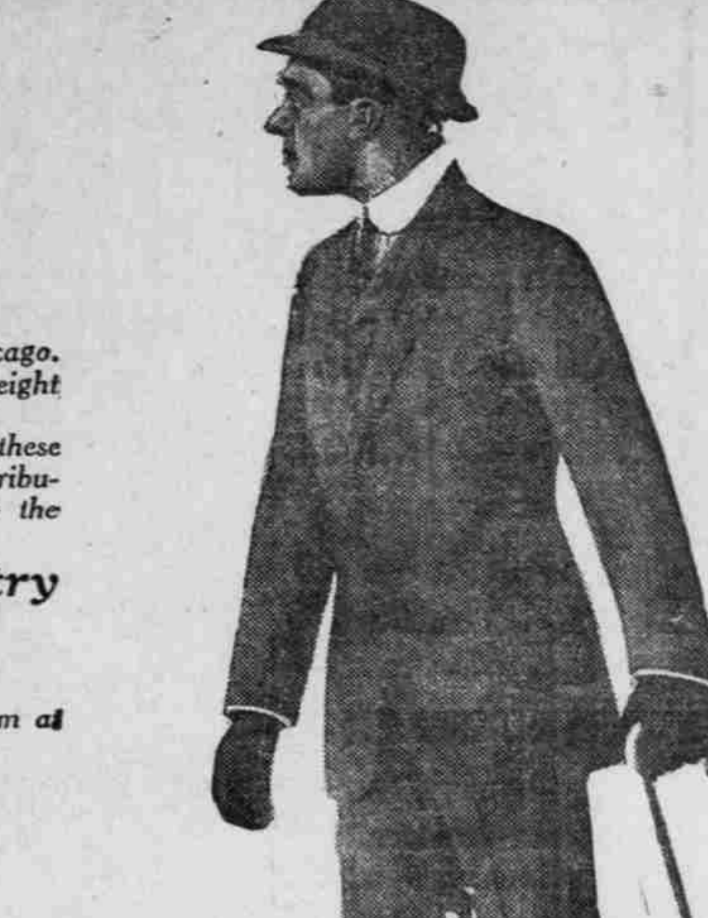
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