

ASSASSINS SAID TO SEEK WILSON'S LIFE

Plot Charged in Open Court in San Francisco by Local Prosecutor.

REVOLUTION ALSO PLANNED

Trial of Alleged Anarchist for Preparedness Day Bomb Plot Assumes Sensational Aspect. One Witness Examined.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—That Thomas J. Mooney, who is on trial here for murder, together with Alexander Berkman and others, were ringleaders in an anarchist conspiracy which threatened the life of President Wilson was charged today by Assistant District Attorney Edward A. Cunha, in his opening statement to the jury which will try Mooney for murder as the result of a bomb explosion here last July which cost 19 lives.

"I will prove that Mooney was the author of an editorial which appeared in Alexander Berkman's publication, The Blast, March 2, 1916, in which he said 'suppression of anarchist publications may not prove safe to the weathercock in the White House,'" said Cunha.

President is Warned.

The paragraph, he said, on which he based his charge follows: "The Federal Government has suppressed The Alarm, of Chicago, and The Revolt, of New York. We are not going to say that it is an outrage. Why should the Government not commit outrages? Invasion of personal liberty, suppression of free speech and free press, silencing of non-conformists and protestants, showing down rebellious workers—all of this is the very essence of government."

"We don't complain. We understand Wilson's position. We understand the master's bidding. This is the 'sane policy,' but we want to warn the weathercock in the White House that it may not prove safe. Suppression of the voice of discontent leads to assassination. Vice Russia."

Greater Hate Advocated.

Another paragraph of the same edition of The Blast, Cunha charged, Mooney and Berkman wrote jointly, as follows: "There is too much of this mushy talk, especially among the anarchists. Greater love, but greater hate we need. A strong, red-blooded hatred of every thing that makes for injustice and oppression. Hatred of every factor, social and human, that upholds and perpetuates the love of slavery and chains. All government is cowardly. It possesses only the courage of the bully to oppress the weak. If you realize your strength and have the courage to manifest it, the government bully will sink away."

General Revolution Planned.

Cunha told the jury that, in addition to proving that Mooney was on the scene of the bomb explosion July 22, 1916, with Warren K. Billings, who had already been sentenced to life imprisonment, he would prove that Mooney had planned a general revolution to overthrow government in California and to work for the downfall of the Federal Government.

Dr. W. S. Stafford, autopsy surgeon for the coroner, the only witness called today, who examined the bodies of the victims after the explosion, declared under cross-examination by Attorney W. Bourke Cockran, leading Mooney's defense, that "in his opinion the bomb could not have exploded from the sidewalk, because many of the victims received wounds in the head."

Testimony to Be Revised.

He declared later that he did not mean exactly what he said, and he asked Cunha to be allowed to take the stand tomorrow and clear up his statement. The prosecution contends that the bomb was contained in a suitcase and that Billings and Mooney left it on the sidewalk. Stafford's admission was taken by the defense as a weak point in the state's chain of evidence.

LEAK LAWYER SELECTED

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crats with attempting to choose a partisan counsel, had the effect of ending the differences.

The Republicans were invited into the conference at 4 o'clock, at which time Mr. Whipple was suggested. They were told to return at 5 o'clock. In the meantime Mr. Campbell selected Senator Weeks, of Massachusetts, against whom Mr. Whipple made a race for the Senate, as to Whipple's qualifications. Senator Weeks' endorsement was so strong that the Republican members made no further inquiry, and, returning to the committee room, approved the selection.

Much Discussion Caused.

Agitation to broaden the inquiry still further by a new resolution which specifically would direct thorough investigation of the stock exchange with a view to reform legislation, caused much discussion in the Democratic conference. After the selection of Mr. Whipple, Democratic leaders said that the inquiry would proceed along lines already outlined.

In the investigation of the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the Supreme Court, Mr. Whipple appeared before

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fore a Senate judiciary sub-committee as a witness favorable to confirmation. He also recently appeared as counsel for pneumatic tube interests before the postoffice committee.

Secretary Lansing today made a statement denying assertions made earlier in the inquiry that he had breakfasted several times at the Biltmore Hotel in New York with Bernard Baruch. He said he did not know Mr. Baruch, and never had had any conversations with him. He said:

"While I dislike very much to dignify by denial false and malicious scandal, at the same time the publicity which has been given to some of the reports warrant me in saying in regard to the statements that I breakfasted several times with Mr. Baruch at the Biltmore Hotel, implying, I assume, that I gave him advance information concerning the note to the belligerents, I never to my knowledge saw Mr. Baruch at any time. I do not know him and never had any conversations with him, and I have been out of Washington only once since election, and that was to attend the Army and Navy game in New York, November 25."

MR. EATON LAID TO REST

FUNERAL OF PROMINENT EASTERN OREGON MAN HELD.

Hundreds of Union County Residents Pay Homage to Pioneer, Who Was Public-Spirited Citizen.

UNION, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—The funeral of the late Dr. Abraham E. Eaton, one of the most prominent and wealthiest of Union County pioneers, was conducted in this city this afternoon from the Methodist Church. The services were attended by several hundred persons from the city and surrounding vicinity and the interment was under the auspices of the Oddfellows' Lodge of this city. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Cullison, of the M. E. Church, and Dean George H. Walker, of Willamette University, was also present to represent the university. Eaton Hall, one of the finest buildings on the campus, was the gift of Mr. Eaton.

Dean Walker made a few remarks and read the resolutions adopted by the faculty and the student body of the university. The university also sent some beautiful floral tributes. The business houses of the city and the Union County residents were closing the afternoon to pay tribute to Mr. Eaton, who for many years took a leading and active part in the affairs of the city and of the schools.

Dr. A. E. Eaton was born May 20, 1834, in Conway, N. H. In 1862 he made the long journey across the plains with an ox team, landing in the city of Baker is now. Here he began life with a cash capital of \$750.

In 1867 he removed to Union, where he married Mary E. Baird, who died in 1894. He married a second time to Mary L. Shaw, who survives him. He leaves no children. His fortune is supposed to be quite large. He owned valuable tracts in the cities of Portland and Boston, besides his estate here.

PENSION PLAN OUTLINED

METHODISTS URGED TO PROVIDE FUND OF \$15,000,000.

Plan Is to Give Retired Ministers \$20 Annually for Every Year of Active Service for Church.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 18.—The ministerial pension plan of the Methodist Episcopal Church was outlined in an address before the Little Rock conference of the church here tonight by Rev. John T. B. Smith, of Chicago, representing the Methodist Board of Conference Claimants.

"The plan of the Methodist Episcopal Church is to give every retired minister annually \$20 for every year of active service. Thus a pastor who has had 40 years of active service will receive \$800," Rev. Smith said.

"The Methodist Episcopal Church has a total membership of 4,500,000, as well as more than 8,000,000 adherents, making a total of more than 12,000,000. A church with such a membership should have no difficulty in securing \$15,000,000."

"The success of the campaign for \$15,000,000 will give a competency to every retired preacher and adequate for their widows and orphans."

E. J. MYRICK INDICTED

CHARGE OF FELONIOUS ATTACK IS PLACED AGAINST MAN.

Deputy Sheriff Unable to Find Theater Manager, But Attorney Promises He Will Appear.

Edward J. Myrick, Portland theatrical manager, was indicted by the Multnomah County Grand Jury yesterday on a charge of felonious assault, as the result of an alleged attack on 19-year-old Adele Ella.

Mr. Myrick was not located by Deputy Sheriff Beckman, who held a warrant for his arrest, yesterday, but his attorney, Robert Maguire, promised that Mr. Myrick would appear in court this morning to arrange for bond. Myrick is now under \$500 bond, but this has been raised to \$1000.

Investigation of this case was made a special order of business by the Grand Jury and occupied three days. Mr. Myrick was invited to testify in his own behalf, but declined.

Chief witnesses before the Grand Jury were the girl and Frank DeLano, janitor.

BERLIN CHARGES DENIED

AMERICAN MINISTER TO ROMANIA REPORTS HIS SIDE.

Misunderstanding by Germans Suspected at Washington and Diplomat May Go Back to Post.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—American Minister Vopicka, accredited to Roumania, Serbia and Bulgaria, who was removed from his post at Bucharest by the German military authorities with other neutral diplomats, has sent the State Department an emphatic denial of German charges that he was unneutral in favor of Roumania. The Minister declared the charges entirely unfounded and that he had not exceeded the bounds of his office.

Department officials are inclined to believe that the trouble has arisen through a misunderstanding on the part of the German authorities, as they say some of the charges are known to be untrue.

Whether Minister Vopicka will be ordered from Berlin to his post with the Roumanian government at Jassy has not been determined, but he probably will be.

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Value of Products in 1916 Is Put at \$13,449,000,000.

GAIN IN YEAR IS 2 BILLION

Crop Production Is Comparatively Low, but Prices on Principal Products Advance 55 Per Cent Over Previous Year.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—American farm products attained a gross value of \$13,449,000,000 in 1916, making that year the greatest in point of value of any in the Nation's existence. That estimate of the year's gross value of farm crops and animal products, announced today by the Department of Agriculture, exceeds by \$2,674,000,000 the total of 1915, the previous record, and by more than \$3,500,000,000 the value in 1914. Crop production for the year was comparatively low and did not reach record figures except in a few minor instances, but high prices sent total values up.

Crops were valued at \$9,111,000,000 and animal products at \$4,338,000,000. The crop value exceeded that of 1915 by \$2,204,000,000 and of 1914 by \$2,299,000,000. Crops alone in 1916 were worth more than crops and animal products combined in any year prior to 1912.

Four crops in 1916 each exceeded \$1,000,000,000 in value. The corn product is put at \$2,256,000,000; cotton, \$1,406,000,000; hay, \$1,162,000,000; wheat, \$1,026,000,000. Crops that exceeded \$1,000,000,000 were oats, \$856,000,000; potatoes, \$417,000,000; wood-lot products, \$221,000,000; apples, \$156,000,000; tobacco, \$169,000,000; barley, \$150,000,000.

The level of prices paid to producers for the principal crops on December 1, 1916, was about 55.9 per cent higher than a year previous, 52.9 per cent higher than two years before, and 52.8 per cent higher than the average of the previous eight years on December 1.

Wards to Be Entertained.

The children of the Fraser Detention Home and the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society will be entertained at the Elite Theater, in Rose City Park, this afternoon at 4 o'clock, with the screen version of "Alice in Wonderland," which is being presented by Miss Alice M.

Divorce Sought From ex-Official of Iron Workers Union.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 18.—A suit for divorce was filed in Circuit Court here today by Mrs. Katherine Hockin against Herbert S. Hockin, ex-secretary of the International Iron Workers' Association.

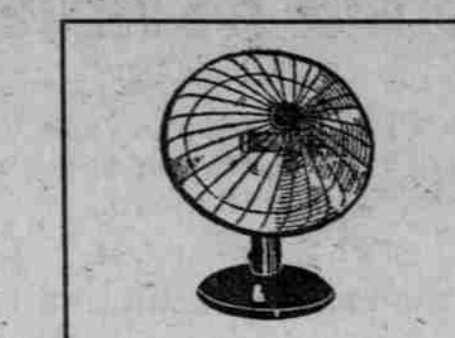
Hockin was convicted at Indianapolis in 1912 in the alleged dynamite conspiracy. He is now serving a six-year sentence in the Federal Penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan.

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LOGGING TESTS MAY END

SENATOR JONES WORKS TO HAVE EXPERIMENTS CONTINUED.

No Process Yet Tested Is Practical for Clearing Lands, Says Department of Agriculture Expert.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 18.—The experiments of the Department of Agriculture, intended to develop some economical and practical method of clearing logged-off lands will come to a close June 30, unless the Senate adopts the Jones amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill, making a further appropriation of \$5000 to keep the work going. The House eliminated this appropriation from the bill on a showing made before the committee on agriculture by W. J. Spillman, of the Department of Agriculture, while testifying as to the needs of the bureau of farm management.

According to Professor Spillman, the department has carried its experiments to a point where it has demonstrated that the cost of clearing logged-off lands is greater than the value of the lands for agriculture. The committee

asked what the department had been doing with the money appropriated by Congress, and he said it had been testing various patented processes, showing that none of them are commercially successful.

In view of the statements made by Professor Spillman, the House committee decided that it could not conscientiously authorize any further appropriation for logged-off land experiments. Senator Jones, however, has offered an amendment to the agricultural bill making a further appropriation of \$5000 for this logged-off land work.

Northwest is Slighted

Naval Base Board Falls to Mention Columbia River Situation.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 18.—The President today sent to the Senate a preliminary report of the Helm Board which has been investigating naval bases and navyyards, but the report written at San Francisco last month does not deal with the situation on the Columbia River or Puget Sound.

The board on the information then in hand advises the establishment of but one submarine base on the Pacific Coast without specifying a site, and makes no recommendation as to the necessity for more navyyards on

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the West Coast. The report dealing with the Columbia River and Puget Sound will be transmitted when received by the Navy Department.

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