

MRS. RENA MOONEY FOUND NOT GUILTY

Defendant in Bomb Case
Kisses Each Juror When
Verdict Is Rendered.

OTHER INDICTMENTS PEND

Next Case in Series Is That of Frank
Oxman, Oregon Cattleman, Who
Is Charged With Suborna-
tion of Perjury.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—Mrs. Rena Mooney, one of five defendants in the murder cases growing out of the bomb explosion here last summer, and which have excited world-wide interest, was acquitted late today. After a trial that had lasted nine and one-half weeks, the jury deliberated 51 hours before reaching its verdict of "not guilty." Seven other indictments are pending against Mrs. Mooney, but it is uncertain, according to the District Attorney, whether she will be tried again.

Thomas J. Mooney, her husband, and Warren K. Killings have been convicted and sentenced, respectively, to death and life imprisonment. Both have appealed. Israel Weinberg and Edward A. Nolan, the other defendants, remain to be tried.

"The bomb cases are at an end," declared Attorney Thomas O'Connor, of Mrs. Mooney's counsel. "The next trial will be that of Oxman." Frank C. Oxman, an Oregon cattleman, is accused of attempted subornation of perjury in connection with Thomas Mooney's trial, in which he was the chief witness for the prosecution. "I am surprised at the verdict," said District Attorney Charles M. Fickert, who, with his assistant, Louis Ferrari, prosecuted Mrs. Mooney. "We expected the jury to disbelieve." Ferrari left the city yesterday.

Defendant Kisses Jurors.

As the foreman announced the verdict, Mrs. Mooney, a comely young music teacher, jumped from her seat and kissed each juror. Friends, relatives and her attorneys showered her with congratulations. Mrs. Israel Weinberg fainted when the verdict was announced. Cheering and hand-clapping, a number of the spectators was stopped by bailiffs, and the courtroom was cleared. As the jurors filed out, women relatives of the various bomb defendants seized and kissed their hands.

Mrs. Mooney made her way, smiling and bowing right and left, to the county jail, where her husband is confined. Entering his cell, she threw herself into his arms. The two defendants and numerous relatives and friends crowded into the cell and a levee was held. On her way to her husband's cell to give him news of the verdict, Mrs. Mooney met Police Judge Mathew Brady in an elevator. Grasping his hand, with tears streaming down her cheeks, she said: "I thank you for holding Oxman to the Superior Court."

The date of Oxman's trial will be set next Monday. "It has been a terrific strain," said Mrs. Mooney. "But I knew from the beginning of the trial that justice would triumph. I cried bitter tears when I saw Miss Pear Seaman, who had both her legs blown off by the explosion, come into court. It was hard for me to understand that I was being charged with a crime of this nature. When I am free I will devote my life to giving Miss Seaman a medical education."

After she left her husband's cell, Mrs. Mooney was taken to the woman's jail. No statements were forthcoming from the jurors as to their long deliberations. They said they would have nothing to say about the number of ballots taken, and as to how they balloted, in accordance with an agreement made before they left the jury room.

Other Cases to Be Called.
Superior Judge Emmet Seawell completed the jury, which had been out since Monday, on the patience they had shown. He said that the jury would not come out on their verdict because of the fact that the defendant still had other indictments against her. Attorneys for the defense sent a telegram to Bourke's coachman, the New York lawyer who defended Thomas Mooney, advising him of the verdict.

That one of the other bomb defendants soon will be brought to trial was indicated by District Attorney Fickert. He said he hadn't decided which one it will be. In addition to the five original defendants, Alexander Berkman, editor of the Blast, an anarchist publication, which was quoted in Mrs. Mooney's trial, recently was indicted for murder in connection with the bomb explosion. Berkman is now serving a two-year term in the state prison for obstructing the operation of the selective draft.

"Our failure to convict Mrs. Mooney in this case," Fickert said, "is similar to our other experiences in prosecuting women. Jurors hesitate to convict a woman, particularly if she is charged with first degree murder."

CARS ARE ORDERED MOVED

Railroad War Board Prepares to
Move Abnormal Traffic.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Thirty-six American railroads have been ordered to remove immediately 65,514 empty freight cars from the lines of 54 other railroads, according to a statement issued here tonight by Fairfax Harrison, chairman of the railroads' war board.

This action was taken, it was explained, in an effort to mobilize, in different sections of the country, the large number of cars necessary to handle the abnormal Government and commercial traffic developed by the war.

U-BOAT SINKS DIVER C-34

Sole Survivor of English Craft Is
Taken Prisoner.

BERLIN, via London, July 25.—The British submarine C-34 was sunk by a submarine, it was officially announced today. The sole survivor was taken prisoner.

The British submarine C-34 was built in 1905, one of eight craft of identical design. She was 110 feet long and a maximum draft of 12 feet, with a speed of 14 knots above water and 10 knots submerged. She was equipped with two torpedo tubes. Her normal complement was 16 men.

F. J. Heney Reaches Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Francis J. Heney, of San Francisco, arrived in Washington today to take charge of the Federal Trade Commission's food investigation. The investigators have been at work in the Chicago packing-houses.

WOMAN ACQUITTED OF COMPLICITY IN SAN FRANCISCO BOMB MURDERS.



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Mrs. Rena Mooney.

BOARD TO RE-FORM

Government's Programme to
Be Under Way Soon.

HURLEY TO HEAD BOARD

Senate Confirms Appointment of
One Member and Delays on
Other—President Considers
Brent's Offer to Resign.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Confirmation by the Senate today of Edward M. Hurley's appointment to the Shipping Board as successor to William Denman, who was forced out by President Wilson, forecast an early start on the Government's shipbuilding programme. Mr. Hurley probably will meet with the board tomorrow. He will be elected chairman at the request of the President.

The nomination of Bainbridge Colby to succeed Captain John B. White was not acted on today, at the request of Senators Wadsworth and Calder, of New York, who desire that an inquiry be made regarding his political standing. No active opposition to his confirmation is looked for, however, by Administration leaders. He was one of the founders of the Progressive party, but in the last campaign made speeches for President Wilson.

Rear-Admiral Capps, named by President Wilson to take charge of shipbuilding and general manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, is expected today with Major-General Goethals, whose resignation the President accepted yesterday, and will start to work tomorrow or Friday.

President Wilson had taken no action tonight on the resignation of Theodore Roosevelt, vice-chairman of the Shipping Board, who has been a warm supporter of Mr. Denman.

IRISH ASSEMBLY IS OPEN

ENTHUSIASM AMONG SPECTATORS
NOTICEABLY LACKING.

Resolutions Introduced in United States
Congress Offer Suggestions for
Handling Problems.

DUBLIN, July 25.—The convention which is to attempt to solve the problem of the Irish problem was opened this morning at Regent House, Trinity College.

John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, and Joseph Devlin, one of his prominent party associates, were among the early arrivals. Protestant and Roman Catholic clergymen arrived soon afterward, followed by representatives of public organizations, trades and labor councils.

There was a noticeable lack of enthusiasm among the spectators. Joseph Devlin was the only delegate who was cheered.

No press representatives were present at the convention and the exact nature of the business discussed is therefore not known. Sir Horace Plunkett, however, is credited with the suggestion that the drafting of the constitution should proceed as for all Ireland, thus leaving Ulster to see what she is really faced with before she objects.

LONDON, July 25.—An official report of the Irish convention given out tonight says:

"After the opening address by Chief Secretary Duke, presiding, a committee was appointed for the purpose of advising the convention on the selection of a chairman. It was announced that the committee unanimously recommended the appointment of Sir Horace Plunkett as chairman and Sir Francis Hopwood as secretary. "The convention unanimously adopted the committee's recommendation and adjourned until tomorrow. Ninety-two delegates were present."

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Resolutions

by Representative Kennedy, of Rhode Island, proposing that President Wilson express to Great Britain for America the hope that the future government of Ireland be submitted to a vote of the Irish people, and by Representative McLaughlin, Pennsylvania, to direct the State Department to make representations to Great Britain for establishment of an Irish government like that of Canada, were introduced today in the House.

JEALOUS GIRL IS MISSING

Disappearance Follows Discovery of
Boy's Attention to Another.

MARYSVILLE, Cal., July 25.—(Special.)—The disappearance of Opal Hutchins, 16-year-old schoolgirl, following a quarrel with her boy sweetheart, John Tull, has led the Sheriff's office and the local police to believe that the child, morbid over the discovery that Tull was wearing another girl's ring, may have committed suicide.

The girl left home early Monday and has not been heard from. She told her school friends that she was going to visit her grandmother. A telegram from the grandmother says the girl did not reach Ukiah. The mother, Mrs. C. B. Hutchins, fears Opal has met with foul play or has fallen into the hands of white slavers.

COAL TARIFFS ARE FILED

Railroads Would Advance Cost of
Intrastate Shipments.

SALEM, Or., July 25.—(Special.)—The Public Service Commission today received tariffs from all of the big railroads operating in the state advancing the rates on coal shipments 18 cents per ton, the rates to become effective August 1 and continue until October 29. The Interstate Commerce Commission granted this increase to the carriers for interstate rates, and under the tariffs filed today they are applying the advance to intrastate rates.

It is intimated that the tariffs will be suspended pending a hearing as to the reasonableness of the proposed new rates.

ENTIRE TRAIN IS BURNED

Flaming Oil Destroys Nearly 100
Acres of Apple Trees.

BANNING, Cal., July 25.—An entire Southern Pacific freight train of 28 cars was destroyed by fire resulting from a wreck in which two brakemen were killed near here, railroad officials reported today. The train was made up of 15 loaded tank cars and 13 box cars filled with barley. Fire from the wrecked locomotive ignited the oil in the tank cars, the burning oil also spreading to nearby orchards, destroying nearly 100 acres of apple trees.

PERSHING VISITS FRONT

American General Reviews Famous
Battalion of Chasseurs.

PARIS, July 25.—General Pershing, accompanied by General Joffre, yesterday visited the French front and reviewed incidentally one of the most famous battalions of French Chasseurs which figured in the July 14 review in Paris.

General Pershing expressed high admiration of the dash and smartness of the men.

Refinery Has \$200,000 Fire.

PHILADELPHIA, July 25.—The fire at the Atlantic Refining Company late last night caused a loss estimated at \$200,000. Nearly 400,000 gallons of gasoline were destroyed.

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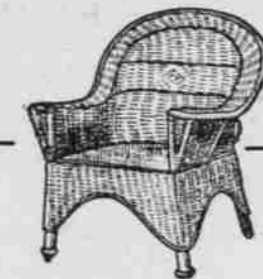
REGISTER now for Madame Richet's classes in practical dressmaking. They start September 4. Free lecture September 1.

Pre-inventory sale!

We have just unpacked a great box of
New SWEATERS for women!

—In spite of their newness, we've given them remarkably low prices and we're going to put them out in this pre-inventory sale today!
—Good, new sweaters are scarce as scarce can be: women are glad to buy them at full price, and they'll be enthusiastic over today's offering! There's a broad range of styles and colors and there are prices to suit all pocketbooks. Third floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

M. R. E. R. LIPSCHUTZ, of our custom tailoring department, leaves for New York Saturday, July 28, on his semi-annual buying trip. —Mr. Lipschutz will be glad to confer with all of his patrons who desire him to make purchases especially for them.
Custom Tailoring Salons,
Seventh floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



Pre-inventory sale
IMPORTED GRASS
Chairs and rockers

\$7.45

—Well made of finest grasses, built on bamboo frames. They'll give splendid service; \$7.45 is very much less than you'd ordinarily pay for these pieces—much less than we'd pay if we were to buy them today.
Fifth floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

WE'LL make your watch all shiny and new and clean outside and inside so that it will give even better service than it has been giving, for 75c.
—Main spring repaired for 75c, too!

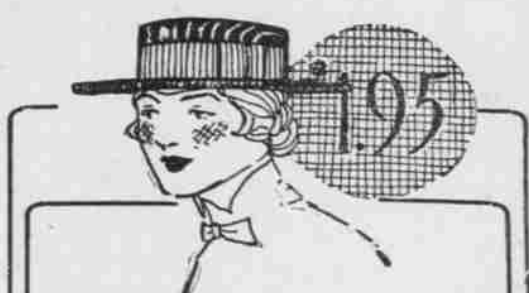


Pre-inventory sale
Alsheneeds, 39c
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—Every mother knows how much more than 39c these cleverly designed one-piece underthings usually sell for. They combine waist and pants, and are finished to button over the shoulder. Fine dimity weaves that are cooling to the skin.
Fourth floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Pre-inventory sale
Boys' wash hats 39c

—They've all been taken from much higher price lines. Most every kind of a hat boys of 3 to 8 years could wish for! Another special lot at 65c.
Fourth floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



Pre-inventory sale
Coventry SAILORS
Less than half price—\$1.95

—They're just like the illustration, these smart, strictly tailored hats, and they're quite the most remarkable hat values we've seen in many a long day. They're in black, in white, and in colors, too!
Third floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Pre-inventory sale
Fancy TAFFETAS at \$1.19 yard

—Values that are so unusual as to be sensational. Rich, heavy, all silk taffetas like these would sell in the ordinary way for very much more! A score of designs and color combinations for smart frocks and blouses and suits and skirts.
Second floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

FINNS SET UP CLAIMS

ADDRESS TO RUSSIA WILL ACCOM-
PANY AUTONOMY NOTICE.

Governor-General Declares Russia Will
Not Reconsider Validity of Declaration of Independence.

PETROGRAD, July 25.—The Socialist majority of the Finnish Landtag has drafted an address to the Russian provisional government to accompany the notification of the passing of the law providing for Finnish independence.

Last night the provisional government, after hearing the report of Michael Stokovich, the Governor-General of Finland, decided to refuse to acknowledge the validity of the "independence measure."

Governor-General Stokovich declared today that, although he shortly will resign his post, the government will appoint a successor and maintain him and his staff at Helsinki in order not to give Finland a pretext for declaring that Russia has in fact recognized the law.

AMBASSADOR IS MARRIED

Miss Beatrice Bend Bride of Henry
P. Fletcher.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Henry P. Fletcher, American Ambassador to Mexico, and Miss Beatrice Bend, of this city, were married today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard D.

Straight, at Old Westbury, Long Island. The couple first met eight years ago in China, when Mr. Fletcher was first secretary of the American Legation. His bride was then traveling in the Orient with a party of friends.

Gunner's Mate Killed Accidentally.

BUENOS AYRES, Argentina, July 25.—Clay Tennis Lyles, a gunner's mate, is dead as the result of an explosion of powder on board one of the ships of

the visiting American squadron. The accident occurred while the vessel was firing a salute.

McNary to Fight for Yaquina.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, July 25.—Senator McNary today decided to make a fight on the floor of the Senate for his amendment to the river and harbor bill adopting the new project for the improvement

Burbank's Condition Improves.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., July 25.—The condition of Luther Burbank, who is suffering from an inflamed appendix, continued to show improvement today, according to his physician, who is in constant attendance.

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Fig. 2 and 4—outside; row



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