

# ROEF'S LAWYER WINS ONE POINT

## Ach Succeeds in Getting Rabbi Kaplan's Affidavit Before Court.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Feb. 20.—The taking of evidence on the immunity contract granted Abe Ruef, to determine the legality of his arraignment on the trolley bribery cases, was begun before Judge Lawlor this morning. The members of the graft prosecution and the Habbis Nieto and Kaplan, who had much to do with securing Ruef's consent to accept immunity in return for testifying as he knows of certain transactions, were in court, having been subpoenaed by the defense.  
Attorney Ach, for Ruef, opened the proceedings by attempting to read Rabbi Kaplan's affidavit, but the prosecution objected on the ground that the time for summoning witnesses had not arrived, suggesting that they be excused for the present.  
Ach objected to this course and announced that after the reading of the affidavit he would call witnesses.  
Prosecutor Henry characterized Ach's action as a bluff.  
Judge Lawlor settled the argument by stating that the evidence already tendered is taken up. All witnesses were then excluded, and arguments in relation to the objection to the affidavit by the prosecution were begun. The prosecution contended that the affidavits contained much irrelevant matter. It was finally stipulated that the affidavits should be submitted to the court.

# GOVERNOR TO PLANT WASHINGTON ELMS

## Trees Grown From Seed of Tree Will Be Named George and Martha.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Salem, Feb. 20.—In honor of Washington's birthday, there will be planted two Washington elms grown from the seed of the famous Washington elm at Cambridge, Massachusetts, on the state-house grounds, on February 22, under the direction of Governor Chamberlain, to whom they were presented by Z. C. Constance of Independence. The trees will be named George and Martha.

# VON BUELOW WANTS PAROLES FOR BOYS

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Berlin, Feb. 20.—Chancellor von Buelow has introduced in the reichstag a law for the punishment of youth, which he says is the most important law in the United States by which their early crimes are given indeterminate sentences, so that while they are under the supervision of the law, they have an opportunity of pursuing the work of their lives in any proper direction. He has also added a provision for suspended sentences, which make the convicted individual liable to recall by the court whenever his conduct is not correct. Von Buelow protests against questions in the trial of cases that give unnecessary publicity to humiliating acts.

# MAGALS ATTEMPTED TO FREE HIS STATE

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Rio Janeiro, Feb. 20.—It appears that Magals, who with some foreigners, attempted an invasion for purposes of conquest of the state of Rio Grande do Sul, and who was supposed to be a Spaniard, is a native of Rio Grande and now declares that all responsibility for the affair rests on himself alone, as he wished to give his state an independent government. Since his capture, the Indians of the region have attacked a squad of railroad laborers on the line between Rio Grande and Sao Paulo, and killed three of them before they were driven off.

# LODGES COMBINE TO CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
St. Helena, Or., Feb. 20.—A von lodge No. 62, K. of P., celebrated the forty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the order Tuesday night. Members of Rainier lodge No. 58 and Kalama lodge No. 100 enjoyed the hospitality of Avon lodge, the stateraid making a special trip for the occasion.  
Music by the Rainier male quartet, speeches and lunch made the evening a very pleasant one.

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# LITTLE HOPE FOR NEW U. S. COURT

## Cannon and Tawney Fight Bill for Eastern Oregon District.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Washington, D. C., Feb. 20.—There is very little hope for the bill creating a new federal court for eastern Oregon. Ellis has taken the matter up with the committee of the house at the request of Heppner and Pendleton people. Senator Fulton originally urged the measure on behalf of Baker City. Speaker Cannon and Chairman Tawney of the committee on ways and means have given it out that no money will be appropriated on any bill that demands large expense.  
The same ruling will probably apply to the appropriation of \$750,000 for the Seattle exposition. Cannon has ordered the bill transferred from the regular committee and the impression has gone forth that it will be hammered into retirement.

# HERMAN BILKEL LOSES APPEAL

## Men Who Poisoned Vrzal Family Will Be Hanged for His Crimes.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Springfield, Ill., Feb. 20.—Herman Bilkel, accused of killing six members of the Vrzal family with poison, must hang for the crimes. The supreme court of Illinois today affirmed the verdict of the lower court which sentenced him to die on the gallows.  
During the trial the prosecution introduced evidence tending to show that Mrs. Vrzal and Bilkel sought, through the death of her five children and her husband, to collect insurance on their lives. In executing this plot, Bilkel administered the poison. The evidence that added to convict him was given by the sixth Vrzal child, who overheard his mother and Bilkel plotting.

# INDIAN PRINCE LOSES HIS MIND

## Heir to Richest Principality in Asia Goes Mad on Chicago Train.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
New York, Feb. 20.—Prince Nawab Sultan-ul-Mulk Bahadur, of Hyderabad, Deccan, India, heir to the richest principality in all the Asian continent, who arrived in San Francisco last week on a trip around the world, has gone insane and is now being closely guarded on his way to London.  
On a train bound from San Francisco to Chicago the prince, upon seeing Miss Marie de Amber, daughter of the Austrian ambassador to Japan, who was a passenger, rushed to her side and declared that he wanted to make her his wife. It was then discovered that he had lost his mind.  
Two years ago the prince fell from his horse and was so seriously injured that physicians said he would never fully recover. Until an operation was performed on his head, an operation which will be performed as soon as he reaches London.

# PENNYPACKER IS WELL GRILLED

## Former Governor of Pennsylvania Tells What He Knows of Graft.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 20.—Former Governor Pennypacker of Pennsylvania and in whose administration the state is said to have been defrauded out of thousands of dollars by state officials and contractors in the construction of the state capitol, today took the stand as a witness for the defense in the graft cases.  
After he had concluded his testimony the prosecution declared that his evidence favored the state more than it did the defense. When he was put through a grilling cross-examination by the state he denied that he made any attempt to cover the capitol scandal or that he tried to whitewash any one connected with it. Former Auditor General Snyder, one of the defendants, was the next witness called.  
With the exception of the Independence National League all of the political parties have now fixed the time and place for holding their nominating conventions. The Populists will meet in St. Louis April 3, the Socialists in Chicago May 10, the Republicans in Chicago June 16, the Democrats in Denver July 7, and the Prohibitionists in Columbus July 15.

# BELIEVE WOMAN KNOWS OF CRIME

## Death of San Francisco Man Under Peculiar Circumstances Unexplained.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Feb. 20.—While the detectives and coroner are trying to solve the mystery enshrouding the death of Frederick Lewis Tetrault, yesterday, the police are holding in surveillance Mrs. T. Brinkman, in whose house, 1231 Sacramento street, the dark tragedy was enacted. Tetrault, until recently a clerk in the employ of the Southern Pacific, was killed either by a blow over the head, the administration of carbolic acid, or both.  
The detectives believe that he died from a blow over the back of his head, which smeared blood over the room and bed in which he was found, while Mrs. Brinkman stoutly declares he committed suicide by drinking acid.  
According to the statement made by Mrs. Brinkman, whose husband is in San Francisco, Tetrault came to her house late at night while under the influence of liquor. He stated, according

to her story, that he had been struck over the head. Later in the night she heard strange noises in Tetrault's room. Finally she decided he was groaning and on going to the bed chamber was horrified to stumble over his prostrate body lying in the middle of the floor. Investigation, according to Mrs. Brinkman, disclosed a bottle that had contained a diluted solution of carbolic acid clutched in his hand.  
When the police arrived at the house they found blood on the carpet and bed-clothes. The back of the dead man's head showed signs of having been struck a terrific blow.

# CHICAGO UNIVERSITY TO TEACH FARMING

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, Feb. 20.—Farming is to be added to the other courses of study at the University of Chicago. A department of agriculture is to be opened in April and it is the aim to make it the highest in grade of any of the agricultural schools in the country. None but graduates will be eligible to admission.

# ROOF GARDEN ON TOP OF RAILWAY STATION

New York, Feb. 20.—Frederick Thompson, a theatrical manager, has secured control of the roof of the Pennsylvania railroad's monster terminal station here for a period of 20 years and plans to convert it into the largest roof garden in the world. The total rental for the roof is in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000.

# GERMANS WILL REPLACE JAPS

## Sugar Beet Growers in Idaho and Utah Do Not Like Orientals.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Boise, Idaho, Feb. 20.—Germans will take the place of Japs in cultivating sugar beets in this state, according to a statement made by the Utah-Idaho Sugar Beet company, which is operating a dozen factories in Utah and Idaho.  
The company's officers state that the Japs have proved unsatisfactory and arrangements have been made to bring in hundreds of Germans, who will bring their families and establish permanent homes.

# BABY DRINKS BOTTLE OF CARBOLIC ACID

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Salem, Or., Feb. 20.—After swallowing the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid, which had been left within his reach, Virgil Crippen, a 2-year-old baby boy, died within an hour in convulsions late yesterday afternoon. The child was the son of John Crippen, an employe on the Gilbert and Patterson hop farm at Bonanza county. Dr. W. B. Merritt of this city was summoned, but arrived too late to do anything for the unfortunate child.  
The next sixty days will witness the choosing of several hundred delegates to the national conventions by state and district conventions throughout the country. Thirty days' notice for the holding of a convention is required to be given and the calls will be sent out promptly from now on.

# JAPS ARE FORCED TO ASSUME DEFENSIVE

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Washington, Feb. 20.—Diplomatic circles are greatly interested in the curious change in the Japanese-American situation since the departure of Japanese Ambassador Aoki and the arrival of Takahira, his successor. The diplomatic relation between the two countries have been entirely reversed and Japan now finds itself on the defensive.  
The misadventure so far as it affects Manchuria has caused great dissatisfaction because of Japanese aggression in that province, according to reports that have reached the state department. The administration at Washington is on the alert for it will not tolerate any action on Japan's part that points to a violation of the "open door" sentiment.

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# CAN VOTE ALL STOCK

(Continued from Page One.)  
The bill declared that Messrs. Peabody, Auchincloss and Vanderbilt, directors of the Illinois Central, were trustees of the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York and had combined and conspired to have the Illinois Central stock transferred to the Illinois Central Union Pacific Railroad company to aid the Union Pacific in getting control of the Illinois Central, and to that end, it was declared, they proposed to vote the 5,500 shares of stock owned by the insurance company at the election.  
It was set forth in the petition that the object and purpose of the Union Pacific was to protect and perpetuate its control of the directory of the Illinois Central, in which by law all corporate powers of the Illinois Central are vested, so as to have the Illinois Central controlled to irreparable injury and damage as a mere feeder to the Union Pacific through its connections at Council Bluffs, Iowa, and at New Orleans, by means of the Southern Pacific company, which the petition declares the Union Pacific controls absolutely. It was alleged that, under the laws and public policy of Illinois, neither the Union Pacific nor the Railroad Securities trust company nor the Mutual Life Insurance company can own and vote stock in the Illinois Central.

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