

BLOODY GASP PUT IN EVIDENCE AT TRIAL

Slowly the attorneys for the state are weaving around Jack La Rose the threads by which they hope to convict him of the murder of Hyman Neuman on May 12. The jury that is hearing the testimony in Judge Morrow's department of the circuit court now has before it the bloody gasp with which the skull of the pawnbroker was crushed and the two brass watches that La Rose took from his pocket in a saloon the night after Neuman was struck down.

These watches, which were taken possession of by Thomas Kinney, alias Charles Leonard, because of La Rose's drunken condition, were identified by Kinney, but have not yet been received in evidence. Deputy District Attorney Fitzgerald promised the court to show that these watches were taken from a showcase in Neuman's, and with this understanding Judge Morrow permitted the testimony to be given. The defense is contesting the ground at every step, realizing that this is one of the most important points in the case of the state against La Rose.

The testimony concerning the watches stricken out.

The chief witness this morning was Kinney, who has heretofore been known in the case as Charles Leonard. He said that Leonard was his stage name, he having been an acrobat. Kinney testified that he tried to sober La Rose, and in about half an hour some one came in and said that another Jew had been hit. Then La Rose said, "I am not a fanatic, or else he has got it in for the Jews." They ought to kill all the Jews." After taking several drinks La

Rose went out, saying he was going to the postoffice. He was told not to take any more drinks and to come back if he was hurt.

Watches Taken Away.

About 6 o'clock that evening La Rose came back, the witness said, very drunk. He pulled two watches from his pocket. Kinney told him he ought not to throw watches around like that and took the watches away from him, telling him to come back for them the next morning. La Rose then fell asleep. Later he asked for money for a room and a shave. He then went out again.

The state made an effort to show that La Rose exhibited a third watch in the saloon, but this was shut out by an objection from the defense.

The only other new witness this morning was M. Ostrow, a second-hand dealer at 47 Third street. His store runs through the block and one entrance is only half a block away from Neuman's place. When he heard that Neuman had been hurt he ran over and found Neuman leaning against a table with his hands to his head. Neuman did not recognize the witness, who ran and called the police.

Gasp Is Identified.

Detective C. H. Tichenor, who was called yesterday afternoon and identified the bloody gasp, was recalled this morning to identify the watches left at the saloon by La Rose. Yesterday he described the position in which the body of the Jew lay, lying a pool of blood near where Neuman was standing in a dazed condition.

Dr. Zeigler, the city physician, testified that the wounds on Neuman's head might have been caused by an instrument having an edge or by a round instrument, but he would not be so large as to make a flat surface. He thought that a round instrument, to cause such a wound, would have to be two inches or less in diameter. On cross-examination Attorney J. H. Upton brought out the fact that such a round instrument produced by a man against the edge of a table. It was also brought out that Neuman was able to give intelligent answers when he was questioned by the physician at the police station, although seeming in a dazed condition.

Dr. Zeigler also testified in the case that he hoped to finish the trial this week, but slow progress this morning makes it probable that the testimony cannot be completed in the case until the morning of tomorrow night. A hot legal fight is expected when the state attempts to bring in testimony concerning the gasp after the murder of Neuman, with which La Rose is also charged.

Rose Shows Excitement.

Kinney said that he is now conducting a saloon at Second and Ankeny street. He said that he met La Rose between 11 and 12 o'clock on May 12, the day Neuman was killed. La Rose rushed into the place in an excited manner and asked for something to drink.

"Any old thing," was the answer La Rose gave to a question as to what he wanted. He said he had a "gasp" and "I've been on a hell of a tear; all shot to pieces."

The witness said La Rose added that it is a "curse to fall here to money," said his relatives were killed, and his people lived in the south. Kinney testified that he tried to sober La Rose, and in about half an hour some one came in and said that another Jew had been hit. Then La Rose said, "I am not a fanatic, or else he has got it in for the Jews." They ought to kill all the Jews." After taking several drinks La

A. EDGAR BEARD STEALS MARCH ON BROTHER ELKS AND WEDS

A. Edgar Beard eloped, but has returned. Escaping the loving watchfulness of his friends and brother Elks, he ran away and got married. But he'll get his. The Elks are just waiting for a chance. It would be a shame to say what they'll do to him for his perfidy. They never would have suspected it of him, though a few of the more canny members of the lodge had a sort of premonition that something was about to happen, and experienced several pangs of alarm when A. Edgar Beard slipped out of town.

A few days later post cards from the absent brother began to arrive, which were even more sentimental in their nature.

Some of the Elks became so sure of what had happened to their brother that they wired congratulations to Beard and Mrs. Laura Shaw of Stockton, Cal., where he was married at Monterey. He is also a member of the Elks lodge in that city.

The happy couple have returned to Portland, having finished their honeymoon trip through California, and will make their home in this city.

ATTACK LOCAL OPTION LAW

Three applications for saloon licenses were made at the meeting of the St. Johns city council last night. The applicants base their petitions on the decision of the supreme court, in which the court reversed the decision of the lower court on the local option law in the city of Medford, Or., owing to a clause in the Medford city charter allowing saloons.

When the people of Medford voted for local option, the saloon interests carried their case to the supreme court and continued to operate their places of business under a similar clause in the St. Johns city charter, and the saloon interests have evidently decided to test it.

The matter was referred to City Attorney H. E. Collier for an opinion. He was unable to say today what his idea of the law as drawn up in the charter would be when he announced it to the council. The three men who have asked for licenses are J. M. Downey, Charles Anderson and E. M. Downey.

The question should have come up before the council last Tuesday, but because it was election day the city fathers postponed their meeting until Wednesday. Wednesday night they discovered that the council chamber had been rented for a concert and again postponed the meeting and went home until Thursday. They will meet again next Tuesday.

Mr. Hey was that which prevents the building of any stable outside the fire limits for nine horses or less within 15 feet of adjoining property lines. This was to prevent the building of spite sheds, if a man wanted to annoy a neighbor under the present regulation he could build his barn under the latter's front windows.

Stables built to accommodate 10, or more than 15 horses, cannot be erected without the consent of all property owners within a block of the proposed site of the stable.

UNION MAY SETTLE FIGHT WITH JONES

Negotiations are under way that may lead to settlement of the differences between William G. Jones, who is running two nonunion barber shops, and the union barbers of the settlement is made, and the union in the circuit court will follow, and Judge Gantenben will be required to give the union men the rights of Jones' shops and the degree of picketing that may be used upon his employees.

It was given out this morning that at a meeting last night, where the differences were discussed, the effort to reach an agreement was fruitless, and it seemed unlikely that the points of disagreement could be settled. However, the discussion was resumed today, and it is possible that a treaty of peace will result.

Judge Gantenben has given some time to a study of decisions in labor injunction cases as a guide to what action should be taken in the barber's case. He has been waiting for a copy of the opinion of the United States circuit court in the Chalmers case, which was recently decided, and is understood to cover much of the ground that is presented in the local case.

This is the decision that President Roosevelt quoted with approval as modifying the strict injunction that had been laid down by the union men by the decision of a lower court.

FOLLOWS IN STEPS OF CARRIE NATION

Arthur Krogestad went the Anti-Saloon league one better when he carried the Carrie Nation class at one jump yesterday. He began on the Wisconsin hotel bar, 845 Hood street. He wound up in the city jail.

In the afternoon he entered the barroom and soon livened things up by chasing the bartender out of the place. In the evening he came back and after assaulting Peter Bue, the proprietor, went upstairs and took possession of a room to which he was in no way entitled. Krogestad escaped with a fine of \$2 today.

MADE LIFE MISERABLE FOR TWO WHOLE YEARS

That he blacked her eye, tore a waist from her back, threatened to kill her, broke the dishes, got drunk, knocked her down and called her bad names are some of the things given by Anna J. Burt for wanting a divorce from R. C. Burt. She does not charge that all these things took place at one time, but says these things and others of unpleasant things have made the last two years awful for her. They were married in Portland in November, 1906, according to the complaint she has filed in the circuit court. She wants to resume her former name, Anna J. Burt, and to be granted \$25 per month alimony.

G. O. P. CONGRESSMEN OF NORTH CAROLINA

United Press Leased Wire. Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 6.—Official returns show that the Republicans have carried the Fifth, Tenth and Eighth congressional districts.

HOT AIR CURES RHEUMATISM



Princess Hatfield, who was Miss Clara Huntington of San Francisco, who has become a firm believer in the virtues of hot air as a cure for rheumatism.

PATULLO LEAVES EXECUTIVE BOARD

D. A. Patullo has resigned from his position as member of the street committee of the executive board, giving as his reason for taking this action an irreconcilable difference between himself and other members of the board in the manner of handling the city's business. His resignation was handed to the mayor today.

In discussing his resignation Mr. Patullo said that there were a number of recent actions of the street committee of which he could not approve, and the manner of awarding bids for street work. He said that he was entirely satisfied that the mayor and the executive board were doing the best that they knew how in managing the city's affairs, but that for some of the actions taken he did not feel called upon to assume his responsibility.

Mayor Lane, speaking of Mr. Patullo's resignation, said: "Mr. Patullo sent me a letter saying he did not want to be held responsible for the action of the street committee. I urged him to stay on as a member of the board until the bad work already done and involving thousands of dollars could be straightened out, and accepting his share of the responsibility. This Mr. Patullo has done, and I was forced to accept his resignation."

Isadore Lang, member of the Park committee of the executive board, has notified Mayor Lane that he will not accept reappointment when his term expires December 1. He gives as his reasons for severing his connection with the administration, pressure of private business. Mr. Lang is the senior member of Lang & Co., wholesale grocers, and is one of the best known residents of Portland. He has been a valuable member of the executive board and has always taken an intelligent, active interest in the city's parks.

SECOND DAY OF THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Oregon City, Nov. 6.—The second day of the Clackamas County Teachers' institute was pleasantly and profitably spent. The chief features were the theme of State Superintendent Ackerman, "Helping—Not Hurting," County Superintendent Robinson's discourse on "Reading," and that of Professor Alderman on "School and Home."

A large and appreciative audience assembled at the Methodist church last evening to listen to the discourse of Superintendent Robinson, and to hear Lillian Tingle, and all were well pleased.

This evening, Dr. J. Whitcomb Brighner, pastor of the White Temple at Portland, will lecture in the Methodist church on "The Idea of Education." Miss Elizabeth Matthews, of St. Helens, will discuss "The Psychology of the Kindergarten" and Dr. A. C. Beale of this city, president of the State Dental association, will deliver an address on "The Care of Children's Teeth." These exercises will close the session.

WILL ALDRICH DROP OUT? NAY, VERILY

Washington, D. C., Nov. 6.—Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island today said he had never authorized the statement that he would not stand for reelection.

TAFT'S VOTE GROWS IN WEST VIRGINIA

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 6.—Late returns today increased Taft's plurality to \$25,000 in this state.

Baldwin Balloon Starts

Washington, Nov. 6.—The signal corps spherical balloon, which was purchased from Captain Baldwin, made a flight today, starting at 11:30 o'clock in the direction of Baltimore.

Will Visit Asheville

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 6.—President-elect Taft today said that he has decided to go to Asheville, N. C., when he leaves Hot Springs, Va., for which place he starts this evening.

CHINESE WILL DEFEND EMPEROR

Coast Members of Bow Wong Society Send Financial Aid to China.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Nov. 6.—Called to the defense of the Emperor Kwang Su against the dominating influence of the empress dowager and the dictation of Chinese affairs by the Japanese court clique, the Chinese in this country who are members of the Bow Wong Woy are sending financial aid to their allied society, the Cheng Wen, in the cities of Peking, Singapore and Kiangsu. The empress dowager is trying to stamp out the Chen Wen because of the reports of her spies, who declare that the reform society is endeavoring to send in arms and supplies to Chinese revolutionists.

Coincidentally with the attack on the power of the empress, the leaders of the Chen Wen in Singapore and the heads of the Bow Wong Woy gathered in this city and formulated their demands which were sent to the empress.

The Bow Wong Woy, which means "society for the protection of the emperor," demanded the restoration of Kwang Su to power, the dismissal of the court clique that favors the Japanese and the removal of the capital from Peking to Nanking, a new constitution and the summoning of a national assembly.

At the head of the Cheng Wen is Liang Chi Chew, who until the recent Japanese-Chinese difficulties, directed the movement from Japan.

Members of the Bow Wong Woy are active in the United States, Canada, Great Britain, Mexico and South America. In all the important cities there is a branch of the organization. In Victoria, Los Angeles and this city the members have established branch headquarters in charge of members of the highest council.

BOURNE GOES EAST TO PLAY GOLF WITH TAFT

Senator Jonathan Bourne has gone to Hot Springs to play golf with President-Elect Taft.

The series of games which Taft and Bourne were playing some time ago was interrupted by the campaign, but when Taft and the senator appeared it was agreed between them that they should meet again at Hot Springs November 10 and continue the amusement.

Senator Bourne left for Hot Springs yesterday and will not return to Portland until after congress adjourns. He will spend about two weeks at the resort and will then go on to Washington.

Their mutual fondness for the gutta-percha ball is a bond of common interest between Bourne and the president-elect which makes it probable that the Oregon senator will rank even higher in the counsels of the next administration than he has in those of Roosevelt's regime.

KING COUNTY OUT FOR SPEAKERSHIP

(United Press Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., Nov. 6.—Monday afternoon the King county house delegation to the state legislature will meet to determine their choice of the delegation for speaker.

The King county delegation has great hopes this year that by lining up with Pierce or Spokane counties the speakership will be won by King county.

There are four candidates in King county who are seeking this honor: E. R. Palmer, Frank H. Renick, Mr. F. Livingston Corwin of New York city, and Frederick Louis King of Philadelphia.

Mr. King was a member of the Tompkins Avenue Congregational church, Brooklyn.

DID MR. MATTHIES USE FORCE ON MRS. NEHREN?

She Alleges That She Sustained Damages to the Amount of \$5,000 at His Hands.

Oregon City, Nov. 6.—The trial of the Nehren-Matthies damage suit commenced at 10 o'clock yesterday and is still before the court. In her complaint Mrs. Nehren avers that on June 4 last she went into the Weinhard beer hall, of which Matthies is the proprietor, and on entering she saw her husband in the act of taking a drink at the bar, although she had warned the saloonkeepers not to sell him any liquors. She remonstrated with Matthies, and she alleges, he grabbed her from behind, assaulted and beat her and then threw her against the door casing, causing severe bruises on her body and injuring her nervous system, for all of which she asks \$5,000 damages.

Mr. Matthies avers that Mrs. Nehren will set up the plea of insanity if made apparent by the statement of Officer Fuller, who is one of the policemen detailed to watch Sebastiano as he lies on his cot in St. Vincent's hospital.

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INSANITY TO BE HIS PLEA

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BRIBERY CHARGE NOT PROSECUTED

William R. Bailey, the young man who got the office says, handed Patrolman Hines \$100 when arrested for short changing a North Portland saloonkeeper, was sentenced to 90 days on the repple for larceny, and to three months worse he pleaded guilty to robbing the streets after hours and was given an additional 10 days.

With a term of 100 days ahead of him he has not yet faced the more serious charge of offering a bribe to an officer.

LOTTERY UNDER GUISE OF CLUB

(United Press Leased Wire.) St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 6.—The police today uncovered a lottery which is said to have been promoted by \$25,000. The officers were maintained in a downtown tailoring establishment. They were detected when the police arrested the lottery was operated under the guise of a club.

Runaway Boy Caught

Home, Belknap, aged 12, was found in the terminal yards last night by Patrolman Hirsch. His mother told the police several days ago that Home was missing from his home, 34 Union street, in September, 1907, and as ascertained, on May 1, 1907, Gardner deserted her and has never returned or helped her toward any other of her asks also to resume her maiden name, Olivia Hedlund.

Charles Kohn & Co. of Portland commenced a suit against August Erickson, proprietor of the Clackamas tavern, for \$1743, balance due for merchandise sold him. A writ of attachment against Erickson was issued.

MATRON ASKS JURY TRIAL

Conduct of Atwood Maternity Hospital Will Be Further Probed.

Another jury trial in the juvenile court was called for this morning, when the attorney for Miss May Petty, mother of the Dr. Atwood maternity hospital at Trout, made demand for a hearing before a jury. The trial may bring out some sensational facts regarding the conduct of the hospital, the Dr. Atwood having been arrested under the public nuisance act. In the Petty case the woman is alleged to have permitted her two adopted children, 2 and 3 years of age, to witness operations performed on patients at the hospital.

The children are now in the care of the Boys and Girls Aid society. The case was set for hearing in the juvenile court next Tuesday, but the demand for a jury will make it necessary to postpone the trial to another time.

KIDNAPER BEZEMER IS STILL AT LARGE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., Nov. 6.—Despite the pursuit by a posse, Leo Bezemer, alias "Whistling Rufus," the kidnaper who attempted to extort \$5,000 from E. P. English, a wealthy logger, at Mount Vernon on October 26, is still at large in the dense woods south of Marysville.

After Harry McDermott's bloodhounds trailed Bezemer from Silvana to Lakeview yesterday the posse headed for the woods toward Marysville. The hounds trailed toward Everett and the posse made fast time through the forest and almost imperceptible growth of swampy underbrush was reached. Darkness was fast falling and the chase was abandoned for the night. Early this morning the posse started to beat the brush systematically but the hounds failed to take up the scent. It is believed Bezemer is now headed for the North Bend country.

During the night several shots were heard by the posse and the demand for the fugitive's confederates were signalling to him. Bezemer has boasted his friends are aiding him in the escape.

MILLHAND HURT IN BOX FACTORY

While working under the sawdust chute at the Multnomah Lumber & Box factory on the Macadam road today, Gottlieb Mutti, aged 25, a laborer, was seriously injured and taken to the Good Samaritan hospital in the Red Cross ambulance. Mutti was piling lumber under the sawdust chute when he became soaked and fell on him. Dr. Gillett attended the injured man.

BUSTLE ABOUT STOCK MARKET

Heavy Advances and Many Sales Mark Remarkable Record for Day.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) New York, Nov. 6.—There was a bustle and bustle about the stock market today that brought out some of the heaviest advances seen in securities for about a year. In some of the stocks prices made a new high record for the year and all along the line the tone of finance was exceedingly bullish. Sales in the stock market today were about the heaviest since the money panic of a year ago.

One feature of general interest was the enormous purchases by the general public. This is the first time the public has been buying securities for nearly two years and this is taken as a very good sign by speculators. The advances in the market ranged from 1 to 2 points.

ONLY HARD-SURFACE PAVEMENTS WANTED

A committee representing the Irvington and Holladay Improvement club waited on the street committee of the council at its meeting this afternoon for the purpose of asking that the committee recommend no ordinance for the district covered by the club for any street improvements other than hard-surface pavements.

The Irvington-Holladay district is divided into two sections, and it is the wish of the majority of the members that on hard-surface improvements be laid throughout these sections. The lower section is bounded by Union avenue, Holladay avenue, Seventeenth street and Tillamook street, and the upper by Multnomah street, Twenty-eighth street, Tillamook street and Seventeenth street.

The committee representing the club consists of Charles K. Henry, William F. Woodward and A. N. Gambell.

FOOTBALL PLAYER DIES OF INJURIES

(United Press Leased Wire.) Austin, Tex., Nov. 6.—Ernest Dixon, right end on the University of Arkansas football team, died today as the result of injuries sustained in a recent game between his college and Oklahoma. This is the second fatality as the result of football this season.



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