

COURT DECIDES CITY MAY BUILD BROADWAY BRIDGE LOCAL CONTRACTOR KILLS ENGINEER WHO THREATENS HIM

OBSTRUCTIONISTS GIVEN QUIETUS BY SUPREME BENCH; KIERNANISM DEAD

"The city has the power to build bridges whenever and wherever it may choose." This is the judgment given today by the supreme court of Oregon. It contains a knockout blow for Kiernan-Duniway obstructionists of the Broadway bridge.

Justice King's opinion also puts a quietus on the Port of Portland commission's contention that it has power to prevent the building of the Broadway bridge in terms of lease easement.

Points of Decision. "We find no error in the record, and the decree of the circuit court is affirmed."

Associate Justice T. A. McBride. as through the various acts amending the charter of the city of Portland, is an evident intent of the legislature to prevent the rights of the city from being subverted to the wishes of this auxiliary corporation.

How to Duniway. The judgment of the supreme court with clearness and force places the ban of disapproval not only upon the professional obstructionism from which Portland has been suffering, but upon the half-splittin' technicians employed by Ralph Duniway in behalf of Frank Kiernan.

auditor, in the style of getting up the ballot and reaches another conclusion by saying bluntly: "The alleged differences between the description of the proposed bridge in the resolution and ballot title are too microscopic to have misled anyone."

Associate Justice Will B. King. Justice McBride goes farther than to say that Kiernan-Duniway obstructionists have no support in law for their contentions. He uses the word "unsound" referring to their quibbles over the ordinances which were used in bringing the bridge issue before the people.

FIRES FATAL SHOT WHEN REVOLVER POINTED AT HIM

Returning to Get Position From Which He Was Discharged, Engineer Porter Draws Pistol on Contractor Pottage.

TRAGEDY OCCURS AT EAST TENTH AND BRAZEE

Quarrelsome Employe Drops Dead When Bullet Strikes Him in Forehead.

Following a discussion over the right of Charles E. Pottage, a street contractor working in Irvington, to discharge his engineer, Frank A. Porter, at the corner of East Tenth and Brazee streets this morning.

DREXEL RESIGNS FROM AERO CLUB; "JUDGES UNFAIR"

Millionaire Aviator Objects to the Alleged Discrimination Against Grahame-White—Others May Follow Drexel.

New York, Nov. 1.—J. Armstrong Drexel, of Pittsburgh, and one of the best known aviators in America, resigned in a huff from the Aero club of America today because of alleged partiality shown by its officials to American aviators in the recent meet at Belmont Park.

Conditions of Liberty Race. According to the original rules, October 27 was fixed as the date for the flight, between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m. It was stipulated that the contestants must remain aloft one hour previous to the start for the statue.

MORE MEN WILL JOIN IN STRIKE OF EXPRESS HANDS

Vehicle Traffic in New York and New Jersey Threatened by Unions That Demand Higher Wages.

LITTLE DISORDER AND MANY WAGONS MOVED

Jeering Strikers and Sympathizers Taunt the Strike-breakers.

New York, Nov. 1.—Representatives of the express companies and the officials of the drivers' organizations of the city and state conferred at Jersey City this afternoon.

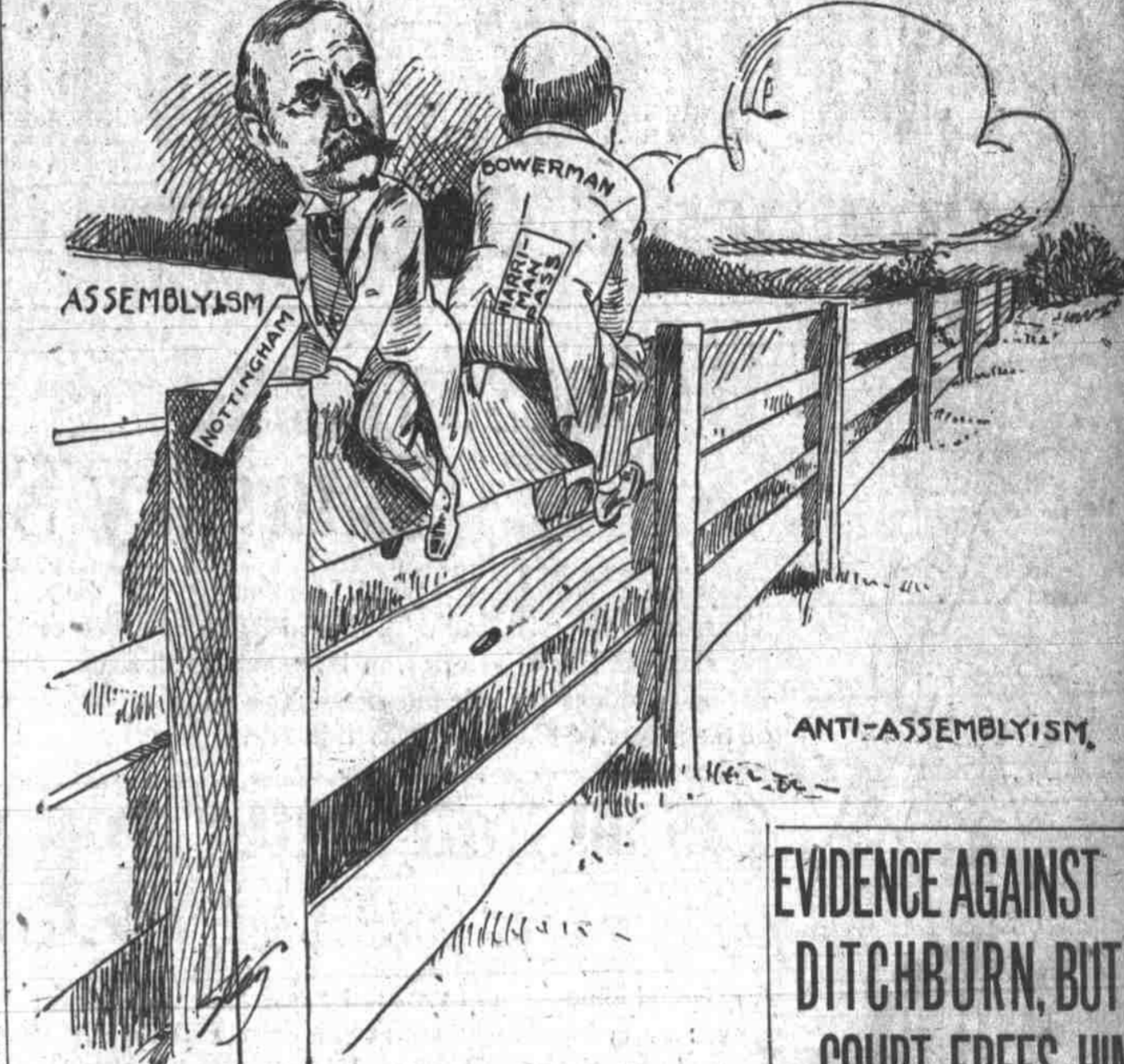
ROSENHEIMER ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE; JURYMEN BRIBED

Defendant Charged as Speed Fiend Who Killed Woman and Ran Away; Trial Interrupted by Bribe Scandal.

New York, Nov. 1.—George Yeandle, an architect, a juror in the case of Edward Rosenheimer, was arrested today, charged with having offered to "bribe" the jury for \$500.

Yeandle was a juror in the trial of Nan Patterson for the murder of "Caesar" Young. The police assert that "Timondoffer" told Osborne that Yeandle bribed the Patterson jury for \$500 and that he was willing to do the same thing in the Rosenheimer case.

STILL ON THE FENCE



SENTENCES GUILFORD TO SIX MONTHS IN COUNTY JAIL FOR ATTEMPTING BRIBERY

Howard A. Guilford was this morning sentenced by Judge J. P. Kavanaugh to six months' imprisonment in the county jail. Guilford was convicted of having attempted to bribe a juror in the W. Cooper Morris bank embezzlement trial last May.

IN "JOINDER'S" COMMITTEE DEPOSIT BILL WAS FIXED AS THORBURN ROSS WANTED

In the legislative session of 1907, when J. Thorburn Ross was so deeply interested in shaping legislation in the interest of his Title Guarantee & Trust bank, he was especially desirous of securing an enactment which would give him the handling of state funds.

Bank Clearings Continue to Show City's Prosperity. Starting the month with a gain of \$608,000 over the first day of November, 1909, this month promises to be a prosperous one in bank circles in Portland.

EVIDENCE AGAINST DITCHBURN, BUT COURT FREES HIM

One Witness Testifies He Saw Candidate for Judge Strike Attorney in Saloon; Judge Holds Statements Conflict.

Despite the conclusive testimony produced yesterday in the trial of John Ditchburn on the charge of assaulting John C. McFadden, an attorney of Cathlamet, Wash., in the barroom of the Elmore hotel last Thursday, the Republican candidate for circuit judge was declared not guilty in the decision rendered this morning by Municipal Judge Taswell.

DR. COOK CHEERS WELLMAN'S FEAT

Discredited Explorer Quoted in Letter Written by a Mutual Friend.

New York, Nov. 1.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, first American claimant of the discovery of the North Pole, has sent a message of congratulation to Walter Wellman, Arctic explorer and first aeronaut to attempt to cross the Atlantic in an airplane.