

DICTOGRAPH TO MAKE DEBUT IN MURDER TRIAL

Intense Interest Centers in Sensational Case Against Mrs. Carman, Which Began in Court at Mineola.

COURT ROOM JAMMED WITH EAGER CROWDS

Accused Woman Expected to Take Stand; State Claims Jealousy as Motive.

Mineola, N. Y., Oct. 19.—For the first time in American court annals a dictagraph will play the central part in a murder trial that opened here today. Mrs. Florence Carman, the beautiful wife of a prominent Freeport, L. I., physician, went to trial for her life on a charge of having shot and killed Mrs. Louise Bailey, a patient of her husband, while she was calling on the doctor in his office. The murder occurred June 30.

Motive Is Claimed. The state expects, by dictagraph records, which it has in its possession, to prove that Mrs. Carman had cause to be jealous of her husband. This, the district attorney expects, will supply a motive for the murder.

Will Aid Accused. Mrs. Carman's mother, Mrs. Platt Conklin, and her sister, Mrs. Ida Powell, were prepared to corroborate her statement that she was lying down in her bedroom at the time Mrs. Bailey was shot.

COHEN'S CONVICTION IN SUBORNATION OF PERJURY CASE HOLDS

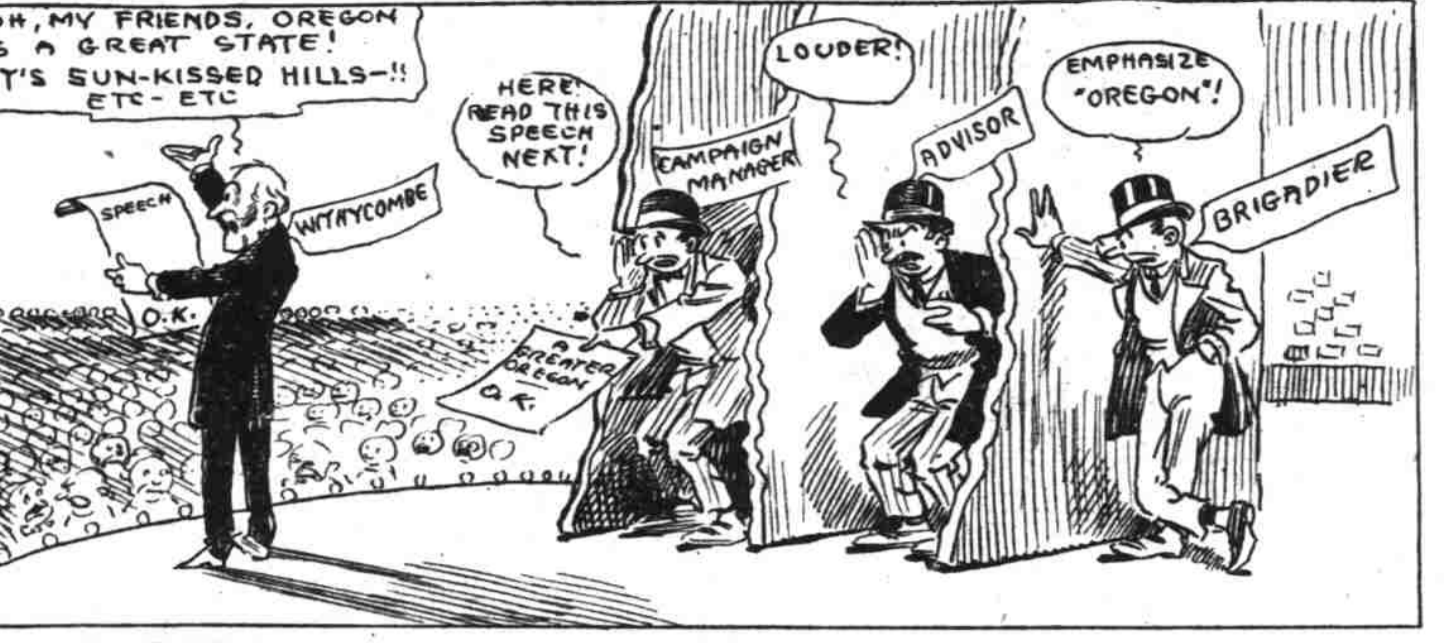
Supreme Court of United States Refuses to Review Action of Trial Court.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The conviction of Max Cohen of Portland, Or., for subornation of perjury in a case under the Mann act was upheld today by the supreme court of the United States when it refused to review the case.

Cohen was convicted of having persuaded Esther Wood to testify falsely at the trial of her husband. Cohen's appeal was based on the ground that his conviction was unlawful because the woman was coerced into testifying against her husband in an unlawful manner.

Government Wins Case. In an effort to aid Gronich Cohen visited Esther Wood and advised her to perjure herself on the stand, telling the woman that she was to say first thing to my meetings. Did it ever occur

IF OBEDIENT BEFORE ELECTION, OBEDIENT AFTER!



GOVERNOR WEST WILL PUT HIMSELF OUT TO ACCOMMODATE BOOTH

Answer to Republican's Challenge, Executive Says, Was Telegraphed at Once.

Salem, Or., Oct. 19.—Governor West today addressed the following letter to R. A. Booth, Republican candidate for United States senator: "This is to acknowledge receipt of your telegram of the 18th inst. in reference to meeting you in debate at the Portland Armory next Friday evening, and to say that you were advised through a telegram sent you Saturday evening that I was scheduled for a number of meetings in Portland and would divide my time at any of them with you."

After an absence of practically two years, Senator George E. Chamberlain arrived in Portland at 11:40 o'clock yesterday morning and was enthusiastically welcomed by a host of friends. As the senator stepped from the car his waiting friends vociferously cheered him.

Say Russians Lost 40,000 at Przemysl

Situation From Austrian Standpoint Declared to Be Excellent, Though Accounts of Siege Conflict. Vienna, via Amsterdam, Oct. 19.—The Russians have already lost 40,000 men in unsuccessful attempts to storm Przemysl, it was officially announced here today. It was added that they were still losing heavily. The situation, from the Austrian standpoint, was declared excellent.

BIG FREIGHTER BURNS IN RIVER; LOSS IS HEAVY

Ignition of Fuel Oil Believed to Have Caused Fire in Steamship Santa Catalina Near St. Helens.

FLAMES STILL RAGING IN BIG STEEL VESSEL

One Fireman Is Incinerated, Others Escape Without Even Their Clothes.

Still burning amidships, the big \$700,000 steam steel freighter Santa Catalina of the W. R. Grace company lies on a sandspit at Columbia City, two miles below St. Helens, virtually a total loss from fire, which, starting in the fireroom yesterday afternoon, spread with such rapidity that the officers had just time to beach her and escape without saving so much as their clothes.

Loss Not Yet Known. Just what the actual loss will be is not known. With the fire still raging, it could not be determined whether the hull could be saved.

Fire Is Amidships. The fire is confined to the stoke rooms and the refrigerating space amidships. It is fed by thousands of barrels of crude oil from the starboard tank, which burst soon after the blaze began.

GERMANS ARE PUSHED BACK TO NORTHWARD, SAYS FRENCH REPORT

Indications Are That Congress Will Adjourn Wednesday or Thursday—Cotton Men Appeal for Amendment.

Greece Sends Troops To Scene of Quake

Two Cities Said to Have Been Destroyed and Large Number of People Killed and Left Homeless.

Rome, Oct. 19.—The Greek government has sent troops, according to reports received today from Athens, into the district about Thebes to relieve the sufferers from Saturday's earthquake, in which it is reported large numbers of people were killed and many cities were destroyed.

German Bullets Are Humane, He Avers

Roosevelt's Son-in-Law, at Work in Paris Hospital, Finds They Make Clean, Healthy Wounds.

Women Voters Can Secure Information

All women voters interested in the candidacy of Dr. C. J. Smith for governor should campaign for law enforcement, are requested to communicate with headquarters of the Portland and Women's Smith-for-gov. club.

DUNKIRK ATTACK FAILS; JAP CRUISER BLOWN UP; FRENCH SINK SUBMARINE

Strongly Optimistic Statement Given Out at Bordeaux, Stating Allies Have Repulsed Germans, Belgians Having Advanced to Roulers; Japanese Loss of Life Is Heavy.

NEW INVASION OF FRANCE IS SOON STOPPED

Bordeaux, Oct. 19.—The war office gave out a strongly optimistic statement today concerning developments in the allies' western campaign against the Germans.

On our left, between the River Lys and the La Basse canal, we have advanced in the direction of Lille.

Extremely obstinate conflicts are occurring in front of La Basse Ablain and St. Nazaire. We are advancing, house by house, in these localities, to the north and south of Arras.

On our right, in Alsace, to the west of Colmar, our advance guards are on a line with Bonhomme, Sulzern, and farther south we still hold our previously reported positions.

WAR SUMMARY BY J. W. T. MASON

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New York, Oct. 19.—Intimations from Berlin and Paris that the fighting in the extreme north of France and northwestern Belgium was approaching a crisis reflected a very tense situation today in this battle area.

The fortified position of Dunkirk would be an admirable channel base for such an advance, but while it remains in the allies' possession an attempt by the Kaiser to push southward would be dangerous unless he should, as at Maubeuge, simply invest Dunkirk and proceed with his other operations while the siege progressed.

Between the Germans and Dunkirk there is a far larger force of the allies than there was of Belgians and British in Antwerp, and this undoubtedly explains the confidence evidently felt in Paris.

The Germans, too, have been checked since they occupied Ostend, which suggests that the allies' confidence in allied reinforcements than the Germans have been able to bring up.

Apparently General von Boehm has not other direction, toward the German line of communications, if they succeed, the Kaiser must relinquish much French territory he now occupies.

WAR TAX BILL NOW BEFORE THE HOUSE

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Washington, Oct. 19.—The war tax bill as adopted by the senate late Saturday was presented to the house today. Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia threatened to use his influence with southern members of the lower house to start a filibuster to prevent the bill from passing unless his cotton currency amendment is attached.

MINE OPERATORS BALK

Washington, Oct. 19.—President Wilson admitted to callers today, for the first time, that Colorado operators had refused his three year truce plan, and that modifications eliminating all its essential features.

LIGHT CRUISER SUNK BY MINE OFF KIAO CHAU

Tokyo, Oct. 19.—Hitting a floating German mine off Kiao Chau bay, the Japanese light cruiser Takachiho was sent to the bottom, with the loss of 344 of its crew of 357, it was announced here today.

No further details of the disaster were made public. The Takachiho was built in 1885. It was of 3700 tons displacement and had a maximum speed of 18.3 knots.

About 20 Japanese sailors were also drowned as a result of a typhoon off the Shantung coast.

The same storm did considerable damage on land.

AUSTRIAN DIVER SUNK

London, Oct. 19.—The French cruiser Waldeck-Rousseau has sunk an Austrian submarine in the Adriatic, north of Cattaro, it was stated today in messages received here from Paris.

An earlier report from Cetinje, Montenegro, spoke of the lost vessel as a destroyer.

Later information was that two submarines attacked the Waldeck-Rousseau, which was conveying transports; two Austrian vessels were sighted from the cruiser's deck, and one of them was sunk by a broadside, while the second sheered off and escaped.

Seizure of Tanker Will Be Opposed

England's Right to Stop and Search Vessel for Contraband Cargo Admitted, However, by Officials.

Washington, Oct. 19.—It was evident today that the administration intends to vigorously oppose the seizure by the British converted cruiser Caronia of the Standard Oil tanker Brindilla at Halifax, but to leave to the admiralty court the question of the Brindilla's alleged contraband cargo.

Officials here said that if the vessel carried contraband, England had a right to stop and search her, but it was denied that England has the right to board the vessel itself, as reported. The Brindilla formerly was the German steamer Washington.

Is Brand Whitlock Now Out of a Job?

London, Oct. 17.—Persistent reports in circulation in diplomatic circles here say that German officials have intimated to the United States Minister Brand Whitlock that as Belgium is now conquered, country, under German rule, his diplomatic mission has ended, but that the Germans would be delighted to have him remain in Brussels as a private citizen.

Dry Goods Sales Show Increase

Complete Recovery of Wholesale Market Announced; European Agents Placing Secret Orders for Goods.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 19.—Complete recovery of the wholesale dry goods market from the depression that immediately followed the beginning of European hostilities was announced today by local dry goods wholesalers. The dealers pointed out that their sales during August and September exceeded by 15 per cent those of a corresponding period in 1913. It was declared the unusual activity was indicative of a large spring trade in 1915.

Automobile sales have equalled those of the first 10 months of last year. Agents of the warring nations are said to be numerous here, placing secret orders in many lines.

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