

TIMONY FAVORS MRS. HOWARD GOULD

Further testimony given today by Elijah Sells, daughter Marjorie in the divorce hearing. Sells testified that he had never seen her under the influence of liquor to act otherwise than in a sane manner. Mrs. Gould never had more than one cocktail, a single wine and two cordials at the time she believed Mrs. Gould was a wronged woman and he would do all he could to put her on the public.

Several meetings between Mrs. Gould and Farnum. Always there was some other person present at these meetings. Miss Sells testified to having been at Washington with Mrs. Gould and of meeting Farnum there. She, Mrs. Gould and Farnum lunched together. Miss Sells said she and Mrs. Gould occupied adjoining rooms that night.

On cross-examination Miss Sells developed a bad memory. She did, however, remember that Mrs. Gould and Farnum lunched alone while the witness took a drive around town. This ended the hearing.

WHEAT MARKETS

Portland, Oct. 30.—Wheat is unchanged.

Tacoma, Oct. 30.—Bluestem, 22; club, 87; red, 85.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Wheat closed: December, \$1.00 1-2; May, \$1.04; July, 83 3-8.

SCRIBER SPIRITED AWAY FROM MOB

Portland, Oct. 29.—Spirited away from LaGrande because of the anonymous threats of lynching which Deputy United States Marshal Hammersley says he heard, J. W. Scriber, under arrest for misappropriating the funds of the Farmers' and Traders' National Bank of LaGrande, was brought to Portland tonight many hours ahead of the scheduled time of Deputy Hammersley.

Hammersley says that in order to avert the possibility of violence, the sheriff of Union county has had Scriber under heavy guard for several days.

Scriber freely confesses the misappropriation of the funds of the bank. He talked freely of the charge against him tonight, and assumed all responsibility. He declared, however, that "they cannot find I appropriated any of the money to my own use; or that I speculated with any of it or squandered one cent of it. It all went in an effort to save the bank."

The ex-cashier did not, however, explain in what manner he disposed of the bank's funds or what he meant by his allusion to his effort to save the bank.

Scriber's shortage is now estimated at \$125,000.

OCCASIONAL RAIN TOMORROW'S FORECAST

Oregon—Occasional rain tonight and Saturday. Cooler tonight.

Washington—Occasional rain tonight and Saturday. Cooler interior west portion tonight.

Ohio—Occasional rain tonight and Saturday.

FAMOUS PITCHER WILL SPEAK FOR BRYAN

New York, Oct. 28.—"Christy" Matthewson, the famous pitcher of the New York National league baseball team, will be one of the speakers at a democratic mass meeting in the Twenty-third Assembly District tonight. John J. Hayes, winner of the Marathon race at London, and a number of other members of the Olympic team will occupy places on the platform.

Portland streetcars will, in about a week, resume business at the old stand—the far crossing—says President B. S. Josselyn of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. He has been led to return to the old system as a result of the endless complaint against the stopping of the cars at the near crossing.

MACK MAKES CHARGES BECAUSE OIL KING DECLARES FOR TAFT

Chicago, Oct. 30.—A special dispatch to the Record-Herald says that John D. Rockefeller, president of the Standard Oil Company, in an interview tells why he intends to vote for Taft. In short, he says Taft is temperamentally superior to Bryan; that he is not a man to venture with rash experiments or impede the return of industrial progress.

MACK MAKES CHARGES

New York, Oct. 30.—Charges are made by Chairman Mack, of the Democratic National committee, that Rockefeller's declaration for Taft is the result of a deal between the Republican National Committee and the Standard Oil Company whereby the campaign committee received a large campaign contribution and Rockefeller the promises. Mack said that undoubtedly the \$29,000,000 fine of the Standard Oil Company will be fixed up in the event Taft is elected, as part of the bargain; that Rockefeller's declaration is good for at least 100,000 votes in the doubtful state.

Chairman Mack says the Republicans now have the oil trust and steel trust arrayed with them, calling attention to Andrew Carnegie's declaration yesterday that Bryan's election would be a national tragedy, and asserted that he has learned that the Republican campaign committee has a campaign fund of \$3,000,000, and of this sum \$2,000,000 is being used for coercion and bribery. The chairman further stated that \$200,000 of the Republican campaign fund has been sent into Indiana and more than that into Ohio.

ON THE HOME STRETCH

New York, Oct. 30.—Taft and Bryan almost had a hand-to-hand struggle last night for the support of Syracuse and Onondaga county, Taft speaking at two meetings and Bryan at four. They parted company today, and probably will not come within point-blank range again during the campaign. Taft remains in the holy-contested territory of New York state, while Bryan goes to take a hand in the final fight of the Democrats for the electoral votes of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois.

Bryan travelled through Ohio today, delivering speeches at various places. Oneida, Rome, Utica and Batavia were among the places on Taft's schedule today, with a night meeting at Buffalo.

Indiana is the centre of activity of Candidate Chafin. The Independence party campaign, it was announced today, will be closed in a big meeting in Brooklyn tonight, and another tomorrow night in Manhattan.

ACCIDENT TO MACHINE BUT WRIGHT ESCAPED

Lemans, Oct. 29.—While Willbur Wright, the American aviator, was making a flight this morning, the motor of his machine exploded. Wright landed without injury and the aeroplane was not otherwise damaged.

STORMED JAIL AND HANGED PRISONER

Kingston, Tenn., Oct. 30.—A mob of about 30 masked men attacked the

BRYAN COMMENTS ON DECLARATION OF ROCKEFELLER

Napoleon, Ohio, Oct. 30.—Mr. Bryan gave out a statement today commenting on John D. Rockefeller's declaration that he would vote for Mr. Taft. Bryan says he is not surprised, and adds that there are several things in the statement deserving of attention. Bryan declares that Rockefeller is for Taft because Taft is in sympathy with the trusts. The Democratic candidate says that Taft has been making speeches for several weeks, but he has not dwelt on the trust question. "No wonder Rockefeller is for Taft," Bryan asserts that Rockefeller's statement that Taft's election will make for law and order is false. Rockefeller's corporation, Bryan declares, is the most notorious lawbreaker in the United States, and Rockefeller is for Taft because he does not want the law enforced.

"If he thought Taft would enforce the law against the Standard Oil Co. and favored the enactment of more stringent laws against the Standard Oil Company, as I do, he would not be for Taft."

Bryan says Rockefeller thinks Mr. Taft's election would enable the trusts to get a greater hold on the American people; that Taft does not favor any remedial legislation; does not propose remedies; simply glories in the past and wants to leave conditions as they are.

Bryan thinks the Democrats have reason to be grateful to Rockefeller for tearing the mask off the Republican campaign and revealing the duplicity that has characterized it.

ORIGINAL COST OF OREGON ROADS IS DETERMINED

Salem, Or., Oct. 29.—The Oregon Railroad Commission has just completed an investigation of the original cost and cost of reproduction of the lines of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company and of the Corvallis & Eastern. Two sources of information were resorted to—the records of the builders of the railroads and the estimates of a competent engineer who has gone over the property carefully and computed the cost

WHITE GIRL IN BONDAGE OF HEATHEN CHINEE

Passengers on Train Aroused By Its Appeal for Help

Ogden, Oct. 30.—Passengers on the westbound train leaving here this morning appealed to the local authorities to release a 14-year-old white girl from the bondage of a Chinaman and a white woman. The girl had cried for assistance but was not allowed to leave her berth. The passengers took up a subscription with which to send messages to the Chicago newspapers to find out if a child answering such a description had been abducted, and the local officers were notified, but acted too late.

Superintendent Mason ordered the railroad detectives at Monticello, a hundred miles west of here, to investigate and if advisable to accompany the child to San Francisco and there make further investigation.

RIDGLEY ABSOLVED MORSE FROM WRONG

Controller Desired to Go Into Business With the Defendant

New York, Oct. 30.—Charles W. Morse, the financier who is being tried for violation of the National banking laws, denied the statement alleged to have been made by him to A. H. Curtis, his co-defendant, that he had "busted" the National Bank of North America. Morse started to explain that the bank was never "busted" when he was stopped by objection of the prosecution. The prosecution also succeeded in excluding a conversation between Morse and Comptroller of the Currency Ridgley.

Ex-Congressman Littlefield, counsel for Morse, stated to the court that by this conversation he desired to prove that Ridgley not only absolved Morse from all responsibility regarding the condition of the bank, but even discussed going into the banking business with Morse.

of reproducing the road at the present time.

From the report of the O. R. & N. Company it appears that the total original cost of production and equipment, including betterments and additions for lines operated within the State of Oregon, excluding the Columbia Southern, Columbia river and Oregon Central and the Umatilla Central, was \$33,297,827.73. The estimate of the engineer as to the cost of reproduction of the lines and the equipment is \$35,067,195, but this does not include right of way and depot grounds, which amount to \$290,000, making the estimated cost of reproduction, \$35,337,195.

It will thus be seen that the estimated cost of reproduction is a little over \$2,000,000 more than the cost of the road and equipment up to date. The estimate provides for steel bridges.

Wallis Nash Gives Figures. The original records of the construction of the Corvallis & Eastern are not available, but the Commission took the testimony of Wallis Nash, who disbursed in round num-



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER. Standard Oil King who has declared For Taft.



NORMAN E. MACK. Chairman of the Democratic National committee, who makes ugly charges in connection with Rockefeller's support of Taft.

Roanoke county jail and shot to death George Cook, charged with the murder of John King. The identity of none of the mob is known.

Benjamin Hayden, one of the pathfinders to California in 1849, and a pioneer who crossed the plains to Oregon in 1852, died yesterday at Salem, at the age of 86 years.

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