

ELECTRIC CHAIR AWAITS THUGS

JURY RETURNS VERDICT WHICH DEPOSES MURDERER

Actual Killing of Herman Rosenthal Is Credited to Four Perfumed Bandits—Men Were Confident of Acquittal—Justice Goff Instructs the Jury to Bring in a Verdict of Guilty

United Press Service
NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—The jury in the case against the four gunmen charged with the murder of Herman Rosenthal, returned a verdict this afternoon of guilty of first degree murder. Sentence will be imposed at 10:10 tomorrow morning.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—The fate of the four gunmen charged with the murder of Herman Rosenthal is in the hands of the jury this afternoon. The case was concluded before noon, and it is considered that a quick verdict will be returned.

Justice Goff's charge virtually directed the jury to convict.

Like campaign managers on the eve of an election, both sides were confidently proclaiming victory this afternoon. The four defendants, serene in the belief that they have demonstrated their innocence at least on the charge of the Rosenthal murder, left the court room with their guards laughing loudly over a cartoon which represented them as unsophisticated farmers being shown about New York by a guide in the person of Jack Rose.

Upon the part of those who have followed the trial throughout a disagreement of the jury is the outside limit to the hopes of the accused men. They have told a remarkable story of the events of the early morning of July 16, which, though it was not broken down by the state, will be lacking in serio confirmation by any witnesses aside from those directly interested in the verdict which the jury will render.

The issue in the final analysis there fore narrows down to a question of veracity between Jack Rose, "Bridgy" Webber, Harry Vallon and Sam Scheppe on one side and "Lefty" Louis, "Whitey" Lewis and "Dago" Frank on the other.

The group led by Jack Rose say the gunmen did the shooting. The gunmen swear back that Rose and his crowd are the guilty persons.

TRIAL WILL BE OVER NEXT YEAR

CASE AGAINST LABOR LEADERS CHARGED WITH ILLEGALLY TRANSPORTING EXPLOSIVE TO DRAG ALONG INTO JANUARY

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 19.—United States District Attorney Miller hopes that Ortie McManigal will be able to resume the stand tomorrow or Thursday to testify in the trial in which labor leaders are charged with the illegal transportation of dynamite. It now seems certain that the trial will last until the middle of January.

Eula Hitchcock, a California female detective, testified that she had served a subpoena on Mrs. Caplan to testify in the McManigal trial. Three days later Johansson took the woman and her child in an automobile to Reno, Nev.

YOUNG PRISONER HIDES IDENTITY

ARRESTED AND SENTENCED FOR FORGERY, HE KEEPS HIS NAME A SECRET UNTIL THE DEATH OF HIS FATHER

BRUSSELS, Nov. 18.—The Belgian public is generally interested in the mysterious case of an intelligent and apparently well born young man who ten years ago was sentenced to prison for forgery, under the name of Coubere. It was learned while he was in prison that Coubere was not his real name, and he was urged to disclose the right one, but refused.

He has just been arrested for the sixteenth time, and refused once more to reveal his identity. He told the judge that he would not give his name so long as his father was living.

CITY CONVULSED OVER EXPOSURES OF DEGENERACY

FIFTEEN MEN ARE NOW UNDER ARREST IN PORTLAND

Y. M. C. A. Officers Attempt to Clear Their Skirts—Committee Is Appointed to Collect Evidence—About Forty People Are Suspected of Being Involved in the Scandal.

PORTLAND, Nov. 19.—Fifteen men are in jail and there are about

forty suspects in the scandal recently made public by the confessions of young boys.

The Y. M. C. A. has appointed a committee of seven prominent business men to secure evidence to show that the organization has not been involved in the scandal.

The city is convulsed, not knowing who will be accused next.

Among those under arrest are Jack Rigo, gypsy violinist at a local cafe; B. Thornton and C. D. Bronner, proprietors of the A B C restaurant at 442 Washington street; B. Healy, a clerk in a florist's establishment; H. L. Rowe, credit man for one of the big wholesale hardware firms; Earl Van Hulen, an employe of the chamber of commerce; William Holman, a drug clerk; Earl Brown, clerk on one of the docks; Lionel Deane, an architect; Robert Johnson, clerk in one of the large clothing stores, and E. Taylor, a moving picture house employe.

The facts in the possession of the officers who have conducted the investigation are most revealing.

The victims of the vice clique were gathered from among the ranks of elevator boys, hotel clerks, salesmen and other walks of life. A downtown apartment house, the residence of a coterie of the men imprisoned, was used as a den of corruption so vile as to keep it from being even faintly described.

OREGON CROPS ARE THE BEST

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE ISSUES STATEMENT GIVING THIS STATE BIG BOOST—COLORADO MAKES GOOD SHOWING

None of the far western states save Colorado make a showing in crop conditions as good as that of Oregon. Compared with last year, the department of agriculture finds the average yield of all crops to be as follows:

Oregon	116
Utah	111
Wyoming	110
Nevada	103
California	103
Washington	100
Idaho	98
Arizona	96
Montana	92
New Mexico	91
Colorado	128

But as compared with the average Colorado's condition is 98, while Oregon's is 117, in which that state again stands first with the one exception of Nevada, 126. Oregon reports 31.4 bushels of corn per acre, while the far Western division averages 23.7, and the United States 29.3. The quality of Oregon wheat is 92, compared with 86.1 for the entire country and 77.6 for the far West. Only Oklahoma, Arizona and Rhode Island raise better corn than Oregon, which will produce 630,000 bushels this year.

The potato yield is 155 bushels per acre. In 1911 it was 130, and the average for ten years was 113. Production amounts to 10,385,000 bushels, quality 92 per cent. The wheat surplus of Oregon is estimated at 14,938,000 bushels.

INSANE MAN CAPTURED LOS ANGELES POLICE STATION

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 19.—Albert Davis of Long Beach, supposedly insane, and armed with a box of dynamite, entered the police station and announced that he intended to blow up President Shoup of the Pacific Electric company. He turned the box on the officers, who tried to seize him, and ordered them from the building.

For thirty minutes Davis held undisputed possession of the police station.

All of the buildings within a block of the station were cleared of people, and the streets in the vicinity were closed to traffic.

Finally the man was captured by a ruse. Detective Hoshick crept up behind Davis and knocked him unconscious with a blow on the head.

All of Davis' pockets were filled with dynamite. When he recovered consciousness he refused to talk.

W. J. PROUDFOOT PASSES AWAY

W. J. Proudfoot, federal stock inspector and well known in this city, died in Lakeview Saturday night after a brief illness.

He was taken sick several days ago, and was given the very best of medical attention at the Hotel Lakeview.

Mr. Proudfoot was a member of the local lodge of Elks.

Miss Hunsaker to Wed

A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Harry L. Smith and Miss Vesta Hunsaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hunsaker, and well known here. Miss Hunsaker is 17 years of age, and the issuance of the license was briefly delayed until her parents' consent could be secured.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

[Communications sent to the Moral Aid for publication in this department should not exceed 200 words in length and must be accompanied by the name and address of the sender.]

Editor Republican:

The disposal of the old court house ground appears to be under discussion from various sources, and wish to make a suggestion from a different standpoint of any yet advanced in print.

From a strictly business basis it would appear proper to dispose of the block to the best advantage for the highest possible price, and apply the proceeds toward the payment of the new court house, and it was one of the arguments used in favor of moving the court house site. The people of the whole county at large, according to wealth and taxable property are equally interested in the ownership of the block, or old site, and have an equal right to the distribution of its value for community purposes.

To set it aside for a park or market purposes as has been proposed would no doubt give the people of the county just cause to think, and express their feelings, that they had been unjustly forced into giving the city something at the expense of the whole community, when the city ought by right put up the entire cost from its own coffers, considering the city would be the greatest beneficiary.

The stock, timber and lumbering interest, which pay the bulk of the taxes, do not care for a market, much less for a park, as they have no personal use for either. Then would it be advisable to ask or compel the major portion of the taxpayers to pay for about \$60,000 worth of property or the sole use of the city and a small handful of farmers who chance to live near enough to the city to market their produce in small quantities? Certainly not.

It might be argued that the property is already paid for, but if it is and not used for the purposes intended, a like or similar amount would have to be provided for, presumably by taxation, which meets with the same stress on the pocketbook.

The best results are not always obtained by selling to the highest bidder, as there are a very few persons that can upon the spur of the moment take over a property to the amount of, say, \$60,000, and these men may, and often do, combine as bidders to the disadvantage of the seller. Better bargains are often made by way of part down and part deferred payments, with interest at a rate that would equal or exceed the obligation that would have to be assumed.

The property would no doubt be a great addition to the beauty and benefit of the city as a park, but is the city in a financial condition to purchase the same? If not, how long would it be before it would be? Would it be advisable to loan it to the city for a number of years, with a view of receiving an increased price? It is a very doubtful problem. No shrewd business man would desire to undertake such a venture with the expectation that after a series of years he would receive an additional price that would pay the interest on the present value. It certainly would not if it should be idle as a park or market, while it probably would if brick buildings were erected and commercial business established thereon.

There is ample room and natural resources in sight for both a great country and city, but at the same time each should assume its own responsibilities by dealing square with each other, by neither taking nor appropriating what belongs to the other on any pretext whatever.

Fully remembering that the future growth and prosperity of the city depends materially on the prosperous condition of the country. The city cannot exist without the country, but the country can exist without the city. The country can make another city, but the city cannot create another country. Then why not deal fair, and not ask that the country appropriate funds for the city's use?

Last, but not least, the present county court by all terms of legal morality, is expected to build a new court house by their pre-election pledges and by the voters and taxpayers placing them in office on that platform. The voters were informed and expressly promised during that campaign that they would build a court house upon the new site, and that the old grounds could and would be sold, which would probably pay one-third or one-half the cost of the construction of the new building, and the voters rendered their verdict accordingly. It does not seem wise nor expedient to put the voters nor the court in a position where they are compelled to violate election pledges. It does not seem possible that any well informed, public spirited citizen would intimate or expect to induce

request, coerce or compel this court or say other to repudiate its solemn pledges to the voters who have the bills to pay.

Under these conditions it would appear the best mode of disposing of this property would be to sell, either for cash or deferred payments, any way to get the best price, and apply the proceeds on construction of the new court house in order to legally and morally fulfill all pre-election pledges and meet the exact expectations of all the taxpayers who supported the present county officers with the explicit understanding that such a course would be pursued and with the full expectation that it will be. Respectfully yours,

R. A. EMMITT.

MANY FAVOR SELLING GROUND

SMALL PERCENTAGE OF VOTERS REPLY TO LETTERS RECENTLY SENT OUT BY THE KLAMATH COUNTY COURT

Although every registered voter in the county, with the exception of 275, have been asked to express an opinion as to the advisability of selling court house square, but 459 replies have been received. Of these 253 were favorable to the plan to sell the property and 197 favored keeping it. This afternoon the remainder of the notices, 275, will be sent out.

POWERS LAND FORCES IN THE OTTOMAN CAPITAL

AMERICAN VESSEL LANDS BUT A HALF DOZEN MEN

Turks Seem to Be Getting a New Start, But the Cholera is Raging, and It is Feared That Europe is Threatened With Epidemic—Servians Capture Monastir After a Terrific Struggle

LONDON, Nov. 18.—Two thousand marines and blue jackets were landed in Constantinople this afternoon from the warships of the powers.

The Scorpion sent only six Americans. The British sent 116 men.

Cholera Increasing
CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 18.—Cholera among the Turkish troops is increasing at the rate of 5,000 daily.

Turks Win

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 18.—An official dispatch to the Turkish ambassador here says that the Turks gained a complete victory yesterday.

Turks Captured

LONDON, Nov. 18.—The surrender of Monastir to the Servians is reported from Belgrade. Three Turkish generals and 45,000 soldiers were captured.

Report Confirmed

LONDON, Nov. 18.—Late dispatches confirm the capture of Monastir. The Servians lost heavily, and fought days knee deep in marshes.

Many Victims

VIENNA, Nov. 18.—The correspondent for the Frankfort Gazette says that Turkish soldiers are dying with their guns in their hands. The railroad tracks are lined with corpses.

Porte Makes Charge

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 18.—The Porte has informed eGrmany that the Servians and Greeks have been guilty of many atrocities. It is charged that Albanian prisoners of war and non-combatants have been murdered.

VIENNA, Nov. 18.—Several facts seem to corroborate Turkey's claim that the Bulgarians have been checked in front of Constantinople. Ottoman diplomats in Europe have changed their attitude. Heretofore they clamored for intervention. They now say that they are in no hurry.

Experts agree that the situation points toward a more speedy ending of the struggle. They believe that Turkey will accept any reasonable offer.

Foreign physicians in Constantinople say that the cholera is the worst since the epidemic started, and that all Europe is threatened. It is reported that 13,000 Turkish soldiers died last week from the disease.

SERVIANS AND TURKS SLAIN IN BIG FIGHT

PARIS, Nov. 19.—A telegram from Uskub says that 20,000 Turks and Servians were slain in a battle which lasted three days, and which preceded the capture of Monastir.

Military experts here are inclined to doubt the accuracy of this report.

It is further added in the message from Uskub that the Servians had captured \$10,000,000 in cash after the city had fallen.

UGOY STORIES ON BUSINESS MEN

SCANDAL IN THE ROSE CITY IS NOW SPREADING

Most of the Accused Business Men Have Made Confessions, and One Man Makes an Attempt to Take His Own Life—Well Known Orchestra Leader Is the Only One to Keep His Mouth Shut

Scandal Spreading
United Press Service

PORTLAND, Nov. 18.—The Multnomah county grand jury has started an investigation of the vice confessions. Three more men have been arrested and four more John Doe warrants have been sworn to. The officials have suddenly become non-committal. The scandal is spreading.

PORTLAND, Nov. 18.—As a result of confessions made here by young boys, W. H. Allen is recovering from the effects of chloroform, taken in the Y. M. C. A. building here with suicidal intent; Jack Rigo, a gypsy violinist, and eight other prominent business men are under arrest, under \$5,000 bonds, charged with illicit conduct with the youngsters.

All of the accused have confessed except Rigo, who is famous throughout the country because of his escapade with Princess Chimay a few years ago. It is reported that two prominent physicians have been arrested, but this cannot be confirmed. The details of the affair are of such nature as to be unprintable. A wholesale roundup of the men who have become involved in the disclosures of widespread degenerate practices recently published was begun Saturday by Sheriff Stevens and his deputies. The list of suspects has been multiplied several times over by the confessions of those already implicated, and the authorities decided that the time for a vigorous stroke could no longer be delayed. Armed with John Doe warrants, the sheriff and his deputies began the raid in two automobiles, and those arrested were hustled at once to the county jail and locked up.

Juvenile Judge Gatens brought Sheriff Stevens into the case, and after a brief consultation the arrests were decided upon.

"I think there is no other course for me to pursue," declared the judge. "For three days the juvenile officers have been bringing in first one man and then another as the investigation developed. The surprising thing is that in a majority of cases the accused readily confesses, making a clean breast of the most revolting practices."

"Because of the persistent confessions, I have no shadow of doubt that our worst suspicions are correct, and that practically all of those implicated by the confessions of the others are guilty. For that reason I ordered a general cleanup."

Between thirty and forty John Doe warrants were issued and placed in the hands of Sheriff Stevens and his deputies for service on the accused men. As quickly as arrests are made the prisoners will be taken before Judge Gatens as committing magistrate and placed in jail until they can

diagnose the case.

GENOA, Italy, Nov. 18.—The police have been notified that robbers have just stolen from the Sanctuary della Guardia, on Monte Biagno, the relics of four saints which were enclosed in cases heavily studded with jewels and precious stones. An attempt also was made to carry away the altar of the Madonna, which is covered also with jewels and precious stones, but without success.

The shrine is one of the most famous in Italy, dominating the valley of Polcevera, and is the mecca of thousands of pilgrims every year.

ATROCIOUS CRIME AROUSES PEOPLE

FUNERAL OF CHILD VICTIM IS ATTENDED BY SCHOOL CHILDREN—POLICE BELIEVE MURDERER IS WEALTHY

United Press Service
BUFFALO, Nov. 18.—Joseph Josephs, the 7-year-old victim of a maniac, was buried from St. Charles church today. The city schools were closed. The mother collapsed and was unable to attend the funeral.

Proof has been secured that the child was tortured before murdered. Police Chief Gibson of Lackawana, where the boy was slain, thinks that a wealthy, highly educated man slew the youth. The murderer has sent post cards in which he confesses to four murders and twelve attempts to assault children.

