

KILL ORCHARD'S TESTIMONY

Rockefeller So Rich He Fears to Tell the Truth

STRIKE

THREATENS

CHICAGO

A HIGH HANDED ACT

Western Union Employee Discharged For Showing Letter He Had Received From San Francisco Regarding Strike—His Fellow Operators Angry

Chicago, June 29.—Wm. W. Main, an operator in the main office of the Western Union, was discharged this morning for having shown a letter from San Francisco, containing a list of the non-union operators who are working there. The rank and file are clamoring for a strike here to compel his reinstatement. Secretary Russell is holding the men in check. It is believed the men will walk out Monday, if Main is not reinstated. Main has been employed by the company for 17 years.

A grievance committee has been appointed to demand Main's reinstatement. The company has not re-

plied to their request for a conference. It is generally believed a failure to consider the demand will result in a walk-out tonight or tomorrow.

To Fill Goode's Place.

Baltimore, Md., June 29.—Benjamin S. Jesselyn has been selected as the successor the late H. W. Goode, as president of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. New York and Philadelphia banking interests controlling the company, selected Mr. Jesselyn for the place and he will be formally elected next Saturday. He has just resigned as vice-president of the Baltimore Electric and Maryland Telephone Companies. He will leave for Portland next Sunday, and take immediate charge of the Portland company.

Mr. Jesselyn will succeed C. M. Clarke, of Philadelphia, as president of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. Mr. Clarke was elected by the board of directors shortly after the death of H. W. Goode, the first president of the merged corporations controlling the light, power and traction interests in and around Portland.

Mr. Jesselyn is a native of Illinois, but has lived in the West most of his life. He is very popular here, and it was with much regret that the directors of the companies named above accepted his resignation.

Mr. Jesselyn is a comparatively young man, not much over 40.

TESTIFY

ORCHARD

HAS LIED

NOT IN WARDNER

Three Witnesses Swear Positively That Orchard Was In Wallace On the Day of the Explosion and One That He Played Poker With Him That Day

Boise, June 29.—Thomas Flynn, of Mullan, a cigar dealer, declared that Orchard lied when he said he was in Wardner at the time the Bunker Hill and Sullivan mines were blown up, April 27, 1899. He said at that time Orchard was in his cigar store playing poker. He swore positively that Orchard didn't leave the store until the afternoon of the day the mill was blown up. The reason he remembered was the game was an unusually stiff one for that section. He stuck closely to this story under a strict cross examination.

Patrick McHale, a bartender in Mullan, swore he knew Orchard in the Cour D'Alenes, and played cards with Orchard the day the mill was blown up.

Frank Haugh, a painter, of Wallace, lived in Gem in 1899, and was in the bull pen two months with Jack Simpkins. Did not know and never could find out what he was arrested for. There were 300 others arrested at the time. The men were compelled to sleep two in a bunk, and suffered greatly from illness. Haugh said Simpkins was taken out of the bull pen, and stood up against the wall six hours in a broiling sun for violating the rules. He tried to sit down, and negro soldiers made him stand up by bayoneting him. Witness told of conditions there at length, the purpose of the defense being to show that Simpkins and others arrested at the time had cause to hate Steunenberg.

J. H. Ramsey, a stage driver, testified that he lived in Murray, Idaho, and knew Orchard. He saw him after the Bunker Hill explosion, when he tried to sell his interest in the Hercules mine, saying he wanted to get out of the country before the troops arrived. The witness offered his sixteenth interest for \$400. Ramsey's story is absolutely contradicted by that Orchard, who swore he had disposed of his interest to Dan Cardoner several weeks before.

James Baker, a former member of the executive of the miners' federation, and Wm. Amole, of Denver, formerly of Victor, each told of being abused and ordered out of the district by the military. Amole testified that Major McClelland, commanding the troops, threatened to assault him, but Amole defied him. After his release he started for Colorado Springs, but was held up by four masked men who walked him for six miles down the Canyon City road, beat him with revolvers and a whip and nearly killed him. They told him to get out of the district, and stay out. He did so, and has never been back since.

Maurice Friedman, formerly attached to the Denver agency of the Pinkertons, was the next witness. He was a stenographer for McParland during the Cripple Creek strike, and also handled the reports of operatives in the field. Had an operative named Crane at Colorado City when the strike of the smelter men started. He joined the later and was chairman of the strike committee, and made daily reports to the Denver office. Crane was finally exposed. A man named Gabbin was then sent to take his place, but he couldn't get into the union. The

Pinkertons had an army of operatives in the unions. The Pinkerton agency, he swore, had men in both the federation and the United Mine Workers. An operative named Lundrner, now assistant superintendent at Denver, the witness swore, was sent to Butte to learn the secrets of Heinze. James Mooney, a former member of the national board of mine workers, now a Missouri coal operator told the troubles of his organization in Colorado in 1903 and 1904. Lyte George did duty there as agent for the operators. Mooney swore he was terribly beaten by deputies on the train near Trinidad. He had to go back home and go to the hospital, where he remained six months. Gregory's agency furnished the strike-breakers for the Trinidad fields. He was beaten up by Gregory's men. He told Borah, in cross-examination, that he never planned the killing of Gregory for revenge. Chris Evans, of Indianapolis, and organizer for the mine workers, was the next witness, and gave testimony along similar lines.

Judge Thorn Stevens, formerly



JOHN R. HEGEMAN.
President of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, who has been indicted for alleged forgery and perjury.

district judge at Ouray, Colorado, testified to the issuance of the writ of habeas corpus, ordering Moyer released from custody at Telluride, which the military refused to recognize. Stevens told of the operation of martial law, and declared there was no infraction of the civil law prior to the militia coming into the Cripple Creek district, and declared absolutely if the troops had been kept out of the district the troubles between the miners and mine owners would have been peacefully settled. Stevens absolutely and unqualifiedly put the entire blame for all the trouble on the citizens' alliance.

Baby and Balloons

Chicago, June 29.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Rockport, Tex., says: Mina, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moody, of Waco, was carried into the air Thursday by a bundle of toy balloons which an Italian peddler on the veranda of the hotel tied around her waist, thinking to please her. Before the spectators could recover from their surprise she was wafted out to sea, 50 feet in the air. A launch occupied by George Munafee, of Denver, was in the bay, and he came to the little girl's rescue. Firing at the bundle of balloons, he punctured several of them, and she began to settle downward, finally landing safely 12 feet from the water on the shore of St. Joseph's Island.

May Still Playing.

London, June 29.—May Sutton, the tennis champion, is preparing to go to Canada to compete for the ladies' championship of the Dominion, after the London games. Today she defeated Miss Morton.

Would Disfranchise Negroes.

Atlanta, Ga., June 29.—In his inaugural address today Governor-elect Hoke Smith advocated the disfranchisement of negroes, which, he says, will stop lynching.

LANDIS

WANTS

"ROCKY"

HE MUST TESTIFY

Attorney Says Rockefeller Is Old and Very Wealthy, But the Judge Thinks These Facts Should Not Prevent Him Telling the Truth

Chicago, June 29.—Judge Landis today instructed District Attorney Sims to put all the machinery of his department in motion in an effort to serve a subpoena on Rockefeller. The same instructions were wired to New York. Rockefeller is playing a hide and seek game with the government.

Chicago, June 29.—Offers of compromise if the serving of subpoenas on John D. Rockefeller, H. H. Rogers and other officials would be stayed, were ruthlessly spurned by Judge Landis in the Standard Oil case yesterday, when John S. Miller appeared before him. Notwithstanding the touching picture drawn by the attorney of an aged, feeble, wealth-worn trust president, Judge Landis not only refused to interfere in the serving of the subpoenas in New York, but "rubbed it in" by asking three more subpoenas for the following persons:

F. Q. Barstow, vice-president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey; H. R. Payne, vice-president in charge of records of the Union Tank Line Company; W. M. Hutchinson, secretary and treasurer of the Union Tank Line Company.

Mr. Miller intimated that several of the officials subpoenaed might not be able to give out the required information.

"They will be given a chance to decline in court," said Judge Landis. "But, your honor," hastily added Mr. Miller, "President Rockefeller is a very wealthy man."

"Wealth makes no difference in this case. He will be treated exactly as if he were a poor man."

Mr. Miller interposed other objections.

"I decline absolutely to interfere," said the judge. "I cannot interfere with the execution of processes in this case."

"All this is sensationalism on the part of the district attorney's office," said Mr. Miller.

"I do not call getting information sensationalism," retorted the court. "The district attorney's office is acting just as it would in any other case."

Mr. Miller then went into considerable detail as to the undesirability of serving Mr. Rockefeller, but his arguments availed nothing. He said he would furnish other men better qualified to give the financial resources and holdings of the companies than those for whom subpoenas had been issued. He said Mr. Rockefeller had so little to do with the business that it would be useless to bring him to Chicago to testify.

"It is inconceivable that the president of one company does not know whether it owns another company or not," said Judge Landis. "I want to know whether the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey owns the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, the defendant in this case. I want this information, and all that I have asked for I intend to have, if such a thing is possible."

"I want Mr. Rockefeller here to learn that one thing from him, and the other things that he may be able to tell."

Mr. Miller intimated that witnesses may decline to answer, by advice of counsel.

"The court cannot assume," said

Judge Landis, "that such an attitude will be taken, and I cannot give them an opportunity to decline through counsel in advance. If they see fit not to answer my questions, they will be given the chance to decline in open court. The subpoenas will be served, and I will not interfere with the service of them."

ASKS DEATH PENALTY.

Says Loving Committed Cold Blooded Murder.

Houston, Va., June 29.—Attorney Harmon in closing his address in the Loving murder trial today denounced the former judge for committing cold blooded murder and asked the death penalty.

Peasants Vent Their Anger.

Tula, Russia, June 29.—Six big estates, including that of Count Bobrinskys, president of the constitutional Democratic party, have been devastated by incendiary fires, started by peasants, who are angry at the Douma's dissolution.

TOWN'S

CLOSE

CALL

Shoshonah, Wash., June 29.—The shifting of the wind only prevented the total destruction of the town this morning by a fire which destroyed the Cascade lumber and Shingle mill with a loss of \$100,000.

M'GEE

KILLED

WOOLEY

Drain, Or., June 29.—Wm. McGee this morning confessed that he shot and killed Elmer Wooley Tuesday, while hunting, mistaking him for a bear. He first reported Monday that Wooley accidentally shot himself.

JAPS ARE GOOD GUESSERS.

Think Anti-Jap Feeling Is Due to Racial Prejudice.

Tokio, June 29.—A report has been received here that San Francisco authorities are to place an embargo on Japanese engaging in the business of intelligence agencies. Also that they have refused licenses of every kind to prevent Japanese entering anything only commercial business. This report helps to confirm the belief here that anti-Japanese feeling is based on racial prejudice.

Cornelia a Winner.

Lancaster, Mass., June 29.—Cornelia Van Rensselaer Thayer today became the wife of Count Carl von Moltke, of Copenhagen. The bride is the daughter of Nathaniel Thayer, of Boston, a multi-millionaire.

Bisbee Has Big Fire.

El Paso, Texas, June 29.—A fire started this morning in a hotel at Bisbee, Arizona, was only controlled by the use of dynamite. Ten acres of the residence and mining business district was burned over. Loss \$100,000.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, June 29.—Wheat 94 1/2 @ 92 3/4, corn 53 1/2 @ 53, oats 44 1/2 @ 45 1/2.

Band Concert Tomorrow.

The Salem Military Band will give an open air concert in Marion square tomorrow afternoon.

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