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PLAY ELEVEN INNINGS, DARKNESS ENDS THE GAME

CONSPIRACY CASE ENDS SUDDENLY SUBMITTED WITHOUT ARGUMENT

GENERAL OPINION IS THAT GOVERNMENT HAS GOOD CASE ENDING OF TRIAL A SURPRISE

B. D. Townsend, Special Assistant to the United States Attorney, Who Had Charge of the Case Called But One Witness in Rebuttal This Mornning--He Then Explained to Court that an Argument Had Been Reached to Submit Case Without Argument as the Testimony Had Been Gone Over Thoroughly.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 9.—By agreement between counsel in the trial of Charles E. Houston and John H. Bullock for conspiracy to defraud the government in coal contracts, the case was submitted unexpectedly today without argument. Judge Cushman will deliver his instructions to the jury this afternoon and the case will go to the jury late today.

B. D. Townsend, special assistant to the United States Attorney-General called but one witness this morning in rebuttal. He then explained to the court that an agreement had been reached between counsel whereby there would be no arguments because

the evidence had been thoroughly gone over.
The announcement came as a surprise to the spectators and visiting attorneys who have been closely following the case and it is the general opinion that the government has strengthened its case.

MAKING MORE LAWYERS AT STATE HOUSE TODAY

The state bar examination began yesterday in the senate chamber of the state with P. H. Raymond, assistant state librarian, in charge. There are eighteen applicants for admittance to the bar, one of which is from Salem. The examination will continue today and be concluded this evening. Those taking the examination are: Thos. C. Anderson, Portland; Denton G. Burdick, Metolius; Reuel G. E. Cornish, Portland; M. E. Crumpacker, Portland; Ed W. Campbell, Salem; M. G. Ellis, Falls City; Oscar Furuset, Eugene; Sam C. May, Portland; Chas. W. Olsen, Portland; James H. Scott, Portland; Charles T. Seivers, Gladstone; C. Mac Snow, Portland; James Walton, Tillamook; Aubrey R. Watzek, Portland; Claude Wilson, Marshfield; Eton Watkins, Portland; Clarence E. Yeager, Portland.

Of the eighteen taking the examination, fourteen are graduates of eastern law colleges.

HIT OFF MORE THAN THAN HE COULD CHEW

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Portland, Or., Oct. 9.—Attorneys of Tom Conroy, walking delegate, introduced into court an "exhibit A," a large portion of Conroy's right ear in a bottle, in his case against Charles Pottago, contractor. Pottago is alleged to have bitten the piece off in a fight with Conroy.

TO CONSIDER MAKING UNIVERSITY SELF-SUSTAINING

Eugene, October 8.
At request of Governor West the ceremony of pledging the students to repay the state for their education has been postponed one week.

A \$9,000 Board Bill.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Portland, Or., Oct. 9.—Claiming that their step-father, Charles Zeller, made them a visit of 15 years, ate three big "squares" a day and let it go at that, Ella V. Reynolds and Amos B. Frost are suing him for a \$9,000 board bill.

Left Fleider in Hospital.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Portland, Or., Oct. 9.—Clare Patterson, left fielder of the Oakland Coast team is confined to the Good Samaritan hospital here threatened with pneumonia. He was somewhat improved today.

The Wink Was Costly.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 9.—For winking at a pretty waitress, Manuel Villalaz, a wealthy Mexican, spent the night in jail. Although reputed to be worth thousands, Villalaz was not allowed to give bail.

The fellow who loses his temper isn't differing a great deal from the high tempered man who is exhibiting his.

R. S. MELSON Secretary.

The Force Annihilated.

London, Oct. 9.—That a Montenegrin force, which crossed the Turkish frontier, has been annihilated is the news contained in dispatches received here today from Constantinople.
The same message stated that 4000 Albanian troops have invaded Montenegro.

Eddy Trust Void.

Boston, Oct. 9.—The Massachusetts supreme court here declared void today a trust, estimated at \$2,000,000, created by the will of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of the Christian Science church, for the benefit of the denomination.
The court stipulated, however that a charitable trust has been created, and that new trustees may be appointed to administer it.

THE JURY ACQUITS CREECH

Wealthy Lumberman, of Aberdeen, Who Shot Detective Frank Welch, as He Claimed By Mistake.

10 TO 2 ON FIRST BALLOT

Were for His Acquittal—After Receiving the Congratulations of Friends and Attorneys, He Suddenly Collapsed and Cried Like a Child—His Wife Was With Him When the Jury Brought in the Verdict.

Aberdeen, Wash., Oct. 9.—John S. Creech, wealthy lumberman of Aberdeen, was acquitted of the murder of Detective Frank Welch, of Aberdeen, on the fifth ballot, the jury coming in at 8:30 o'clock last night after an absence of three and a half hours.
The first ballot was ten for acquittal and two for conviction of murder in the second degree. The jury stood this way for three ballots, and on the fourth ballot stood 11 to 1 for acquittal. On the fifth ballot all were unanimous.

John Creech stood trembling and with drawn face as the jury filed into the court room. Then he sank into a chair while the court asked the foreman his verdict.

When the answer came Creech appeared for a little while to be his natural self, congratulated the attorneys and then went up and thanked the jurors, shaking each by the hand.

Creech Becomes Hysterical.

Then suddenly he collapsed and for 15 minutes he sat crying and laughing by spells in his chair in a half hysterical mood. The crowd which thronged the courtroom was moved deeply, and many men, besides the women in attendance, cried audibly.

With her husband went Mrs. Creech, who has shown the strain of the trial least of all the family. Robert, the 16-year-old son of Creech, also cried, unashamed. Mrs. Brown, the daughter, was not in the court room. Finally the Creeches left the courtroom, but half an hour later Creech was unable to talk and showed symptoms of breaking into tears again.

Few of the court officers and neither of the state's attorneys were present when the verdict was announced. Judge Sheeks has chambers in the courthouse and came in when the jury sent out word it had decided.

Government Sells Land.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Provo, Utah, Oct. 9.—The sale of 280,000 acres of grazing land in the old Uintah Indian reservation was opened here yesterday by J. W. Witton, of the department of the interior, and Don B. Colton, of the United States land office, at Vernal, Utah.
No bid of less than 50 cents an acre will be accepted and not more than 640 acres will be sold to any one purchaser. There were only a few prospective buyers on hand today.

John Ey Against E.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 9.—If John Kittridge, arrested and fined \$100 for automobile speeding, takes a drink, drives an automobile or leaves home after dark, he must go to jail.

SECOND GAME OF SERIES IS A TIE IT WILL BE PLAYED OFF TOMORROW

Harriman Gave \$250,000.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Lovett verified testimony of other witnesses this morning that the late E. H. Harriman raised funds for the 1904 Republican campaign.
"Early in October of that year," Lovett said, "Harriman said to me: 'They're in a hole and the president wants me to help them out. I got to do it.'"
Lovett then declared that Harriman gave him \$250,000 to give to Treasurer Bliss. The witness said he gave the money to Bliss personally.

A DESPERATELY CONTESTED GAME ENDED BY NIGHT FALL BOSTON GOT THREE IN FIRST

New York Slowly Crawled Up and in the Eighth Was in the Lead 5 to 4---Boston Rallied in Her Half of the Eighth and Tied the Score at 5 to 5---the Tenth Each Again Scored After a Mutual Whitewash in the Ninth and Both Drew a Blank in the Eleventh.

(By Grantland Rice.)

Fenway Park, Boston, Oct. 9.—One of the most desperately contested games of a world's series ended here this afternoon in a tie score when darkness forced the closing of the season contest in the world's baseball championship contest between the Giants and the Red Sox.

Three pitchers—Collins, Hall and Bedient—occupied the slab in turn for the home team, while the veteran Mathewson bore the brunt of 11 innings of desperate fighting, winding up the afternoon's work by retiring his last three opponents in order.

The Giants got off badly, putting Mathewson in a hole in the first inning, when the Sox piled up a three-run lead.

Stahl's men continued in front until the 8th when the strain proved too much for Collins and the Giant steeplechaser forced in three runs, took the lead for the first time and sent Collins to the bench.

The veteran Mathewson's victory was short-lived, however, as a double and a single in the Sox's half put them on even terms again. The ninth was a blank for both sides, but in the tenth the Giants went into the lead with a margin of one run, which the Sox promptly duplicated in their half.

Neither scored in the eleventh and the umpires called the contest and announced it would be played off on this field tomorrow.

Today's batteries.
Boston—Collins and Carrigan.
New York—Mathewson and Myers.
The lineup: New York—Snodgrass lf, Doyle 2b, Becker cf, Murray rf, Merkle 1b, Herzog 3b, Meyers c, Fletcher ss, Mathewson p.
Boston—Hooper rf, Yerkes 2b, Speaker cf, Lewis lf, Gardner 3b, Stahl lb, Wagner ss, Carrigan c, Collins p.

Umpire—O'Loughlin behind the bat; Rigler on bases; Klem in left field, and Evans in right field.

First Inning.
New York—Snodgrass doubled to the left field bleachers. Doyle fanned. Becker out, Yerkes to Stahl. Murray out, Collins to Stahl. No runs.
Boston—Hooper got a scratch single between Doyle and Merkle. Hooper stole second. Yerkes safe Fletcher dropping his easy fly. Speaker bunted safely down the third base line. Lewis grounded to Herzog who threw to Meyers, forcing Hooper out. Gardner out, Doyle to Merkle, Yerkes scoring. Mathewson deflected the ball to Doyle, getting an assist. Stahl singled, scoring Speaker and Lewis. Wagner filed to Doyle. Three runs.

Second Inning.
New York—Merkle fanned. Herzog tripped to deep right, Meyers' boomer hit Gardner in the face, knocking him flat, while Herzog scored. Fletcher filed out to Hooper. Mathewson forced Meyers, Yerkes to Wagner. One run.

Boston—Carrigan out, Herzog to Merkle. Collins out, Doyle to Merkle. Hooper doubled to right. Yerkes out, Fletcher to Merkle. No runs.

Third Inning.
New York—Snodgrass filed to Hooper. Doyle fouled to Gardner. Becker out, Wagner to Stahl. No runs.
Boston—Speaker lined to Merkle, who knocked it down and got him at first. Lewis filed to Murray. Gardner out, Doyle to Merkle. No runs.

Fourth Inning.

New York—Murray tripled to right field. Merkle fouled to Gardner. Herzog sacrifice filed to Speaker. Murray scoring. Meyers singled through short. Fletcher filed to Hooper. One run.

Boston—Stahl fanned. Wagner filed to Murray. Carrigan out, Fletcher to Merkle. No runs.

Fifth Inning.
New York—Mathewson fanned. Carrigan dropped the third strike, but threw Mathewson out to Merkle. Snodgrass fanned. Doyle filed to Lewis. No runs.
Boston—Collins fanned. Hooper

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