

FISH FUND'S FATE IS DARK

INVESTIGATION OF ILLINOIS SCANDAL FAILS TO REVEAL WHERE COIN WENT.

Springfield, Ill., June 8.—Louis D. Hirschheimer of Pittsfield, minority member of the state board of equalization, is the man named by John Dixon of Peoria as the "prominent politician" who was presented in F. J. Traut's room at the St. Nicholas hotel, the night of May 26, 1909, when the fund collected by Illinois fishermen to defeat the state fish commission bill, was turned over by Dr. Fred Schweer of Beardstown to Traut. Testimony so far given before the Sangamon county grand jury has failed to throw much light on the disposition of the fish fund after it was turned over to Traut. Whether Hirschheimer will be able to give information regarding the money after it left Traut's hands is a matter State's Attorney Burke said tonight he would inquire into.

According to the testimony of Dixon, Hirschheimer was present in the room at the St. Nicholas hotel when Traut and Dixon counted the fish bill fund. This would describe the statement of Traut made to Attorney Burke that he had never counted the money and could not state how much there was in the package which was brought to him from Beardstown by Schweer. Attorney Burke expects Hirschheimer may be able to assist him in showing that the fish bill fund was not disposed of, as Traut testified, in legitimate lobbying.

URGES ABOLISHMENT OF CORONER'S OFFICE

St. Louis, June 8.—The abolishment of the office of coroner was urged by Dr. E. J. Goodwin, editor of the Missouri State Medical Association Journal, before the American Medical Association in its second session here today.

He presented a resolution asking the association through its house of delegates to favor the passage of state laws giving the medical functions of the present coroner's office into the hands of a medical examiner and the judicial functions into the hands of the prosecuting attorney.

The resignation of Dr. F. George Simmons as general secretary of the house of delegates was accepted.

HUSBAND FOLLOWS.

Columbus, Neb., June 8.—Dr. Loran B. Doney, who followed his wife to this city from St. Louis, following her trial for the murder of William J. Erdler, went to the hotel where she was staying immediately after he arrived. Mrs. Doney met her husband in a cheerful manner and there was no indication of strained relations. Later Dr. Doney stated that as soon as he could arrange his affairs here Mrs. Doney and himself will return to St. Louis.

DOUBLE KILLING.

Los Angeles, June 8.—Because he said his wife loved another and he could not live without her, or die believing he would be supplanted, E. H. Cowell, a mining man, shot and killed his 20-year-old wife tonight and then fired a bullet into his own head. He died an hour later. The murder and suicide followed a vain attempt at reconciliation made by Cowell today.

TO LIMIT MONEY.

Little Rock, Ark., June 8.—The democratic state convention today refused to adopt a resolution providing for a second primary in the selection of a nominee for United States senator, but accepted one asking the state legislature to enact a law limiting the amount of money to be spent by a candidate for office.

RUINS ARE VISITED BY ROYAL PAIR

KING VICTOR AND QUEEN HELENA INSPECT CALITRI AND VICINITY.

Calitri, Italy, June 8.—The ruins of Calitri and adjoining villages were inspected today by King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena. Most of the houses in Calitri were destroyed by the earthquake yesterday and the people who escaped are camping in the fields. Thirty-two bodies have been recovered, while eight or 10 are thought to be still under the fallen walls. Two were taken out in the presence of the king.

One section of the town is almost completely buried under the walls of a feudal castle which was toppled over by the first heavy shock and came crashing down the hill, crushing the houses below. The work of excavation is being carried on rapidly by the civil authorities and soldiers, but contrary to the experience at Messina and Reggio, no one is being unearthed alive. A two-year-old baby, however, was found close beside a heap of wreckage, unharmed.

The Duke of Aosta also visited the villages and inspected the work of relief, leaving tonight for Naples. The sovereigns did not rest or sleep for 26 hours. When they departed tonight for Rome there was a touching demonstration of the women kneel before the queen. The visit of their majesties has done much toward restoring order and confidence and the king's last act before his departure was to issue instructions that every possible measure be taken to care for the stricken people.

ROOSEVELTS ENTERTAINED.

London, June 8.—Dorchester house, the residence of Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador, was the scene today of two functions in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt—a reception in the afternoon to the members of the Pilgrims and American societies and a farewell dinner in the evening. Both were quiet affairs. Several hundred persons attended the dinner, including most of the prominent members of the American colony.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Kansas City, June 8.—Lightning killed Mrs. Charles Hicks and property estimated to be worth \$100,000 was destroyed during a severe storm here today. Three and one-quarter inches of rain fell. The rainfall was general throughout Kansas, but not so severe as here. Richard Constable, a farmer residing two miles south west of Topeka, was killed by lightning.

FOUR JURORS.

Chicago, June 8.—Four jurors have been accepted and sworn and three more tentatively accepted by prosecution and defense in the trial of Lee O'Neill Browne of Ottawa, Ill., legislative minority leader, charged with the alleged bribery in connection with the election of William Lorimer to the United States senate.

ANOTHER SHOCK.

Reggio de Calabria, June 8.—A severe indulatory shock was felt this evening at Gallina. This place was greatly damaged by the earthquake in 1908 and the present disturbance has caused great alarm.

Scared Into Sound Health.

Mr. B. F. Kelley, Springfield, Ill., writes: "A year ago I began to be troubled with my kidneys and bladder, which grew worse until I became alarmed at my condition. I suffered also with dull, heavy headaches and the action of my bladder was annoying and painful. I read of Foley's Kidney Pills and after taking them a few weeks the headaches left me, the action of my bladder was again normal, and I was free from all distress." Garden City Drug Co., George Freisheimer, proprietor.

ROBBERY OF COACH IS HOAX

POLICE OF SEATTLE THROWN INTO FRENZY BY JOKE OF MILLIONAIRES.

Seattle, June 8.—An 18th century stage coach hold-up, planned as an added amusement for the guests in Harry Whitney Treat's New English four-in-hand, but carried out with such perfection of detail that \$7,500 worth of valuables were "lifted" from the passengers, the women thoroughly frightened and the police force of this city thrown into a frenzy of bandit chasing, furnished this city today with an unusual excitement. Treat and his friends were thoroughly taken in by the jokers and in response to their hurry summons, every available man of the police department was called into action. They were sent to the front in automobiles and arrived at the clubhouse in the Country club grounds only to find that a messenger from the bandits was already there, restoring the spoils.

Treat's coach, a recent importation from England and equipped in 18th century style, with dashing teams, liveried postilions, post horn and the like, caused all the trouble. It set out today with a load of society people, including Mrs. George H. Snowden, a niece of President Taft; Mrs. J. H. Ballinger, a niece of Secretary of the Interior Ballinger, and Mrs. J. D. Farrell, wife of the head of the Harriman lines in the northwest. As the coach neared the Country club, masked men leaped from the brush beside the road. Under the threat of the weapons Treat pulled up and the passengers were harshly ordered to surrender their jewels. Rings, watches, purses and all kinds of trinkets rattled into the bag attached to a long pole which was presented, and then Treat was ordered to drive on. The "bandits" fessed up later and were identified as Joshua Green, a millionaire steamship man; John W. Eddy, part owner of the Port Blakely mills; Captain Charles Brydon and "Red" Gleason, a water front character, impressed to do the rough talking. Gleason said that Green was to have notified the police before the "hold-up" but "forgot."

CITY CHURCHES GROW FASTER THAN OTHERS

The Montana Record quotes the following figures regarding the growth of church membership in recent years: While the latest official figures on the growth of church membership are four years old, nevertheless the belief that while the population is increasing the number of people who ally themselves with religious organizations is decreasing.

According to a report just issued by the census bureau on the growth of religion, covering the years from 1906 to 1908, the rate of increase in the number of religious organizations and communicants in the four years mentioned was much greater in the principal cities of the country than the rate of increase in the population. The report declares that, among the different classes of cities, the first class showed the most notable increase, more than doubling the number of organizations and communicants; the third and the fourth classes followed closely; while the second had a much lower rate. Outside the principal cities the rate of increase was even less.

The number of communicants or members in each 1,000 of population in 1906 was, for the principal cities, 469; for the whole country, 391; and for the sections outside the principal cities, 263. As compared with 1890, the report shows a gain of 99 communicants in each 1,000 of population for the principal cities, and of 51 outside of them. Among the different classes of cities, the largest gain, 106 communicants per 1,000 population, was found in the cities of the third class. There were 4,982,929, or 32 per cent, more female than male members in continental United States in 1906, while in the principal cities the excess of female members was proportionately less, being 950,526, or 23.5 per cent.

AIN'T IT THE TRUTH?

Guthrie, Okla., June 8.—Alleging that upper berths in Pullman cars are not worth more than half as much as lower berths, Attorney General West today instituted suit before the interstate commerce commission against the Pullman Car company and the railroads operating in Oklahoma to compel a reduction in rates for upper berths.

PLEAD NOT GUILTY.

Libby, Mont., June 8.—W. Palma and W. Wala, charged with murder in the first degree for killing a railroad laborer named Matti Holse at Troy last April in a drunken fight, pleaded not guilty in the district court here on Tuesday. The men are foreigners and cannot talk English. Counsel was appointed to defend them, as they are without means.

The Conservation of Nature's Resources

Apples as well to our physical state as to material things. C. J. Budlong, Washington, R. I., realized his condition and took warning before it was too late. He says: "I suffered severely from kidney trouble, the disease being hereditary in our family. I have taken four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy and now consider myself thoroughly cured. This should be a warning to all not to neglect taking Foley's Kidney Remedy until it is too late." Garden City Drug Co., George Freisheimer, proprietor.

RULES FORMULATED BY COURT

CUSTOMS TRIBUNAL GIVES OUT REGULATIONS AS TO ITS PROCEDURE.

Washington, June 8.—The customs court of appeals, of which former Judge Hunt of Montana is a member, which will have final jurisdiction in contested customs cases, coming on appeal from the board of general appraisers, has formulated and promulgated its rules. Parties interested in any matter pending before the court are to have full access to the records and may take copies of all papers filed. Parties may be represented before the court by attorney. Practicing attorneys before the United States supreme courts, the circuit courts and the highest court of the state may be admitted to practice before the customs court and have their name enrolled upon the filing of a recommendation of any justice of these courts. Attorneys are to swear to the usual court oath. Processes to be issued from the court shall be of the same form and style as in use in the United States supreme court. There will also be a process to be issued to the board of general appraisers, which shall be called a mandate, and shall direct the transmission to the court in proper cases of proceedings taken and had before the board. Papers are to be returnable in 15 days or longer upon decision of the court.

Any party feeling aggrieved at any decision of the board of appraisers and entitled to a review, may apply to the court for a review, filing with the clerk of the court a statement of the errors complained of, a copy of which shall be served on the collector or importer or attorney, by mail or in person.

All cases transmitted to the court in response to mandate or by transfer from the United States courts shall be calendared in the order of reception and stand for hearing and submission of general appraisers, which shall be postponed for good cause shown. The appellant shall, within 20 days from the filing of such return, or within such further time as may be allowed by the court, cause the records and his brief to be printed and served upon the appellee, and the appellee shall, within 10 days thereafter, furnish copy of his brief. At the next hearing day after the expiration of the 30 days, the case shall stand for hearing in its order without further notice unless otherwise ordered.

The court will hold session from 10:30 a. m. and continue until all cases on the calendar in readiness for hearing are disposed of. All motions are to be presented at the opening of court on Mondays. The court will open for business on each business day of the year for the reception of applications for appeal, and on such days writs directed to the board of appraisers may issue as of course, to be attested by the presiding judge, or the next ranking judge in his absence. The court reserves the right to order cases remanded to the board of appraisers for taking further testimony, any may affirm, reverse, or modify any ruling decision on the merits of the board. On final decision of the court it will issue its mandate to the board for such proceedings as may be proper to be taken in pursuance of such determination. The fees of the clerk of the court are fixed at \$6 in each case. No fee will be exacted in cases on appeal to other federal courts and transferred to the customs court for decision. Attorneys admitted to practice before the court will pay a fee of \$115 per folio of 100 words for copying records or other papers, and certifying them. When appeal is taken by the United States no payment of fees shall be required. In all other cases fees shall be paid in advance. These fees are adopted subject to the approval of the United States supreme court.

Arguments of cases are to be limited to one hour on a side and not more, than two counsel on a side shall be heard in any cases except by special order of the court. The time for oral argument may be extended in the discretion of the court.

FIREMAN KILLED.

Miles City, June 8.—About 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Paul Marsh, fireman on the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railroad, was accidentally shot and killed at a small siding near Kinzie. Marsh, together with the engineer and brakeman, was handling two or three guns presumed to be not loaded, when one of the weapons was discharged and the bullet entered the forehead of Marsh. The body was brought to Miles City.

COULON GETS REVENGE.

New York, June 8.—Johnny Coulon of Chicago, champion bantamweight, had his revenge tonight for the beating he got some weeks ago from Frankie Burns of Jersey City. The men fought 19 rounds and although Burns was as fast and clever as ever, Coulon outgamed and outthought him.

BARKENTINE IS LOST.

Beaufort, N. C., June 8.—The barkentine Good News of Philadelphia has been lost at sea. Captain Erickson and her crew of 12 men have been rescued and are now on board the British steamer Metis, bound to Norfolk, Va., which signalled this information to the Diamond Shoals lightship, off Cape Hatteras, at 8 o'clock this morning.

KAY KILLS SELF.

Pocatello, Idaho, June 8.—Harry B. Kay, 34 years of age, until recently cashier of a bank in Pasadena, Cal., committed suicide by shooting himself in a hotel in this city today. He was on route to his home in St. Joseph, Mo., after a hunting trip in Idaho. He was well supplied with money and the motive for his act is unknown.

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A bunch of special sales on stylish footwear for every member of the family. Not merely small price reductions, but substantial savings has always marked the value giving from the Big White Shoe Store at Donohue's.

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- Men's \$4 and \$5 Oxfords, \$2.95** 903 pairs patent and dull calf leathers, some tans and a few vici kids, all sizes in some one of the broken lines.
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- Ladies' Vests and Pants—Long or short sleeves, high neck vests, silk finished, will hold shape to last thread; pants are tight knee or umbrella style. Sale price, per garment **25c**
- Ladies' Union Suits—Tight or lace trimmed knee, short sleeves, splendid medium weight and finish; extra special value, at, suit **50c**
- Hosiery Specials** Boys' and girls' black ribbed hose, qualities unusually strong and good, sizes 5 to 9 1-2; just the hose for rough vacation wear; sale **2 pairs 25c**
- Ladies' 35c and 50c lace and colored silk embroidered black cotton hose, famous "Gordon dye" quality, fancy hose for summer wear, on sale at, pair **25c**
- Ladies' seamless summer weight hose, matchless quality; all sizes, in fast black, extra special value, in 25c hose, at **3 pairs for 50c**



CARROLL WINS BY NARROW MARGIN

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- Seventh—Clint L. Price.
- Eighth—F. Q. Stuart.
- Ninth—W. I. Cleveland.
- Tenth—No candidate.
- Eleventh—Will I. Whiting.

"Regular" republicans claim that they will control the next state convention, having a bare majority of the 1,400 delegates chosen yesterday. If this proves true, and no hitch occurs to mar present plans, the insurgent congressional delegation will at best get but brief mention. The platform, it is said, may go so far as to condemn the course of Senators Cummins and Dolliver.

FOR NEW COUNTY.

Lewistown, June 8.—As a result of a conference between a big delegation of Musselshell men, mostly from Roundup, and the Lewistown Commercial club, a practical agreement has been reached as to the boundary of the proposed county of Musselshell in case the legislature at the coming session sees fit to create it. The sentiment of the commercial club was against county division at this time on any basis, as it was believed the matter should go over until the plans of the railroads are fully matured.

An exchange of views at a number of meetings, formal and informal, brought about a change, however, and the Lewistown body went on record today as being willing to have the county divided, the line to run along the crest of the Snowy mountains, which will leave Flatwillow creek in Fergus county. This is not just what the Musselshell people wished, as they sought to have the line run farther north, but it has been accepted. This will give a territory having an assessed valuation of close to \$3,000,000 and the Musselshell people are confident of getting a slice of Yellowstone county that will add \$2,000,000 more.

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