

MAGNATE IS SPRUNG AS WITNESS

ATTORNEY FOR SECAL TESTIFIES IN SUGAR TRUST TRIAL IN NEW YORK.

New York, March 14.—Government attorneys sprung a surprise today in the sugar trial by invading the camp of the defendants and placing one of their number on the stand. United States Attorney Wise obtained from Judge Hand the dismissal of the indictment against Thomas D. Harned, attorney for Adolph Segal, the Philadelphia capitalist, in the deal whereby the American Sugar Refining company obtained control of the Pennsylvania Refining company. Counsel for the defense protested but were overruled.

District Attorney Wise questioned him about a visit he paid to Segal's home in 1903, when the late Gustav E. Kissel, who is alleged to have represented H. O. Havemeyer in the \$1,250,000 loan to Segal, was present.

The witness said that at this meeting Kissel told Segal: "I can get you enough money, but on three conditions: That you must not care where the money comes from; that it will be enough to tide you over and that the bonds and stocks of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining company are to be put up as collateral."

"Was anything said at this meeting about closing the new Philadelphia refinery?" asked Mr. Wise.

"Yes," replied the witness. "Mr. Kissel said it would be better to let the Philadelphia refinery stop construction as even with the large loan there would not be enough to supply the working capacity." Mr. Kissel said he was going to be one of the owners of the refinery and that later on more money could be got to start the new refinery again.

TRUCE IS ABROGATED BY BELLICOSE TONGS

San Francisco, March 14.—According to prominent local Chinese nothing but the blood of the Hop Sing will satisfy members of the Hip Sing, Suey Sing, Sen Suey Yeng tong, which abrogated last night the peace agreement made a few days ago. The Hop Sing flatly refused to pay the \$5,000 indemnity asked by the three other tong for the death of Louis Fong, nearly two months ago.

Chief of Police White augmented today the force of plainclothes men on duty in the Chinese quarter and instructed his men to shoot to kill upon the first outbreak of hostilities between the tong.

An effort was made by the Six Companies at last night's meeting to have the difficulties settled in court, but this proposal was rejected. Notice of the termination of the truce among the warring tong was sent broadcast over the Pacific coast today.

SNOWSLIDE TAKES TWO.

Telluride, Colo., March 14.—Fifteen men were caught in a snowslide which swept down the side of Ajax mountain today and demolished the Black Bear boarding house, killing three and injuring five. Two of the boarders who were in the second story of the building were able to work themselves out and rescued the others.

MAY VOTE BATTLESHIP.

Washington, March 14.—The house naval committee may report a two-battleship bill, according to reports from the committee today, after the democratic caucus has revised its previous action in voting against any battleship appropriation.

GIRL DECLARES EDGE DID NO WRONG

VIOLA CARVER, SLAYER OF REAL ESTATE MAN, IS HELD BY CORONER'S JURY.

Los Angeles, March 14.—The coroner's jury which investigated the death of J. Edward Edge, a young realty operator, who was shot last Monday, returned a verdict today that Edge came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted by Miss Viola Carver of Tacoma, Wash.

Miss Carver, under guard of three officers, was brought into the inquest room only long enough for identification by the merchant who had sold her the revolver. As Miss Carver entered the room her eyes fell to the floor and she then covered her face with her hands. She seemed to have good control of herself, however, and did not sit down while in the room.

Testimony of the two officers summoned after the shooting was taken. Both declared Miss Carver had tried to leap from the second-story window of the building where the shooting occurred, and that she begged them to allow her to kill herself. One of the officers testified Miss Carver told him she intended to kill Edge and then herself. On the way to the police station, he testified, Miss Carver twice attempted to throw herself from the police automobile.

"I loved him and he turned me down, but he never did me any wrong," said Miss Carver, according to one of the witnesses. Miss Carver was locked up in the county jail charged with murder.

FAIR SITES TAKEN.

San Francisco, March 14.—Oregon and Nevada, California's nearest neighbors, by the hands of their respective executives, Governors Oswald West and Tasker L. Oddie, selected the first sites allotted on the grounds of the Panama exposition here today. The colors of Oregon were raised on a pole of Oregon fir at a commanding location on the bay shore and a few hundred feet west the golden flag of Nevada was planted.

Nevada and Oregon governors and their staffs were welcomed with imposing ceremonies.

DEPRECIATION ALLEGED.

Kalama, Wash., March 14.—Evidence that tended further to show, according to the contention of the defense, that the bank's assets had depreciated in value since its doors were closed, was given by W. S. Miller of Vancouver, at a night session of the trial of President Phillips of the Commercial bank of Vancouver, Wash., who is charged with having received deposits when he knew of the bank's insolvent condition.

MUNICIPAL TELEPHONE GREAT FALLS' SCHEME

Great Falls, March 14.—(Special.)—The Great Falls Merchants' association has made its first move for municipal telephones and the members declare their intention of putting the matter to the test unless the present telephone companies arrange some method of relieving the people of the burden of a double telephone rent. They have directed the special telephone committee, of which F. A. Fligman is chairman, to confer with the city council's public welfare committee to ascertain what legal steps are possible in the direction and what legislation would be necessary to launch a municipal telephone system.

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CONVICTS KILL IN PRISON

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Friday, March 1, through the gate of the prison yard to one of the inmates. Restrictions immediately were placed on the convicts with a view to stamping out the traffic in the drug.

Chaplain Johnson of the penitentiary resigned last Saturday after a conversation with the governor relative to prison discipline. The governor issued an order a week ago barring women prison workers and a token school teachers from visiting the prisoners at services, declaring that their association with the convicts was undesirable.

Taylor is regarded by prison officials as the instigator of the mutiny and the one who is believed to have killed Warden Delahanty and Deputy Wagoner. He is known as an expert in the use of dynamite.

Well Planned.

The mutiny apparently was well planned. The three men were employed in the broom factory. Shortly after 2 o'clock, on the pretext that they wanted to communicate with the deputy warden, they left their work in the factory building, approached the outside entrance to the deputy's office and raising their right arms and a token of obedience, were permitted to enter. No sooner inside than one of them, supposed to be Taylor, stepped quickly to Deputy Warden Wagoner, who was seated at a desk, and shot him twice in the abdomen. Wagoner sank to the floor, dying almost instantly.

Three Against One.

Guard Thomas Doody, who acts as cellkeeper, was in the chapel adjoining. He ran to the deputy's room and then followed a desperate duel of one man against three. Doody opened fire promptly, but was in a position of disadvantage, the three men dodging behind high supports. The three returned the fire, one shot taking effect in Doody's arm and staggering him. Lying on the floor, he emptied his revolver and continued the battle. Finally another shot struck him in the leg, severing an artery, and he fell flat.

Prisoner Usher Helman, who was in the main corridor, separated from the deputy's room by a steel latched door, appeared, revolver in hand. He was shot dead as he was taking aim at one of the men. Then a convict with an explosive supposed to be nitroglycerine, demolished the lock on the door to the main corridor and the three ran through.

The office of Warden Delahanty opens from the corridor not far from the main entrance. He was standing in the doorway, and as the three escaping men ran by him he fired one shot at them. Two of the men stopped and one discharged his revolver at close range. The bullet entered Delahanty's breast and penetrated the left lung, causing death.

Sheriff Myers and the four men with him returned to the city late tonight and reported they had not found the slightest trace of the convicts. The posse was handicapped by storm and snowdrifts. Sheriff Myers believes the men still are in their prison garb and that their capture is only a matter of a short time.

REWARD TO BE GIVEN EXPRESS MESSENGER

Houston, Tex., March 14.—David A. Trousdale, express messenger, who killed two men when they attempted to rob Southern Pacific passenger train No. 2, near Sanderson, Tex., yesterday will be paid a reward of \$600, and in addition will be presented with a gold watch suitably inscribed, if the recommendation of Superintendent Taft of the Wells-Fargo Express company is followed.

Mr. Taft said he would recommend that the standing reward given for the arrest and conviction of train robbers be awarded to Trousdale. The usual reward is \$300 for each conviction.

LYMAN GAGE SAYS HE'S NO MEMBER

NEITHER HE NOR HIS WIFE BELONG TO MRS. TINGLEY'S SOCIETY.

San Diego, March 14.—Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, denied tonight that either he or his wife were members, as reported, of the Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical society of which Mrs. Katherine Tingley is the head. Mr. and Mrs. Gage have their home at Point Loma, close to the theosophical homestead. The denial is made, according to Mr. Gage, to set at rest what he has learned is a general belief that he and Mrs. Gage are followers of Mrs. Tingley.

"The report was first called to our attention about three years ago," said Mr. Gage tonight. "Until now I have not thought it of sufficient importance to deny it. However, I have nothing to say against Mrs. Tingley or the Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical society."

BUSINESS CONTROL BADLY NEEDED

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trade, while such a formidable competitor as Germany is doing exactly the reverse. The average American business man is honest, and is just as desirous of obeying the law as is anyone of his fellow citizens. Yet when business men come to make necessary trade agreements they are puzzled lest they may find they have unwittingly transgressed the law, and they are unable to find out in advance what the law is.

"This is all wrong. There should be absolute clearness of the law and there should be a competent administrative body to do for the world of industrial production what the interstate commerce commission has done for the world of industrial transportation.

Big Business Control.

"There must be over big business a control and supervision by the nation (or, if necessary, by the state), which is just. Our laws do not prevent overcapitalization or the flagrant abuse of power in exploiting the business of the people for the personal gain of a few, and yet they threaten vague disaster, not merely to dishonest but to honest business men. There is urgent need they should be made both more definite and efficient.

"I do not believe in making mere size, of and by itself, criminal, but size does unquestionably carry the potentialities of so much grave wrongdoing that there should, by law, be provision made for the strict supervision and regulation of those great concerns that do an interstate business.

"It is idle to trust such regulation merely to the effort to prohibit all combinations, and thereby to restore the conditions of 60 years ago. Nor is it wise to trust only to a succession of lawsuits for removing the evils of monopoly and the like.

Eradicate Evils.

"What our people want is that the evils of big interests be eradicated and the advantages, the benefits preserved. Our people realize that the trust problem is a big problem, but they, the people, have the hard common sense necessary to solve it. It will not solve itself.

"The people must solve it. And they must solve it by insisting on a just and wise, but thoroughgoing and efficient control. Let our opponents of regulation habit make no mistake. The people are demanding more voice in affairs industrial, no less than in affairs political. Our opponents believe the people cannot be trusted. We believe that they can be. Why? Because they have been educated and because they are of the stuff that gives good results under examination.

"We must achieve a permanent prosperity based on justice—a prosperity which must come by the wise and resolute effort to control business by law and especially by administrative work under the law."

JUDGE AND SHERIFF SLAIN BY BANDITS

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his reddish brown whiskers turning to grey, he is no weakling. Judge Massie mounted the bench and Prosecutor Foster moved sentence upon Allen, who stood up. There was a shuffling of feet and a general movement among the mountaineers in the back of the room.

The usual legal formalities over. Judge Massie began pronouncing sentence. The last words that fell from his lips precipitated the tragedy. "One year at hard labor."

Before the last word was concluded the fusillade began. Allen, with an oath that he would never go to prison, sprang out of the prisoner's dock as Judge Massie collapsed upon the bench. Another roar of shots and Prosecutor Foster was on the floor in a heap. Sheriff Webb was springing forward for his prisoner when the lead found him.

Then, holding the panic-stricken jurors and onlookers at bay, the assassins backed out of the courthouse and across the green to the troop of ponies. In a second they were galloping through the village and off to the hills.

With the assassins half carried, half dragged one of their number, wounded. It was said that this was Sidney Allen, one of the brothers. Three jurors, Fowler, Fuddis and



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The results of all our efforts are to be seen in our present display. Here is an assortment covering practically every style of Suit from the most conservative American model to the latest effect from London.

No need to detail the styles, materials and the linings—sufficient to say that lines embrace every Suit a young man could want, from plain business suits to the finest of novelties.

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- "Fashion Clothes" " \$22.50 to \$30.00
- "Society Brand" " \$22.50 to \$35.00



EVERYBODY'S FRIEND WAS PAYMASTER RAY

Washington, March 14.—Paymaster Beecher B. Ray was the friend and supporter of every republican presidential aspirant in campaigns in which he participated prior to 1908, according to testimony today before the house committee by Brigadier General Sniffin, retired paymaster general. General Sniffin referred to influences used by Major Ray and injected the

names of Senator Cullom of Illinois, Elihu Root, former Senator Hemenway of Indiana, as well as the late Senator Mark Hanna of Ohio, into the discussion and identified "a relative of the secretary of war" mentioned in a letter, as Charles P. Taft, brother of the president.

General Sniffin said he had his opinion as to the value of an unreliable army officer to a presidential aspirant.

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