

CAMBLERS ARE IN GREAT GLEE

Say Court's Decision Upholding Lewisohn's Right to Refuse to Answer Questions About Canfield's Protects Them.

TIES JEROME'S HANDS IN HIS CRUSADE.

Under the Ruling by the Highest Court in the State Reginald Vanderbilt Safely Can Return to His City Home.

With feelings of the liveliest satisfaction, tinged with a slight regret at the recollection of the size of their contributions to the Tammany campaign fund, Tenderloin gamblers to-day received the news of the Court of Appeals denying the legality of District Attorney Jerome's recent John Doe proceedings in gambling cases, and upholding the right of Jesse Lewisohn to refuse to answer questions concerning his visits to Canfield's gambling house.

"It means that we can go ahead with our business as long as we do not interfere with the courts," said the proprietor of one of the biggest gambling houses in the theatrical district.

Under legal advice the gamblers from Twenty-third to Forty-sixth streets feel sure that there is no way of interfering with them now, provided they can keep detectives from their gaming tables. This can be done easily, it is argued. There is not one of the big gambling houses that has not got its own list of patrons, and every man with money who plays the wheel, or bets on a card, has a ticket of admission to all the houses.

The recent decision that the police had no authority to break down doors of gambling-houses except when there was a warrant, which could only be got after evidence was in hand, places the gamblers in the position where they are protected.

Jesse Lewisohn was subpoenaed to appear and testify against the gamblers in the John Doe proceedings last December. He refused to testify and Justice Wyatt held him in contempt for refusing to answer questions put to him. He was then taken to the Supreme Court and before Justice Scott again refused to testify. He was again held in contempt. The Appellate Division was against Justice Scott in his findings and the Court of Appeals sustained the Appellate Division.

The decision of the Court of Appeals means that Reginald Vanderbilt, who has been practically an exile for more than a year, will be able to return to New York without fear of the District Attorney, who wanted him to testify against the gamblers. Young Vanderbilt is said to have been a heavy player at Canfield's. On one occasion he is reported to have lost \$50,000 at one sitting. He lost a large fortune in a few weeks, it is generally conceded.

Among other rich young men who were on the District Attorney's list, and who would have been compelled to testify against the gamblers had the decision been against Lewisohn are Harry Payne Whitney, A. A. Housman, Harry K. Vincent, Edward Wasserman, Jacob W. Field and Archibald Fell.

"This decision," said Assistant District Attorney Chase, "means that in the future we will have to depend upon the detectives entirely for evidence against the gambling houses. No man can be made to testify against them in the future. The Grand Jury may compel witnesses to appear, but these witnesses can escape answering questions by saying that testimony they give will tend to incriminate them. The jury cannot compel them to talk after such an admission."

Justice Bartlett, who read the unanimous decision of the court, said that the decision was based on the clause of the Constitution which provided that persons should not be compelled to testify against themselves.

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SPANISH BEAUTY HERE TO DANCE



Rosario Guerrero.

WHEN Senorita Rosario Guerrero, that Spanish dancing girl who arrived here from Europe yesterday, made her appearance on Broadway to-day she was pronounced the handsomest woman who has come from abroad to go on the American stage this season. With Anna Held the senorita was shown about the theatres. She has never been in this country before and she marvelled at the great crowds in the streets and the tremendous buildings.

The senorita does not speak one word of English. She is a perfect Spanish type with great black eyes and hair.

Her face is womanly and beautiful. The Spanish girl was engaged by Florence Zeigfeld for the coming season. She will open in one of the Broadway houses and will do a pantomime in "Carmen." Her dances are said to be something New York has never seen.

When Anna Held was stopped on Broadway to-day and asked who the broad-looking Spanish girl was, Miss Held laughed and said: "I don't know that I will tell any one. I used to be the one looked at, but it is different with this girl. I will leave her at home in the future. I am afraid I have become jealous of her, and I haven't known her tenious hours."

BROKE JAIL AND GOT AWAY.

Prisoner Better at Sprinting than Warden and Police.
(Special to The Evening World.)
CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 21.—Howard K. Bott, sentenced to eighteen months for assault and battery, escaped from jail to-day and is still at large. Bott, after knocking down a workman, got through a hole in the jail wall where alterations are being made. The prisoner ran down Federal street, pursued by a policeman and a warden, whose face, covered with lather, showed his morning shave had been interrupted. Once Bott stopped to tie his shoe and, losing too much time, pulled off the shoe and thrust it into his pocket.

After running several squares he dodged into a series of alleys and disappeared at the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad. It is supposed he jumped on a train that was leaving about that time. Bott was on a train

page two months ago and fired a shot into a crowd, wounding several persons. He hid in a swamp and kept the police at bay for several hours, finally occupying, and was caught two days later.

JOSEPH MILANOLI DEAD.

Husband of Maria De Prato Victim of Paralysis.
Joseph Milanoli, husband of Maria De Prato, owner of the Hotel Maria, at No. 123 West Forty-first street, died yesterday, of paralysis.
Milanoli arrived here in 1888. He was well known as a linguist and an artist of no main ability. The funeral will take place on Friday at the Church of the Holy Innocents, at Thirty-seventh street, near Broadway.
Maria De Prato is well known to the literary world, having entertained in her hotel, when it was located at No. 144 Broadway street, such men as Eugene Field, John Kendrick Bangs and James Whitcomb Riley.

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One White Enamel Bed, 3 ft. only, one all iron good soft top mattress, 3 ft. size only; value \$8.00. Complete for 5.00

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One White Enamel Bed, continuous posts, in 4-foot only, value 8.00
One Heavy All Iron Spring, value 8.00
One Mixed Hair Mattress in one or two parts, value 10.00
Total value 21.00
Complete for 14.75

Complete Outfit No. 2.
One White Enamel Bed, Brass Rail and Mounts, value 5.00
One All Iron Spring, heavy reliable supports to prevent from sagging, value 3.00
A Combination Hair Top and Bottom Mattress, one or two parts, fancy ticking, value 5.50
Total value 13.50
This Outfit can be had in all sizes. 9.98

Complete Outfit No. 4.
One White Enamel Bed with one-inch brass rail over entire head and foot piece, brass hulk and spindle, value 12.00
A good 40-lb. Hair Mattress, made in one or two parts of ticking, your choice; value 12.00
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White Enamel Beds, continuous posts, in 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in.; value 4.00. 2.98
White Enamel Beds, brass rail over entire head and foot piece, fancy brass scroll, 4.0 and 4.5; value 5.00. 6.75
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Iron Telescope Sliding Bed Couch; when opened makes full size bed; National spring, ball-bearing casters and fine cotton mattress, with valance; can be taken apart to make two single beds; 10.00 value 15.00. 9.75
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Box Couches, self-opening spring, which makes it easy to open, covered in plush or fancy denim, and good tempered 8.75
French Upholstered Box Springs covered with fine saten ticking, best black steel tempered springs; value 9.50; all sizes. 7.50

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Excelstor Cotton Top Mattresses in all sizes, value 3.00; for Thursday only 1.98
Combination Hair Top and Bottom Mattresses, one or two parts, all sizes; value 5.50. 3.75
White Cotton Combination Mattresses, made in one or two parts in good quality fancy stripe ticking; all sizes; value 6.75. 4.50
All White Cotton Mattresses in A. C. A. or fancy ticking; value 7.50. 5.75
Black Hair Mattresses, 40 lb., A. C. A. or saten ticking, formerly 10.00. 6.98
Hard Gray Hair Mattresses, in one or two parts, made to your order in your own choice of 8.98 ticking; value 12.50. 8.98
Pure Long Horsehair Mattresses; this mattress is positively worth 18.00; special for Thursday 12.75
50-lb. Imperial Edge Soft Hair Mattress, in one or two parts, fine selection of ticking—A. C. A. 22.50 mattress. 16.48
French Upholstered Box Springs covered with fine saten ticking, best black steel tempered springs; value 9.50; all sizes. 7.50

THIEVES SET FIRE TO COVER TRACKS

Police Believe Flames in Apartments of F. W. Roy Were Started After the Rooms Had Been Ransacked.

Fire in the five-story apartment house at No. 887 East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to-day is believed by the police and firemen to have been started by thieves after they had ransacked the rooms occupied by F. W. Roy.

Both Roy and his wife were absent when the fire was discovered in a rear room of their apartment on the third floor.

The police heard that a certified check had been known to be in the possession of Roy, but they have not learned its amount.

The fire was put out by the firemen before it had done much damage, but the rooms were found in such a disordered condition that it was believed the thieves had set the blaze to hide their work.

The check the thieves are supposed to have been after was one for \$10 which Mr. Roy received at his coal-yard in East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street last night.

HURT AT INCENDIARY BLAZE.

Five Men Injured at Philadelphia Fire in Which Horses Were Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 21.—Five men were injured and three horses killed during a fire which to-day destroyed the planing mill and lumber sheds of the Pennsylvania Lumber Company, in the northeastern section of the city. Edward K. Snyder, the watchman, was seriously burned while trying to rescue the horses. Martin Artman and Samuel Gosler, engine drivers, were crushed between an engine and a hose cart; Thomas Adair, a fireman was burned, and William Myers, fireman, was struck on the head by a piece of lumber. A vacant factory building a short distance from the planing mill was also burned about the same time. The fire marshal suspects the fire was the work of incendiaries. The losses combined reach \$25,000.

CLOSE CALL FOR FISHERMEN.
Two Lost Oars and Were Rescued as Their Boat Was Piling.
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19c per yard for Heavy Granite Carpets, yard wide, reversible, value 35c. per yard.

1.25 yd. for \$1.75 Savonnerie Axminsters. The finest plush carpet manufactured; exquisite patterns and beautiful combinations. Worth \$1.75 per yard.

85c per yard for \$1.75 and \$1.50 Smith's Axminster Carpets, borders to match.

49c per yard for 65c. and 75c. All-Wool Tapestry Brussels, parlor, sitting-room and stair patterns.

\$10 Jap. Matting at \$5.98.
500 Rolls Go on Sale To-morrow.
We made a great purchase of Matting recently which we have not had space to mention save in a passing manner. Yet the Matting has been selling on sight. The offering is a most extraordinary value. A new shipment of 500 rolls goes on sale to-morrow:

Linen warp Japanese Matting, in large carpet patterns, in red, green, blue and oak; 40 yards to the roll; value \$10; limit, 2 rolls to a customer, at, per roll. **5.98**

Linoleum.
Two Matchless Offerings.
A large special lot of Cork Linoleum, 2 yards wide, in the season's best patterns. None to dealers. No mail orders; limit, 25 square yds. to a customer. **39c**

Sheet Linoleum, 3 and 4 yards wide, plain and initial patterns; value \$1.00 per square yard, offered at **59c**

More Stirring Rug News for To-Morrow.
10.98 for \$16.50 Wilton Velvet Rugs, 9 feet long and 6 ft. 9 in. wide; beautiful patterns; Oriental, Persian and medallion designs; dark and light grounds; value \$16.50.
16.98 for \$25.00 Smyrna Rugs, 15 feet long and 12 feet wide; for very large rooms or office use; exquisite Oriental patterns; reversible; value \$25.00.

1.98 The famous John Bromley Reversible Rugs; ten different designs, in Oriental, Persian and floral patterns. We cannot fill mail orders. 6x9, 7.6x10.6, 9x12, **5.00 7.50 10.00**

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1.00 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, overlook corded edges, 3 yds. long, excellent brackets; regular price \$1.75; our special sale price, per pair.

2.49 Iceland Sheep Baby Carriage Robes, extra large size; double pocket style, lined throughout, value \$3.75; at 2.49

1.44 pair English Lace Curtains, 30 patterns, 3 yards long, 56 in. wide; value up to \$2.75 pair.

3.98 Irish Point Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long and full width, positively worth \$6.50 per pair.

2.74 Self Color Armure Portieres, reversible, deep luster fringe; \$4.50 value, at 2.74

5.00 100 Pairs of Portieres, mercerized, bordered, Colonial and Armure effects, every color represented, some are corded, most all fringed, per pair.

1.25 Heavy Reversible Armure Tapestry Table Covers, heavy fringe, 2 1/2 yards (large extension table size), worth \$3.00 each; special at 1.49

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1.49 Antwerp Rockers, like cut, with arm chairs to match, value \$2.98, to close out, choice at

6.98 Tufted Couches like illustration, full spring edge, covered in a choice selection of figured velours, with heavy knotted fringe, retail regularly at \$11; very special at

88c Solid Oak Cane Seat Dining Chair, with heavy bracket back, fancy turned spindles, well finished value \$1.50.

We will make up to your order during this sale, a combination Hair Mattress, in 1 or 2 parts to fit any size bed, covered in heavy Amosag, ticking; value \$6.75; at 3.75

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