

BEDLAM IN COURT AS CAMORRISTS RAGE AT JUDGE

King Shown Them as Proof of Guilt, They Cry Protests, Then Join in Sobbing Bree.

WOMEN FRIENDS FAINT.

Accusing Lawyer Glares at Prisoners Through Bars of Cage—Upstart Halts Trial.

VENUE, Italy, March 21.—A very strange scene unfolded in the courtroom today as the trial of the Camorrista proceeded.

The accused men alternately cursed in a rage and sobbed hysterically while their women friends in the audience screamed and fainted.

The scene was enacted soon after the resumption of the sitting which was adjourned at the close of the morning session yesterday.

This morning Salvi was called for cross-examination. It is charged that he is the man who furnished the final evidence of Cuocolo's treachery in the Camorra and so brought about his sentence of death.

As the cross-examination progressed today President Bianchi suddenly resumed the ring, and, holding it in his fingers so that it could be seen by all in the courtroom, said:

"This is the ring found in the home of your woman associate."

The trial was interrupted by the screams of the women friends of the prisoners who were shouting and crying.

"We are innocent. We have been betrayed. We have been sold to the law."

For a moment Giovanni Rapi, the alleged treasurer of the Camorra and known as the proprietor of gambling places in Naples, Rome and Paris, held the center of the stage when he preached his face against the bars of the cage and cried:

"I call from the other world the soul of my poor brother Ciro who died in prison, to witness that we are flesh and blood sold by the Carabinieri to the inquiring judges who lost themselves to this infamous market."

By this time both prisoners and lawyers were pretty well exhausted and suddenly the accused men as with one accord burst into tears.

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