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AMES IS FOUND GUILTY

Jury Decides Former Mayor Received Bribe of \$600.

LONG FIGHT ON APPEAL NEXT.

Verdict Was a Shock to Doctor and His Wife—Jury Spends Twenty-four Hours in Retirement Before Announcing Verdict.

Minneapolis, May 8.—Albert Alonzo Ames, former mayor of Minneapolis, has been found guilty of accepting a bribe of \$600 while chief executive of this city. After being out twenty-four hours, held by a disagreement, the jury in the case returned their verdict of guilty. A big crowd was present to hear the verdict. The usual motions were made for a stay and an arrest of execution of judgment and a long fight on appeal will now come. Through the trial Dr. Ames has borne up well and to every appearance he has not seemed better at any time than he was during the summing up of the case by counsel. The verdict came as a shock to both the defendant and his wife.

Mayor Ames was later released on bond, his bond of \$21,000 continuing effective. He was taken to his home, where he refused to see any one, friends or reporters. The shock to Dr. Ames, who hoped for acquittal, is so great his physicians have ordered him to bed and seclusion.

TWELVE SLAIN IN WRECK.

Frightful Accident Occurs on Canadian Pacific Road.

Port Arthur, Ont., May 8.—One of the worst accidents in the history of railroading in the west occurred on the main line of the Canadian Pacific railroad, near Dexter station. Twelve laborers imprisoned in the wreckage of a derailed work train were either killed outright or burned to death. Eight others were frightfully burned and a number of them will die. The men were asleep when the train left the track. The train was running at high speed when it was derailed, presumably by the breaking of an axle. Every car left the track and plunged down an embankment into the ditch. The men killed were asleep in what is known as "the boarding car," which was attached to the rear of the train. There were thirty men in the car. It was crushed like an eggshell and many of the men were pinned under the debris so that they could not be removed. Fire added to the horror of the scene, the splintered wood of the car being ignited by an overheated stove. The men who escaped injury set to work to liberate the imprisoned men, but they were driven back time and time again by the flames, which spread rapidly. One of the imprisoned men succeeded in extricating himself uninjured and smashed a window and crawled out from under the wreckage. He reported that several others, some of them badly injured, were lying near the window. The rescuers succeeded in getting ten or twelve men through the shattered windows. The men were finally driven from the work of rescue by the intense heat.

VENEZUELAN PROTOCOL SIGNED

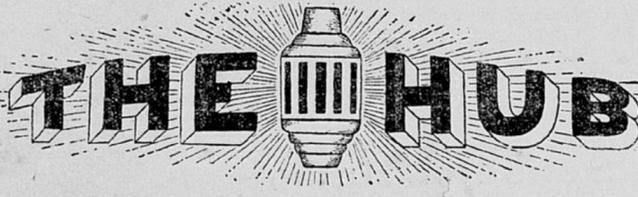
Negotiations Concluded at British Embassy in Washington.

Washington, May 8.—Shortly after 7 o'clock last evening the closing scene in the Venezuelan negotiations was concluded at the British embassy in the presence of Herbert W. Bowen, Venezuela's plenipotentiary; Signor Mayor des Planches, the Italian ambassador; Sir Michael H. Herbert, the British ambassador, and Baron Speck von Sternburg, the German representative. Mr. Bowen first signed with the three foreign representatives separate protocols for reference to The Hague tribunal of the question of preferential treatment for the blockading powers in the payment of their claims against Venezuela, and immediately afterward there were signed the conventions providing for the settlement of the allies' claims by the several commissions, which are to meet at Caracas this summer. Mr. Bowen almost immediately cabled to President Castro the brief announcement: "Last protocol signed."

Mr. Bowen expects to sail for Caracas from New York on May 16.

The striking feature of The Hague protocol is the concluding clause of article 1, which provides that in case The Hague decides adversely to the blockading powers' contention for preferential treatment, the manner of payment of other creditor nations shall be such "that no power shall obtain preferential treatment."

Roosevelt Will Visit Denison June 2nd.



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THREATEN NEGRO CARRIER

Masked Men Menace Colored Postman in Tennessee.

PAYNE SUSPENDS RURAL ROUTE.

Postmaster General May Abolish Service at That Point Altogether or Send Troops to Guard Mail Entrusted to Negro.

Washington, May 8.—The postoffice department was notified officially that John C. Allgood, a colored rural free delivery letter carrier, while making his regular trip near Gallatin, Tenn., was stopped by men armed and masked and he and his colored substitute carrier were warned not to continue in the service under pain of death. Postmaster General Payne has suspended service on the route pending investigation and the incident may become a second Indianapolis case. The news of the affair reached the postmaster general in the following dispatch from Special Agent Conger, in charge of the rural free delivery service, with headquarters at Nashville, Tenn., as follows:

"Rural carrier No. 1, colored, Gallatin, Tenn., advises that he was stopped on route by armed, masked men and his life threatened if he continued in service. Threat also applies to colored substitute carrier. Warned not to divulge cause of his removal, but to assign other reasons. No time allowed to await upon appointment of successor. Believing it hazardous, he will not serve route tomorrow unless assurances are given him that no violence will be committed."

Postmaster General Payne said if the facts were as reported only two courses of action would be open, namely, to abolish the route and leave the mail thereon without that service to send soldiers to the scene to protect the carrier in the performance of his duty. Mr. Payne said the former course was the more probable. He had attention to the civil service of the carriers and said that appointees were secured through civil service commission, therefore not being optional.

NINE LIVES CRUSHED OUT.

Three Others Fatally Hurt by Slide of Rock in Tunnel.

Roanoke, Va., May 8.—Nine men were killed and five others injured, three of them fatally, by a slide of rock in the east end of tunnel No. 2, at Eggleston Springs, on the Norfolk and Western railroad. Railroad contractors were engaged in double tracking the two tunnels at the point named and when the tunneling force had removed the earth and stone for the railroad tracks at the point where the calamity occurred a huge slide of solid stone gave way on the mountain side and came down at an angle of about forty-five degrees, striking the gang of laborers and crushing out the lives of nine men.

One man was in a niche of the tunnel way and escaped with slight injuries. A second man, who stood on the outer edge of the slide, was only slightly hurt, but three others were injured so badly that it is feared they will die. The bodies of the other nine men, some of whom are white, are still under the mountain slide. A wrecking car and derrick was taken out from Radford, but thus far have been of no avail. There is no likelihood that the bodies can be recovered soon, as the rock will have to be dynamited and removed bit by bit.

Mayor Suggests Arbitration.

Omaha, May 8.—At a meeting of the Business Men's association Mayor Moores suggested arbitration of the strike through a board appointed by the governor and the suggestion was well received. Governor Mickey stated that no troops would be called out unless the situation changed. Judge Munger modified his restraining order sufficiently to permit of the Teamsters' union keeping up its organization. No move was made to resume business in any line.

Strikers Up for Contempt.

Topeka, Kan., May 8.—Judge Hook of the federal court ordered Samuel Gaston and William Sanders to appear before him today to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt of court. The order was issued on account of the interference these two are alleged to have made with some workers in a Kansas City box factory after an order had been issued by the court restraining the men who were on strike there from interfering.

PRESIDENT IN CALIFORNIA

Is Given Welcome at Redlands by Governor and Citizens.

WATER GOLDEN STATE'S NEED.

Roosevelt Points to Irrigation and Preservation of Forests as Chief Requirements—Nation's Chief Spends Night at Riverside.

Redlands, Cal., May 8.—President Roosevelt was formally welcomed to California before a crowd estimated at 10,000. In front of the Hotel Casalone was packed a mass of humanity that stretched for two blocks east and west. The enthusiasm displayed must have reminded the guest in whose honor the demonstration had been planned that California hospitality was really what he cared it to be. There was an ovation all along the line until the hotel was reached. Thousands were gathered in the streets. On the corner opposite the balcony from which the president spoke 1,000 school children were seated on a grandstand, put up for the occasion. As the president approached each of the children waved a flag and their young voices were often raised in cheers. They also sang national airs. Mayor Fowler introduced Governor Pardee, who, in a brief address, welcomed President Roosevelt to California. The great throng cheered itself hoarse when the president arose to deliver his address. It was several minutes before he could proceed. He said, in part:

"I am glad, indeed, to have the chance to visit this wonderful and beautiful state, but I did not have to come to know you or like you, for I know what the sons and daughters of the state have done. If I did not appreciate their achievements I would indeed be a poor American. But for the country itself, though, I had been told so much of its beauty and its wonders, I had never realized or could not realize in advance all I have seen. Coming down over the mountain I was

impressed with the thought more and more of what can be done with the wise use of water and the forests of this state. The people have grown to realize that it is indispensable to the future of the country to conserve and properly use the water and to preserve the great mountain forests. All this great valley shows what can be accomplished by irrigation, and it is to be congratulated that your settlers had the foresight to take advantage of it. The sight of these children convinces me of the truth of a statement just made to me by Governor Pardee when he said that in California there is no danger of race suicide. You have done well in raising oranges, and I believe you have done better raising children."

The presidential party left here at 3 o'clock for San Bernardino, where a short speech was made. The night was spent at Riverside.

May Veto Mueller Bill.

Springfield, Ill., May 8.—A report was current that Governor Yates before the final adjournment of the state legislature would send to the senate a veto or other message affecting the Mueller traction bill. The Mueller bill is the measure to defeat which an attempt was made to gavel through a rival bill, thus leading to a riot in the house. The legislature declined to accede to a request from the governor for a postponement of the sine die adjournment at midnight. About that hour the governor closed his office and it was stated authoritatively that there would be no action on the Mueller bill. Should the governor veto the bill and not call a special session of the legislature, the hard won victory for the Mueller bill is without avail, and the traction situation in Chicago becomes chaotic, as existing railway franchises soon expire in a number of cases.

Warren Not a Candidate.

Cheyenne, May 8.—A report published here that Senator Francis E. Warren is a candidate for the vice presidency on the Republican ticket in 1904 was denied by the senator. He has never intimated that he would seek the nomination.

'Frisco-Rock Island Merger.

New York, May 8.—The Herald says that the 'Frisco-Rock Island agreement has been signed. The terms are not stated, but it is understood that they vary but little from the original contract, which was abandoned at the time the stock market was shaken up by the recent decision at St. Louis in the Northern Securities case. Under the new agreement, however, no cash will be paid. The 'Frisco common stock, which will be turned over to the Rock Island, carries the absolute control. It will be deposited as a collateral underlying the new bond issue, which will be issued to pay for the stock.

East and West Divide Whist Honors.

Chicago, May 8.—The championship honors were divided equally between the east and west in the woman's whist tournament. The Howell Women's Whist club of Boston won two first championships, the Philadelphia trophy and the Toledo trophy. The principal cup, the Washington trophy, was won by the Hamilton club of St. Louis, while Chicago was forced to be content with the junior championship, the Cavendish trophy. The next meeting will be held in Baltimore. Miss Ellen Goldsborough was elected president.

Six Men Are Under Arrest.

Caruthersville, Mo., May 8.—Sheriff J. A. Franklin has returned from the Little River neighborhood, having under arrest six men charged with being members of the mob who killed Constable W. J. Moneyhon and "Rev." D. M. Malone, last Saturday night. Their names are: Ed Chitty, D. C. Fisher, Bob Godair, Jim Price, "Ruff" Nichols and Jeff Nichols. All deny guilty knowledge of the affair and claim to be able to prove an alibi.

Congress of Mothers.

Detroit, May 8.—The session of the conference of the American Congress of Mothers was devoted to a paper on "Education for Social Efficiency," by Dr. M. V. O'Shea of the University of Wisconsin. At its conclusion, the paper was discussed briefly by Hon. Albert L. Barbour of Detroit, regent of the University of Michigan. ELLEN OSMADE.