

COAL TRUST TO BE PROSECUTED

Government Employs as Counsel Charles E. Hughes, Who Conducted the Life Insurance Investigation

SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE TO WARRANT ACTION

Plans Perfected by Admin- istration With Great Sec- recy and No One in Wall Street Profits by the News

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL.
CALL BUREAU, POST BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, April 17.—That the
Government aims to retrieve its recent
defeat in the prosecution of the beef
trust was shown late this afternoon,
when Attorney General Moody announced
that he had engaged Charles E. Hughes
of New York and Alexander Simpson
Jr. of Philadelphia to consider,
institute and conduct prosecutions or
suits against corporations and persons
in the sale of coal.

This announcement was not made until
after the stock market closed and
very few persons knew the administra-
tion had any such move in contempla-
tion until the Department of Justice
telephoned to newspaper offices that
it had an important announcement to
make.

The manner of the announcement was
very similar to the publication of the
news in February, 1902, that the Presi-
dent had ordered the Attorney General
to bring suit against the Northern
Securities Company. In that rather im-
portant matter the cabinet was kept
in the dark, no friend of the adminis-
tration in Wall street knew what was
coming and the news was not given out
for publication until evening. In mak-
ing the announcement today the Attorney
General said:

"It is believed that sufficient evi-
dence has developed in the investiga-
tion by the Interstate Commerce Com-
mission and otherwise to warrant the
employment of counsel."

Both President Roosevelt and Attorney
General Moody have been watching
developments with reference to the coal
investigation with great interest. Public
feeling because of the constant re-
iteration of allegations that all anthracite
coal is in the control of a monopoly
and that all bituminous coal east of the
Ohio River is similarly controlled has
become intense. In view of recent dis-
closures and events. The charges that
the Pennsylvania and New York Central
railroads were at the head of great
coal combinations in violation of the
Sherman anti-trust law and the interstate
commerce law have been constantly
made in Congress in the last
two or three sessions.

STATE CONSTABULARY ON GUARD AT WINDBER

Quiet Restored but Fear of a Fresh Outbreak Exists.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., April 17.—Windber's
streets tonight are bristling with bayonets
of the State constabulary retaining order
that was brought out of the riotous and
chaotic conditions that prevailed for sev-
eral hours last night. There is still an
undercurrent of feeling that there will
be another outbreak tomorrow, when the
funerals of the mob victims will be held.
It needs but a petty quarrel between the
strikers and non-union men to set the
town again in flames.

The prisoners arrested last night and
charged today with rioting were trans-
ferred from the Windber jail to the county
jail at Somerset by Sheriff Healey with
a corps of deputies without incident. The
entire town tonight, as well as the Ber-
wind-White Coal Company's mines, are
closely guarded, and all who go in or out
of the town must pass the scrutiny of the
State constabulary. All saloons are closed
and will remain closed until all danger of
further outbreaks is passed.

MISS LURLINE SPRECKELS TO BECOME BRIDE IN PARIS

Relatives Leave America to Attend Wedding of California Girl and Spencer Eddy.

NEW YORK, April 17.—To attend the
wedding of Spencer F. Eddy, secretary
of the United States embassy in St. Pe-
tersburg, and Miss Lurline Spreckels, a
large party sailed to-day on the Kaiser
Wilhelm der Grosse. It included Mr.
and Mrs. Augustus N. Eddy, parents of
the bridegroom, and Miss Eddy, his
sister; Mrs. Marshall Field, his aunt;
Mrs. Marshall Field Jr., Mrs. Field
and Henry and Gwendolyn Field
and C. A. Spreckels, the father of the
bride.

It was first arranged to have the
ceremony take place in New York in
March, when Spencer Eddy was
here on leave, but it was postponed
owing to the death of Marshall Field.
The ceremony will take place in Paris
during the last week in April.

Little Marshall Field III, who is only
12 years of age, was accompanied by a
valet, and the other children have each
a nurse and a maid.

Troops Active in Manchuria.

HARBIN, April 17.—Great Chinese
military activity is reported in south-
ern Manchuria. Generals Ma and Yuan
Shi Kai are increasing their forces.

CLERGYMAN FACES CHARGE OF HERESY

Rev. Algernon S. Crapsey of the Protestant Episcopal church has been placed on trial in the diocese of Western New York to answer to the charge of heresy. Dr. Crapsey is said to have been denied the divinity of Christ.

Dr. Crapsey Placed on Trial in the East.

Accused as Result of Sermons and Writings.

BATAVIA, N. Y., April 17.—The first
trial for many years in the Protestant
Episcopal church was begun here today,
when the Rev. Algernon Sidney Crapsey,
D.D., for twenty-five years rector of St.
Andrew's Church at Rochester, was
placed on trial before an ecclesiastical
court, charged with utterances from the
pulpit of that church and in print which
were alleged to be in violation of the
tenets of the Protestant Episcopal faith.

In 1904 and 1905 Dr. Crapsey delivered a
series of sermons. These were afterward
published, under his authority, under the
title "Religion and Politics." The pre-
sentment against him contains fifteen
extracts from this book, which are the
basis for the charge that he intention-
ally expressed disbelief in the divinity
of Christ, the conception of the Holy
Ghost, the Virgin birth, the bodily resur-
rection and the trinity.

A second specification under this first
charge is that he made utterances of a
like nature as recently as December 31
last, with the same intent to deny the
same doctrines.

The second and last charge in the pre-
sentment is that Dr. Crapsey violated
his ordination vows by failing to conform
to the doctrines, discipline and worship
of the Protestant Episcopal church.

Under the second specification of the
first charge, the utterances attributed
to Dr. Crapsey in his December sermon
are these:

"First—Jesus was born of parents be-
longing to the middle classes.

"Second—He was born of a simple
father and mother.

"Third—He was the son of a car-
penter.

"Fourth—The fear that the early Chris-
tians predicted a miraculous birth to
Christ was to be regarded as one of the
greatest misfortunes that has ever be-
fallen mankind."

The truth or falsity of the church's
doctrines is not to be argued at the trial.
The sole question is whether the things
that Dr. Crapsey said are contrary to
those doctrines and did he so intend
them to be.

It is understood that Dr. Crapsey's
defense will be that under a liberal
interpretation of the creed he has not
contradicted its doctrines.

If he is found guilty of intentional de-
nial of the tenets there is but one punish-
ment—dismissal from the church. Dr.
Crapsey was filed by ten ministers of the Western
New York diocese. Bishop Walker ap-
pointed a special committee of five to
investigate it. The committee reported—
to, against taking any further action
against the accused. However, the
standing committee of the diocese be-
lieved it for the welfare of the church to
have a trial, and unanimously decided to
have one. It was the standing committee
of the diocese that presented the case.
The Bishop approved it.

The members of the court are: Rev.
Walter C. Roberts, president of the tribu-
nal; Rev. Charles H. Boynton, Rev. G.
Sherman Burrows, Rev. Francis Fur-
row, Rev. John Mill Gilbert, who was
appointed by Bishop Walker in place of
Rev. Nathan W. Stanton, who was
challenged by Dr. Crapsey.

Dr. Crapsey was represented by Con-
gressman J. B. Peckinpaugh of Rochester,
who said that Edward M. Shepard of
New York was associated with him, but
that he was unable to be present today.
After a brief discussion the case went
over to April 25.

COURT DENIES IMMUNITY PLEA IN REBATE CASES

Railroads and Packing Companies Must Stand Trial Upon Missouri Indictments.

KANSAS CITY, April 17.—In the re-
bate cases in the United States District
Court here today the plea of immunity
filed by the railway companies and
other defendants, and a decision by Judge Hum-
phrey at Chicago in the beef trust cases
was denied.

The decision rendered today, which
was by Judge Smith McPherson of
Iowa, sustains the demands of the
Government to the immunity plea filed
by the Chicago and Alton, John N.
Falthorn, former vice president, and F.
A. Winn, former assistant traffic man-
ager of that road.

The railway and these two individ-
uals, with other railroads, five local
packing houses and several officials,
were indicted here last December by
the grand jury, charged with giving
rebates on pack-houses and other
products in violation of the Elkins law,
and with conspiring to secure rebates
in violation of that law. Defendants
must now plead to the indictments
within ten days.

CHINESE RULERS EXCHANGE GREETINGS WITH PRESIDENT

Felicitations Flashed Upon the Completion of the Cable.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Messages
of congratulations were exchanged
yesterday and today between Presi-
dent Roosevelt and the Emperor and
Empress of China. The messages com-
memorate the completion of the last
link of the cable between San Francisco
and China. The telegrams expressed
the belief that the prosperity of both
countries would be increased by the
cable and the two peoples brought
closer together.

MINE OWNERS INVITE CLASH

Again Declare in Reply to Mitchell That There Is Nothing to Arbitrate

PREPARE FOR TROUBLE

Reading Coal and Iron Com- pany Building Barricades Around Its Collieries

NEW YORK, April 17.—A sub-commit-
tee of operators of the anthracite coal
carrying railroads and mine operators
held a meeting in this city today and
drew up a letter to President John
Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of
America, in which the operators again
declare that there is nothing to arbitrate
except the question whether there shall
be any arbitration.

This reply is made in response to Presi-
dent Mitchell's recent amended proposi-
tion of arbitration. The operators do
not, however, refuse point blank to ac-
cept Mr. Mitchell's latest plan. They as-
sert that all the differences between the
miners and their employers have been de-
cided by the strike commission and that
there is no reason why another attempt
should be made to arbitrate them.

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—The situa-
tion in the anthracite regions is perplex-
ing. While quiet has been general
throughout the hard coal field, it is diffi-
cult to forecast what effect the reply of
the operators to the miners' latest proposi-
tion will have upon the latter. The
miners almost to a man signified their
intention of standing by President
Mitchell, but at the same time the oper-
ators have been quietly preparing for the
operation of their mines.

Throughout the lower hard coal fields
the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and
Iron Company is building barracks
around its collieries. It is the intention
of the company not to leave a colliery
exposed in this region. While this ap-
parent activity is in progress, mine su-
perintendents say that no attempt will
be made to start washeries in the Schuyl-
kill regions for several days.

ACQUITTED OF MURDER ON PLEA OF HYSTERIA

Woman Pronounced Not Guilty by a Jury in the State of Mont- ana.

HELENA, Mont., April 17.—The jury
in the Julia King murder trial rendered
a verdict of acquittal last night after
being out five hours. The jury stood
eleven for acquittal and one for man-
slaughter on the first ballot, and suc-
ceeding ballots showed no change until
just before 9 o'clock, when the one re-
bellious juror receded and made the
verdict unanimous.

The plea set up by the defendant was
a novel one and is the first of its kind
in Montana jurisprudence, being that
of hysteria. It was pronounced by at-
torneys to be a more difficult mental
condition to establish than mere emo-
tional insanity.

FOLLOWS DIVORCED WIFE IN ORDER TO SHOOT HER

Kansas City Man Tracks Woman to Minneapolis, Severely Wounds Her and Escapes.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 17.—
Perry Spencer, who was nearly mobbed
in Chicago three weeks ago on account
of his threats against his divorced
wife, last night shot her three times
and escaped. She probably will die.

Since the Chicago affair Mrs. Spencer
has been trying to hide from her for-
mer husband and has been living with
friends in Minneapolis. Spencer has
been in the restaurant business at Kan-
sas City.

PUTS BRAND UPON HEARST

Bourke Cockran Styles the Editor "an Apostle of Violence and Disorder"

SCORES BELMONT ALSO

Says the Conviction That Corporations Control Gov- ernment Must Be Dispelled

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL.
NEW YORK, April 17.—In a letter sent
to Mayor McClellan today, explaining his
absence from the Jefferson dinner of the
Democratic Club last night, Congressman
W. Bourke Cockran makes a bitter at-
tack upon August Belmont for his meth-
od of operating the city railways and
brands William R. Hearst "an apostle
of violence and disorder."

He declares that, unless something is
done to dispel the growing conviction
that corporations are in a fair way to
control the Government, "there is little
doubt that the people at the next elec-
tion will arise in wrath against both political
parties and, if there be no other means
available to liberate themselves from the
bondage so degrading, they may even
elect to the Governor's chair some ad-
vocate of revolutionary and dangerous
measures."

He points out that Belmont, as presi-
dent of the Interborough Metropolitan
merger, is in a position to do much to
advance the cause of Democracy by
granting general transfers between the
elevated surface and subway lines. Said
he:

"The strongest appeal of the Socialist
to public opinion is an assertion that
unless the Government assumes ownership
of certain corporations the corporations
will acquire possession of the Govern-
ment."

Both political parties, he charges, are
controlled by corporation interests so
completely, that while the leaders pose
as opponents in politics they are in fact
partners in business.

"If this conviction becomes general,"
he says, "the people at the next election
may elect to the Governor's high posi-
tion some advocate of revolutionary and
dangerous measures who, possessing
enormous wealth and several newspapers,
stands ready to employ all his riches in
organizing the discontented, the vision-
ary and the violent into an effective force
for the exploitation of his theories or the
gratification of his ambitions."

"If reduced to a choice between govern-
ment by the exploiters of public utilities,
who are generally believed to have de-
veloped such efficiency in corruption that
our political system must perish if it be
abandoned wholly to their control, and
the apostle of violence and disorder, who
proposes to cure corruption by measures
of confusion and confiscation, an honest
man may well hesitate about the path
which he will elect to pursue."

Great Excursion To Sonoma and Jannetown in the Bret Har- te country

Leaves San Francisco, 7:30 a. m.
Sunday, April 29. Only \$2.50. Limited
number, no crowding. About six hours at
destination. Change at Sonoma for the most
noted California mines. Inquire 613 Market street.

LOOPS THE LOOP UPON PAIR OF ROLLER SKATES

DULUTH, Minn., April 17.—After two
years of hard work George Prof of
this city has succeeded in "looping the
loop" on roller skates. Prof has been
seriously hurt on several occasions, but
has persisted until success crowned his
efforts. He also leaps a twenty-three
foot gap after coming down an eighty-
foot incline. He uses skates with ten-
tacle wheels and weighing twenty-seven
pounds.

FOLK SCORES THE LYNCHERS

Missouri's Governor Declares the Springfield Mob Was Made Up of Cowards

DARE NOT FACE LAW

Denounces Killing of Negroes as Murder, Though They Were Deserving of Death

ST. LOUIS, April 17.—Speaking at the
Commercial Club banquet tonight, Gov-
ernor Folk referred to the Springfield
lynchings, saying:

We have recently had an occurrence in our
State that has shocked the civilized world.
Strange to say, there are men—good men, too
—who approve what the Springfield mob did
last Saturday night when three negro pris-
oners were lynched by hanging them to the out-
stretched arm of the statue of Liberty holding
the torch of civilization.

Whatever may have been the crime of the
victims, irrespective of their guilt or inno-
cence, it was murder for the mob to kill them.
They may have deserved death, but it was
murder for the mob to kill them. We have a
Government by law and not by mob. We
punish by death in this State, and a failure
of justice in the case of the latter crime
is a blot on the honor of the State.

The action of the Springfield mob was
dastardly, cruel, inhuman and cowardly.
Those who would condemn the lynchings of
the mob speak of the killing of a negro by
young Peters at Springfield last night. In this
case the mob was attacked by the negro and he
was shot to death. He was a man of good
character and the honor of the lady he was
wedding. His act was courageous and gave
himself up. He was promptly discharged.
If the members of the mob thought they did
a manly thing, why do they not bravely give
themselves up and have the law take its
course as to them? Instead of this, after
committing the heinous crime against the
honor of the State, they slink cowardly away
into the darkness. Not one will dare admit
publicly his connection with the infamous pro-
ceeding.

But if they thought they were merely pun-
ishing a death three negroes they were mis-
taken. They aimed at the assassination of the
State of Missouri and insulted the majesty of
the law. Much conduct is to be tolerated, it
will lead to anarchy. It takes many years to
make a civilized, law-abiding man out of
a savage. It only takes a few minutes to make
a savage out of a civilized man.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 15.—The
situation here remains practically un-
changed. There were no disturbances
during the day, and the crowds that
gathered on the streets to discuss the
situation diminished in size and num-
bers toward evening.

The soldiers have not appeared on
the streets. They have remained quietly
in camp, ready, however, to march at
a moment's notice. The street inter-
sections near the jail are guarded to-
night by the troops, so that the possi-
bility of trouble will be minimized.
Squads of special police will continue
to patrol all parts of the city, and any
effort to cause trouble will be stopped
before it has a chance to gain strength.

Leslie Fets, the eighteen-year-old
boy who last night shot and killed
Ralph Burns, a negro, in defense of his
own life and of his sweetheart's honor,
was acquitted by a coroner's jury to-
day. The acquittal met with unanimous
approval.

The attempted crime of the negro has
not wrought up any great feeling
among the whites. Many of the negroes
here say that they are glad that
Burns was killed. He was regarded by
the colored men here as a bad man and
was accordingly feared by many of his
own race.

Chosen After Long Deadlock.

KANSAS CITY, April 17.—After a
deadlock that lasted nearly sixteen
hours the lower house of the City Coun-
cil today elected D. R. Spalding, a Re-
publican, Speaker. The break came on
the one hundred and eighteenth ballot,
when Thomas Pendergast, a Democrat,
voted for Spalding.

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PROPOSALS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 14, 1906.—Sealed
proposals in triplicate will be received here,
and at office of Quartermasters, until 11
a. m. April 15, 1906, for the purchase of
furnishings, during the fiscal year commencing
July 1, 1906, and ending June 30, 1907.
The proposals should be addressed to the
Quartermaster and President of Monterey, Cal.;
also at same time, at THE OFFICE ONLY,
San Francisco, Cal., for the purchase of
Alcatraz Island, Fort Baker, Benicia
Barracks, Fort Mason, Fort McDowell, Fort
Mifflin, Point San Pedro, Point San
Francisco, San Francisco, Cal., for shipment to
Honolulu, H. I., and Dept. of Recruits and
Casuals, Alcatraz Island, Cal. Government
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bids in whole or in part, and reserves the
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of foreign goods, the duty thereon, and
being equal, and such preference given to ar-
ticles of American production produced on
the Pacific Coast, to the extent of consump-
tion required by the public service there.
The July 1, 1906, ending June 30, 1907,
Quartermasters at Fort Rosecrans and Presi-
dent of Monterey, or to undersigned, W. C.
WELCH, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Depot
Office Chief Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS for army transportation—Depot Quartermaster's office, 26 West Montgomery street, San Francisco, Cal., to the extent of consump- tion required by the public service there, for the July 1, 1906, ending June 30, 1907. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 11 a. m., Tuesday, May 15, 1906, for the purchase of rates for trans- portation as follows: Between (either direction) San Francisco, Honolulu, Guam, Midway Islands, Nagasaki and Manila; between Honolulu and Guam, Midway Islands, Nagasaki and Mani- la; between Manila and Honolulu; between Honolulu and Manila; between Midway Islands, Nagasaki and Manila; and between Nagasaki and Manila. The proposals should be addressed to Quartermasters at Fort Rosecrans and Presi- dent of Monterey, or to undersigned, W. C. WELCH, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Depot Office Chief Quartermaster.

OCEAN TRAVEL.

Steamers leave Piers 7 and
11, San Francisco, and
for Ketchikan, Wrangell,
Juneau, Sitka, Kodiak,
Skagway, etc., Alaska—11 a.
m., Apr. 15, 20, 25, 30,
May 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30,
June 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29,
July 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29,
Aug 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29,
Sept 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29,
Oct 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29,
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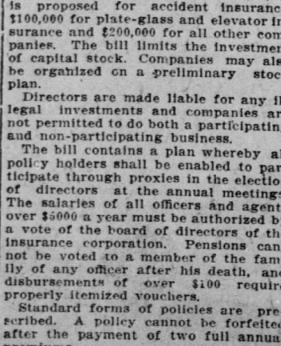
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