

**CHARLES R. HEIKE.**

Sugar Trust Official Found Guilty by Jury.



**TRUST OFFICIALS GUILTY**

**C. R. Heike and E. W. Gerbracht Convicted.**

New York, June 11.—Charles R. Heike, the white haired secretary of the American Sugar Refining company, was convicted on one count of an indictment charging conspiracy to defraud the government of customs dues on sugar.

Ernest W. Gerbracht, former superintendent of the Williamsburg (Brooklyn) refinery, was convicted on all six counts.

For James F. Bendernagel, former cashier of the refinery, the jury stood seven to five for acquittal. He will be tried again.

This ends the government's second attempt to imprison the group of men responsible for the vast underweighing frauds to which the so called trust has virtually confessed by the restitution of more than \$2,000,000 in duty.

The trial was started on May 16, with six defendants included in the indictment. Besides Heike, Gerbracht and Bendernagel, there were three minor employees—Harry W. Walker, assistant dock superintendent, and Jean M. Voelker and James F. Halligan, checkers.

The trial had not progressed far, however, when the testimony so incriminated these men that their counsel entered pleas of guilty. They have not yet been sentenced.

**Big Land Sale Is Ordered.**

Washington, June 12.—Joseph G. committee on Indian affairs ordered a favorable report on a bill opening to sale 3,000,000 acres of land in the diminished Crow reservation in Montana. The bill provides for the classification of the lands, after which they are to be appraised and a price put on them.

**Carroll's Lead Is Growing.**

Des Moines, June 11.—With Emmett county still to report unofficial election returns give Governor Carroll a lead over Warren Garst of 7,236, as claimed by the "standpat" headquarters, and 3,980 as claimed by the progressives. The official figures probably will not be known for several days.

**GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES**

Minneapolis Wheat. Minneapolis, June 13.—Wheat—July, \$1.01½; Sept., 90c; Dec., 88c. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.06; No. 1 Northern, \$1.02½@1.05; No. 2 Northern, \$1.00½@1.03; No. 3 Northern, 98½c@1.00½.

**Duluth Wheat and Flax.**

Duluth, June 13.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.04½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.04½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.02½; July, \$1.02½; Sept., 91½c. Flax—On track, to arrive and July, \$1.90; Sept., \$1.66½; Oct., \$1.56.

**St. Paul Live Stock.**

St. Paul, June 13.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$6.50@7.50; fair to good, \$5.25@6.50; good to choice cows and heifers, \$5.00@6.50; veals, \$6.50@7.25. Hogs—\$9.15@9.35. Sheep—Wethers, \$15½@16.00; yearlings, \$6.50@7.00; spring lambs, \$7.50@9.35.

**Chicago Grain and Provisions.**

Chicago, June 13.—Wheat—July, \$1½c; Sept., 88½c; Dec., 88½c. Corn—July, 57½c; Sept., 57½c@57½c; Dec., 54½c. Oats—July, 35½c; Sept., 24½c; Oct., 24½c@34½c. Pork—July, \$23.35; Sept., \$21.70. Butter—Creameries, 24½@27c; dairies 23@26c. Eggs—15½@16½c. Poultry—Turkeys, 25@26c; chickens, 22@23c.

**Chicago Live Stock.**

Chicago, June 13.—Cattle—Beeves, \$5.70@5.70; Texas steers, \$5.80@7.25; Western steers, \$5.80@7.70; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@6.45; cows and heifers, \$2.80@7.00; calves, \$6.50@8.80. Hogs—Light, \$9.20@9.45; mixed, \$9.30@9.45; heavy, \$9.15@9.42½; rough, \$9.15@9.25; good to choice heavy, \$9.25@9.42½; pigs, \$9.00@9.40. Sheep—Native, \$3.50@6.00; yearlings, \$6.50@7.60; lambs, \$5.75@9.00.

June 15.—O. Ledoux, and wife who have been visiting friends in Brainerd, returned home Monday.

Axel Anderson of Green Prairie is employed here this week.

Mrs. John Doucette is reported very sick.

Quite a number of young folks attended a party at Leon Dugas' Sunday.

A. Doucette, who is agent for a St. Paul creamery, is doing quite a rushing business at this place.

There will be a ball game here Sunday at 2 p. m. between Platte and Green Prairie teams. Both teams are classed as the fastest players in these parts.

Daniel Swanson and Frank Pray were business callers at Topoka Monday.

**COME AND GONE**

Mrs. R. Thorpe and son went to Backus last Friday, at which place they will spend the summer.

E. G. Anderson and sons visited at Thief River Falls this week, as the guests of relatives.

Mrs. Celia Sobeski of Gilman, at one time a resident of this city, returned home last Friday, after a short visit here enroute from the state of Washington.

L. C. Littlefield, a former telegraph operator at the local station, who is now holding down a similar position with the Union Pacific in Wyoming, visited here this week as the guest of friends.

Helmar Nordahl, a local business college graduate, went to Minneapolis last Friday to accept a position.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Bergheim and daughter have returned from a visit in Minneapolis, where Mr. Bergheim attended the Norwegian convention.

Miss Olga Landahl, who is taking a course for trained nurse at the N. P. sanitarium at Brainerd, visited here with her parents a few days during the past week.

Misses Pearl Longley and Florence Schallern, who were attending the Christian Endeavor convention at Oaika, returned last Friday.

Mrs. J. G. Kennedy of St. Paul returned home Saturday, after a visit here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Vernon.

Mrs. E. Buehl returned to Crookston Saturday, after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mnake.

Mrs. L. E. Shingler returned to Maple Plain to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. O. C. Trace, Saturday, after a few hours' visit here that day.

Mrs. Eugene Shingler visited relatives at Glenwood the first of the week.

M. Dalton was a visitor at Brainerd the latter part of last week.

Mrs. R. L. Fajmer, who has been visiting in the twin cities and East of last week, returned the latter part of last week.

Miss Lillian Chadwick of Brainerd, who was visiting here as the guest of Miss Ethel Chadwick, returned home last Friday.

Julius Jorgenson, who was visiting in Minneapolis, returned the latter part of last week.

Miss Mayme Heath returned home last Friday, after completing a term of school at Margie.

C. S. Sherman, assistant to the state auditor, visited here last Friday enroute to Grey Eagle.

Miss Lila Heath, who is studying to be a trained nurse at Brainerd, is visiting here with relatives this week.

Mrs. P. Boynton, who was visiting in Minneapolis, returned last Friday.

Miss Hazel Tourillotte went to Alexandria last Friday for a visit with Miss Eugenia Hocheleau.

Miss Frances Enke was down from Lincoln this week for a visit with friends here.

T. C. Gordon, who was to Minneapolis on a business visit, returned the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Williams returned the latter part of last week from St. Paul, where he had gone to attend the meeting of the board of regents of the state university and the commencement exercises.

Andrew Swedback made a business trip to Minneapolis Tuesday.

Olaf Nordstrom, a former employee at the local depot, who is now cashier of the freight depot at Bozeman, Mont., visited here the first of the week enroute to Chicago.

Mrs. P. Wickland of Brainerd returned home Tuesday, after a visit here as the guest of Mrs. J. A. Salden.

Miss Olive McNulty came up from St. Paul Monday evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Hamm.

Miss Eva Richard left Monday, accompanied by her little niece and nephew, for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Myott, at Sauk Centre.

Mrs. A. J. Langer departed Tuesday for Sandburn, after a visit here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. M. Gordon.

P. W. Kernan, traveling salesman for the Giant Grip Horse Shoe company, went to Minneapolis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Meyers of New York visited here this week as guests of Chas. Sprandel, a brother of Mrs. Meyers, enroute to San Francisco, Cal.

Rev. J. C. Jewell returned from Lincoln Wednesday, at which place he held services Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. Wallace went to Staples Tuesday for a visit with friends.

Mrs. J. O. Gordon, of Grand Forks, N. D., who was visiting here as the guest of Mrs. H. Detloff, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Lisle was up from Royalton this week, visiting with Mrs. M. A. Corbin.

Elma Longley went to Lincoln Tuesday for a visit at the lake with Jeanette Chance.

Miss Susie Nelson and Miss Martha Neiman departed Tuesday for a visit in North Dakota.

H. E. Tanner left the first of the week on a business trip to Walker and International Falls.

Christ Kuesel and Peter Ring went to Foreman, N. D., Monday, at which place they will be employed in the erection of a building.

Frank Foster, who has been visiting here with relatives, returned to Virginia Monday.

A. J. Sylvester visited here the first of the week at the home of Mr. and

also being present at the same time.

Felix Platt, Jr., who was visiting here as the guest of relatives, went to Melrose last Saturday for a visit.

Mrs. B. D. Mueser returned Saturday from a visit in Cloquet.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kiewel have returned from a visit in Minneapolis.

Miss Katherine Hall of St. Paul visited here Saturday enroute to Ward Springs for the summer's outing.

Mrs. M. Dalton visited relatives and friends in Duluth and other Iron Range towns this week.

Joe. Forten, who was visiting at Bowles, returned Saturday.

Mrs. F. E. Coon of Wadena visited here as the guest of Mrs. W. H. Hyman enroute home from the twin cities.

Miss Maude Clarence Kohler went to Frazer the latter part of last week on a couple weeks' visit with relatives.

Mrs. Katherine Kerich, who was visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Newman at Akaley, returned Saturday, accompanied by the latter.

Miss Maude Huestis of Brainerd, who was visiting here as the guest of Mrs. J. W. Jarboe, returned home Saturday.

Miss Grace Hinckley departed for Lake City Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hall enjoyed a week-end outing at Crow Wing lake.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Gordon and children and Mrs. J. A. Lange went to Crow Wing lake Saturday for an outing.

Miss Rose Gross visited relatives and friends in Melrose this week.

Mrs. John Arnold returned to Brainerd Saturday, after a short visit here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Margaret Neumann.

Mrs. C. A. Billig returned to Minneapolis Monday evening after a short visit with relatives here.

Miss Dorothy Woodworth was down from Pequot this week for a visit with relatives.

Rev. G. E. Platt went to Hubert Monday for a week's outing with his family.

G. F. Kirscher, who was in Minneapolis on a business trip Saturday, returned home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arndt came up from Hastings the first of the week for a visit as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Arndt.

George Shea, who has been in the northern part of the state for some time, visited here with relatives this week.

Sidney Swindell visited here Monday, enroute to Ft. Ripley.

Mrs. Emma Nelson of Princeton departed Monday on a western trip, after a short visit here as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Withiam.

Mrs. Wollie Wittman and Miss Mae Parshall went to Minneapolis Monday on a visit.

A. D. Harrison, who had gone to Pequot on a visit, returned Monday evening.

Tom Hayes of Royalton visited here Monday enroute to the firemen's convention at Alexandria.

Miss Alice Nelson left Monday for a visit with relatives in St. Cloud.

Miss Albia Richard returned Saturday evening from Menomonie, Wis., where she has been attending the Stout Institute, for her summer vacation.

Miss Merrie Cornwell departed

and with relatives at Ellsworth, Wis.

Edward T. McCready of the Columbus, made a business trip to Crookston the first of the week.

F. P. Reid and son, who were in Minneapolis on business, returned Monday.

Meera C. J. and W. E. Penfield and Z. N. Barnes, who were enjoying a week-end outing at Lincoln, returned the first of the week.



Perhaps you wish to change the breakfast food you're now using for something lighter—something that agrees with the season. Here you will find every breakfast food of any consequence—the most complete stock of good breakfast foods to be found. Anything else in groceries can best be bought here.

**JOS. GENDRON**

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION

**ESTATE OF MARY JORDAN BUSHEY**

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison. In Probate Court. In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Jordan Bushey, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Little Falls, in the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 27th day of May, 1910.

E. F. SHAW, Probate Judge.

**ESTATE OF JOHN GROSS**

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison. In Probate Court. In the Matter of the Estate of John Gross, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Little Falls, in the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of May, 1910.

E. F. SHAW, Probate Judge.

**ESTATE OF ATEL WIDSTROM**

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison. In Probate Court. In the Matter of the Estate of ATEL WIDSTROM, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of ANNA WIDSTROM, being duly filed in this Court, representing that ATEL WIDSTROM, then a resident of the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, died on the 30th day of April, 1910, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Anna WIDSTROM.

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Little Falls, in the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of June, 1910, at 9 o'clock a. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable, E. F. SHAW, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 24th day of May, 1910.

E. F. SHAW, Probate Judge.

**ESTATE OF CHARLES SNOW**

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison. In Probate Court. In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Snow, Incompetent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said incompetent: The petition of LUTHER F. SNOW, a representative of the above named ward, being duly filed in this Court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said ward, described therein be sold and praying that a license be to him granted to sell the same.

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Little Falls, in the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., why the petition of said petitioner should not be granted.

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**ESTATE OF CHARLES D. BRANCHAUD**

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State of Minnesota, County of Morrison. In Probate Court. In the Matter of the Estate of Bridget De La Hunt, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Ed. P. De La Hunt being duly filed in this Court, representing that BRIDGET DE LA HUNT, then a resident of the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, died on the 5th day of May, 1910, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Ed. P. De La Hunt.

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Little Falls, in the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of July, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

**BIG CLEARANCE SALE**  
For 30 Days  
The Diamond Sign will start a clearance sale for 30 days. We are going to fix up the store inside and outside and put in some new wall cases and a general toning up of the business, to prepare for a bigger business later on with a larger stock. We will endeavor to give you as neat and fine a jewelry store as we can for the size of our city, and give you the best goods for the least money. Each and every article guaranteed to be as represented or your money refunded.  
Special clearance sale prices on  
Watch chains Fobs Lockets  
Silver Hollowware  
Cut Glass Mirrors  
Kitchen and Mantel Clocks  
Solid and Gold Filled Brooches  
Cuff buttons, etc., 25 per cent discount  
Ladies' and gents' solid gold set rings 15 per cent discount. Silver flatware 15 per cent discount, except Roger Bros. 1847 forks and knives which will go at 10 per cent. Never sold at this price before  
Remember we have been in business here for 16 years at the same old stand and expect to be here at least 16 years more to stand by all guarantees made by us.  
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