

Minneapolis News.

JURY IS COMPLETE

Attorney for Defense Argues Motion Against the Taking of Testimony

CASE IS HARD FOUGHT

Judge Harrison to Render His Decision on Motion Saturday—Many Spectators Are Interested in the Proceedings.

At 10 minutes past 4 yesterday afternoon the twelve jurors were sworn in the case of the State against Irwin A. Gardner, charged with bribery, and it is but fair to say that the last juror selected came equally with as much surprise to the state and the defense as it did to the crowd who were gathered in the court room at the time.

At 4 o'clock Judge Harrison adjourned court for a short recess, and when it resumed business the first juror to be called was Frank J. Hall, bookkeeper in the Northwestern bank. After Mr. Hall had been sworn and taken his seat in the witness box, Mr. Erwin said, "I interpose no challenge."

Mr. Smith spoke right up, saying, "You may be sworn."

This finished the jury selection in the case upon which there is such a diversity of opinion. The jury selected are as follows: Louis Hosland, James W. Falconer, John M. Dwyer, At. Edwin Zonne, Raleigh A. Ebert, John A. Walters, Coris Galbraith, Elwood Hanson, William C. Allen, Paul Talko, Frank J. Hall.

During the day the jury has been examined and were unable to qualify as jurors to serve in the case because some were close friends to one side or the other, while some had formed an opinion as to the innocence or guilt of the defendant, and yet there were others who had read about the case, knew some of the parties, were not prejudiced, and felt qualified to render a verdict in the case and be fair and impartial jurors between the state and the defendant.

At half past three both sides had exhausted all their peremptories, and they went on an equal footing, and had to take their chances from then on. It was then that questions were piled more vigorously.

Clash Between Attorneys. The courtroom was well filled with spectators who are interested in the trial, and when the taking of testimony is on an standing room will be at a premium. There were several little clashes during the day between the attorneys, and certain questions that were pertinent to be asked, but the decision of the presiding judge prevented any extended arguments.

After the jury had been selected they were wholly unprepared for a surprise that was sprung upon them. It was expected that the state would call up the case at once, and proceed with taking of testimony. The defense, however, had a motion to make, which they explained would consume about an hour, and they would be no use for the jury yesterday, the judge, instead of dismissing them, as they undoubtedly thought he would do, called up a deputy sheriff and gave him instructions how to handle the jury to be handled.

The deputy stepped up to the jury box and said to the twelve good men and true "Come with me to the courtroom, where you will be locked up under the watchful eye of a deputy during the progress of the case. A number of them were clearly discomfited at the plan, as they no doubt had figured on Memorial day plans, which were all upset by the new arrangement.

The defendant objected to the reception of evidence on the indictment because it does not state facts sufficient to charge a public offense; that it does not show that Howard and Edwards had or were about to commit any crime known to common law or the statutes of the state; that the indictment does not state that defendant had any knowledge that Howard and Edwards intended to commit any crime under any law, and that the indictment does not show any duty, official action, requirement or thing which defendant could agree to violate or leave undone. Further, the indictment does not sufficient allege that the defendant was a police officer of the city of Minneapolis or acting as such.

That said indictment does not negative the exceptions contained in the indictment clause of the statute upon which his indictment was drawn. Indictment does not show that money was given or agreement made with corrupt intent.

Judge Harrison took the motion under advisement, and will render a decision Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. There were present at the court today, it being a legal holiday.

SYND DELEGATES RETURN HOME.

Much Business Was Transacted at the Six Days' Session. The Norwegian Lutheran synod adjourned yesterday afternoon, closing a six days' session, at which many matters of importance were discussed and several changes made in the heads of the institutions of learning that are under the supervision of the synod.

The changes that were made were more on account of a friction or dissatisfaction in the synod, but because of advanced age of the professors who were at the heads of the institutions and wished to be relieved of longer carrying on the work, and because of the very hard and exacting to them in their old age, and they believed that the work should fall upon younger shoulders.

There were held, 138 ministers entitled to votes; 229 voting delegates; 5 non-voting delegates; 49 regular members not entitled to vote; 25 who had been admitted to the privileges of the floor, and 70 guests. In all it was one of the most successful and harmonious meetings that the synod has ever held, and the delegates are all well pleased with the work accomplished.

President Koren, in dismissing the members, advised them to all remember the semi-annual meeting to be held at Decorah, Iowa, during the coming year, and expressed the hope that all who had been in attendance here would be with them on that occasion.

Prof. J. B. Frich, retiring president of Luther seminary, took occasion to express his thanks and gratitude to the members of the synod for their kindness to him in the past, and for their consideration in his future welfare. President Koren spoke on behalf of the members in response, and assured the venerable professor that his work had been appreciated, and it was with much regret that advancing age forced him to retire from his position of activity and responsibility in their work.

The matter of revising the larger catechism was referred to a committee consisting of President Koren, the members of the theological faculty of Luther seminary, and the clergy of the Twin Cities. The various congregations were urged to adopt the catechism as soon as it could appear.

The committee on the revision of the laws of Luther seminary had failed to submit them to members of the board faculty, and as the synod did not wish to ignore any one, the report was passed over until the next meeting, adopting a recommendation that the four theological professors of the seminary should act as president in rotation in their order of seniority at the institution.

French and Celt

They Meet Fraternally at the Banquet Board in New York

OUR ARCHBISHOP THERE

Mgr. Ireland Says Not Till She Is Blotted From the List of Nations Will America Forget France.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The French delegation to the centennial celebration of the battle of Gettysburg in Washington were the guests today of Whitehall at 6 o'clock today, White Plains. In all there were seventy-four guests, and the party was taken out by a special train.

The visitors in the afternoon returned to the Waldorf-Astoria, where at 6 o'clock the sixty-ninth regiment, under Col. Duffy, paraded as a guard of honor to escort them to the banquet given at Delmonico's by the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick.

The walls of the banquet hall were covered with festoons of flags, bunting and great bunches of green oak leaves. The Stars and Stripes and the flag of Ireland were conspicuously displayed in an honor on every side. Directly behind Supreme Court Justice O'Gorman, president of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, who presided, was the distinguished French minister, was Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, and Bishop McGillicuddy, of Duluth.

Greeting From Roosevelt. Following the dinner, President O'Gorman read the following telegram from President Roosevelt, which was received with cheers:

"Please assure the members of the society of my hearty appreciation of their cordial invitation and express to those present at the dinner my real regret at my inability to be present. I should greatly enjoy being with you if it were possible. I am, however, unable to do so, and I am sure that you will understand my sincere and best wishes."

Judge O'Gorman then warmly welcomed the guests and paid eloquent tribute to the traditional friendship of France with America and Ireland, closing with a toast to the president of the French republic, Ambassador Cambon responded in French.

Spoken by Ireland. He was succeeded by Archbishop Ireland, who, in speaking to the toast, "France and the United States," said that "France was the first to give us our independence. Blot America from the face of nations and then and then only will America forget France, and even that she will not do so."

Justice Fitzgerald, of the supreme court, replied to the toast with a speech in which he referred to the aid given by France in the Revolution, and said:

"It was not the mere contribution of soldiers, but the spirit and love of democracy. It was the first time in the history of mankind when one country went to the rescue of another without possible hope of reward and, when victory was grasped, silently withdrew to its home with no demand for recompense."

Gen. Brugere and Vice Admiral Fournier, who were in the city last, but at present he is what is termed in sporting parlance "in the pink" condition. Briggs refused to discuss any matters connected with his detention, and is in a cheerful mood. He has made no arrangements for the future, but it is expected that he will leave the city in a few days to join Mrs. Briggs, who is now in New York.

There are a number of indictments still hanging over him for the same offense upon which he was convicted, but it is not known just what action will be taken in regard to them.

DIES WHILE VISITING DAUGHTER

Mrs. Kate Erickson Passes Suddenly Away From Unknown Cause. Mrs. Kate Erickson, fifty-six years of age, residing at Fish Lake, Minn., came to Minneapolis last Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Gustav Widholm, 1128 Cedar avenue north. Early yesterday morning she was taken ill, and it was not thought that her illness was of a serious nature. About 10 o'clock yesterday forenoon her daughter, going to work, discovered her mother dead and called her coroner. William was called, and may hold a post mortem examination this morning. The body will be shipped to Fish Lake for interment.

CONDUCTOR REFUSED TO STOP CAR

Joseph S. McHenry Is Accordingly Awarded Damages. Joseph S. McHenry sued the street railway company for not letting him off a car when he wanted to, and a jury decided that the street railway people must pay him damages.

McHenry boarded a southbound car at Washington and Hennepin, and after the car had started he discovered that he had left on the sidewalk, and wished to get off the car to secure it. The conductor demanded fare which McHenry refused to pay, and for that reason the conductor refused to stop the car. The car ran along six blocks before the plaintiff could get the conductor and for this reason he brought action for damages, which were awarded.

Tom Lyons Is Found Guilty. The jury in the case of the State against Thomas Lyons, which was on trial before Judge Simpson yesterday, returned a verdict of guilty.

Lyons was indicted by Frank Loftus and Herbert Kelly for burglary in the third degree. He was accused of having broken into the saloon of George L. Harbeck, 123 Washington avenue, and of stealing goods and money.

Second Jury Finds Him Guilty. Louis alias "Babe" White, who has been on trial before Judge Simpson, was convicted of grand larceny yesterday.

White was accused of having stolen a bolt of silk from the Minneapolis Goods store. He was tried once before the jury, but the jury failed to agree, and he was retried, and was found guilty.

Woodworth to Build New Elevator. Work will begin at once on a new elevator to be constructed by E. S. Woodworth. It will be an immense concrete structure with a capacity of 1,000,000 bushels. This will rank with the largest houses in the city and in line of completeness will be one of the most modern in the country. It is expected that it will be finished and ready for business by Oct. 1.

Leg Fractured by Falling Lumber. Yesterday afternoon, while Oscar Ostrum was unloading lumber at one of the saw mills at Third and Eighth streets, he fell upon his right leg, fracturing the bone. He was taken to the hospital, where he was cared for. Ostrum works at 223 Alma place.

Lumbermen After Stillwater Mills

Say if the Strike Is Not Ended They Will Have to Cancel Contracts and Go Elsewhere.

Democratic Congressional Executive Committee Looking Ground Over

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These May Be Made the Leading Issues in the Battle for the Control of the Coming Congress.

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Trusts and Tariff for Issues. Although the meetings were private, it was learned that the executive committee had considered plans for making trusts and the tariff leading issues of the campaign for the election of members of congress. A committee of seven members was appointed to go over these subjects, and the result of their deliberations will be brought before a caucus of the Democratic members of the house. The membership of the committee of seven was not made public, but it is said to include men of prominence in the party outside of the executive committee of the congressional committee.

The executive committee also formally confirmed the selection of Mr. Cable as chairman. The general headquarters will be in Washington, with Representative Griggs, of Michigan, as secretary, and Mr. Cable, of Illinois, as treasurer. Mr. Cable will direct the Western headquarters in Chicago.

The evening the weekly congressional committee held its weekly meeting and adopted the following resolutions, offered by Representative Newlands, of Nevada, and supported by Senator Turner and Representative Gleason, of Ohio:

Declaration on Irrigation. "Whereas, the Democratic national platform of 1900 declares that we favor an intelligent system of improving the arid lands of the West by storing the waters for the purpose of irrigation and the holding of such lands for actual settlement; now therefore,

"Resolved, By the Democratic congressional committee, That we regard the proposed bill for the reclamation of arid lands of the West, which devotes the proceeds of sales of public lands in the arid and semi-arid states and territories to the construction of irrigation and reclamation works, and makes each project self-maintaining by fixing the cost of the lands reclaimed, to be paid by the settlers in annual payments, and also reserves the lands so reclaimed for actual settlers and home builders, as complying with the pledge contained in the national Democratic platform, and we therefore favor the passage of said bill as a needed step in the line of domestic development."

ROW BOAT OVERTURNS, FOUR ARE DROWNED

Herbert Martin Perishes After Saving Three of the Occupants of the Skiff. PORTLAND, Ore., May 29.—Four persons were drowned last night by the capsizing of a row boat in the Columbia river near Martin's Bluff, twelve miles above Astoria. The drowned are: HERBERT MARTIN, aged twenty-four; IVY MARTIN, aged sixteen; LILLY DURKKEE, aged twenty-two; LIZZIE DURKKEE, aged eighteen. The other two persons who were in the boat Mrs. Jones, Mrs. E. C. Martin and Ella Martin.

Herbert Martin saved his mother one and Mrs. Jones. After taking them to shore he swam back to save the remainder of the party, but became exhausted and was drowned with three others.

DETROIT MAN AT THE HEAD

Adjournment of Catholic Knights and Ladies of America. DETROIT, Mich., May 29.—At the final session of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America the following officers were elected:

Supreme president, J. H. Crowley, Detroit; supreme secretary, J. J. Duffy, Memphis, Tenn.; supreme treasurer, Mary E. Sheridan, Louisville, Ky. Louisville was selected for the next biennial meeting.

KANSAS NATURALLY ALARMED

Fifteen Feet of Water Sweeping Down the Arkansas. WICHITA, Kan., May 29.—Two floods, aggregating fifteen feet of water, are coming down the Arkansas river, and the people of Kansas in Southern Kansas are becoming alarmed.

The first flood passed Dodge City at 12:30 today, and is coming in one breast of water, five feet high. It is due in Wichita at 8 o'clock tomorrow. The second flood is coming in a wave ten feet high, and passing Garden City at 2:30 o'clock.

ELECTION IS VERY SLOW WORK

Only Two More Grand Officers of Engineers Selected. NORFOLK, Va., May 29.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers today elected two more grand officers. James C. Curry, of Cleveland, O., was re-elected grand president, and engineer and Charles A. Blake, of San Luis Potosi, Mexico, first grand assistant engineer to succeed George A. Pearson.

It is thought that the election of the remaining grand officers will be finished tomorrow.

RAX ALP HAS NEW VICTIMS.

Two Men Lose Their Life Trying to Climb the Mountain. VIENNA, May 29.—The first fatality of the mountaining season occurred in the Semmering range of the Alps today when Dr. Prezleska and Herr Pacer were killed while attempting the ascent of the Rax Alp, the highest point of the Semmering range.

The Rax Alp is notoriously dangerous, and claims its victims every year.

ORDERED TO GO TO ST. PAUL

Lieut. Col. O. J. Sweet, at Hot Springs, Is Assigned to Duty Here. From the Globe's Washington Bureau, Post Building. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Lieut. Col. Owen J. Sweet, Twenty-first Infantry, is ordered to report for duty at St. Paul, and assigned to the Twenty-fourth infantry.

Mr. Gamble Not a Suicide. CHICAGO, May 29.—A coroner's jury today returned a verdict that William Hopkins Gamble, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, who was found dead in his hotel here yesterday, died of fatty degeneration of the heart.

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TEAMSTERS' STRIKE AT CHICAGO CUTS OFF SUPPLY

BUTCHERS ALL OVER THE CITY ARE CLOSING THEIR SHOPS IN ORDER TO HELP OUT THE PACKING HOUSE EMPLOYEES—THE SITUATION IS BECOMING SERIOUS, AND POLICE ARE CALLED ON SEVERAL TIMES TO PRESERVE PEACE.

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Shinglemakers Want Increase. TACOMA, Wash., May 29.—The Shinglemakers' Union of Tacoma has issued a circular letter to the manufacturers demanding an increase in wages to go into effect June 1, the schedule to continue for a year. The mills are still closed down under the two weeks' agreement, which ends Saturday night.

More Miners Join Strike. SCRANTON, Pa., May 29.—Four small "drifts," which employ altogether no more than seventy-five miners, have been withdrawn from the state and executive departments commissions for about 1,500 coal and iron policemen since the beginning of the strike. It is more complete than ever. The big coal companies continue to swear in their clerks and foremen as special officers. A large number were sworn in today.

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