NEW YORK POLICE OFFICIALS DIVIDED MILLIONS; STUPENDOUS GRAFT TAKEN FROM THE GA

Names of Those Who Were Blackmailed in Possession of District Attorney.

himself, two policemen of higher rank and a minor official who does not wear

"Jack," said Becker, "the rake-off is so good that my own share was 1600,000, and the others got the

dividual pocketed \$600,000 in any one year, but that Becker and his connections were distributing agents, and that \$600,000 each received was sub-

Will He Inform? There is just one chance for Becker to save himself. The district attorney may conclude to deal leniently with the lieutenant if he can and will tell the truth about who else received the profits of blackmail.

There was not the slightest indication tonight that Becker would turn informer. On the contrary, a man

take the grand jury will be kept in session all summer for the purpose of investigating Rose's statements that the profits of the police ring were and so-and-so and so-and-so and so-and-so."

Description of the former forms were and so-and-so and so-and-so and so-and-so."

has not yet contracted to remain in New York and direct the investigafelin a statement as to how much cash they are prepared to spend.

Rose's accusations against Lieut. Becker made on Monday night and today were specific and positive. Having obtained, in common with Webber and Vallon, a promise of immunity, Becker's collector was willing to

go far. He said that when Becker took charge of the Strong-Arm Squad that the lieutenant asked him to name the gamblers who were worth dealing with. Rose, from years of expert knowledge, gave Becker a long list of gamblers who could be "persuaded." Most of these did business in Most of these did business in Manhattan, but some were located in Brooklyn, where the Strong-Arm Squad also had jurisdiction

Becker, says Rose, scanned the list carefully and decided how much each gambler was to be assessed, There was a systematic and carefully-worked-out price list. The big gamblers paid heavily, Men like Honest John Kelly were forced to contribute as much as \$500 a month, while "the little fellows," the Bridgie Webbers of the traffic, were required to put up all the way from \$50 to \$200 a month...

Becker, he said, gave him liberal

of my collections, but I never was able ing in a locked and heavily-guarded to keep what I got. I was a fool gam-Incidentally, Webber today admit- man they were sure that the Tombs

Lieutenant Becker and Six

Others Shared the

Loot.

BECKER STILL

REFUSES TO TALK

Ted to the district attorney that \$2,000 was the sum which he received to pay the man who killed Rosenthal.

Rose changed the names of the so-called "big business men" of the gambling trade with whom Recker dealt. They are names that have been fariliar along Broadway for years. When Rose tapped at their doors they responded as quickly as the cheap gamblers who had moved up to the Tenderloin after the death of racing—the Beansy, Rosenfelds, the Webbers, the Paul Kellys and the Rosenthals.

Not Always Cash.

Mr. Whitman had heard, though
not from Rose, that Honest John Kelnot from Rose, that Honest John Keily made out a number of checks to the order of Lieut. Becker, that these checks were indorsed by a police official, and that they were cashed by this official. One of these checks, New York, July 30. — When Jack Mr. Whitman learned, was for \$2,500. New York, July 30. — When Jack Curiously enough, the protection coney was not always paid in cash. It sometimes took the form of checks. There is no accounting for that almost upprecedented

> long as it poured in.
>
> Rose spoke of the immense sums he insists that Becker received as casually and as unconcernedly as if he had been discussing hundreds instead of hundreds of thousands.

Becker's collector, having handled a good deal of the money himself, does not think that Becker or any individual pocketed \$600,000 in any one ment how many houses gave up pro-tection money, but I know that there were more than 190."

"My own contribution was \$125 a month," said Bridgle Webber. "That was \$1,500 for me alone, and I was only one of the little fellows. Who did I pay? I paid Becker, of course. I gave the money to Rose every month, but I talked to Becker about it right along."

Rose did not seem at all surprised by what he said Becker had told him. His story of the intimate conversa-tions he had with the lieutenants over 24 hours said that the lieutenant's the annual profits was: "Becker was defence would be that Rose and Bridgie Webber and Harry Vallon had lied about him for the purpose of saving themselves.

No matter what course Recker may 100 wall I have no kick coming. My No matter what course Becker may on, well, I have no kick coming.

This will be matter also for the exercise of the special talents of William J. Burns. Burns' detectives are already at work, but Burns himself has not yet contracted to remain in the state of the personary in the promised also to supply full details as to the handling of this money and as to what form it was re-

possession very shortly. Some of them received the indersement of men named by Rose as participants with Becker in the great divide.

The investigation along these lines opens up so big a field that the district attorney is not inclined to hurry his openations. From distinguished judges and other friends he had rehis operations. ceived the advice to move slowly and to proceed step by step. He may not produce for several days before the grand jury, Lieut, Reilly, one of the sub-commanders of the gamblinghouse squad, and he is likely to delay house squad, and he is likely to dealy recalling Lieut. Daniel F. Costigan, who had already given to the grand jury evidence as to the operations of the squads. Mr. Whitman purposes

before the grand jury. Afraid of the Tombs. District Attorney Whitman this af-ternoon fulfilled his promise to Rose, secker, ne said, gave mm interal ventures, weaper, and varion, the three gamcommissions for his work.

Becker told me that he was the prince of the police department," prison than the Tombs. They were proper of the whole province.

Rose said. "He paid me liberally out taken from the criminal courts building in a locked and heavily guarded liability but as a result." prison van to the West Side Court Prison. The gamblers told Mr. Whit-

was filled with "stool pigeons," and that they would be blackjacked if sent back there after making confessions.

The hopes of the authorities that another of the men accused as the actual slayers of Rosenthal had been ar-rested were disappointed late today, when Inspector Hughes received posi-tive information that a man held at Syracuse on suspicion of being "Gib the Blood" is not the much-wanted

Fyle Not Culpable. Policeman Wm. J. Fyle, who was in the dining-room of the Hotel Metropole the night Herman Rosenthal was shot, was placed on trial at police headquarters today before Fourth Deputy Commissioner Dillon, on the

ARE CANADIAN PORTS TO BE NATIONAL

P Monk Will Announce Policy of Government-Owned Harbors, It Is Believed.

> Ottawa, July 30.—That the Government, acting upon the advice of Hon. F. D. Monk, will at the next session of Pariament, announce a bold policy of nationalization of ports, is the belief here in political circles.

> Mr. Monk has, since assuming office, given considerable study to this question, and has on several occasions ex-pressed regret that the recommendaion of the commission in 1905, which investigated and reported on this ques-tion, were not adopted. This commission, among other things, recommended the nationalization of the larger ports which, of course, would embrace their improvement and upkeep to meet nat-

ural wants by the Government. It is understood that the minister is now formulating a scheme which he will recommend in cabinet council, and Deputy Commissioner Dillon, on the charge that he did not try hard enough to capture the murderers. The testimony did not bear out this contention, practically every one of the witnesses for the department and the defence, declaring that Fyle had left his table on the jump, and did ah he could to catch the gray car.

graft from gambling, disorderly houses, and other forms of blackmail. Rose swore that Becker had confided to him that the loot was divided among four police officials, Becker himself, two policements.

Mr. Rowell Delivers Clear-Cut Explanation of Liberal Party's Policy and Brings Cheers From Big Audience-Expenditure of Government Grant.

Cobalt, July 30 .- It was a mammoth not five millions indiscriminately and entirely enthusiastic gathering spent, but an intelligent, comprehenwhich crowded every inch of space at the Empire Theatre tonight, the meeting being under the auspices of the Cobalt Liberal Association, the first political feature of the day for the touring members of the Ontario Opposition and their friends. Mr. Rowell and his colleagues were escarted to the theatre by the Liberals of Cobalt, who paraded the streets, which were canopied by bright streamers. The theatre was handsomely decorated, and on the platform were large photographs of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Rowell. "Rowell, Our Next Premier,"
"Bienvenue a Rowell," "Rowell and
Progress," and other appropriate mot-

toes graced the walls. \$2,400,000 annually.

The grand jury will go into information obtained by the disject attorney that other police officials as well not in the police department, had a stake in the game of graft.

This will be matter also for the exercise of the special talker is the special talker in the grand of the collections that he had the figures rose en masse at his entrance and cheered for several minutes. Mr. Mills to the police department, had a stake in the game of graft.

This will be matter also for the exercise of the special talker is and to the police department, had a stake in the game of graft.

The Liberal leader was accorded a remarkable reception. The gathering rose en masse at his entrance and the collections that the had made for Becker, and that he had the figures rose en masse at his entrance and the collections that the had made for the district at torney a list of the gambling-houses to which he had gone personally in the platform were Mayor Trudel, Hon. Charles Murphy, Messrs. J. A. McMillan, M.P.; A. G. Slaght, and C. E. Foster, Haileybury; Arthur Roe-The Liberal leader was accorded a the platfom were Mayor Irdue, Hon. Charles Murphy Messrs. J. A. McMillan, M.P.; A. G. Slaght, and C. E. Foster, Haileybury; Arthur Roebuck, Liberal candidate at the last election; J. W. Mahon, and many

At the opening Mr. Rowell was has not yet contracted to remain in New York and direct the investigation. He is holding out for a big fee. And the district attorney has not yet obtained from William J. Schieffelin and others interested with Mr. Schieffelin a statement as to how much cash the French Liberal Club.

Good Liberal Work. A. G. Slaght created cheering by re-calling the fact that the Liberal leader was the man who introduced an eighthour bill for miners, a bill which was side-tracked by the Government, Ar-thur Roebuck, who was warmly received, accused the Whitney Adminisceived, accused the Whitney Administration of neglect and unfairness to the mining north. J. W. Mahon, president of the District Liberal Association, dealt with the notorious Elk Lake telegram. Gustave Evanturel, M.P.P., spoke in French.

It was after 10 o'clock before Mr. Rowell was called on. He was received with enthusiastic and prolongfirst to question thoroughly Rose.
Webber and Vallon. He knows already that they have much more to tell than has already been disclosed and that they say will be of great value in examining police witnesses witnesses.

Passing on to a declaration of the Liberal policy in regard to Northern Ontario, Mr. Rowell stated that Liberalism regarded the new land not as

struction of the provincial railway. Borden and the Canadian ministers to He read from the Mail and Empire Paris, which will encourage them in He read from the Mail and Empire a report of Sir James Whitney's address in the Legislature at the time criticizing the Liberal proposals and making light of the prospects of the country. "Let me do Sir James this measure of justice," commented Mr. Rowell, amid laughter and applause; "he has been consistent in that atti-"he has been consistent in that atti-tude to this country." On the same tude to this country." On the same line the Liberal leader quoted the present Premier's opposition to the Liberal development policy of aiding and perpetuating the Soe industries by guarantee. The only reason he could suggest for Sir James' position were lack of faith, lack of knowledge, desire to make political capital at the expense of New Ontario, all at the expense of New Ontario, tall at the expense of New Ontario, and the expense of New a little of all three."

Proceeding, Mr. Rowell related the

Proceeding, Mr. Rowell related the long, unsuccessful efforts of the people of the north, the boards of trade. A mass meeting held at Nairobi reand the Liberals in the House, to cently, says Reuter, passed the followand the Liberals in the House, to awaken the Government to the needs of New Ontario. Finally, as a result of their combined and continued efforts. Sir James had announced the expenditure of five millions, but he could not tell how it was to be expended. "To my mind," said Mr. Rowell, "what this country needs is record, as shown by

PUTNAM'S CORN EXTRACTOR

DOES EASE YOUR CORNS

Takes the sting right out—
cleans 'em right off without pain.
Thousands say it's the surest thing
to rid the feet of callouses, sore foot
lumps or corns. Don't suffer—that's
foolish—buy a 25c bottle of Putnam's
Painless Cern and Wart Extractor; it
does the trick quickly and is invariably satisfactory. Sold by all druggists.

That statistics, appears to contain nothing in the nature of previous
colonial experience."
Subsequently, a rider was added by
the majority to the following effect:
"That, in view of this expression of
opinion, the colonial office be asked
to reconsider the appointment."
Sir Percy Girouard's successor is Mr.
Heary Conway Belfield, C. M. G., Brittish resident at Perak, in the Malay
States,

sive, adequate business policy for its opening up, settlement and development." (Cheers.)

"What we want is a Government with eyes to see, men with vision who look to the future and see the greatness of tomorrow, the forest clear ed, the farms tilled, the fields graingrown, and a thrifty, industrious and happy citizenhood. We want men with courage to face the future, with its problems and opportunities, and capacity to plan and direct; men who will take the leadership in peopling the new lands with Canadians of a high type and character of citizenship. To this end, let us forget the differences which divide us. Let us join hands and strive together to our part thoroughly and well." (Prolonged applause.)

In concluding, Mr. Rowell counselled care in cultivating a high standard of citizenship in the ambi-tion to secure settlement. "If," said he, "this end can best be secured by abolishing the bar, let us abolish it. I ask you to give this policy of ours-your earnest consideration. You men having the bar, then vote to retain it; many but if you believe, nay, if you know nen that it will be better for yourselves, better for your wives, better for your children, better for home, better for church, better for country. better for country, to have

none of it, then I ask you to join with us and abolish the bar."

Mr. Rowel' thus concluded an eloquent and inspiring address amid long continued applause. The large cosmopolitan audience arose and cheered again and again for several minutes, after which the strains of the National Anthem brought a memorable meeting to its close.

PREMIER ASQUITH MAY VISIT THE DOMINION

British Dreadnought and Confer With Canadian Cabinet.

"We do not regard the settler as a liability but as a valuable asset," he continued amid applause. "We are concerned that in this country there shall grow up homes of progressive, prosperous and enterprising citizens, adding to the real wealth and permanence of the Province.

"We do not regard the settler as a liability but as a valuable asset," he date has not yet been definitely fixed. At any event, the visit of a British three weeks ago in trying to ford three weeks ago in trying to ford three weeks ago in trying to ford the river.

BORDEN AND PARTY

To ADDIC

adding to the real wealth and permanence of the Province.

Continuing, Mr. Rowell briefly reviewed the initial steps taken by the former Liberal Government to build up New Ontario and the conductive of the provincial railway.

EAST AFRICA'S LOSS

on the board of Messrs. Armstrong,

PUTNAM'S CORN EXTRACTOR worthy, whose record, as shown by published statistics, appears to con-

BRITAIN FIRM ON CANAL QUESTION

Officials Say That Government Has Not Weakened in the Matter.

AWAIT REPLY TO NOTE

Any Talk of Submitting the Question to Arbitration Altogether Premature.

London, July 30.-The foreign office some quarters of the action of Alfred Mitchell Innes, the British charge d'affaires at Washington, in his note of protest on the discrimination in fa-vor of American coastwise vessels in the matter of tolls through the Panama Canal. This interpretation has been to the effect that the British Government has weakened in its at-titude as to the differentiation in the matter of toils. The officials of the foreign office said today that this was "quite wrong." They said that there had been no alteration of the there had been no alteration of the British policy and no change or delay. The foreign office adhered in its entirety to the position that had already been taken up. It was true that they had contemplated the presentation of another analytical nate, but it was now held that the one which had already been presented which had already been presented adequately covered the ground and Mr. Innes' notification to the state department was to this effect.

The British foreign office will now await the development of events. whether it be in the nature of an anwhether it be in the nature of an answer by the American Government to the note of a development of legislation by the American Congress. It is held here that it is altogether premature to talk about arbitration on the subject whether prepased by one side subject whether proposed by one side or the other. It might, of course, come to this, but just now there does not seem to be any necessity for it.

LONDON DOCKMEN BACK TO WORK

Much Ill-Feeling Being Manifested Among Those Who Returned.

JOBS FOR MANY

Nothing For Them To Do Until Contracts With Free Laborers Expire.

London, July 30 .- Numbers of the dock strikers resumed work today, but not all of them by any means. There was much ill-feeling among those who returned to their jobs. They of the north know something of the traffic and its consequences. If you believe that the upbuilding and permanent development of your country can best be brought about by having the bar, then vote to retain it: many of them were attacked by the men who resumed work. This re-

many of those who sought re-em-pleyment were told that there wasn't anything for them to do yet, the foreman only holding out promises of jobs as soon as contracts .ith the free lacrers expired.

The most notable sign of the resumption of work was the appearance of watermen and lightermen. A thorough restoration of the industry will be gradual, and much camage must te repaired before it is complete.

DEAD MAN MAY BE FROM KINCARDINE

Will Accompany Churchill On Body Found in River Thought to Be That of Robert Ashbridge.

London, July 30.—The London Daily Mail states that it is now understood that Premier Asquith and the first lord of the admiralty, Winston Church, will visit the Dominion after the return of the company to the clothing to be Robert Ashbridge, of Kincardine, Ont., was discovered in the south fork of the Old Man River, thirteen miles from the company the company to the company to the company that the company to the company the company that the com visit the Dominion after the return of here. There were letters from Mr. Borden and his colleagues, but the frinds in Scotland in his pocket. He

Affair Presided Over By French Premier and M. Gabriel Hanotaux.

Paris, July 30. — The visit to Paris of the Canadian Premier, Robert L. Borden, and other Canadian ministers, closed tonight with a dinner given by the Franco-Canadian committee in their honor. The dinner was presided over by Premier Poincare, and Gabriel Hanotaux, president of the President Poincare, during the course of a lengthy speech, said he was sure that the Canadians felt in

France the same cordial atmosphere of home, which the Champlain dele-M. Hanotaux dwelt on the marvellous resources of Canada, and urged that France by sending capital should help in the development of the Do-

Mr. Borden followed briefly, speak

minion.

ing in French and English. Hon. Mr. Pelletier referred to the time when Canada would be allowed to raise her voice in the world's af-fairs, and said she would be glad to be guided by the experience of the two mother countries co-operating. England, France and Canada desired

WEATHER PROBS: COOL, WITH LOCAL SHOWERS.

Store Closes at 5 o'Clock

Sale of Natural Shantung Silk 49c Yard

Value Heretotore Unequalled

You have possibly had some exceptionally good values in Shantung from this store, but this is, in our opinion, the best quality we have ever offered at this price, 49c yard. Very fine quality, smooth, even weave, free from rough and uneven threads. If you need a length of this silk, order at once, as the quantity is limited. Raw silk, in natural color, is most generally used for ladies' and children's dresses, men's and boys' shirts, pyjamas, etc., and is unequalled to wash and wear. Mail orders filled while the present quantity lasts; full

Have you seen the new double-width Shot Taffeta Silks for fall wear? Per yard\$1.50 Also special yard-wide Black Paillette Silk at, yard, 85¢

The "Lady Madcap"

New headwear for ladies. A pretty little Novelty Cap, designed for motoring, driving, boating or any outdoor sport, made in cotton or silk; colors in silk, navy, tan, saxe, rose and green, also black. Price, each......\$1.50 Also in cotton; dainty little cap of mercerized goods, in

These caps we have just received from London, England, where they have been only recently introduced, and already made a great hit. See these at Neckwear Counter, Main

Ladies' Knitted Underwear Popular Lines and Much Wanted Goods Now in Stock

Ladies' Cotton Vests, low neck, short sleeves, finest 1 an shed garments, at each, 121/2¢, 15¢. 25¢ Special fine quality Cotton Vests, low neck, short sleeves Special fine quality Cotton Drawers, tight knee, closed Children's Cloth Vests, low neck, short sleeves, all sizes.

Popular Hosiery Specially Priced Ladies' Fine Gauze Lisle, 3 Pairs for \$1.00

Plain and lace ankle or embroidered, high-spliced heel and toe, in black; also tan hose, plain or lace ankles, guaranteed stainless dye, beautiful summer hose, 35¢ pair, or 3

Children's Fancy Socks Reduced

Checked or plaid top on plain colors in following sizes, grouped at special prices to clear: Sizes 41/2 to 51/2, 15¢ pair; sizes o to 61/2. 18e pair; sizes 7 to 8, pair. 20¢ SPECIAL.—Boys' 1 and 1 ribbed Black Cotton Hose, double heel and toe, extra quality, sizes 71/2 to 10 inch. Per

Manicuring and Hair Dressing Parlors---Second Floor



special treatment of the head, face and hands, electric appliances for face, massage and scalp treatment. Shampooing and hair dressing our specialty. Shampoo, with hair dress 50¢

Prices 50¢ each treatment-manicuring, hair dressing, etc., or six treatments for\$2.50 Full stock of Melba and Madam Kennedy Toilet Prepara-MELBATINE FACE POWDER, in flesh or white, per

MELBA FACE POWDER, in large box with chamois, complete ... 50¢ MELBA FACE CREAM, an excellent preparation for the

or puffs made from your own hair.

One, two and three part switches made for75¢, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Separate puffs 20¢ and 25¢



