

GODDARD'S EVIDENCE SUPPORTS ORCHARD.

Steve Adams Will Likely be Called as a Witness for the Defence.

Boise, Idaho, June 24.—With the opening of court to-day the State of Idaho will continue the introduction of evidence supporting the story told by Harry Orchard. There remains a few points to be corroborated, but up to the present nearly every statement made by Orchard has been corroborated. The planting of the bomb at the gate of Justice Goddard of the Supreme Court of Colorado, which Orchard said was done at the behest of the "inner circle," of the Western Federation, has been corroborated by the justice himself, and the method of his testimony showed clearly the legal mind of the man who finding a bomb at his gate, loaded with giant caps and dynamite with all the appliances, described by Orchard as the invention of one of his co-conspirators, sealed the evidence in envelopes carrying the signatures of the finders, including the Adjutant General of the State, and then sealed them in a steel vault. The seals were only broken in the presence of the judge himself who identified them and their contents in open court.

Steve Adams will not be put on the stand by the State under the present arrangement. Counsel for the prosecution anticipate that Adams will be called by the defence as one of their witnesses.

Was She Murdered?
Bridgeton, N. J., June 24.—You'd better watch Mammie. This warning, contained in an unsigned letter to her brother, Harold Vennell, was found in a pocket book on the body of Mammie Vennell, aged 22 years old, who was drowned on Tuesday night in Sunset Lake, near here.

From what is said by Vennell and Mrs. Sadie Murphree with whom the brother and sister lived, the warning was justified. Vennell said to-day that his sister had complained to him that she had been attacked by two young men while boating on the lake one evening last week. She had screamed "murder," and one of her male companions had tried to choke her. She was rescued by persons in other boats.

Meanwhile George Evans, the young glass worker, who took the girl on the fatal boat ride, remains in his parents home apparently not under surveillance by the officials, who unofficially seemed disposed to accept the accident theory, although they are investigating the case. They say no arrest is now contemplated.

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SHOULD RESIGN.

BUSINESS AND RELIGION IN THE METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Rankin States the Case Clearly—Rev. Dr. Chambers, the New Toronto Minister, Defends His Action—Declines to Resign From the Methodist Ministry.

Toronto despatch: When the Toronto Methodist Conference was practically ready to close yesterday at noon a discussion which will likely echo to distant parts of Canada was aroused by a resolution moved by Dr. J. A. Rankin, pastor of Carlton Street Methodist Church, and seconded by Mr. J. R. L. Starr. It suggested that ministers should resign from the ministry after they go out into secular pursuits. As an outcome of the vigorous debate, Rev. Dr. Chambers, recently appointed Governor of Toronto, spoke for some time in defence of his action in accepting an office from the Ontario Government.

The question as to the propriety of a man using the prefix "reverend" when engaged in commercial and business enterprises was brought up Tuesday as a notice of motion given by Dr. Rankin, and when the opportunity came yesterday he read the motion.

No sooner had he finished reading than Rev. Dr. Burns, past president of the Conference, raised the point that the procedure was not according to discipline. "We are not going to discuss men, but a principle," replied Dr. Rankin in a moment. "This important question should not be baulked by a mere technicality."

Dr. Speer, President, ruled that the Conference was perfectly justified in expressing an opinion, but that the resolution did not imply action.

"We must surely deem it ill-advised for a man to compromise his ministerial standing by using this title in connection with business pursuits," said Rev. Dr. Eber Crumphy.

At this juncture, Rev. W. H. Hinks moved an amendment. It was much the same as that over which the contention arose, except that it did not say men should resign.

"Last year a minister was asked to resign. He did so, and there are a few others who may have to resign." This significant statement of President Speer seemed to add further fuel to the fire. Dr. Rankin went to the platform, and in an address which held the steady attention of the entire assembly he clearly stated his position.

"I am glad," he remarked, "as many persons bent forward to listen, 'that there are no concrete cases before us today. I am glad we can discuss this subject in open Conference, and not have a man under our supervision. I have never known a superannuated minister to bring a shadow on the church because of the business in which he might have engaged to add to his small income. But I speak of men who are able to engage in the active work. When these men have taken the solemn obligation of the church, do they not take a vow which means something? If this is not a divine calling, let us know it. Why is it we emphasize the divine call at the reception of young men into the ministry? Do not the young men themselves most sacredly state that they were divinely called? Only last Friday night we heard this statement made. It is the Methodist Church that is responsible for the impression on my mind of the divinity of our calling. I am afraid it is this

church that is going to impress upon us that they believe in this in theory but not in fact. Our actions, I fear, belie our words."

"A man who goes to a circuit simply for the salary ought not to live," said Rev. Peter Addison, a retired minister, who recalled some of the early days when a clergyman served his parishioners for practically nothing. He thought the church should be much more rigid.

"The idea of an ambassador of Jesus Christ becoming an insurance agent," declared Rev. G. W. Dewey, after relating an instance in which a minister was charged with having financially injured several of his parishioners by having sold worthless stocks to them. He did not think the resolution went far enough.

Dr. Baker thought a man was called to fill various positions in life. The divine call did not alone apply to the ministry.

Rev. Dr. Burns then stated that since the question had gone to debate he wished to heartily support Dr. Rankin. Any man who went out into purely secular work should resign at once.

At this Rev. Dr. Chambers stepped forward and challenged members of the Conference to include his name amongst those who had done things not quite within the spirit of the ministry.

"I never bought a share of stock in my life," he stated, "though I own ten shares of stock of the Home Life. I am not in oils or anything slippery, and if the Conference imagines that this resolution would fit me they are wrong. Leaguering me with that sort of thing, I hold to be unfair. Rather than be forced out of the ministry I shall resign from the office given me by the Government of Queen's Park."

Dr. Chambers continued to show that there was a constant tendency to look for young men in pastorate work, that he had spent over forty years of faithful time for the Methodist Church and sooner than take his superannuation at the highest esteem for the new Governor.

When the votes were taken the two amendments were lost, and the original resolution carried by a large showing.

SCHMITZ IS DEFIANT.

San Francisco Mayor Refuses to be Displaced From Office.

San Francisco, June 24.—Mayor Schmitz this afternoon after a long conference with his attorneys addressed to the Board of Supervisors a letter, which says in part: "Seeing in this morning's paper a statement to the effect that your honorable body at your meeting yesterday decreed that I was temporarily unable to perform my duties as Mayor by reason of my detention in the custody of the Sheriff of San Francisco, and therefore, appointed James Gallagher as acting Mayor, I hereby notify you that I am not unable or unwilling to perform the duties required of me as Mayor of the city and county of San Francisco, but will continue to do so. I also wish to notify you that any action taken by Mr. Gallagher in the capacity of acting Mayor will be null and void, and will be of no effect to the city. I demand that you send to my office all matters passed by your honorable body; that I may have the opportunity of inspecting them and of approving or disapproving them."

HAD AMAZONS ON HIS BODYGUARD.

Striking Mayor of Marbourn Arrested—Other Leaders Flee for Safety.

Paris, June 24.—M. Ferrule, the striking Mayor of Narbonne, and next to Marcelin Albert, the most prominent figure in the wine growers' revolt, was arrested to-day and hurried away to Montpellier.

Intense excitement prevails at Narbonne, but the people thus far have been overawed by the military display.

At Argeliers the state and police authorities, escorted by an imposing military force, raided the headquarters of the central committee of the wine growers' organization at daybreak with warrants for the arrest of Marcelin Albert and the members of the central committee, but they found that the leader of the movement and several of his lieutenants had already fled. Only three combatants were captured. They were sent to Montpellier.

conflict with the troops, and he was placed in a carriage, escorted by 150 cuirassiers, and taken to the railroad station at Narbonne, where a special train was awaiting, and started immediately for Montpellier.

THE WINE GROWERS UGLY AND RIOTOUS.

Set Fire to Jails and Troopers Attacked With Clubs and Stones.

Paris, June 24.—Late last night Premier Clemenceau received grave news from the Midi, the district of the discontented wine-growers, where the exasperation of the people is increasing. Messages to the Premier came indirectly by way of Lyons, indicating that the wires had been cut. The Argeliers Committee has been re-constituted, a third committee being named in case the members of the second committee also were arrested. It is now certain that Marcelin Albert has not been arrested, and it is admitted that the police have no idea of his whereabouts.

Charged by Troops.

Narbonne, France, June 24.—A violent mob from the outlying villages gathered last night. They poured petroleum over the door of the sub-prefecture, which they set on fire, but were driven off after repeated charges by the troops. In the course of the fighting the manifestants fired revolvers, but no one was hit.

The disorder was augmented by the absence of lights, the mob having cut the electric cables. In other parts of the town barricades were erected. These were stormed by the troops and torn down, only to be set up again by the rioters.

Tried to Set Fire to Prison.

Montpellier, France, June 24.—Serious rioting broke out here last night, lasting all evening. The mob attempted to burn down the door of the prison and rescue the prisoners. The troops were

turned out, but were received with volleys of stones and bottles. Troopers were pulled off their horses and clubbed. A prominent police officer was seriously wounded by a broken bottle. Many soldiers were less seriously injured.

Three Persons Killed.

Paris, June 24.—The brief despatches which reached Paris up to noon showed that the conflicts which have occurred between the troops and mobs in the south were more sanguinary than at first suspected. At Narbonne three persons were killed and a hundred soldiers and civilians, including a score of women, are said to have been wounded, a number of them fatally. The troops, who were ordered to fire in the air, shot straight at the mob besieging them in the court yard of the sub-prefecture.

A whole army corps has been put in motion to deal with the rebellious wine growers.

Banquet Postponed.

Paris, June 24.—The State banquet which was to be given to-night in honor of the King of Siam, has been countermanded in consequence of the bloodshed. The newspapers report another attempt to burn the sub-prefecture at Narbonne; Gendarmes fired from the upper story and the attackers fled.

It is also announced that there has been further shooting in the streets of Narbonne, and that many persons have been wounded.

Many wine growers continue to pour into Narbonne and threaten to set fire to the hotels occupied by the army officers. Fresh troops are arriving there.

FOUND HIS WIFE.

JOSEF BREZNAI WENT TO DETROIT TO BRING HER HOME.

Detroit, June 24.—(Special).—Josef Breznai's wife, Margaret, who is alleged to have left him in Hamilton on May 14 last, was found in Detroit on Tuesday night, where she was staying. Sebok, also from Hamilton, as soon as he saw Breznai, ran away, and he has not as yet been found. Mrs. Breznai was taken in custody by Detective Kinkaid of Detroit detective bureau and locked up at the central station, where she was held until Wednesday noon, when her husband took her back to Hamilton with him.

Breznai and Crown Interpreter Budimir Prosch, of Hamilton, arrived in Detroit several days ago to search for Mrs. Breznai. They looked all through the Hungarian districts and were about to give up the search and return home, when they happened into Paul Szilvassy's saloon and "boarding house on Jefferson street."

As soon as Mrs. Breznai standing at the bar, and Sebok saw him about the same time and ran out of the door and disappeared. Breznai and the officers entered the rear room, and there they found Mrs. Breznai sitting at a table. There was no word of consent upon Breznai as he walked toward his wife, only a trembling plea that she return to Hamilton. The woman promised, and was taken to the police headquarters. Szilvassy, the proprietor of the boarding house, says that Sebok and Mrs. Breznai have been living at his place. He says Mrs. Breznai came into the saloon on Tuesday night from her room to get a pitcher of water, and that was how she came to be there when her husband fortunately arrived in search of her.

THAT GUNBOAT.

DON JUAN DE AUSTRIA THE U. S. SHIP FOR GREAT LAKES.

Washington, June 24.—The gunboat Don Juan de Austria, now in New Hampshire waters, is the war vessel which the State Department is trying to have located on the great lakes as an additional ship for the use of the naval militia in that section of the country. She is of 1,230 tons displacement, has a speed of over 12 knots and has 14 guns under four inches calibre. Every effort is being made to expedite the transfer of the vessel to the great lakes, but it is hardly expected this can be accomplished before autumn because of the roundabout diplomatic methods which have to be traversed in securing England's consent.

FAILED TO REGISTER.

A Number of St. Thomas Co-Partnerships Cause Trouble.

A St. Thomas despatch: Cases against sixteen local firms for failure to register co-partnerships within six months, an offence punishable by \$100 fine, were heard to-day by Judge Colter. W. H. Fry, Toronto, the complainant, who was entitled to half of the \$100 in each case, failed to put in an appearance, but was represented by Barrister Casey, of Toronto. Burgess & Lamond had not been partners for six months. W. J. Kerr had been served instead with his wife. The same occurred with E. J. Schreck and C. Hirsch. The latter paid a lawyer, who failed to register the partnership. These three were dismissed.

The other twelve—W. B. Jennings & Co., R. H. & J. Dowler, G. A. Philip & Co., Doggett & Co., Madden Bros., E. J. Cutler & Co., Sandham & Roberts, John Heard & Co., Raison & Beemer, Egan Bros.—were found guilty of the offence charged.

TWO YEARS FOR VIATE.

Sentence at Port Arthur in the Manslaughter Case.

Port Arthur, June 24.—Judge Anglin sentenced Viata, the Finlander who struck his namesake on the head with a club, inflicting injuries from which he died five days after, to two years in the Central prison. Evidence showed that the man who was killed had attacked and repeatedly struck the prisoner before he was in turn attacked.

For shooting James Holmes at Whitefish in December last, with intent to kill, Miller was sentenced to twenty years in the Kingston Penitentiary. Some time ago Miller was convicted of horse-stealing, but was held under suspended sentence under the more serious charge.

STEPS IN FRONT OF ENGINE.

St. Thomas Brakeman Meets a Shocking Death Near Round House.

St. Thomas despatch: Richard Dills, aged 24 years, a M. C. R. brakeman, St. Thomas, was instantly killed in the yards last night by his engine, which was backing down to the roundhouse. Dills was helping to make up a train before going out on it, and in giving the signal to the engineer he stepped directly in front of the engine. His body was badly mangled. No inquest will be held. He is unmarried, and is a son of J. Dills, Forest avenue.

A TWO-YEAR-OLD CRIME.

Montreal, June 24.—Wallace McCow, who is charged with the murder of Percy Howard Slater, at Grande Anse two years ago last March, arrived in the city to-day and appeared before the Court of King's Bench, when an application was made for his release on bail. The court reserved decision.

TOOK A DIVE AND FOUND A BODY.

Young Man Lost His Life in Rochester Y. M. C. A. Swimming Pool.

Rochester, N. Y., June 24.—The body of George D. Beeler, 19 years old, was found in the Y. M. C. A. swimming pool last night. The young man had been subject to convulsions, and it is thought that he strangled to death, being unable to make an outcry.

Many of the juniors and several of the older members of the association swam about and frisked in the pool some time before Harold Belcher said: "Watch this dive, fellows."

Belcher made the dive, and when he came to the surface made known the fact that he had discovered the body of a man. Physicians were sent for hurriedly, and soon all possible was being done to resuscitate Beeler, but with no success, as he had been in the water from 20 to 30 minutes.

No one observed him struggling in the water, although Beeler's friends would scarcely be looking for any accident, as he was nearly six feet tall, and the water in the pool is only four and one-half feet deep.

TROUSERS COST PASTOR JOB.

EXCLUSIVE PHILADELPHIANS CAN'T STAND "BAG" IN KNEES.

Last Sermon Routs Many—Mention of Bridge Whist and Pink Tea Empties Some of the Pews.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 24.—Because he appeared in the pulpit wearing unpressed trousers and because his facial lines had impressed some members of his congregation as "bark at the forbidden," the Rev. Dr. James H. Eob, has been forced to resign from the fashionable First Unitarian Church, Twenty-first and Chestnut street.

Sunday morning Dr. Eob preached his valedictory sermon, bidding farewell to what he termed "a bridge whist coterie—a pink tea party."

This and many other rhetorical shots apparently hit the bull's-eye, for from time to time some dignified member of the exclusive congregation would make a hurried exit, nose in the air. The church is one of the oldest and most aristocratic of the city, and Dr. Eob is one of the most democratic of speakers, taking a delight in expressing his views freely on the equality of man.

Dr. Eob took as the topic of his farewell sermon the subject, "The Minister of Today," and as his text Matthew 23, 17, "We have piped unto you and ye have not lamented."

This was an unmistakably defiant note at the start, but the plain pastor's well-dressed hearers settled themselves comfortably, as if confident they could stand it.

"I propose to speak with perfect simplicity and plainness," began the pastor, without a touch of irony in his voice.

"Every denominational conflict, every heresy trial, every parish scandal, every treacherous attack upon a pastor is invariably justified and sanctified by the worst of piety for the good of the church." It is not time that some voice were lifted up for the good of the ministry?"

Symptoms of uneasiness were discernible in some of the congregation.

"Many ministers are deeply resenting the demand of the church for simply neutral decorative ministry—ministry-punctilious, ministry that tiptoes gently and graciously at 4 o'clock teas and smiles benignly at bridge whist tables—ministry whose pulpit utterances have the quality of what is known by country people as 'fox fire,' a pale, phosphorescent glimmer, the product of decayed wood."

At the reference to 4 o'clock teas and bridge whist, two of the nicely gowned women in the congregation marched prominently to the door, while others moved uneasily to give expression to their disapprobation.

"Many churches, especially those called important," went on the undaunted minister, "want in the pulpit only this dim, lambent, innocuous light, the produce of venerable decayed thought."

"Another question respecting ministers is that of salary. The average man, without an independent income, has no business in a Protestant pulpit. The average wage of the minister is below that of a day laborer. Yet a laborer can live in such a house as he pleases, wear such clothes as he pleases, and fix the scale of his house-hold expenses. But for a minister all those things are determined by the church."

WAS MURDERED, BUT MONTREAL POLICE THOUGHT HE WAS DRUNK.

Montreal, June 24.—Richard Beach, who was put in the police cells yesterday at 2 a. m. as a drunk, was found dead at 5 a. m. He had died from the result of a murderous attack. The police had one of the murderers in their hands, but let him go.

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To-day the inquest a man named Girard came forward and told the coroner he saw the man murdered. He was awakened by shouts outside his house and looked out of the window. Deceased was lying, held against the wall by one man and was shouting for help. The man holding him drew something from his pocket and handed it to his comrade, who hit Beach on the head three times.

A third accomplice in a grey suit ran around the corner shouting that the police were coming. They ran, but the man in grey came back and helped the police. Girard told the police how Beach had been attacked, but as Beach had been drinking they let the man in grey go. In three hours Beach was dead, and the police have little hope of getting the men they want.

THREW A BOMB.

AND THE CROWD FLED FROM GREEK CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES.

Athens, June 24.—An unknown man threw a dynamite cartridge from the gallery of the Chamber of Deputies during an all night session, which began yesterday.

The cartridge fell among the deputies, but a disaster averted by the fuse becoming detached in the flight of the missile.

The Finance Minister, who was speaking when the outrage occurred, rushed to the doors with all the deputies.

The man who threw the cartridge was arrested and proved to be insane. The sitting was then resumed.

VANCOUVER FATALITIES.

A Hotel Clerk Falls From Fourth Storey Window.

Vancouver, B. C., June 24.—W. Halliday, night clerk at the Burrard Hotel, fell from a four-storey window to-day. He was picked up, apparently little injured, but died a few hours later.

John Corlyn, President of the Northern Securities, Limited, a well-known business man, died this evening, the result of an accident at English Bay bathing beach. Daring low tide he dived from a float, striking his head hard on the sand bottom. He was lifted from the water and taken home in an automobile, but never regained consciousness. He received concussion of the brain. He was 39 years of age.

A GERMAN'S SUICIDE.

Put Muzzle to Head and Touched Trigger With Foot.

Winnipeg, Man., June 24.—A German named Chris. Veegt, working at chopping timber about eight miles east of Red Deer, committed suicide by placing the muzzle of a gun next his head and pulling the trigger with his foot. He was said to be under the influence of liquor. At an inquest held by Coroner Collins yesterday afternoon the jury returned a verdict of suicide.

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