R MADE FOR GOLDSTREAM

L WOULD GIVE $900,000 FOR WORKS

Considered a Fair Price Pay Esquimalt Company.

(rom Tuesday's Daily.)

ndred thousand dollars is the n the city will offer to the Waterworks Company as a for its Goldstream and ke properties.

mendation to that effect from l committee which has been ith the matter—Mayor Hall, er and Ald. Stewart—was ap- their colleagues, and the of- pper form, will be submitted ncil.

llerton thought the figure asked if the committee con- was a reasonable one.

yor replied that they did. If ny accepted, it would put an e question of a future water the city, and to the Victoria tion as well, so that the city well to give a little more than was worth.

Ald. Turner moved two go to have a committee of tive citizens appointed to his matter he was told that lking through his hat," ob- d. Humber. "We were told ullerton that the water ques- settled. Apparently it is not t."

ble asked if this sum would sis for any possible arbitra- ell.

Hall said the offer would be out prejudice. In suggesting e the committee thought it ke what they thought was ure. If there had to be arbi- e city would proceed to that er figure. His worship point- at while last session's act six per cent. interest and r cent. bonus on capital the ot have to offer that much, g maximum rates.

ss suggested that the figure than what the expert put it

rner replied that Mr. Adams if the city got the plant at it would be a good figure. nderson was of opinion that ll should see the offer in the ns it was to be set out in be- as sent.

Hall promised that this would

ort was adopted and the wa- issioner and city solicitor in- o prepare the offer.

npany has two months' time or reject this offer.

ENTERTAIN JAPANESE OFFICERS

Guard of Washington ranging Naval and Military Ball.

Wash., May 11.—Rear Ad- hi, in command of the Jap- ning squadron, and his staff e guests of honor at the naval ry ball which will be given tional guard of the state of on at the armory on the June 3rd.

the officers of the Japanese and those of the national ere will be present 75 officers United States regular army, he revenue cutter service, 100 om the Pacific squadron and from the United States navy Bremerton. All of the army officers will be in full dress. vent is expected to be a bril- r.

ke of Connaught's Own Rifles, iver, have been invited to the

THAT OFFICE BE INVESTIGATED

gton Committee Re- s Request From State Treasurer.

Wash., May 11.—Chairman the legislative investigating e, stated to-day that the com- ould comply with the request Treasurer J. G. Lewis that his investigated. Governor Hay forwarded to Chairman Allen written by Treasurer Lewis he expressed a desire that rs of his office should be in- to, Lewis says that he has no believe that any suspicion is d by the committee in regard ce, but for the sake of setting at rest concerning the con- the state funds in his depart- desires a full investi n. request, coming rily state treasurer, ope way nto all state offices," said Allen to-day. "I shall favor checking up the cash and se- the hands of the state treas- to go down the line with the es so far as the time at our will permit."

OF TOURISTS PTURED BY NATIVES

May 11.—The Daily Tele- day prints a dispatch from aying that it is reported from that a party of American ave been captured by natives dir, which is the most south- f Morocco.

MANY BACHELORS SEEKING WIVES.

APPEAL MADE TO CHICAGO MINISTER

Says He Knows Two Hundred Girls Who Would Accept Marriage Proposals.

Chicago, May 12.—From faraway Spokane has come an appeal for 2,000 wives for as many bachelors of the great Pacific northwest, and to-day the Rev. D. D. Vaughan, of the Halstead street Institutional church, who has been informed of that interesting fact, has in mind at least 200 girls of his congregation who, he says, would not require much urging to accept marriage proposals.

Rev. Mr. Vaughan was acquainted with the scarcity of marriageable young women in the northwest through a letter he received yesterday from Levi Grant Morton, secretary of the Spokane chamber of commerce. Before communicating with the preacher, Secretary Morton had made some inquiries which convinced him that his appeal would be well received at the Chicago church. Rev. Mr. Vaughan's prompt reply was that he knew of at least 200 women who were seeking good, honest husbands. Assured of this number, Mr. Morton is now looking around to fill the remaining applications. He is anxious to hear from other parts of the country.

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.

Former Employees of Refining Company Enter Pleas of Not Guilty.

Washington, D. C., May 12.—The seven former employees of the American Refining Company, who were indicted a few days ago on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government, entered pleas of not guilty to-day.

Counsel for the defence was allowed until Monday to prepare demurrers. The indicted men are accused of complicity in an alleged plot to defraud the government by tampering with the scales on which imported sugar was weighed.

RACES AT NEWMARKET.

Newmarket, Eng., May 12.—Newmarket stakes, won by Louivers, 2 to 1. Louivers was beaten by King Edward's Minora in the Two Thousand Guineas a few days ago. The field to-day included Electra, winner of the One Thousand, which was second, Carousal was third.

Water Plate handicap: L. Wimman's Sir Martin won in commanding style, carrying top weight of 136 pounds. Sir Martin is now favorite for the Derby, 5 to 1.

PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.

Ald. Humber Will Make Move in Favor of These at Council Meeting.

Alderman Humber is moving in the direction of having Victoria put on an equality with Eastern and Old Country cities in the matter of public conveniences. He will move next Monday evening that plans and specifications be prepared for the construction of five, and sites secured by a committee composed of the Mayor and three aldermen.

The backwardness of the city in this respect has frequently been commented upon by visitors, and several suggestions have been made to the city council. The latest was made to the present council a short time ago by John Wilson. He submitted plans in detail of an up-to-date, thoroughly hygienic structure, and estimated that a revenue could be obtained which would pay for maintenance and all possible charges.

CAPTURES LEOPARD CUBS.

Two Have Been Secured by Ex-President Roosevelt.

(By Warrington Dawson, staff correspondent of the United Press.)

Nairobi, British East Africa, May 12.—Colonel Roosevelt is reported to have killed two giraffes yesterday. One leopard and one buffalo were killed yesterday by members of the hunting party, and two leopard cubs captured alive by the ex-president. He has not yet decided what disposition he will make of the cubs.

NEW AMBASSADORS.

Washington, D.C., May 12.—President Taft to-day sent the following nominations to the senate:

Oscar Straus, to be ambassador to Turkey.

Wm. Rockhill, at present minister to China, to be ambassador to Russia.

ANOTHER DARING ROBBERY IN SEATTLE

Cash Registry in Saloon is Emptied and Patrons Held Up for Coin.

Seattle, Wash, May 12.—Armed with big revolvers and wearing handkerchiefs to hide their faces, two well dressed men held up the Australian Bar, Sixth Avenue south about midnight. Twenty men who were in the place at the time, raised their hands at the command of the hold-up men and stood motionless with their backs to the bar and waited breathlessly until the robbers had completed their task.

From the cash register of the saloon $70 was taken, while from the patrons of the place, $75 more was secured. In the safe behind the bar there was about $1,000. The safe was locked and Arthur King, the bartender, told the robbers he did not know the combination.

Four minutes after the robbers had quietly slipped out of a side door the patrolman on that beat walked into the saloon. When informed of the hold-up he telephoned to the police station and detectives hurried to the scene, but there was no clue to the thugs.

BISHOP GALLOWAY DEAD.

Distinguished Churchman Passes Away at Jackson, Miss.

Jackson, Miss., May 12.—Charles Betts Galloway, bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, south, since 1886 died here to-day.

Bishop Galloway was president of the board of education of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, and was one of the most distinguished churchmen in America. In 1901 he was chosen to preach the opening sermon at the Ecumenical conference in London. In the capacity of "friendly messenger" he represented his branch of the church at the general conference of the Methodist Church of Canada in 1886. He served in a similar capacity at the Wesleyan conference in England in 1892 and was a member of the Ecumenical Methodist conference in Washington in 1891. He made two official trips to Japan, China and Korea to visit the missions and three times was sent to Brazil on similar work.

While working among the yellow fever victims in Vicksburg in 1878, he contracted the fever and it was reported that he had died of the scourge. His obituary was written and he was widely mourned. Bishop Galloway was sixty years of age. He was born in Kosciusko, Miss.

RAILWAY MERGER SUIT.

San Francisco, Cal., May 12.—Testimony to-day at the hearing of the government's suit to dissolve the merger of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railways was largely of a technical nature and little progress was made.

DUKE OF ABRUZZI ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Reported to Have Tried to Shoot Himself With Revolver.

Rome, May 12.—Sensational reports have reached the government offices here to the effect that in a fit of depression, the Duke of Abruzzi attempted to commit suicide with a revolver.

The duke, who is on his way to India, is said to have been restrained by a member of his suite, who had been keeping watch on him. Members of the expedition have written letters to the effect that the duke is in an utterly reckless mood. Court circles are much agitated over the news.

FICKLE WOMAN.

Crossing Ocean to Marry 'Frisco Man She Transfers Affections to Another.

Honolulu, May 12.—After crossing the ocean to become the bride of Charles Howard, of San Francisco, Mrs. Eva B. Wallace is the wife of R. M. Baker, an automobile agent of Chicago.

Mrs. Wallace sailed for this port from San Francisco on the liner Alameda. Anxiously awaiting her arrival in this city was Howard, to whom she had become engaged in California.

But aboard the ship the bride-to-be met Baker, and moonlight strolls about the deck and the daily companionship made possible by the voyage, resulted in a love affair that was the downfall of Howard's carefully laid plans.

When the Alameda docked here, Howard was amazed by the cool reception he got at the hands of his erstwhile fiancee. Nevertheless, after taking her to a hotel he went to complete arrangements for the ceremony. When he returned, however, he learned that Baker and another preacher had been first on the scene, and Mrs. Wallace had become Mrs. Baker while he was searching for a parson to make her Mrs. Howard. Baker and his bride will spend a brief honeymoon here, sailing on the next steamer for the Orient.

KILLED BY NATIVES.

Lieutenant and Twelve Policemen Shot —Punitive Expedition Dispatched.

Lagos, British West Africa, May 12.—Lieut. D. A. Van Rennan, assistant resident administrator of a district in Northern Nigeria, three other Englishmen and thirty-five native police, were ambushed recently by natives at a point fifty miles northeast of Zoungeru. The lieutenant and twelve of the policemen were killed. A British force has been dispatched to the locality to punish the natives.

CANADIAN ANNEX OPENED.

London, May 12.—The Lady Mayoress, in the name of Lord Strathcona and the Canadian people, to-day opened the Canadian annex of the Passmore Edward's sailors' palace.

SEVEN YEARS' IMPRISONMENT.

Sentence Passed on Paul F. Lessar by Winnipeg Magistrate.

Winnipeg, May 12.—Paul F. Lessar, who pleaded guilty to the theft of $2,500 from Reginald Cameron Brown, broker, and who was captured after a chase extending through Europe, was yesterday sentenced by Magistrate McMicken to seven years in the penitentiary.

THE HAINS CASE.

New York, May 12.—Mrs. Wm. E. Annis, wife of the man slain by Capt. Peter C. Hains, said to-day that she was satisfied with the verdict in the officer's case.

"All I wanted was justice," said Mrs. Annis, "and I believe the verdict of manslaughter, returned against him at Flushing yesterday, is proof of the wrong Capt. Hains did me."

AUTOMOBILES TO CARRY MAIL

FRENCH GOVERNMENT IS STANDING FIRM

Postal and Telegraph Employees Threaten to Tie Up Both Services.

Paris, May 12.—The strike of the government postal, telegraph and telephone employees will not reach an acute stage until parliament finishes its debate upon the demands of the strikers. The debate will probably end tomorrow and trouble may ensue, as there appears little prospect of the government surrendering without a struggle.

Leaders of the strikers declare that by to-night the entire mail and telegraph service will be tied up. This will leave the wireless between France and England as the only means of communication with the outside world.

The government announced this afternoon that it would probably quit attempting to run a railway mail service, and rely entirely upon automobiles to transport letters.

Big machines with guards of soliders and experienced chauffeurs are prepared for the new service.

The order for a general strike was issued by the federal committee of the employees following the adjournment yesterday afternoon of the Chamber of Deputies. After a stormy session the deputies decided to postpone the debate on the interpellations on the postal situation until to-morrow. This action precipitated the strike, and the railway mail clerks walked out. Soon after a meeting of 6,000 postal employees took up the battle and unanimously voted to strike.

It is feared that there will be a serious outbreak to-night and the authorities are taking every precaution against such an event. Cavalry and police reserves are stationed about the city where they can do the most toward suppressing any roits.

No printed matter was delivered today and few letters were moved. Carriers outside the city are threatening to join the strike and the situation is growing worse hourly.

Vote to Strike.

Bordeaux, France, May 12.—Six hundred postal employees here last night voted to strike in support of their coworkers in Paris.

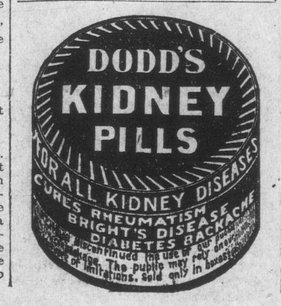
FIRE DESTROYS FISH CANNERY

Spark From Engine Supposed to Have Started Blaze —Loss $25,000.

Bellingham, Wash., May 12.—Fire early this morning destroyed the big can factory and fish cannery of the Astoria & Puget Sound Packing Co., located at Chuckanut, south of this city. The flames are supposed to have originated from a spark from a passing train. The loss is about $25,000, well insured.

The entire plant, including three buildings, in which were the can making and fish packing machinery, a large stock of cans and boxes, was destroyed. The can factory had recently started operations, preparing for the busy sockeye year in the fishing industry. The plant has been idle for four years.

D. N. Campbell is vice-president and manager of the company, and Portland capitalists are heavily interested in the concern.



PEACE REIGNS ON C.P.R. SYSTEM

DIFFERENCES WITH MECHANICS SETTLED

Men Out of Work Will Be Reinstated and Wage Schedule Restored.

Winnipeg, May 11.—The Canadian Pacific Railway settled its differences with all the mechanics on the system. The Winnipeg delegates returned yesterday from Montreal where a conference was held.

By the terms of the settlement all the men out of work since the strike will be reinstated and the schedule of wages, which had previously prevailed, has been restored. It practically means a return to the working agreements and schedules existing prior to 1908. The men are also given committee representations.

This settlement wipes the slate clean between the big company and its mechanics, a condition which had not existed for many years.

INCREASED SALARIES FOR LADY TEACHERS

Winnipeg, May 12.—The public school board has raised the salary of every lady teacher by $50 a year. The total increase amounts to $12,000.

THREE KILLED IN RAILWAY WRECK

Twenty Passengers Sustain Injuries and One May Not Recover.

Denison, Texas, May 12.—Three men were killed, one was fatally injured and twenty passengers were hurt when a passenger train on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad was wrecked near Bonito last night.

The passenger train was derailed at a point where a freight wreck had occurred a short time before. The tracks had not been repaired and the whole train left the rails. An investigation into the responsibility for the accident has been ordered.

TWENTY-ONE TURKISH MUTINEERS EXECUTED

Constantinople, May 12.—Twenty-one mutineers were executed to-day. Large crowds witnessed the execution, but there was little excitement.

STANFORD NOT LIKELY TO RACE AT SEATTLE

University Will Probably Drop Rowing as Sport.

Seattle, Wash., May 12.—Washington faces the prospect of a rowing season without a really important race. A telegram received by the University authorities from Stanford to-day declared that the latter institution will not bring a crew to Seattle to participat in the intercollegiate race, and in fact is seriously considering dropping rowing as a sport altogether. Lack of facilities for practice, as well as misfortune suffered by the crew this season, are the reasons given by the southerners for backing out of the agreement.

Stanford's decision at this late hour with the big regatta but a few days away, will upset Washington's rowing arrangements absolutely. The one hope is that Stanford's decision will not take effect this year.

FIGHT DUEL IN CATHEDRAL.

Monterey, Mexico, May 12.—While all around them scores of people were kneeling at mass, Ricardo Quiroz and Alfonso Farias, members of wealthy families and students of Marista college, fought a duel with pocket knives as they sat in a pew of the cathedral. Both were seriously wounded.

FIFTEEN KILLED BY PREMATURE BLAST

Albany, N. Y., May 12.—Fifteen men were killed by a premature blast at the stone quarry of an improvement company at South Bethlehem this afternoon. The dead included John Callanan, general manager of the company.

WILL SUPPRESS OPIUM TRADE.

Honolulu, May 12.—An active campaign against opium dealers has been begun by the authorities here, acting under the revised laws which prohibit the sale of the drug whether or not it has been passed by the customs house, except upon prescription of a physician.

L. Ah Leong, a Chinese merchant, is under arrest accused of selling opium. He has been released under $500 bail pending his trial.

ALLEGED FRAUDS.

Tulsa, Okla., May 12.—The government began taking evidence to-day in the cases involving alleged town lot frauds at Muskogee. Nine witnesses appeared before the federal grand jury to-day.

DOMINION FINANCES.

Ottawa, May 12.—The public accounts committee this morning adopted the report of the subcommittee which revised the balance sheet of the Dominion. Long standing assets totalling $837,646 were dropped out as being worthless and liabilities totalling $363-887 also were eliminatel, leaving a net amount of $473,759 to be added to the net debt of the Dominion as the result of the financial house clearing.

FATALLY BURNED.

Electric Spark Responsible for Explosion of Oil in Power House.

Anaconda, Mont., May 12.—Charles Gustavson, an electrician, is in a dying condition to-day as the result of an accident at the sub-station of the electric power house of the Amalgamated Copper Smelters. A short circuit on the switch board flashed a spark against Gustavson's clothes, igniting them, which in turn exploded a can of oil the man was carrying. Flaming oil almost bathed Gustavson's head and shoulders, nearly cooking the flesh in spots.

OVER SCORE OF MEN PERISH

BOAT CAPSIZES IN THE OHIO RIVER

Disaster Due to Overcrowding of Yawl Used as Ferry.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 12.—Four bodies have been recovered, between twenty and twenty-five men are known to be missing, and it is thought to-day that the number of workmen drowned in a yawl, which capsized in the Ohio river last night, will not exceed thirty. The river is being dragged in an effort to recover more bodies.

The yawl sank near Schoenville, four miles below here, shortly after 8 o'clock last night. The victims were all employees of the Pressed Steel Car Company, and had been working overtime at the McKee's rock plant.

Too many of the men crowded into the boat, which was being used as a ferry, and sank in the middle of the river. Officials of the company have started an investigation to learn, if possible, who was responsible for the overcrowding of the craft.

Two of the men reported missing were found on the river bank in an exhausted condition to-day., Wm. Williams, one of the survivors, stated that there was at least 36 men in the boat when it went down, and that at least 25 were drowned.

CIVIC INVESTIGATION.

Chief of Montreal Police Denies Statements Made By Captain.

Montreal, May 12.—There was not much of interest in the civil commission yesterday. Chief of Police Campaign went on the stand and swore that Captain Belgnet was not removed because he persisted in reporting the C. P. R. stockyards hotel, kept by a man named Patenaude, for selling liquor on Sunday, but because he got drunk and beat his wife, thereby creating a scandal.

In the afternoon, Milton Hersey went on the stand and testified that he would not think of keeping a good horse in the quarters allotted to the prisoners in the new number twelve station, they were so damp and lacking ventilating facilities.

PROBING AFFAIRS OF INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Washington Commissioner Will Again Appear Before Committee.

Olympia, Wash., May 12.—The legislative investigation committee will resume its sitting late this afternoon, with J. H. Schively, state insurance commissioner, again in the witness chair.

The investigation into the affairs of the insurance department will be closed late this evening, it is thought, and the committee will immediately begin formulating its report to the governor. Nothing will interfere with the immediate presentment of the report, unless it is the desire of Governor Hay that the committee continue to probe into some other state department before making its findings on the insurance scandal.

According to a White-paper, there were 848,038 paupers in England and Wales at the end of February, or 24.0 per 1,000 of the population.

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IS DREADNOUGHT BEST TYPE OF BATTLESHIP?

British Naval Committee Is Investigating Claim That Lord Nelson Class Is Superior to Latest Fighting Machines.

London, May 12.—Whether or not the Lord Nelson type of battleship actually is superior and more efficient than the later Dreadnought type, is a question that is agitating the whole of Britain to-day, as a result of the reported division of opinion among the members of the secret naval commission that is now probing the condition and status of the British navy. If it is true, that the Lord Nelson type is a more powerful and formidable war machine, then Britain has wasted hundreds of millions of dollars in the construction of her immense Dreadnought fleet.

This commission was appointed, primarily, to investigate the charges brought by Admiral Beresford that the navy is unfit for war. While it is generally understood that this charge has not been substantiated, it is said that an additional charge, claiming the superiority of the Lord Nelson type of battleship, is still an object of the investigation. The general uneasiness the charge has caused, is augmented by the fact that Dreadnoughts now under construction represent an outlay of one hundred and twenty five million pounds.

PAYS $10,000,000 FOR HIS LIFE

ABDUL HAMID'S BARGAIN WITH YOUNG TURKS

Money Will Be Paid Over to New Government of Turkey.

Belgrade, May 12.—Ten million dollars is the price paid by Abdul Hamid, deposed Sultan of Turkey, for the privilege of retaining his head, according to a statement in to-day's Stampa.

The paper says that Abdul has authorized Enver Bey, a Young Turk leader, to draw this fabulous sum of money from his deposits in foreign banks. The money will be turned into the treasury of the new government, and in return the former Sultan will not be executed.

BANK SECRETARY DEAD.

Toronto, May 12. — F. Wellesley Homestead secretary of the Home bank, died last evening, age sixty three years.

SNOWSTORM SWEEPS OVER MONTANA

Serious Floods Are Feared in Sections of the State.

Butte, Mont., May 12.—A foot of snow to-day covers Gallatin county, the fall being the heaviest for this season of the year in the history of the country. Reports from other sections of the state tell of a heavy snowstorm yesterday.

At Boseman the arbor day exercises were abandoned because of the deep snow. It is feared that the snow, which is now melting rapidly, will cause serious floods.

THROUGH SERVICE.

Oriental Limited Will Run to Chicago in Future.

The Oriental Limited is a favorite route with Victorians travelling to Chicago or farther east. A good many use that route when crossing the continent to New York to take the Atlantic steamers to the Old Country. The managers of this road are always on the look out for improvements which will be a convenience to their patrons, hence their popularity.

On May 23rd a new schedule is to go into effect on that run. Number 2 train will go right through from the coast cities to Chicago, using the Burlington route between St. Paul and Chicago. The train leaves Seattle at 7.10 p. m. It is brilliantly lighted by electricity, the electric bulbs being larger than is ordinarily used, thus insuring a strong, bright, steady light. The train includes in its equipment first class coaches, tourist sleeping cars, dining cars, standard sleeping cars, and compartment observation cars. Passengers using this train will arrive in Chicago at 9.10 instead of the following morning as at present.

The Great Northern is also putting new fast trains on the Seattle-Kansas City route, and a new train running into Vancouver from Portland, Oregon.

WOMAN OFFICER ROBBED.

Loses Valuables Shortly After Being Sworn in as Member of Force.

Chicago, May 12.—Mrs. Josephine Sullivan, with a police star pinned to her dress and her eyes riveted on a thrilling work entitled "How to be a detective," was riding homeward on a street car yesterday afternoon, having been sworn in shortly before that as the first woman policeman of this city. When Mrs. Sullivan arrived home, however, she discovered that her purse, hair pins, buttons and other valuables had been "lifted" by some ruthless son of Villon. She was compelled to return to the city hall station and report her loss.

GOVERNMENT AND ELEVATORS

NO DECISION HAS YET BEEN REACHED

Requests of Grain Men Will Be Fully Considered at Close of Session.

Ottawa, May 12.—The government has not definitely considered what action shall be taken to meet the request of the Western grain men's deputation which was here last month to urge government ownership of terminal elevators, the encouragement of the Pacific grain export route and the establishment of a new inspection division.

Until the session is over the ministers will not have time to deal thoroughly with the whole subject, but on the question of inspection regulations the government will take steps to meet the requests of the deputation. With regard to taking over terminal elevators or the erection of an elevator at Vancouver, nothing has been decided and enabling legislation will have to be deferred till next session.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED.

New York Court of Appeals Upholds Decision in Complaint Against Tobacco Company.

Albany, N. Y., May 12.—The court of appeals, the highest state tribunal, handed down a decision yesterday affirming the action of the lower court in dismissing the complaint of John A. Locked et al., against the American Tobacco Company, the Metropolitan Company, Adolphus Bondheim and Arthur Stein.

The plaintiffs alleged that the defendants owned and controlled a large share of the staple articles and various kinds of tobaccos marketed in this country. They asserted that no general dealer or jobber could do business successfully without handling the merchandise owned and controlled by the American Tobacco Company and its allied interests.

DETECTIVE ACQUITTED.

Not Guilty Verdict in the Older Kidnapping Case.

San Francisco, Cal., May 12.—Luther Brown, head of the detective department of the United Railroads, was acquitted at noon to-day of a charge of kidnapping Fremont Older, managing editor of the Evening Bulletin.

When the verdict was announced the "Banjo-eyed Kid," a notorious character, clapped his hands and was fined $50.

The jury deliberated exactly ten hours before returning a verdict.

Announcement was made at the district attorney's office this afternoon that Brown would be tried immediately upon a charge of subordination of perjury, on which he was indicted some time ago.

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