FUNNY REASONS FOR REFUSING JUROR'S DUTY

Much Merriment Caused in Court by Excuses Given by Women.

WANT LAWYERS TO WEAR CLEAN WIGS

Much Reluctance Shown by Litigants and Counsel to Have Women Serve.

London, Jan. 24.—Excuses offered by women who for the first time have just been called to sit as jurors in Old Bailey, the world's most famous criminal court, excited a good deal of laughter in that usually sedate place.

Twenty-four women were summoned for jury service in criminal cases and mixed juries were formed with, in at least one case, a woman serving as forewoman. The charges included murder, arson and manslaughter.

The women appeared quite as anxious as men to avoid service on the juries.

"I'm too nervous," was the plea of one.

"I'm not strong-minded enough," said another. She was excused.

Couldn't Leave Babies.

Others pleaded inability to leave housework, shopping, business, care of babies or sought to evade service on the ground of their own illness or that of members of their families.

"I know one thing we women will do," said one jurywoman after sitting in the court for a half-hour. "We will make the lawyers wear clean wigs and have better manners."

Others, after their first appearance in the jury-box, made suggestions that women jurors should be compensated for disruption of their household routine and that "light refreshments" should be served during the afternoon court sessions.

Those in the courtrooms seemed to regard the spectacle of women telling their true ages, in most cases without noticeable hesitation, the most surprising part of the novel procedure. One was 83 and was excused.

Were Not Wanted.

While, in the cases heard during the opening day, the majority of the verdicts were "not guilty," litigants, both men and women, and their counsel seemed to be reluctant to have women sit in judgment in their cases. It was noticeable that men defendants in particular sought, through repeated challenges, to prevent their being seated as jurors.

"Men know women can't be hoodwinked and bamboozled so easily—that's the reason they don't want us," said one woman who had been challenged and excused.

Women jurors soon will be called to decide libel actions, breach of promise suits, others for false imprisonment, and assault in the London Law Courts, and also will make their first appearance as jurors in the divorce court.

They have been sitting as jurors in some of the counties in England for some months.

BARGAIN VOTE OFFER TO END ON SATURDAY

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D.	
Doherty, Arthur	10,000
Dow, Cecil	40,600
Dryden, Leonard	10,350
Downey, Miss Bessie	18,900
Davis, Willard	40,000
Doucett, Fred D.	10,500
Daly, Sadie	10,300
F.	
Foshay, S. S.	10,000
Furlong, Mrs. Mary J.	18,950
Fillmore, R. L.	41,900
Flewelling, Capt. O.	10,600
Flewelling, Chas. W.	10,550
Fawcett, Wm. R.	10,700
Fearney, T. W.	10,750
Ford, Miss Jessie	10,100
G.	
Gavis, Mrs. Chas. W.	10,050
Geary, Wm.	18,350
Gardener, Mr.	10,900
Gillman, Mrs. Victoria	10,350
Green, Mrs. Harry C.	12,100
Green, Miss Kathleen A.	10,650
Gaskin, J. W.	10,000
Gaynor, R. D.	33,200
Green, Miss Margaret	41,100
Gunhill, Ed.	10,100
Gross, R. M.	10,000
H.	
Hayes, Harry	41,950
Harding, Edward	10,000
Hayes, Miss Beatrice	41,700
J.	
Johnstone, Miss Violet	11,400
K.	
Klayman, Louis	12,200
Kierstead, Miss Maud B.	14,850
Keith, Roy	10,000
L.	
Lund, Wm.	10,900
Lamb, Mrs. Susan	10,050
Lewis, Mrs. Chas. W.	10,000
Larrson, Carl	11,150
Lardon, Miss Martha	10,600
LeBuff, Robert	10,000
M.	
Merritt, Stanley	10,000
Malloy, Miss Agnes	41,900
Malloch, Miss Nealie M.	10,050
Murtagh, Edward	41,950
May, Miss Annie	10,150
Magnusson, Miss Elma	10,000
Merzetti, Herman	10,300
Morehouse, Mrs. Alfred	40,700
Masciovecchio, Dany	12,750
Milband, Miss Flavie A.	10,500
Mc.	
MacKeen, Hazel L.	10,900
MacBeth, Mrs. F. E.	10,000
McArthur, Albert	10,100
McCabe, Guy	10,000
McCauley, Geo.	10,000
McGowan, Miss Helen	10,200
McNally, R. W.	10,450
N.	
Nickerson, G.	10,650
Northrup, Miss Mary	10,000
Nase, Dr. H. B.	10,000
O.	
Olive, Mrs. Elfreda S.	13,600
Osborne, Conrad	10,750
P.	
Pike, Bessie J.	10,000
Poulsen, Miss Margaret L.	10,000
Porter, Miss Myrtle A.	10,700
Phillips, Mrs. May	41,550
Poliras, Remi	38,000
Peck, L. A.	10,350
Papworth, Thomas	10,400
R.	
Rogers, Mr.	10,000
Rosario, B. D.	10,050
Rossa, P.	10,000
Robertson, Miss May	10,000
Richardson, Miss Mary	10,700
Rathburn, C. G.	10,950
Rossborough, Geo. E.	10,050
Remmell, Miss Annie	10,000
S.	
Sawyer, Bryce P.	10,300
Snodgrass, P. M.	10,000
Stephenson, Miss L.	10,100
Smith, A. Ren.	12,050
Sabean, Miss Ruby	10,000
Stephenson, Miss Goldie	10,000
Stokoe, Myron V.	10,000
Strickland, W. G.	10,900
Stevens, Chas. E.	10,600
Steeves, Rene	10,000
Stratton, L. P.	10,100
T.	
Taylor, R.	10,000
Trentowsky, Stewart	10,600
Thorne, Miss Iva	10,000
Tompkins, Mrs. J. B.	41,800
Totten, L. W.	10,000
Towers, Donald	40,350
V.	
Vail, Harry	10,050
W.	
White, E. D.	10,000
Wilson, W. L.	10,000
White, G. S.	10,700
White, Mrs. Gertrude	10,000
Williams, James	41,950
Willis, Miss Theresa M.	41,050
Webb, A.	10,450
Wetmore, Miss Grace	10,000
Walsh, Miss Laura	10,090
Woods, Miss A. Katherine	10,000
Wright, J. G.	41,600
White, H. G.	10,000
Woods, Kathlyn	10,000
Wnasson, Willis	10,150

The Standing of the candidates will appear in Monday's, Wednesday's and Friday's issues of The Standard.

To insure accuracy for every candidate's Vote totals all votes are counted on Burroughs adding machines, supplied by A. C. L. Tapley, Local Agency Manager.

AT THE IMPERIAL TODAY—Jack Pickford in "The Man Who Had Everything."

AT THE UNIQUE TODAY—Constance Talmadge in "Up the Road With Sally."

AT THE QUEEN'S SQUARE TODAY—William Russell in "Leave It To Me."

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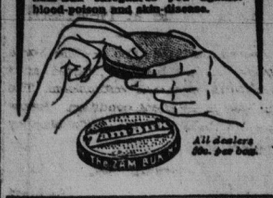

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Burnham Charges The Gov't With "Hold-Up"

Former West Peterboro Member Declares Premier Meighen Has Usurped Powers.

Peterboro, Ont., Feb. 3—J. H. Burnham delivered his one and only election address in the present campaign to a crowded house last night.

Mr. Burnham said he resigned his seat because when Liberals and other joined in electing him to support the Union Government of Sir Robert Borden in 1917, he promised, as did Sir Robert Borden and those supporting him, to go to the people when the war was over. Without that promise it would have been useless and unfair to ask for Liberal support. Union Liberals were warned against a trap, but they could not believe that anybody would betray their trust.

The war ended and the Union Government ended, and why was not the promised general election held, asked Mr. Burnham. Because, without any mandate or mission from anybody on earth but themselves, Messrs. Meighen and Calder seized the reins of power and announced to an astonished Canada a new government under a new title, "The National Liberal and Conservative Party."

The members of the Conservative party and the Liberal party were directed to hand in their submission to the new party without delay. This was the age of hold-ups it was true, but up to now no one had attempted to run off with two parties and a whole state.

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Many an otherwise beautiful and attractive face is sadly marred by the unsightly pimples and various other skin troubles, caused wholly by bad blood.

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Lloyd George Scores Again

His Achievement at Paris Spikes Guns of the Cecils for Time.

By W. ORTEN TEWSON.
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London, Feb. 3.—Premier Lloyd George's work in Paris has put the quietus on talk of an impending general election. He did there what many people believe no one else could have done. Perhaps the most significant compliment was that paid him by Lord Robert Cecil, who, asked for his opinion about the Parish settlement, replied "And settlement is better than none." Lord Robert Cecil and his brother, Hugh, will cross the House when Parliament is reconvened and will form the nucleus of a coalition opposition which it is held will be the beginning of the end of the coalition. But the sigh of relief which has gone over the unanimous reparation agreement and the part played in it by Lloyd George which was unlooked for, will spike the Cecil brother's political guns effectively for the present.

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Apohaqui, Feb. 3—A pleasant social event of this week was that of Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harley S. Jones, when the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, entertained the ladies of the W. M. S. in connection with the Baptist Church.

At three o'clock the ladies of the societies assembled in the drawing-room, where the regular monthly meeting of the Methodist Society was held with the president, Mrs. Phillip H. Leiper, presiding. After the devotional exercises and due routine, a pleasing programme of entertainment was given the first number being a reading, "God's method of saving," by Mrs. W. T. Burgess. Mrs. C. H. Keith then pleasingly sang a solo, "He is Mine," Mrs. J. D. Patton next gave a reading entitled, "A Christless Christmas." Miss Greta Connely then rendered a piano solo with much expression, "Sweet Bye and Bye." Mrs. I. P. Gamblin gave a very fitting reading, "The Death Bed of An Indian Brave," which was followed by a reading from the president, Mrs. Leiper, "Jiro's Share of the Box." Mrs. Keith further entertained with a solo, "I Come to Thee," which concluded the fitting and much enjoyed programme.

At the close of the entertainment, Mrs. Jones, moved that a vote of thanks be extended to Mrs. Keith, who as a visitor in the village had accepted the invitation and kindly contributed of her musical talent. The motion duly seconded and dealt with, and in a few well-chosen remarks, the president extended thanks to Mrs. Keith, who responded gracefully, expressing her pleasure at being present, and appreciation for the thanks extended, adding that she was very pleased to have been of any assistance in the entertainment. In response to an invitation from the president, several of the ladies of the visiting society, spoke briefly including Mrs. J. P. McAuley and Mrs. Robt. Williams. At the close of the session, afternoon tea was served and a delightful social hour enjoyed.

Mrs. Jones was assisted in serving by Mrs. W. T. Burgess, Miss Estella Leiper and Miss Greta Connely.

Among the ladies present were: Mrs. Phillip H. Leiper, Mrs. A. L. Wells, Mrs. Robt. Williams, Mrs. P. C. Wright, Mrs. I. P. Gamblin, Mrs. J. D. Patton, Mrs. Edwin T. Cripps, Mrs. Edward Erb, Mrs. J. P. McAuley, Mrs. W. T. Burgess, Mrs. G. I. Veysey, Mrs. C. H. Keith, Mrs. I. V. Wright, Mrs. I. P. Connely, Miss Estella Leiper and Miss Greta Connely.

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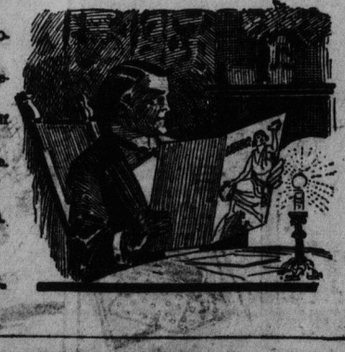

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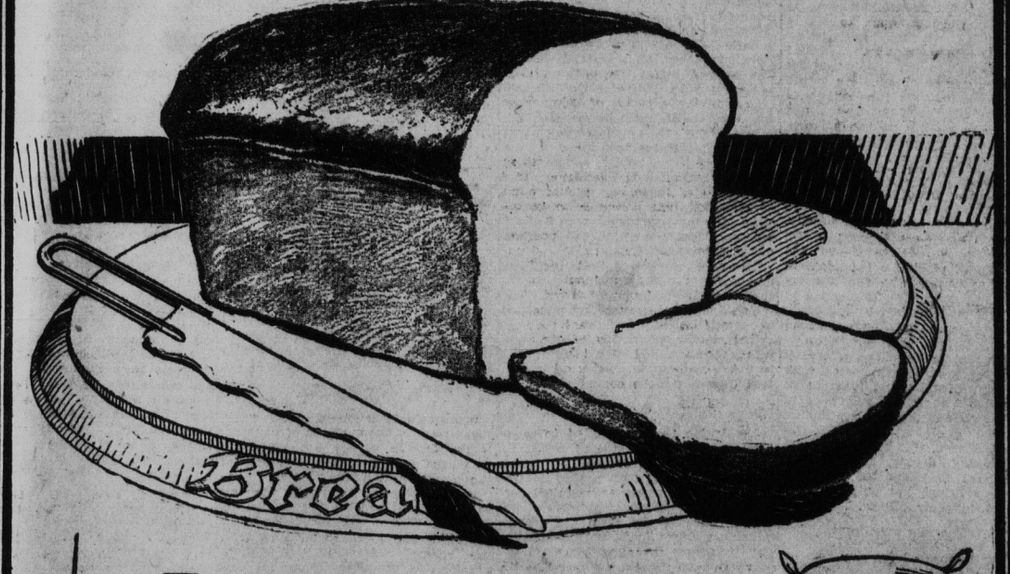

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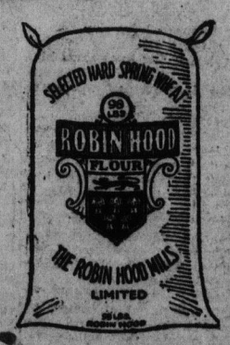

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