

Witness Says Virginia Rappe Was Intoxicated

Alfred Sennacher, Victim's Manager, Refuses to Speak Words Used by Arbuckle —Writes Them.

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—The details of the fatal visit in September of Miss Virginia Rappe, motion picture actress, to San Francisco from Los Angeles were related today by Alfred Sennacher, manager for Miss Rappe, in the manslaughter trial of Roscoe C. (Fatty) Arbuckle. Miss Rappe's death, following a party in the Hotel St. Francis, attended by Sennacher and others, was made the basis of the charge against Arbuckle. Sennacher said he brought Miss Rappe and Mrs. Bambina Maude Delmont, a mutual friend, to San Francisco in his automobile September 3, and that they attended the party together September 5. He testified to the finding of Miss Rappe in Arbuckle's room apparently in a dying condition after she had been alone for a time with Arbuckle.

Writes Testimony.
He met Arbuckle the next day, he said, and "all said we believed Miss Rappe was intoxicated." Sennacher refused to repeat a word he said was used by Arbuckle in relation to the attempts by guests of the party to relieve Miss Rappe. He wrote the word out for the stenographer.

Miss Rappe had torn off her clothing on various occasions after drink- ing liquor, he testified, but the manner in which she tore it on such occasions was different from the manner she used after supposedly having been injured at the party.

Miss Alice Blake, show girl, was the first witness today. A statement made by her to the police was introduced. It described the party in Arbuckle's rooms in the Hotel St. Francis in which Virginia Rappe is alleged to have received fatal injuries at Arbuckle's hands.

Assist Miss Rappe.
The statement said that Miss Blake first saw Miss Rappe nude on a bed in Arbuckle's room and suffering great pain. It continued that Miss Blake and other guests of the party assisted Miss Rappe.

The court room was crowded and there were many others in the outside corridors seeking admission. The next witness was Joseph Rideaux, physical culture trainer of Los Angeles, who treated Miss Rappe for being overweight. Rideaux said he tested Miss Rappe's strength. She appeared healthy and was stronger than most women he had instructed.

Harry J. Boyle, assistant manager of the Hotel St. Francis, the next witness, testified to having been called to Arbuckle's room immediately after Miss Rappe was supposed to have been injured there and of having questioned Arbuckle. Arbuckle started to carry Miss Rappe to another room on the same floor and became exhausted and Boyle assisted him, he testified. The prosecution announced it expected to close its case today.

Gering Editor May Make Race for State Senate
Scottsbluff, Neb., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—A. B. Wood, editor of the Gering Courier, and A. J. Shumway of Scottsbluff probably will oppose each other for the republican nomination for the state senate from the new district of Morrill, Banner and Scotts Bluff counties, according to early political gossip in this region. Mr. Wood has already announced his willingness to make the race for the office.

Woman Given Divorce
Beatrice, Neb., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. Rena Sharp was granted divorce in the district court from Sylvester L. Sharp, the defendant failing to appear. The couple married at Elk Point, S. D., March 26, 1897, and have two children. Desertion and cruelty were alleged.

Irrigation Meet
Lodgepole, Neb., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Delegates from practically all western Nebraska towns will attend the 11th annual convention of the Nebraska State Irrigation association at Bridgeport, December 7 to 9.

Extension of Credit Promised to Farmers

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Despite the apparent equanimity of the afternoon meeting in the hotel ball room, where luncheon was served, devices commonly known as sarcasm and irony often threatened to change the even tenor of the affair. Mr. Burnham interrupted Asa Ramsey, chairman of the board of directors of the reserve bank, to politely suggest that Governor McKelvie might be allowed to speak. "I wouldn't for the world have overlooked Governor McKelvie," replied Mr. Ramsey. "In fact I was just on my feet to introduce him when you interrupted me."

McKelvie Tells Faults.
Governor McKelvie, who has recently criticized the practices of the federal reserve system, quoted figures to show that the Tenth district bank had demanded more rapid liquidation than banks in other districts. "Every bank which contributed to the financial inflation of the country—including the federal reserve bank—in a large measure contributed to the present deplorable condition," said the governor.

"We rather consider the figures you quoted, showing the rapid deflation in this district as a compliment," said a member of the reserve board, as Governor McKelvie concluded his talk. "I am not a banker," retorted the governor. "I only know what the farmers think about it."

Head Raps Board.
Walter W. Head, president of the Omaha National, declared that securities of numerous Omaha concerns, refused for discount by the reserve bank in this district, had been accepted by reserve banks in eastern districts.

"There can be no difference in the federal reserve laws here and in the east," said Mr. Head. "It must be that the Kansas City bank interprets the laws differently." Fred W. Thomas and John M. Flannigan recommended the war finance corporation as the panacea for financial ills of the state.

"The banks must take care of farmers or you may rest assured they will be taken care of through some other channel," was the warning of Mr. Thomas.

Rents Only Essentials That Are Now Going Up

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tified his stock would invoice at \$4,500 and he figures on its being turned over 10 times a year. He said he endeavored to average 25 per cent gross profit, but did not state whether it was cost or selling price profit. C. Mozer, Lincoln produce dealer, said he bought spring chickens yesterday for 14 cents and sold them to Lincoln retailers at 23 cents; he bought ducks at 16 cents and sold them at 30 cents; bought turkeys at 33 cents and sold them to retailers at 48 cents.

Claims Loss on Eggs.
He keeps fowls 12 days, feeding them, but said the cost of the feed is more than made up by increase in quality and weight. The shrinkage between live and dressed fowls is 12 to 15 per cent. He stated that he bought eggs yesterday for 47 cents and sold them to retailers at 55 cents. On storage eggs at present prices he is losing \$1 a case, he said. But this is the first year since the war began in which produce men have lost money on storage eggs, he said.

A. L. Johnson of the Crete Flour mills declined to tell the probe committee the quality of flour purchased by Lincoln bakers. He said a bushel of wheat delivered in his mills costs \$1.25 and that he sells the flour and by-products at his mill for \$1.40, making a profit of only 15 cents on a bushel of wheat.

When asked whether this was not an extraordinarily small profit he replied that he might be mistaken and would look up his figures and report later in the week. The figures are at great variance from the figures given by the manager of the Gooch mills yesterday when he testified that a bushel of wheat costs \$1.08 at those mills and the flour and by-products from it are sold for \$1.57, leaving a profit of 49 cents for milling a bushel of wheat.

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Four Speeders Sent to Jail by Judge Wappich

Fines Imposed Aggregate \$600 —Capias Issued for 24 Motorists Who Fail to Answer Summons.

One hundred and seventy-five men and women, violators of the traffic ordinance, appeared before Judge William Wappich in central police court yesterday.

Capias for 24 persons were ordered issued against motorists who failed to appear in answer to golden rule summons, \$600 in fines was collected, four speeders were given jail sentences and others were threatened with jail for further appearances. Violations of the light, parking and boulevard and speed ordinances constituted the majority of the cases.

Judge Wappich has planned a new scheme for the instruction of those lacking in traffic ordinance knowledge. Violators will be sent to hear lectures on the different ordinances, according to the judge. The large assembly room on the first floor of the city jail will be used for this purpose.

"The mourners' bench in the court room must go," said Judge Wappich, something more drastic must be done.

Those given jail sentences were: Sam Hall, 4822 South Twenty-first street, five days in jail; Harold Byers, 554 South Thirty-fourth street, three days in jail; Simon Turkel, 1128 South Twenty-eighth street, 10 days in jail. Turkel appealed and bond was fixed at \$100. Ed. Calhoun, 3920 U street, was given five days in jail.

Colorado Coal Mines Closed

Action Follows Walkout of Workers in Sympathetic Strike in Huerfano County.

Walsenburg, Colo., Nov. 22.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Colorado Fuel and Iron company today formally declared closed the Cameron and Pictou mines in Huerfano county, where employees were on sympathetic strike. This action followed the formal shutdown of company mines in Fremont and Gunnison counties late yesterday where the men also were on a strike in sympathy with the workers in 13 mines in Huerfano and Las Animas counties. The strike of miners in Huerfano and Las Animas counties against a 30 per cent wage cut resulted in a declaration of martial law by Gov. Oliver H. Shoup in Huerfano county.

A company announcement explaining the shutdown of mines affected by the sympathetic strike said the action was taken because the miners had failed to report for work for three days. Increased numbers of miners were at work today in Huerfano and Las Animas counties according to company officials.

Bootlegger Fined
McCook, Neb., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Frank O. Clair appeared in justice court here today, charged with illegal conduct in the liquor business and was fined \$100 and costs. Clair took an appeal from the sentence of the court.

Superior Will Probe Selling Propositions

Superior, Neb., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—The commercial organization of Superior has adopted the censor plan that is in use in a number of other towns in the state. The plan involves a censor committee to investigate all propositions involving soliciting funds or selling merchandise of any sort that may be of questionable character.

It is not the plan of the club to prohibit worthy propositions but to protect by organization home industry and home charitable institutions. All solicitations must pass a rigorous test and if their proposition is not worthy of consideration, they will not be issued a permit and the business men of the town will refuse them hearing.

4,000 Men Reported Out of Work in Omaha

In a review of the unemployment situation in Omaha, the Industrial bureau of the Chamber of Commerce, headed by J. M. Gillan, reported to the executive committee yesterday that nearly 4,000 men are out of work in the city, half of them common laborers.

Suggestions were offered by the bureau that all business houses be urged to employ as many ex-service men as possible to relieve the acute condition and also that housewives hire men from various labor agencies to do work about the homes.

Bloomfield Garage Owner Injured in Auto Wreck
Bloomfield, Neb., Nov. 22.—(Special.)—John Grohmann, garage owner, was seriously injured when his automobile toppled over a steep bank. His groans attracted August Schroll, farmer, who summoned a physician. He was badly cut about the head, but physicians have hope for his recovery.

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