

BRIBERY ATTEMPT CHARGED

Witness on Stand Says He Was Offered \$40 in Case.

TO GO TO THE COUNTY ATTORNEY

Charge is Made that Agent of the Street Railway Company Tried to Bribe Witness in a Damage Suit.

Bribery of a witness against the street railway company in a \$10,000 personal injury damage action was attempted by R. T. Rance, a claim agent for the company, according to testimony of the witness in question at the trial of the suit before Judge Lee S. Estelle in the equity division of the district court.

The lawsuit is that of Etta Berlnt, who in August, last year, was hurt when she attempted to alight from a Farnam street car at Thirteenth and Farnam streets. Thomas Delaney was the witness who said an attempt to purchase his testimony was made. In response to a question by a street railway attorney, Delaney denied having said he was promised money to testify in favor of Mrs. Berlnt.

Judge Estelle yesterday afternoon said: "Needless to say, I shall have my reporter transcribe all the testimony pertaining to this matter and place it in the hands of the county attorney."

Delaney was called to the witness stand by John C. Cowin and Leander Zeltzer, attorneys for Mrs. Berlnt. He said he happened to be on the scene when the accident occurred and observed it closely. His story corroborates the testimony of Mrs. Berlnt, that the car stopped to discharge passengers, but suddenly started forward just as she was alighting. She was thrown violently to the pavement.

Cross-Examination. Cross-examining, W. J. Connell, attorney for the street railway company, asked:

"Didn't you go to the office of R. T. Rance, an employe of the street railway company, and tell him that this plaintiff or some persons favoring this plaintiff had promised you money to testify in her favor, and that they had failed to keep their promise, and that if the street railway company would give you a piece of money you would change your testimony for the benefit of the company?"

The answer was a denial. Time after time Delaney denied ever having been in the company's offices.

In response to further questioning of Connell as to whether or not he ever had seen Rance, Delaney said he had, but that when Rance visited him at his home, 709 Marcy street, Rance called on him Monday morning, he said, and offered him money if he would "come across" for the street railway company.

"Did he actually offer you money?" asked Mr. Connell.

"Yes."

"How much?"

Delaney said he thought it was about \$50. Rance, he said, had the money in his hand. There were some gold pieces and some silver. Delaney said he refused to accept the money and told Rance he was going to tell what was right when he got on the witness stand.

Laying the groundwork for impeachment of Delaney's testimony, Mr. Connell produced a photograph for examination by the witness and asked if it was not a picture taken of him when he was in the penitentiary. This he stoutly denied.

Doctors Differ Over Plan Offered Here by Dr. Fisher

Health Commissioner R. W. Connell takes issue with Dr. George Fisher, international secretary of the Young Men's Christian association, and other physicians who believe that laws providing for the sterilization of criminals, insane persons and those afflicted with diseases should be passed and enforced for the good of posterity.

"There are few incurable diseases," said Dr. Connell, "and it would be foolish to practice sterilization upon persons afflicted with a disease that can be cured, or at least so healed that it will not be transmitted to children."

Still, the health commissioner declared, there ought to be laws providing for medical inspection of applicants for marriage licenses, to prevent the marriage of those so physically unfit that posterity would be affected.

Dr. Fisher, speaking here this week, said the Indiana law, providing for the sterilization of the physically and mentally incurable, had worked well and is a good law. He is an eugenist, believing the state should control the breeding of human beings.

Since Dr. Fisher's addresses here, preachers and physicians have arrayed themselves as for war and frequent clashes of opinion have occurred.

Four Laborers Have Bloody Fight Over Mexican Politics

Four laborers on the Rock Island right of way near Albright engaged in a free for all fight Tuesday night in the box car which they use as a bunk house. It seems that an argument followed a comparison between the government of this country and that the Mexicans have been experiencing, and after a while verbal expressions brought on the emphasis of brute strength. Paul S. Esperanto, the aggressor, was armed with a good sized club and a bowie knife and he and the other three men had quite a combat. The inside of the car was dark and the men had an exciting time.

Mike Hernandez came out of the melee with his leg fractured and a cut in his head. Mike Sosa had a cut the full length of his right arm and was pretty badly used up, while the other participant received only a few scratches. The injured men were taken to South Omaha general hospital, where their wounds were dressed by Dr. A. A. Fricke, who says that they will recover in a little while.

CITY ATTORNEY LAMBERT IS ILL IN WASHINGTON

W. C. Lambert, first assistant city attorney of Omaha, is seriously ill in Washington, where he is confined in the George Washington hospital. He is suffering from rheumatic fever and also has a painful attack of tonsillitis. Advice from Washington indicate that he is improving and may return to Omaha within a week or two.

Lambert went to Washington with Judge Ben Baker to appear for Omaha in the suit brought by the electric light company to enjoin the enforcement of a resolution passed by the city council directing that the power wires of the company be cut.

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