

FARMERS' CONGRESS TURNS OUT ALL THE POLITICAL FARMERS

Ream Pushes Through a Constitutional Amendment Eliminating Lawyers, Politicians and Professional Men.

UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS STAY

Both Suffrage and Prohibition Get Black Eyes, but Latter May Come Up Again.

OLD OFFICERS RE-ELECTED

Unless you are engaged in some form of agricultural activity you can no longer be a member of the Nebraska Farmers' congress.

The congress in deliberate body assembled at the Hotel Rome did solemnly, yet noisily affirm, assert, resolve and proclaim it. The new clause thereupon became an amendment to the constitution and thereby a few lawyers and politicians were seen to vanish in spirit through the yawning transom.

Long has a quiet craving for this battle itched at the left ventricle of the farmer's heart.

Not so at Wednesday afternoon's session.

It was 6 o'clock when the matter was brought up. It was 6:30 when the poisonous gases of personality bombs had cleared from the ghastly trenches and the slain lawyers, doctors, merchants, politicians and absentee landlords were prepared for burial.

Ream Starts the Thing.

J. D. Ream, innocently or otherwise, precipitated the clash when he asked for an amendment that would require every member to register his name, address and occupation during the last two years.

C. H. Gustafson of Mead seconded the motion, pointing out that the actions of the congress are quoted far and wide by public speakers and are the subject of argument in legislative halls.

The eligibility clause of the constitution was read. It reads that "any person in the state may become a member of the Nebraska Farmers' congress by the payment of \$1."

R. M. Tyson of Tobias was sure that was entirely too loose and that it could not be a farmers' congress if lawyers, bankers, merchants and dentists could be admitted.

F. P. Loomis of Edholm in the course of a discussion of the question asserted that the farmers are asleep and need to be awakened.

W. G. Whitmore introduced the resolution providing that "any person may become a member of the Farmers' congress provided he is engaged in some form of agricultural activity."

Light is Sought. Everyone wanted to know what constitutes "agricultural activity."

Whitmore attempted to give his interpretation by saying he would not include such men as Dr. George E. Condra, Chancellor Samuel Avery and Dean Burnett of the University of Nebraska, who are engaged in work looking toward the development of agriculture in the state, nor yet would he exclude such men as Frank G. Odell and Thomas F. Sturges of the agricultural press.

"No, no, we need them," was the cry. Kirkland of Atkinson after explaining that he was a Methodist preacher in his time, but has now for many years been a farmer, started a tirade against the non-farmer and his activities in the convention.

"I am informed," he asserted, "that a majority of the members of our resolutions committee are not farmers at all." He went ahead and made a speech on this assumption.

President Coupland is touchy on the matter of the committee, for he selected and appointed it. So he held Kirkland to the floor when he would fain take his seat.

"I have over that list," said the president, "I have over that list the resolutions committee under the nose of Kirkland." (Continued on Page Four, Column Two.)

The Weather

Table with 2 columns: Temperature at Omaha Yesterday, and Comparative Local Record.

Temperature and Precipitation Department

Table with 2 columns: Normal temperature, and Deficiency for the day.

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

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L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

INJURED GIRL ALL NIGHT UNDER AUTO

Car of Mr. Young and Miss Evans of Hastings Hit by Train and Man is Killed.

GIRL FINALLY FLAGS A TRAIN

HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Lying half submerged in a ditch beside the body of Eayless Young, Hastings automobile salesman, Miss Mabel Evans of Seward, Neb., signalled a passing St. Joseph & Grand Island section crew at 8 a. m. and was rescued. Her leg was broken and she was unconscious part of the night. Their car was struck by a train at 10 o'clock last night. A part of the car was found on the engine pilot when the train arrived here, but search for the automobile failed. Miss Evans was manager of a department in Stein Bros.' department store.

Engineer Reports. On arriving at the Hastings station Engineer Watson of last night's southeast train from Grand Island reported that he thought he had hit something at the first bridge north of the city. An examination of the engine pilot revealed two broken bars and some broken glass on the locomotive. Employees of the railroad rode to the first bridge and made a search without finding trace of the accident, which had occurred at the second bridge a half a mile farther north.

Miss Evans thinks she recovered consciousness at 1 o'clock a. m. Her cries for Mr. Young brought no response. She was waist deep in water and wreckage of the auto was strewn about her. Her leg was broken above the knee and her back sprained.

Discovers Escort's Body. She managed to pull herself out of the water and body, and at daybreak discovered the body of her escort submerged beside her.

At 7 o'clock a train went by without stopping, but at 7:30 she attracted the attention of a section crew. Some of them helped her, while the others went to the city to call medical aid.

The fact that Young's face was under water and mud was clutched in his hands prompted the belief that he might have drowned, but an autopsy this evening revealed a skull fracture and a clot near the base of the brain and close by the fracture. There was no water in the lungs.

Miss Evans is suffering from exposure in a 25-degree temperature, but her recovery is expected.

Large Posses Are Hunting Slayer of Colorado Banker

LONGMONT, Colo., Dec. 1.—Deputy sheriffs, detectives and citizens, under the direction of Sheriff Buxter, today continued efforts to apprehend the murderer of W. H. Dickens, a wealthy banker and merchant, who was killed last night in the library of his home by a bullet fired through a window. Apparently the authorities were without tangible clues as to the identity of the assassin or a motive for the act.

Trained bloodhounds, brought here from Denver and Colorado Springs, were unable early today to pick up the trail of the slayer. A reward of \$100 for the apprehension of the murderer has been offered by the city council, the Dickens family and the Farmers' National bank, of which Mr. Dickens was president.

A report that Mr. Dickens recently had trouble with a tenant of one of his farms in the city, in the hope it will throw light upon the case.

Mr. Dickens has been a resident of this section since 1899 and had accumulated a fortune in land, banking and mercantile business.

New York Women Are Circulating Defense Petitions

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—One hundred women, aided by 5,000 Boy Scouts, are canvassing the city today for the collection of signatures to a petition addressed to New York representatives and senators urging them to support President Wilson's plan for national preparedness. They hope to obtain 200,000 signatures. The campaign is conducted by a committee of the special relief society, who have designated this as "defense day."

Already 4,000 voters have applied to the society for blanks and signed them without solicitation. Ten of the largest corporations in the city are canvassing their own employees.

The petitions will be sent to Washington in time to reach members of congress before its opening next Wednesday.

Mrs. William Alexander, president of the society, says the movement is intended to show the representatives and senators that they have the backing of their constituents in support of a better army and navy. "It is a test of strength to show them that the people who are crying out against preparedness are a feeble minority," she declared.

Roumania Solons Have General Fight on Floor of House

PARIS, Dec. 1.—Partisans and adversaries of the government came to blows at the opening session of the Roumanian Parliament, telegraphs the Berns correspondent of the Matin. "King Ferdinand had hardly begun to read his speech when he was interrupted with cries of 'Down with the government,'" from M. Millie, leader of the interventionists, and his adherents.

"The supporters of the government replied with cheers for the king, whose speech was punctuated throughout by shouts from the opposition.

"No sooner had the king departed than a general fight began between the two sections."

HAUSER MAKES A SLIP OF TONGUE AT HIS HEARING

Makes it Apparent to Spectators He Was the Man Who Killed the Woodmen of the World Cashier.

HE IS HELD WITHOUT BONDS

Bound Over on First Degree Murder Charge and May Be Tried Within Two Weeks.

HORTON MAY BE DEFENDER

"You didn't see me—you didn't see the person have a gun"—Hauser.

This question, put to Miss Grace Slater by Arthur Hauser, arraigned in police court for the murder of W. H. Smith of Council Bluffs, was the one startling slip made by the defendant during his preliminary examination. He was bound over to the district court without bonds on a charge of "first degree murder while attempting to rob."

Miss Grace Slater, 2017 Howard street, in whose name the complaint was filed, was the only one to testify against the man. She related the circumstances of the hold-up in which her escort, W. H. Smith of the Woodmen of the World, was shot down by a bandit. During the hearing both she and County Attorney Magney referred to the highwayman as Hauser.

Says Hauser the Man. Hauser was brought into court by Captain Maloney, and listened in an indifferent manner to the reading of the complaint. Miss Slater was accompanied by her mother, and stood alongside of Hauser while in court.

The latter pleaded not guilty and asked for a preliminary examination. "Is this the man who shot Smith?" asked Magney.

"It is," replied Miss Slater, emphatically, and looked Hauser in the eye. He smiled with a slight sneer, and shifted his gaze.

Following her recital of the incidents of the holdup, Hauser asked Miss Slater several questions—if the man was masked, what kind of a mask he wore, and, finally, made the slip that caused the crowd which packed the court room to stir audibly.

He offered no testimony himself, and without counsel, owing to lack of funds.

Hauser is Gloomy. "I guess they all want me to go to the chair—so the sooner it's over the better," Hauser is said to have remarked to Maloney as he was led from the court room.

Besides the big crowd of silly curious, numerous county and city officials and victims of Hauser's depredations as robber, were in court. He was taken to the county jail in Sheriff McShane's car immediately after the hearing.

County Attorney Magney will be ready to put Hauser on trial within two weeks, he said, following the preliminary hearing.

Horton May Defend. If Hauser does not secure an attorney prior to his arraignment in district court, and if he informs District Judge English that he is unable to hire a lawyer, Richard Horton, public defender, will be assigned to defend him.

Several attorneys, however, have signified their willingness to defend Hauser, without much regard to financial remuneration, on account of the prominence of the case.

Story of Crime. The crime for which Hauser is to be tried is briefly as follows: On the night of Sunday, October 16, W. H. Smith, cashier of the Woodmen of the World, met by chance, Miss Grace Slater, an employe of his department, on a downtown thoroughfare, and offered to escort her to her home, at 422 North Thirty-fourth street. Near Thirty-first and Dodge streets, they were held up by a masked bandit, who shot Smith down, when the latter was slow in raising his hands. He then walked Miss Slater about the neighborhood, for more than an hour, making indecent proposals to her. Finally he put her on a Cummins street car, at Fortieth street, and disappeared.

The police later apprehended Hauser, and some weeks after the shooting of Smith he was arrested in Indianapolis, and taken to Wichita, Kan., where the officials of that city asserted he was wanted for a string of outrages and robberies.

With the Omaha police confident that he was wanted here for first degree murder, the Wichita authorities demanded were satisfied with money and he was brought to Omaha for trial. Here he confessed to the robbery of the W. T. Hauser household, and guests, and intimated that he had done other jobs here. He denies all knowledge of the Smith affair.

Brought to County Jail. Arthur Hauser, confessed holdup man and assailant of women, accused of the murder of W. H. Smith, Woodmen of the World cashier, pending in the county jail pending trial, declined to deny a report that, under a different name, last summer he had been arrested and arraigned in police court on a vagrancy charge.

"Were you not arrested in Omaha last summer?" Hauser was asked.

"You can't find it in the records," he replied.

More than that Hauser refused to say concerning that incident.

Police court officials say they have a recollection that such a man as Hauser passed through police court. Their belief never has been directly corroborated by Hauser, but his manner of answering the question is considered by eye color to their statement. What disposition was made of the case is not known.

Seen by Effie Hawkins. Another statement which threw new light on Hauser's history in Omaha was an assertion made by Effie Hawkins, a negro woman, that she had frequently seen Hauser, and that he had lived with her.

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VILLA THREATENS ATTACK UPON U. S.

Funston Hears Mexican Outlaw Chief Plans to Go Raiding Over the Border.

NACO GARRISON STRENGTHENED

NOGALES, Ariz., Dec. 1.—General Urbalejo, Villa's Yaqui Indian chieftain, with his entire command of 1,400, surrendered today to Carranza army officers at Corbo, 209 miles south of here, according to a report which reached here late today.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Attributing his recent situation to the failure of the United States government to support him, General Villa is planning raids on American territory along the border, according to information which has reached Major General Funston, commanding the American border guard.

Assurance of ample protection for foreign settlers in the Yaqui valley regions have been received from Carranza authorities by Admiral Winslow, who reported his arrival today at Topolobampo on his flagship San Diego. The Carranza commander has promised a mounted patrol of 100 men at the entrance to the valley and to hold a force of 5,000 additional troops within easy supporting distance.

So far as known no Americans have been injured in Indian raids.

Villa Chiefs Shot. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 1.—Two Villa Generals, Orestes Pereyra and E. Jimenez, with fifty other officers of their command, captured after a battle on the Frerte river, in Sonora, were court-martialed and shot, according to a telegram received today from General Obregon, at Nogales, by Arturo Gonzales, Carranza commercial agent here.

Villa's power now has been completely broken, Obregon stated in his message.

At Carbo, north of Hermosillo, where General Manuel Diguez finally scattered his main body, Villa destroyed all of his artillery.

A part of his forces defeated on the Ejepte river escaped westward, proceeding apparently toward Lower California.

The expectation of joining Governor Esteban Centeno at Mexicali, opposite Calexico, Cal.

Obregon also stated that among the numerous prisoners who surrendered to General P. Elias Calles was Alejandro Carrasco, former commander of the Mexican navy under Huerta.

Carranza Sends Troops East. NOGALES, Ariz., Dec. 1.—Having secured permission from Washington to transport eastward over American territory 5,000 Carranza troops, General Alvaro Obregon entrained today 2,000 men destined for Naco and Agua Prieta.

They are to operate against Villa troops, who apparently have been broken into small bands in accordance with their chief's plan to resort to guerrilla warfare and border raids if defeated in battle by the Carranza forces.

The remainder of Obregon's expeditionary force, 3,000 men, will be sent eastward as soon as sufficient railroad equipment is available. United States troops have been detailed as an escort.

General Obregon said, that Jose Rodriguez, the Villa commander, reported yesterday to be menacing Agua Prieta, was not strong enough successfully to attack the Mexican town opposite Douglas. Nevertheless he decided to strengthen the garrison there and also at Naco.

Woman Identifies Letters Written by John J. McNamara

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 1.—Miss Nora E. Haley of Indianapolis, former stenographer for John J. McNamara, identified, by the handwriting, all but two of a dozen letters submitted to her today, with concealed dates and signatures, in the murder trial of Matthew A. Schmidt. The prosecution seeks to show that Schmidt was one of a number of conspirators among whose acts was the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building. Schmidt is accused of causing the death of one of the victims of that disaster.

Miss Haley's testimony was toward the end of showing such conspiracy and the defense offered her the letters to test her memory. She made two mistakes.

Alleged Belgian Grafters Are Under Arrest at Paris

PARIS, Dec. 1.—Omer Boulanger, president of the Belgian committee of Paris and Edmond De Vries Jules and Armand Samuel, Brussels stock brokers, have been arrested on the charge of illegal traffic in Belgian bank notes.

The Bank of France has agreed to cash Belgian bank notes in amount of not more than 500 francs once a fortnight for Belgian refugees, the amount and date being endorsed on the passports of the recipients.

The police charge that the men arrested bought at low rates large quantities of Belgian notes in Holland and Belgium, and getting in touch with numbers of needy Belgian refugees, induced them, in consideration of small commissions, to exchange the notes at the Bank of France.

M. Boulanger was chauffeur of the late King Leopold of Belgium, in whose service he is said to have amassed a fortune of 500,000 francs.

The Day's War News

WHEN THE entente allies have concentrated 500,000 men in the Balkans Roumania will deliver an ultimatum to Austria, according to a report in Bucharest.

CLOSELY FOLLOWING the visit of Emperor William to Vienna comes the news that three members of the Austrian cabinet have resigned. The resignations and the German emperor's visit have given rise to a wide range of speculation as to the present state of affairs in Austria.

CAPTURE OF 15,000 Serbians by the Bulgarians when they took Pristrend is announced by Berlin today. A Bulgarian statement places the number of prisoners at

VON MACKENSEN, the man who did the job in Serbia for the Kaiser.



MANY RUMORS ABOUT KAISER'S LATEST TRIP

Emperor is Said to Be Trying to Get Austria to Cede Transylvania to Roumania.

OFFER TO GIVE BACK SILESIA

PARIS, Dec. 1.—Diplomatic circles at Rome believe, says the correspondent of the Journal, that the visit of Emperor William to Vienna was made to reconcile, if possible, divergent views of Germany and Austria and obtain a pledge of territorial sacrifices from Hungary in the hope of assuring the neutrality of Roumania.

Alexander Marghiloman and P. P. Carp, leader of the Roumanian conservatives, are reported to have assured the duke of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, when he was in Bucharest that the benevolent neutrality of Roumania could be counted upon by the Teutonic allies if Germany could induce Austria to cede Transylvania and part of Bukowina to Roumania. M. Carp is said to have promised also to bring about changes in the Roumanian cabinet. Negotiations between Berlin and Vienna. (Continued on Page Two, Column One.)

Chancellor Day Calls Ford Peace Plan Grotesque

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 1.—Chancellor James R. Day of Syracuse university has declined Henry Ford's invitation to select a student for the peace expedition. In a letter to Mr. Ford's secretary, the chancellor stated that "the plan is grotesque and will accomplish nothing but the ridicule of your country."

Bryan Leaves to Consult Henry Ford

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 1.—William J. Bryan will leave tonight for New York to see the Ford peace mission sail for Europe on Saturday.

American Women Succeed in Evading Mayo Indian Band

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 1.—Word was received here today that Miss Mabel Burr, former student at the University of Southern California, and four other American women, besides a number of children, were safe in a refugee camp at Topolobampo, after eluding Mayo Indians, who raided American ranches at Nos Mochis, Sinaloa, Mexico.

The raid occurred November 17, and for five days thereafter the women escorted by men relatives and friends, were pursued as they fled to the coast for safety. Miss Burr's brother, Clifford Burr, received messages today which stated that the refugees hid from the Indians in irrigation ditches and ravines. The raiders stripped the ranches of practically everything movable.

IOWA DOCTOR CONVICTED UNDER HARRISON DRUG ACT

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 1.—Dr. Samuel Miller, an Iowa Des Moines physician, was found guilty by a jury in the federal court today, of violating the Harrison drug act.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND SERBIANS TAKEN

Enormous Number of Prisoners Captured When Bulgars Enter Pristrend.

INVADERS CROSS CERNA

BERLIN (via London), Dec. 1.—Army headquarters announced today that with the capture of Pristrend, western Serbia, 15,000 Serbians were made prisoners.

Regarding operations in the Balkans, today's official statement says: "Successful engagements occurred at certain points with enemy rear guards."

"At Pristrend Bulgarian troops took 15,000 Serbian prisoners, many mounted guns and other war materials."

"Western theater: West of La Basse extensive mining operations by our troops caused considerable damage in English positions."

"One English and one French aeroplane were shot down and the occupants made prisoners."

Quiet in East. "Eastern theater: There is nothing to report."

A Bulgarian official report, dated November 28, says: "Bulgarian troops have crossed the upper Cerna and have taken the bridges and roads which lead to Monastir."

"On the southern Anglo-French front the situation is unchanged. In order to avoid mistakes, it is stated that the Anglo-French operations have been confined to the Cernava valley. Since the arrival of Bulgarian troops the Anglo-French forces not only have not advanced one step, but have been thrown back for a distance of several kilometers."

"All attempts of the Anglo-French troops to advance northward of Cerna have failed."

"The left bank of the Cerna has been completely cleared of the enemy. The retreating French and Serbian troops destroyed all the bridges over the Cerna up to the mouth of the Vardar."

French Official Report. PARIS, Dec. 1.—The French official report on the progress of hostilities, given out by the war office this afternoon, says that French artillery has been energetically engaged along the River Somme.

There also have been certain attacks on German aeroplanes in which the French was successful. Otherwise there is nothing new to report.

The text of the communication follows: "Nothing occurred last night worth recording, except energetic cannonading by our artillery in the sector of the Fries valley of the River Somme."

"In the Artois district one of our aeroplanes yesterday attacked two German machines behind the German lines. One of these machines was compelled to come to the ground. The other was pursued as far as Doull."

"During the day of November 29 a French aeroplane threw down six shells and seriously damaged barracks located near the railroad station at Lens."

Three Alleged Cattle Thieves Are in Iowa Jails

IDA GROVE, Ia., Dec. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Sheriff McLeod of Ida county at midnight rounded up the third supposed member of a gang of cattle thieves that has been operating in Ida and Cherokee counties the last two weeks. Fred Cline of Holstein is alleged leader and is in jail, while his accomplices, Fred and Henry Mehr, also of Holstein, are in jail at Cherokee. The Mehr boys are said to have made a confession, stating they worked under the direction of Cline. The gang is charged with stealing five head of cattle belonging to G. W. Smith and selling them to Butcher J. C. Christensen, Battle Creek, for \$20, and a few days later selling eleven head of stolen cattle to a butcher at Cherokee for \$50. The Mehr boys stated their business was to pick up cattle and drive them to market, while Cline followed behind in an auto ready to pick them up and take flight if they were followed.

ONE OF HOCH'S WIDOWS DIES OF STARVATION

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—A widow of Johann Hoch, one of the thirty-two, died of starvation, superinduced by pneumonia, here today. She was Mrs. Mary Hoch Verne, aged 65 years. Hoch, branded at his trial as an arch-burglar and murderer of many wives, whom he bigamously married, was hanged in this city a decade or more ago. The woman who died today was an important witness against him, but after Hoch's execution she remarried and retired to obscurity. Her second husband died several years ago.

THE WANT-AD-WAY



If you'll take all your receipts and stick them up in a pile, you'll find some there that you don't want. Why your landlady wears that smile.

The rent you pay out each month. On your own home should apply. Just look over the Want Ads. You'll find some there that you don't want.

The rent you'll pay to yourself. The home will soon be your own. No worrying then about rent. Your troubles will all have flown.

The Omaha Bee always carries the best Real Estate offerings of the day.

If you wish to buy Real Estate of any kind, be sure and read the For Sale Real Estate ads in The Bee. If you wish to sell Real Estate, advertise it in The Omaha Bee and you'll be sure to get results. Telephone T-1000 and put your ad in THE OMAHA BEE.

BALKAN STATES DOMINATE WAR AND DIPLOMACY

Roumania's Attitude is Causing Great Uneasiness in Germany, Austria-Hungary and Bulgaria.

GREECE PUZZLES THE ENTENTE

Refusal to Take Army from Macedonia and Turn Over Port of Saloniki Source of Worry.

RUSS STRENGTHEN RIGA LINE

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—(Via London.)—Army headquarters announced today that with the capture of Pristrend, western Serbia, 15,000 Serbians were made prisoners.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The Balkan states continue to dominate both the military and diplomatic situations in Europe. Roumania's attitude apparently is causing the Central powers great uneasiness, while Greece's refusal to limit its military effectiveness as requested by the entente is of equal concern to those powers.

Roumania is said to be only awaiting the presence in the Balkans of preponderant entente military forces before dispatching an ultimatum to Austria.

German military critics, according to dispatches reaching London, express considerable dissatisfaction with conditions in the Balkans, predicting both military and diplomatic difficulties ahead despite the brilliant Serbian campaign of Field Marshal von Mackensen. Moreover, it is reported that Austria is opposed to the idea and possibility of Bulgarian domination of the Balkan states, and it is suggested that a desire to forestall any further Balkan developments is responsible for the German emperor's recent visit to Vienna.

Greece Standing Pat. Greece steadfastly refuses to concede entente demands for the unrestricted use of the Greek port of Saloniki as a base, and furthermore declines to remove its army from Macedonia.

Except for the capture of Pristrend by the Bulgarians there has been no marked change in the Balkan military situation. The fate of Monastir, reported to have fallen before the Bulgars, remains obscure, notwithstanding definite reports that neutral consuls in the city had arranged to turn it over to the attackers after withdrawal of the Serbians. But later dispatches stated that telegraphic communication with the city was still maintained, indicating that it had not been entirely evacuated.

Russians Strengthen Riga Line. The eastern front has been comparatively quiet. The Russians are reported as being greatly strengthened along the Riga line and imbued with a confidence that they can shatter the German defenses whenever a forward move is deemed expedient.

Vienna reports that the Italians seem determined to capture Gorizia with the least possible loss of time, but progress against the defenses of the town is exceedingly slow.

Mistrial Ordered in Case of Tom Watson

AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 1.—A mistrial was ordered in federal court here tonight in the case of Thomas E. Watson, the Thomson, Ga., editor and author, charged with having sent obscene matter through the mails. The jury which had had the case before it