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MARGIN SHEETS IN EVIDENCE

Original Cost Memorandums of the Packers Are Introduced.

DEFENSE PROTESTS VIGOROUSLY

Objection is Overruled by Judge Carpenter—Government Regards Them as Important Link in Its Chain.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—A ruling in favor of the government in the prosecution of the ten Chicago packers was made today when United States District Judge Carpenter allowed the introduction of evidence of thirty-five original margin sheets of the National Packing company for the first eight months of 1910.

The defense had denied all knowledge of these original margin sheets until they were suddenly produced in court by District Attorney Wilkinson.

The government believes the margin sheets to be an important link in the chain of circumstantial evidence by which it expects to prove the packers guilty of violating the criminal section of the Sherman law.

Defense Makes Objections.

When Special Counsel Pierce Butler, representing the government, started to read the sheets to the jury the defense made vigorous objection on the ground that the evidence was immaterial.

"These papers are irrelevant and should be excluded," said Attorney John S. Miller, representing the Armour group of defendants. "If we are not careful we will be overwhelmed with immaterial things in this case."

"These papers are red-handed things, in the opinion of the government," interrupted Attorney Blair.

Judge Carpenter then overruled the objections and Attorney Butler was permitted to read the disputed documents to the jury.

GABY DESLYS IS MARRIED TO AMERICAN DANCER

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The theatrical colony is aroused today over a cablegram just received from London signed "Gaby," containing the statement that Gaby Deslys, the French actress, had married Harry Pierce, an American dancer, Pierce and Gaby Deslys recently left here for a theatrical engagement in Europe.

Postal Savings Banks.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Postal savings banks established on February 21 will be as follows: Nebraska—Herman, North Loup. Iowa—Clarkeville, Lakeview, Mitchell, Rockwell, Whiting. South Dakota—McIntosh, Wall.

Former Indian Agent Michael Denies Favoritism Charge

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 26.—Simon Michael, former agent at the White Earth Indian reservation, against whom charges of irregularity were made yesterday in the congressional hearing of land fraud charges, asked that he be heard in his own defense. Mr. Michael denied that he showed favoritism in land allotments. Rev. Duane S. Porter, a mixed blood, was a witness, testifying that the Indians did not receive full valuation.

"The way conditions are now," he said, "our people are starving to death." Mr. Porter also described the allotting of the land on April 24, 1896, declaring that the full bloods did not get fair play.

FIGHT ON TARIFF REVISION BEGINS

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declared that the placing of typewriters, linotype machines, cash registers and other patented articles on the free list as proposed in the bill would result in the removal of American plants to foreign soil, where the goods could be made cheaper, while the patents would prevent any reduction in the selling price in the American market. Representative Palmer said such would not be the outcome.

EIGHT PERSONS HURT IN WRECK IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Eight persons were injured, one perhaps fatally, early today, when a North Avenue street car struck a switch engine at the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul crossing. Traction officials claim the towerman failed to lower the gates.

FIRE RECORD.

Two Stores Burned at Surprise. DAVID CITY, Neb., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—A fire destroyed buildings in Surprise yesterday to the extent of \$1,000. The buildings were the ones occupied by Fuller's grocery store, Strout's furniture store and his dwelling. Several other buildings in the vicinity were in danger, but the local fire department kept the fire from spreading from the three buildings. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss was covered by about \$4,000 insurance. This makes the third fire for Surprise in the last eight weeks.

10c DAY

The last Saturday of the month at Beaton's is the day when 10c buys a full quarter's worth of thoroughly high-class merchandise. This Saturday we offer a number of standard 25c articles for 10c, and respectfully suggest that you fill your immediate wants from the following list:

- 25c Dr. Groves' Tooth Powder for..... 10c
- 25c De Mar's Tooth Powder for..... 10c
- 25c De Mar's Tooth Paste for..... 10c
- 25c Banzol Japanese Tooth Powder for..... 10c
- 15c Chamols for..... 10c
- 1-oz. bottle Glycerine and Rosewater for..... 10c
- 1 pint Household Ammonia for..... 10c
- 1 pint bottle Denatured Alcohol for..... 10c
- 1/2 pint bottle Witch Hazel for..... 10c
- 4-oz. package Rochelle Salts for..... 10c
- 25c Imported Dido Nail Enamel Stick, in celluloid box..... 10c
- 25c Beaton's Talcum Powder for..... 10c
- 25c Hard Rubber Combs for..... 10c

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SEVEN STATES JOIN IOWA

Work of Checking New Freight Schedules Under Way.

MOON LAW TEST AT DAVENPORT

Des Moines Offered Big Sum for City Property, but Wants More to Build Market House.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Seven states have joined with Iowa in the work of checking the new freight schedules of the western classification committee and appearing with the complaint before the Interstate Commerce commission at Chicago, January 23. Rate experts from the state boards of railroad commissioners of Minnesota, Texas, Missouri, Oklahoma, North Dakota, South Dakota, Kansas and Iowa are now at work making the check in Kansas City. Clifford Thorne of the Iowa board, who initiated the movement, returned from Kansas City today.

Moon Law Test. Nels J. Lee, special counsel in the office of the attorney general, went to Davenport today to aid in the Moon law test case, which is being tried in the district court before Judge Theophilus. The suit is brought to determine whether the Moon law affects special charter cities. If the law is held valid in charter cities, Davenport will lose 100 saloons.

Good Price for City Property. The city of Des Moines undertook to sell two pieces of property and to use the proceeds in constructing a market house and today received an offer of \$20,000 for the property, but in the belief that this was not enough the offer was rejected. As soon as the city can sell the property the construction will be commenced.

Police Department Cleared. The city council today made investigation of the charges made against members of that body, and decided they were not well founded. The accusations were made by Judge Van Liew, who is a candidate for member of the council. The investigation resulted in complete exoneration of the police department from having given protection to vice.

To Indict Clairvoyant. Mrs. Anna Webster, clairvoyant, charged with having swindled Mrs. Johanna Aschen, an aged woman, out of \$1,200, will be indicted by the grand jury. It is alleged the Webster woman bullied her aged client into the belief that by planting her savings she could make them grow into \$100,000. Mrs. Webster, it is stated, secured \$120 from Mrs. Aschen by this false representation.

Iowa News Notes. DENISON—Randolph Denker, son of a prominent farmer living just west of this city, was riding a horse through the woods when the animal stumbled and fell, throwing the boy under him. In struggling to get out of the drift, the horse struck the boy in the face, fracturing an eye in a matter in which it is doubtful whether the sight is not lost.

GLENWOOD—In the case of Charles Fisher against the Burlington railway, Judge Wheeler granted the plaintiff's petition for a new trial and the case will go on in this term of court. This was the last of the cases against the railway resulting from its overthrow of Pony creek, west of Glenwood, in 1900. The eighteen cases preceding it were against the road or settled out of court.

Telephone Companies Sued by Uncle Sam

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Yesterday suits were filed in the North Platte division of the United States district court by United States Attorney Howell on behalf of the United States against the Birdwood Telephone company of Sutherland, Kinkaiders' Mutual Telephone company of Sutherland, C. B. S. Pole and Neekyoke company of Hamby, Paxton & Elsie Telephone company of Paxton and Lodge Pole Telephone company of Lodge Pole to recover \$10,000 from each of these companies for failure to make the return for the corporation tax for the last year. These companies, it is reported, have ignored all demands to prepare and file the schedules required by the revenue laws. None of the companies would be required to pay any taxes because the income does not amount to anything near \$2,000. On the other hand the earnings of each of these corporations amount to nearly nothing, as they are small concerns.

HYMENEAL

Putnam-Fithian. TECUMSEH, Neb., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Miss Eva Lee Fithian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fithian, three and one-half miles northeast of Tecumseh, was married to Mr. Leslie G. Putnam Wednesday evening. Some forty or more relatives and friends were present at the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. W. W. Tait of the Tecumseh Presbyterian church. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Putnam and he has been associated with his father in farming and stock raising. He is a splendid young man and a good farmer. The bride is a graduate of the Tecumseh High school. Mr. and Mrs. Putnam have gone to Illinois on a wedding trip, and upon their return will establish their home on the groom's farm south of the city.

DEATH RECORD.

Charles D. Wilson. MARION CITY, Ia., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Charles D. Wilson died at his home in this city this afternoon from pneumonia. He had been sick but a few days, but he had heart complications which rendered his condition almost hopeless from the first. He had done more for Marion City in its magnificent buildings than any other man. The entire block west of the city park, including Hotel Cerro Gordo and Wilson and the Cecil theater were built by him. He was 53 years of age. He leaves a widow and one son.

Mrs. Anna Wegren. LYONS, Neb., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. Anna Wegren, widow of the late George Wegren, died at her home in the country yesterday. The funeral took place at 1 o'clock today. She had been sick for a number of days, and later came into Burd county, this state, about twenty-seven years ago. She was a little over 73 years of age. Her husband died eight years ago.

Gold Medal for Hoosier Poet. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Whitcomb Bellis was awarded the gold medal for distinction in poetry at the annual meeting of the American academy of arts and letters and the national institute of arts and letters here today.

Only One "BONO" QUININE. That is Laxative Bromo Quinine. Look for the signature of E. W. Grove. Used the world over in such a gold in one leaf. 2c.

Belfast Corporation Closes Ulster Hall to Rival Factions

BELFAST, Ireland, Jan. 26.—The City corporation today refused the request of the Liberal association for the use of Ulster hall on the morning of February 3, the day of the home rule demonstration at which Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, and John E. Redmond, the leader of the Nationalists, are to speak. The corporation also forestalled any further possible maneuvers by passing a resolution not to let Ulster hall for any further meetings of any kind in February.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—Winston Spencer Churchill's action in giving up his intention to speak in Ulster hall, Belfast, on February 3 is commented on favorably in today's newspapers. Only the bitterest opponents of the first lord of the admiralty chide him with retreating from a position which he should never have taken up. The home rule meeting in Belfast will probably be held in St. Mary's hall, which is in the nationalist quarter. Dispatches from Ireland today express the fear that it will be difficult to prevent trouble in Belfast on the day of the meeting. The unionists may find they have created a force which they will be unable to control. Some of the Irish nationalist newspapers now advise Winston Churchill to cancel his visit entirely.

Clark and Folk Will Not Consider Bryan's Division Proposal

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 26.—The efforts of William J. Bryan to settle the conflict between Speaker Champ Clark and former Governor J. W. Folk for the endorsement of the Missouri democrats had produced no material results today. Bryan yesterday suggested a division of the delegates, the candidate who received the smaller number of votes on the first ballot to be dropped in the national convention. Folk and Clark refused to consider any compromise today. Judge Virgil Rule issued from the Clark headquarters a statement that the managers of the Clark bureau do not hope to compromise.

FELT ELECTED PRESIDENT OF NEBRASKA STATE LEAGUE

COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 26.—A. C. Felt of Superior was elected president of the Nebraska State league at the meeting held here which ended at 2 o'clock this morning. P. V. Nichols of Kearney was elected vice president. The salary list was raised from \$80 to \$120. The Fremont club was angered at the last mentioned action and threatens to withdraw from the league.

The board of directors is composed of Thomas Wake of Seward and Dr. Babcock of Hastings.

Coal Miners and Operators Begin Wage Conference

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 26.—Bituminous coal miners and operators of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and western Pennsylvania met in joint conference today behind closed doors to discuss a wage scale to go into effect April 1, 1912, when the present contract expires. The convention of the United Mine Workers of America adjourned to tomorrow to permit the officials of the organization to attend the wage conference.

The miners' demands call for a two-year contract with increases in wages of 10 cents a ton on a mine run basis, a 20 per cent increase for day labor about the mines and a seven-hour day.

Girls' Panama dresses make excellent garments for present and spring wear. We offer a big lot of \$2.00 to \$2.50 dresses in red, blue, brown, black and white, sizes 6 to 14 years, Saturday at \$1.75. Benson & Thorne Co., 1518-20 Farnam St.

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AMERICAN THEATER Tonight—Matinee Saturday MISS EVA LANG and the WOODWARD STOCK COMPANY in TRILBY

LOMAHAS LEADING PLAYHOUSE BOYD'S Commanding Sunday

TRILBY BILLY BITCHIE IN MUSICAL-COMEDY-CIRCUS AROUND THE CLOCK

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Browning, King & Co. We call your attention to the Decided Reductions on Men's Staple Overcoats, consisting of Black and Oxford Cheviots, Vicunas and Kerseys. Those formerly selling at \$28.00 and \$30.00 are now

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The way these Overcoats are made and the Quality of the Fabrics are the essential points that should interest you, because a price consideration is only of importance provided the Value is there in every respect. You take no risk with any of our clothes, since "Money Back" has been our slogan for over half a century. These garments have been under our constant supervision while being tailored in our own Superior New York Work Rooms.

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- \$30.00 Suits to order—reduced to..... \$20.00
- \$35.00 Suits to order—reduced to..... \$22.50
- \$40.00 Suits to order—reduced to..... \$25.00
- \$45.00 Suits to order—reduced to..... \$27.50
- \$50.00 Suits to order—reduced to..... \$30.00

We must make room for spring goods. We must keep our tailors busy. All work made in our own work shops. All garments well lined and trimmed. Every garment guaranteed perfect in fit and style.

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- MEN'S SHOES** Howard & Foster's \$5 winter tans, button and blucher, for..... \$3.85
- Johnson & Murphy's \$6.00 Gun Metal, lace and button, now..... \$4.45
- S. & M.'s \$5.00 Gun Metal double sole, button and blucher, now..... \$3.75
- E. T. Wright's \$4.00 Gun Metal, button and blucher, now..... \$2.85
- McDonald & Kiley's Patent button and lace, \$3.75 \$5.00 values, now..... \$3.75
- Holland's \$4.00 winter tans, button and bluch..... \$2.85
- Six lines Fry's \$5 Patents and Gun Metal, \$2.85 button and lace..... \$2.85
- Boyd's \$6.00 Patent Colt and Gun Metal, \$3.75 button and lace..... \$3.75
- All the broken lines of \$4.00 and \$3.50 Patent and Gun Metal Shoes go..... \$2.45 at..... \$2.45
- WOMEN'S SHOES** Laird & Schober's \$6 Gun Metal, button and lace, now..... \$4.45
- Wright & Peter's \$5 hand sewed patent and gun metal, button..... \$3.75
- Eight lines of Fry's \$4.00 and \$3.50 Patent and Kid, button and lace, now..... \$2.45
- H. H. Gray's \$5 black Suede button, plain toe, now..... \$3.75
- Ziegler Bros.' \$5.00 Patent and Dull, eight-inch tops, now..... \$3.75
- Young women's \$4 tan high cut Skating and Outing boots, now..... \$2.85
- Ziegler Bros.' \$4 Patent and Gun Metal, button and lace, now..... \$2.85
- All broken lines of \$3 and \$2.50 Patent, Dull and Kid shoes..... \$1.95
- 279 pairs small sizes \$4 and \$3.50 quality, your choice..... \$1.00

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