

Senior Class Creighton University Department of Arts



The senior class of the Creighton university department of arts. There are twenty-one in the class who have completed the course of seven years high school and college work combined. They are from left to right: Top row, Philip Cahill, Stephen Boyce, Carl Rasmuson, Lewis Moore, Thomas Norris, John O'Connor and Daley Muffitt. Middle row, Maurice Miller, Basil Lanpher, Paul Tobin, Thomas Keenan, Mark Ryan, Thomas Kennedy, Michael Quinn and Julius Festner. Bottom row, Robert Connell, Rev. Father Bossett, Edward Costello, Reginald Whitaker, John Spelman, Louis Kavanagh, Rev. Father Myers and George Riley. The professional departments of Creighton held their commencement exercises a week ago.

ATTORNEY ACCUSES DARROW

Wholesale Corruption of Talesmen and Witnesses Charged.

THIRTEENTH JUROR SECURED

Clerk in Judge Bordwell's Court First Witness for Prosecution—Mention of Other Alleged Offenses Objected To.

LOS ANGELES, May 25.—Accused, in the opening statement of the chief prosecutor, with wholesale corruption of talesmen and witnesses, Clarence S. Darrow, noted labor lawyer, author and philosopher on an indictment charging attempted bribery of a juror in the McNamara case, was placed on trial yesterday. It required only a brief time after the beginning of the afternoon session to accept A. M. Bakerey as the thirteenth or alternate juror.

After the opening address to the jury, George E. Monroe, clerk in Judge Bordwell's court, where the McNamara brothers pleaded guilty, was called as the first witness for the prosecution. Monroe was on the stand when court adjourned.

District Attorney Fredericks' mention in his opening address of the other alleged offenses on the part of Darrow, brought vigorous objections from the defense. It was said that the rules of evidence would not permit the introduction of such evidence. Without ruling on the admissibility of evidence purporting to prove allegations outside of those contained in the indictment, Judge Hutton allowed the district attorney to continue.

The indictment alleges that Darrow bribed George N. Lockwood, who was drawn as a juror in the trial of J. B. McNamara for murder in connection with the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building.

Franklin Offered Money.

Two weeks before the date of the indictment, said Fredericks, Bert H. Franklin, then employed as a detective by Darrow, went to Lockwood and offered him a certain sum if he would vote not guilty, provided he would be drawn as a juror.

"He will show," Fredericks said, "that Franklin did this at the instance, request and direction of the defendant." Lockwood, according to the prosecutor's statement, then reported the incident to the district attorney's office, and was told to continue his negotiations with the agents of the McNamara defense. When Lockwood's name was drawn, Fredericks said, Franklin again offered to pay him \$500 down and \$1,000 additional after he had voted "not guilty."

At the next meeting, said Fredericks, Lockwood and Franklin were surrounded in the room by agents of the prosecution who heard them agree that the payment of the money should be made the next day, when detectives observed the transfer of the money and arrested the men.

"We will show," continued the prosecutor, "that this was the same money which Clarence Darrow had given Franklin that morning. It was sent to Darrow by agents in the east, and we will trace the money from that eastern source to Darrow's hands."

Lockwood is to take the stand tomorrow.

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Zapata Threatens to Attack Capital if Madero Remains

MEXICO CITY, May 25.—The sense of relief experienced quite generally in Mexico City by reason of the decisive nature of yesterday's battle at Bellano, was tempered today by news of a threat from Zapata, the Morelos rebel, that he will attack this city within eight days if President Madero fails to resign within that period.

Although the threat is looked upon by government officials as a possible ruse on the part of Orozco intended to halt the advance of the federals toward the north, it will not be overlooked. On the other hand precautions are to be taken to guard against surprise from that quarter.

The warning came in communication to the chamber of deputies and simultaneously notices were sent to all foreign consuls in the capital advising them to take precautions for the protection of their subjects as they may see fit. They were assured that no harm would come to foreigners if it could be avoided.

The presence of strong bands of armed bandits almost on the edge of the federal district has not failed to give the "ultra-instant" of Zapata some weight particularly in the minds of foreigners.

AT FEDERAL HEADQUARTERS OF GENERAL HUERTA, Bellano, Mex., May 25, 10:30 p. m.—General Orozco's rebels who were driven out of this town by General Huerta after a desperate battle, are retreating further and further northward tonight. The rebels could be seen burning the big railroad bridge in front of Jiminez, now the rebel headquarters.

The federal advance guard under General Habago and Telles searched the battlefield, seven miles north of here, today and found scores of rebel dead. Many dead were found in the trenches, victims of the heavy artillery fire of the federals. Twenty-six were found in one place and seventy-six in another.

Prisoners captured by the federals declare General Orozco was opening bottles of champagne early yesterday while the battle was in progress.

MAZATLAN, May 25.—Returning northward from his cruise along the Mexican coast with 36 refugees aboard, the United States transport Buford, commanded by Captain Ely, arrived here today. Five cases of typhoid fever among the refugees were reported, all said to be doing well. Captain Ely reports the utmost courtesy and good feeling were shown the Americans by Mexican officials.

Mrs. Bert A. Wilcox Succumbs to Death

After a long illness, Mrs. Anna Belle Wilcox, wife of Bert A. Wilcox, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 362 Dewey avenue. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 from the residence, Rev. E. B. Crawford officiating. Interment will be made in West Lawn cemetery.

Mrs. Wilcox is survived by her husband, two children, Dorothy, aged 11, and Jeannette, aged 4; and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel O. McPhail of Los Angeles, Cal., and brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. McPhail were at their daughter's bedside when she died, having come to Omaha some time ago.

BLAMES NEWSPAPERS AND INSURGENTS FOR TROUBLE

WASHINGTON, May 25.—In a speech in the senate today in opposition to the House steel bill, Senator McCumber of North Dakota, a member of the finance committee, attributed the unpopularity of the Payne-Aldrich bill and the subsequent election of a democratic majority in the home to the split in the republican party and the opposition of the press because the measures did not provide for the free admission of print paper. Free paper, he asserted, had been the price of the friendship of the magazines and the big newspapers.

"The American Publishers association demanded free print paper," said Mr. McCumber. We were given to understand that if we acceded to this request all would be well, but that if we did not we should pay the penalty. A reduction was made in the Payne-Aldrich bill, but it was not sufficient to meet the demands of the association.

DENY RIGHT TO SELL COFFEE

Lawyers and Judges Take Issue with Government Counsel.

SURPLUS OWNED BY SAO PAULO

Choate Asserts Property of Foreign State Cannot Be Dealt with by the Judicial Department.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Questions of international magnitude came to the fore late today when the federal government proceeded with its newest move under the Sherman law, to break up the "Brazilian coffee trust." Prominent counsel clashed with the government attorneys and judges of the circuit court of appeals took issue with some of the propositions made by the federal prosecutors. The issue mainly resolved itself into the right of the United States government to seize and sell \$10,000,000 worth of coffee, the property of a foreign state, because of an alleged illegal combine in control of the coffee market.

The coffee in question, approximately \$60,000 bags, has been held up under the temporary injunction against the New York Dock company, Herman Steichek and others as alleged parties to the "conspiracy," and today's proceedings were arguments for and against making that injunction permanent. United States Circuit Judge LaCombe, Cox, Noyes and Ward reserved decision after hearing an interesting exposition of both sides.

Solicitor General Frederick W. Lehmann, who came from Washington to move for the permanent injunction, and United States District Attorney Henry A. Wise led the government's case, while Joseph H. Choate made the principal argument on behalf of the defendants.

Should Not Seize Coffee.

Judge LaCombe, in reply to a suggestion by Solicitor General Lehmann, that appointment of a receiver to "break up the combine against lawful trade" was justified, said the proper way of procedure would be to compel the unlawful combine to take the coffee back, not to take it and sell it here.

"I disagree with you," answered Mr. Lehmann. "The proper method is to put the coffee in lawful channels of trade." "But if it was not bought here it has never been in the channels of lawful trade of this country," objected Judge LaCombe.

"We are dealing with this coffee as an instrument carrying out a plot to defeat the laws of this country," Mr. Lehmann asserted. "Can it be that persons remaining out of the country may break its laws without means of getting at them?"

Choate for Defendants.

Joseph H. Choate took up the argument in behalf of the defendants. "I have always thought," said Mr. Choate, "that the property of a foreign state cannot be dealt with by the judicial department at all, but must be dealt with by the executive through diplomatic sources. Wrongs inflicted by one nation upon another cannot be redressed by the judicial power. The right to redress lies wholly with the executive power. The coffee has not done anything."

"This Sao Paulo scheme was not intended as a combine to raise the price of coffee, but to protect its cultivation and its sale. They sold all that the trade was willing to take and there is no evidence that the trade was willing to take more."

"There is every ground for a diplomatic quarrel. If there is anything to be done it is against the government to which this coffee belongs. It is the duty of its government to put a stop to it. It has been the policy of this country to retain friendly relations with our South American republics. This judicial power might undo all that the diplomatic corps has succeeded in doing towards the friendliness in the last fifty years. It would also injure the trade relations which we have tried to maintain. Every ground of international law, every ground of national policy, demands this motion to be denied."

METROPOLITAN GOLF TITLE CAPTURED BY MRS. EARLE

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., May 25.—Mrs. Victor Earle of Englewood won the woman's metropolitan golf championship today by defeating Miss Marion Hollins of Westbrook in the final round over the links of the Englewood Country club, 6 up and 4 to play. Mrs. Earle was the runner up last year for the title.

Italians and Turks May Allow Powers to Settle Conflict

PARIS, May 25.—The idea of assembling a congress of the European powers in an endeavor to settle the Turko-Italian war seems to be gathering force.

It is understood here that Turkey is favorable to such a suggestion and the Times this evening thinks that while it is too early to form definite conclusions, Italy is not hostile to it and this will mean a solution of the conflict. The newspaper understands that Italy is even ready to abandon its previous insistence on the decree proclaiming the annexation of Tripoli.

France, it is believed, is ready to join in any neutral effort at mediation and diplomats everywhere in Europe are discussing its feasibility and seeking a practical means for launching the proposition of an European congress.

Scott Sprains Wrist Stopping Runaway

WACO, Tex., May 25.—(Special Telegram)—M. C. Scott, a member of the Omaha Ad club delegation which is making the four days' tour of Texas with 100 other delegates of the national convention which closed at Dallas yesterday, received a sprained wrist and bruised hand in a runaway that occurred here this afternoon.

Several members of the Omaha delegation were crossing the street in front of the Metropole hotel when the accident occurred. The injuries received by Scott were due to his efforts to stop a horse to prevent its dashing into a crowd of men and women, mostly members of the Ad club party, who were standing in front of the hotel at the time.

Omaha Water is of Highest Standard

Dr. Millard Langfeld, city bacteriologist, reported to the health department yesterday that city water was purer than it has ever been. Tests made show fewer bacteria to the cubic centimeter than ever before.

Report from the bacteriologist yesterday said the water at Elmwood park spring was absolutely pure, being free from any injurious substance. A sulphur spring at Fourteenth and Locust streets has been found to contain medicinal properties. City Chemist Crowley will recommend that the Elmwood spring be protected.

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RESORTS OF CITY RAIDED

Ryder Makes Good Promise and Orders Are Carried Out.

MORE THAN SIXTY ARRESTED

Large Quantity of Liquor Seized in Eleven Places for Evidence—Prisoners Are Released on Bail.

Police Commissioner John J. Ryder Friday night gave orders to Police Captain Michael Dempsey to "clean up Omaha good and plenty." More than sixty women, divekeepers, bootleggers, patrons and hangers-on, of all colors and nationalities, were bagged by the police in raids on eleven places last night. Nearly a score of women were sent in by patrolmen for soliciting on the streets.

The first raid occurred at about 11 o'clock and thereafter in rapid succession the police patrol, the emergency automobile and an extra hired car were kept busy hauling in the night prowlers.

The places raided were: Idlewild Northend club, Twenty-fourth and Grant streets; Hub hotel, 120 Douglas street; Turf cafe, 120 Douglas street; Jim Smith's Osthoff club, 45 North Sixteenth street; Seymour's place, 1818 Burt street; Unique cafe, Fourteenth and Douglas streets; Louie Ahko's chop suey parlor, 142 Douglas street; Disorderly house at 519 South Thirteenth street.

Mrs. Reese's place, 2314 North Fifteenth street; Minnie Smith's place, Fourteenth and Cass streets; Nanking restaurant, 1213 Douglas street; Liquor store as Evidence.

BENSON SENIORS HAVE CLASS DAY EXERCISES

Benson High school seniors entertained their parents and eighth grade students with class day exercises at the Methodist church Friday afternoon. The program consisted of eight numbers of music and readings. Miss Mable Stenberg read a paper, "The Flying Dutchman." The school octet gave two songs, Gladys Anderson an instrumental solo, Misses Mary Leon and Mary Rodabaugh, dressed in costume, sang a Gypsy duet; Miss Pearl Foley gave a solo, "Deep Blue Waters." There were also a solo by Miss Susan DeGraff and violin solo by Misses Hazel Wilcox and Minnie Klein. The program closed with an Indian chorus, sung in the native language by the high school octette in costume.

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