

LAWSON DEFENSE OUTLINED

Miners' Leader Contends He Was Trying to Preserve Peace When Deputies Opened Fire.

NOT AT SCENE OF THE KILLING

TRINIDAD, Colo., April 28.—John R. Lawson, labor leader on trial for his life on a charge of murdering John Nimmo, will make his defense on the claim that the battle of October 25, 1913, in which Nimmo was killed was started by deputy sheriffs and that Lawson himself remained in the tent colony and did everything in his power to preserve peace.

SPEAKER AT CRIGHTON COMMENCEMENT LAST NIGHT



HON. LESLIE M. SHAW.

whiskers I have disparted them. Had I conserved my whiskers, as you evidently have, I, too, would be a millionaire in whiskers."

Problem of Unemployed.

"Just how much is being written, more said and considerable done concerning and for the relief of the unemployed. But, so far as I can discover, nothing has been said by anybody between the sea with reference to the efficiency of the want of efficiency of these unfortunate, and nothing to prevent or check the trend towards inefficiency. I recently attended an entertainment in New York given by the university forum and listened to two speeches by professional philanthropists. I mean those who are in the philanthropy business for a livelihood. They each charged the blame for the deplorable condition of the unemployed to the fact that previous wages had been insufficient to enable these people to lay by enough to keep them when out of work, and they each advocated a minimum wage. There was not one word said on the subject of efficiency or economy.

"I have this indictment of our present school system. I do not blame anyone for the existence of the conditions which I shall attempt to describe, and if I falsify the facts I shall be glad to apologize for the libel. I think our schools quite generally teach that labor is honorable, and also very undesirable. I think the atmosphere of the schoolroom can be thus expressed: "Get an education and you will not need your left arm to get bread to your mouth." The result is that our highways are made by emigrants; our food is cooked by emigrants; our lawns are mowed by emigrants; our railroads are constructed and kept in repair and our factories operated by emigrants.

Nature's Store. "Let me assure you, my young friends, that nature keeps a one price store. Whoever pays the price gets the goods. I don't know what you consider industry. Mark Hanna once told me that he had

had occasion to call on Phil Armour. He did not tell his mission, but it was in 1896. His secretary made the appointment. He called at 1 o'clock. He found the great packer in a barber's chair, eating his lunch and dictating to a stenographer. It was the only leisure time he had. I don't ask any of you to work that hard. I only mention the price Phil Armour paid for writing his name under every sky and in every language. And there are no bargain counters for these goods.

"Let me assure you that I could give illustrations that have come under my own observation from now until morning. I will give you one. I knew a man in after years who, unlike Axtel, could claim no pride of ancestry. He was not over fortunate in his physique, and his environments had been very ordinary. At 25 years of age he was a common day laborer, as honorable as anything, but perhaps less desirable than some. By the premature discharge of a cannon one Fourth of July morning he lost his right hand at the wrist and his left hand one-half inch in front of the thumb. While waiting recovery he became painfully conscious that he had his life on his hands. He started to get an education. He once told me that he had threaded and had sewed on his own buttons with a naked thumb of a left hand. They called him Judge when I knew him. He died president of a bank, with many millions on deposit. God grant, my friends, that it may not be necessary to maim or cripple you that you may wake up to the possibilities that are yours.

Room for Good Men.

"I congratulate you that you have come to man's estate when the world is willing to pay any price for excellence. There are today ten times as many \$25,000 positions as there are \$25,000 men to fill them, and we are creating big positions faster than we are producing strong men.

"But let me warn you who are entering the professions to remain professional. Do not try cases or treat teeth or amputate legs for hire. At all times perform your professional duties with an eye single to the interests of your clients and your patients and, my word for it, neither you nor your children will need beg bread."

List of Graduates.

- Following is a list of graduates: COLLEGE OF ARTS. John J. Cordes, Raymond O'Donnell, Henry P. Dolan, Emory W. Plank, Morris C. Howard, Raymond T. Traynor. PHARMACISTS. H. E. Gaurvraut, D. Greenberg, E. V. Schobel, H. F. Murphy, Miss Pauline Danksy, F. A. Shields, F. W. Baily, H. W. Baser, H. N. Christensen, L. A. Johnson, J. E. Murphy, A. P. Gasth, J. T. Stava, E. E. Quick. MEDICINE. M. B. Moran, O. P. Morgenthauer, L. E. Atzen, F. P. Murphy, A. L. Barr, L. H. Pander, J. W. Brophy, H. A. Rasmussen, G. B. Brown, N. H. Rasmussen, C. Headles, O. Ripe, A. W. Cocha, H. S. Rogers, A. Rhonal, W. Roney, W. F. Hombach, Charlotte Selvera, J. H. Hubenbecker, J. P. Sheehy, J. M. Johnson, R. A. Smith, J. P. Kelly, Simpson, P. H. Kinyoun, A. F. Erb, J. R. Klovie, J. J. Erb, J. Larson, Thomas, P. H. Traxler, P. E. Mannings, L. F. Vandiver, V. A. Jotler, H. P. Walker, C. B. Molested, H. J. Young. LAW. William Barnard, Charles V. Dunn, Edwin C. Boshier, John H. Caldwell, W. J. Boyce, (A. B. Yale), Matthew V. Brossard, Lawrence Chapman, Samuel H. Coban, James J. Gleason, Cornelius F. Connolly, Frank A. Hebenstret, Louis D. Kavanagh, Andrew B. DeDual, (A. B. Crighton).

Thomas J. Keenan, Clarence E. Becker, Edwin D. Mitchell, Hugh F. Gillespie, John W. Reel, (A. B. Crighton), Edward J. Robins, Eugene L. Mahl, J. D. Stumbo, (H. S. Fremont), George Sugarman, Claude B. Matthal, David G. Thompson, Hugh B. McCulloch, Perry Wheeler, (A. B. Knox), (A. B. Bellevue), Leonard L. Ryan, DENTIST. Charles F. Adams, F. W. Leonard, C. W. Anders, Charles L. Mallet, L. M. Biggs, Arch R. Lucas, Roy A. Burgess, Herman Meier, Ralph E. Carner, Craig Norris, Howard L. Cole, Frank J. Murphy, George C. Fehliman, Frank A. O'Connell, Oscar Goldner, R. R. Ralston, Ervin D. Heitzel, Stanley H. Rogers, Harry H. Hess, Herbert M. Sampson, John J. Holland, William R. Thomas, Richard D. Kelly, Edward L. Traxler, W. M. Kimpston.

BUSINESS MEN TO STAND BACK OF THE BUILDERS

Secretary Branch of the Omaha Business Men's association, announces that his organization adopted the following resolution, pledging support to the Omaha Builders' exchange in maintaining an "open shop" policy: Resolved, That the Business Men's association hereby pledges its full moral support to the Omaha Builders' exchange in maintaining the right to employ workmen upon their individual merits, and regardless of their affiliation or non-affiliation with any unions.

DRY CLEANER AND BAKER START ON A LONG HIKE

E. V. Mitchellree and H. E. Bryan, dry cleaner and baker, respectively, of New Sharon, Ia., are here, having walked from their home town to this city, their plans being to complete their hike to San Francisco by August 1. If they make the trip within the agreed time they will receive \$1,000 from the Boosters club of New Sharon. They averaged twenty-four miles a day and carry twelve pounds of baggage apiece.

Read The Bee's "Business Chances" and get into your own business.

FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots, How to Remove Them. Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling. Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from Sherman & McConnell or any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case. Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Advertisement.

Make Teething Easy for Baby USE Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup A SPLENDID REGULATOR PURELY VEGETABLE—NOT NARCOTIC

Loeb's Testimony in Roosevelt Case Ruled Out by Court

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 29.—Evidence from William Loeb, Jr., former secretary to Colonel Roosevelt while he was president, and later collector of the port of New York, concerning alleged corruption in Albany was ruled out by Justice Andrews last today.

Constipation a Penalty of Age

Nothing is so essential to health in advancing age as keeping the bowels open. It makes one feel younger and fresher and forestalls colds, pleurisy, fevers, and other dependent ills. Cathartics and purgatives are violent and drastic in action and should be avoided. A mild, effective laxative, tonic, recommended by physicians and thousands who have used it, is the combination of simple herbs with peppin sold by druggists everywhere under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. The price is fifty cents and one dollar a bottle. For a free trial, bottle write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 631 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

At the Reese Jewelry Store...

In a few days will appear an announcement that will be of most unusual interest to the women of Omaha. Watch the windows for the display arranged by one of Omaha's manufacturers, 408 South 16th Street.

50c for First Half-Mile, 40c for each additional mile thereafter for the distance you ride. No charge for calling or returning. Waiting Time at Rate of \$1.50 Per Hour. "The Oz Service" Telephone Doug. 90. Omaha Taxi Service Co. 2104 Farnam St. OMAHA

We Lift the Lid SATURDAY, MAY 1ST

Every man in Omaha is invited to select a SUIT from a big clean stock now being assembled and arranged. Prices are to be— \$15 and \$20 The splendid values are so apparent that you cannot make a mistake. See the east window and the ad in tomorrow's paper. BENSON & THORNE @ 1516-18-20 FARNAM STREET.

OLD TIME RESIDENT OF OMAHA PRAISES AKOZ FOR RHEUMATISM

Mrs. Chas. Brown Says Mineral Remedy Relieved Her After Five Years Suffering.



After visiting springs and trying many remedies seeking relief from rheumatism from which she suffered over five years, Mrs. Chas. Brown, a pioneer resident of Omaha, resorted to Akos, the new California mineral remedy, and since using it has astonished her many friends by her rapid recovery. Mrs. Brown resides at 1733 South 27th street, Omaha, and tells of her experience with Akos as follows: "I suffered with rheumatism in my back, arms and shoulders for five years. At times the pain was so bad that I would have to stop everything and rest. I visited springs and tried many remedies but the ailment would not leave. When Akos was first introduced in Omaha, my husband brought some of the treatment home for me. The mineral plasters on my back and shoulders drew out much of the pain the first night. In a few weeks' time the mineral water made from the internal powder, with the assistance of the plasters, improved me wonderfully. Since then recovery has been very rapid. Not only has the mineral water driven acid and poisons from my system, but as a tonic it is excellent. My general health is so much better that I feel like a new woman. I know that Akos is the best remedy that I ever

MRS. CHAS. BROWN. used and I will recommend to all suffering as I was." Akos is a pure, natural mineral remedy that contains nothing but the wonderful curative qualities Nature has given it. It has proven most effective in treating stomach, liver, kidney and bladder trouble, piles, ulcers, eczema, skin diseases and other ailments. It is now being demonstrated at Sherman & McConnell's 18th and Dodge St. store. Visit, phone or write the Akos man in charge for further information regarding this advertisement.

Apartments, flats, houses and cottages can be rented quickly and cheaply by a Bee "For Rent" Ad.

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CLEAN-UP DAY MAY 4 THE BIG SIX VOTE FOR [Portraits of candidates]

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Shall the People or the Public Service Corporations Rule Our City? This is the Only Vital Question---the Only Real Issue Before the People of Omaha

Do Not Be Misled by "Bunk" Fake reduction of light rates is ALL the present commissioners promise you. The People's Candidates are pledged to give you rate reduction without the dictation of any public service corporation.

OUR PLATFORM: 6 Cent Electricity In Omaha Homes. Lower Gas Rates For the People. Municipal Ownership of Public Utilities. Garbage Collections Properly Performed. Justice—Not Favoritism, in The Police Court. Police Department Uncontrolled by Outside Influences. City Commissioners Who Are Free Men.

This is Your Fight It is your duty to vote TUESDAY, MAY 4 If you want Free men who will represent YOU in the city hall go to the polls and vote for the "Big Six." IT'S UP TO YOU