Death Penalty For Wanderer Is Asked by State

James C. "Ropes" O'Brien Asks Extreme Penalty for Man Who Killed Wife And Unborn Baby.

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—"There is but one punishment commensurate with the crimes Carl Wanderer has committed and that is death. In payment for the lives of his girl-wife and her unborn babe and the stranger whom he slew, the state asks his life.

"Wanderer is a cunning, designing criminal, craftily planning a dastardly crime and exercising a master mind in carrying it out."

James C. O'Brien, the famous "hanging" prosecutor was making the final appeal for the state. "Ropes," the sobriquet he has won because of the number of murderers he has sent to the gallows, was wearing the equally famous red tie he always dons in a murder trial. As he denounced the murderer Wanderer turned deathly pale and cringed down in his seat.

Back of him an aged, careworn woman suddenly burst into tears, and was gently led from the room. She was the mother of Ruth, the wife whom Wanderer murdered. Two other women lost control of their emotions and sobbed audibly. These were the sisters of Wanderer and they, also, were led from the court room.

"Punishmnt—equal to the crime, that's what the state wants, and that's your duty to mete out," continued Prosecutor O'Brien. "This man had kisses for Julia Schmidt, but bullets for his wife—bullets for his wife and unborn baby. His wife stood in the way. He was tired of her. Ruth Wanderer had to die because of future plans for himself.

"An ideal husband, they called him. Yes, he was ideal husband outside of being his wife's murderer. You have heard abundant proof of his guilt in these atrocious murders. The state asks for the extreme penalty—death."

It is expected the case will go to the jury this afternoon.

Mother of Bandit Is Sued for Jewels

Cleveland, Oct. 26.—Suit to recover $25,000 worth of diamonds found in the possession of Mrs. Mildred Johnson, mother of Albert Johnson, who was killed last Thursday during a bank robbery at Bedford, O., was filed in common pleas court yesterday by Phillips, Present & Son company of Rochester, N. Y.

The suit also asks the recovery of $7,000 cash found in a safety deposit box and $3,750 cash and a quantity of new clothing which was in Mrs. Johnson's possession, in equity for $60,000 worth of gems stolen from Max Lowenthal, their salesman, in Buffalo several weeks ago.

Abraham Bros., a New York firm, for whom Lowenthal acted, was granted a writ of replevin for seven platinum ring mountings and a platinum brooch taken at the same time.

Another bank robbery was added to Johnson's record today when Henry Tiock, teller of the First State Bank company of Detroit, identified him as one of several men who robbed that institution of $32,000 on September 22.

Wedding Service Spelled On Interpreter's Fingers

Fort Collins, Colo., Oct. 26.—The full Presbyterian marriage service was "spelled" out on the fingers of an interpreter here when James H. Tuskey of Fort Morgan, and Elsie Webster of this city, both mutes, were wedded.

Rev. Charles D. Darling, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated, Miss Margaret Webster, a sister of the bride, translating the clergyman's rendition of the ritual into the sign language for the bridal couple.

G. O. P. Candidates Have Big Lead in Straw Vote

Republicans continue to lead overwhelmingly in straw votes in Omaha.

At the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria Monday, Harding polled 178 ballots to 70 for Cox, while McKelvie led the gubernatorial candidates with 100, Morehead coming next with 78, and Wray third with four.

The first 50 customers in the Star Show company Monday gave Harding 34 votes and Cox 16, according to Manager Jacob Isaacson.

WHY?—

Are Some Pencils Soft and Others Hard?

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In the manufacture of lead pencils, a special grade of fine clay is mixed with particles of graphite after both substances have been thoroughly pulverized. The proportions of this mixture determine the relative "hardness" or "softness" of the pencil itself—a preponderance of clay producing the hard variety and an extra amount of graphite making the lead soft.

In addition, the hardness or softness of the pencil is also determined by operations which follow this mixing. The lead has to be compressed and moulded in order that it may fit the opening in the wood or other substance which is to encase it. The greater the pressure upon the clay-and-graphite mixture, the harder the lead, because the particles are fused together between dies cut from mineral substances, and therefore wear away less rapidly under the friction of writing than do the "softer" or less compact leads. A soft pencil usually carries a lead considerably thicker than a hard pencil because the very mixture of the soft compound renders it more litble to breakage, and at the same time, the user of a pencil of this kind desires a broad thick line, rather than one which is thin and well defined.

Tomorrow—WHY do we speak of "cutting a person off with a shilling"?

'Periscope Stowaway' Discovered Aboard Princess Matoika

New York, Oct. 26.—Discovery of a "periscope stowaway" was reported by Capt. Hubbard Fish of the transport Princess Matoika on arrival here from Antwerp.

Prior to its departure the ship was searched by Belgian officials for a bank robber. The search failed to bring him to light, but it did bring from various portions of the ship 25 stowaways.

One was found hidden in the ship's bunkers, buried from sight by coal. In order to breathe he had rigged up a "periscope" in the form of a piece of iron pipe leading from his mouth up through the coal to the air. It was this that led to his discovery.

American Murdered By Discharged Miner Is Washington Report

Washington, Oct. 26.—M. T. Sevrey, an American, was murdered in Cananea last Wednesday, the State department was advised today. The American consul at Nogales has been instructed by the secretary of state to request the local authorities there to take all possible measures to apprehend the murderer.

The consul, in his report to the department, said press dispatches reported that the murder was committed by Raymondo Navarre without provocation and that Navarre, a miner, who had been discharged by the Cananea Copper company, had escaped.

A reward has been offered by the Cananea company for the capture of Navarre and Mexican troops are engaged in a wide search for him, the consul said.

Pleads Guilty to Larceny, Sentenced to State Pen

Virgil King pleaded guilty to a charge of grand larceny and was sentenced by District Judge Troup yesterday to the penitentiary for one to seven years. He stole $206 from June Woodward September 21.

League Advocate Favors Harding

Lowell Replies to Attack by Assistant Secretary of The Navy.

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire.

Washinton, Oct. 26.—A. Lawrence Lowell, president of Harvard college, replying to a recent letter from Gordon Woodbury, assistant secretary of the navy, severely criticising him for an alleged change of front on the league of nations, as demonstrated by his signature to the statement signed by 31 prominent Americans, pledging support to Senator Harding, insists that he still favors the league and hopes that the country will go into it after Harding's election.

"You are," wrote President Lowell, "quite mistaken in charging to me a change of opinion on the subject of the league. I am still in favor of the league, and I hope and believe that after Mr. Harding is elected—which seems inevitable—this country will go into the league. The statement of the 31 republicans says the same thing. I have never thought the league, as it stands, perfect. In my joint debate with Senator Lodge I urged that it was imperfect and needed improvement. I am on record last March as saying that article 10 was fundamentally wrong, and I think so still.

"You say that the statement that Mr. Wilson refused to accept these modifications and insisted upon the agreement absolutely unchanged is utterly false. Perhaps it could be better expressed; but it surely is not utterly false, because the point is that he refused to accept the reservations which would have made it possible to have the treaty ratified."

Replying to this letter, Secretary Woodbury said he still could not understand how President Lowell could reconcile his present position with that he took in his debate with Senator Lodge last spring, when he defended the league.

Big Wage Reduction In New England Mills Will Lower Prices

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Prices of clothing materials are preparing for a parachute drop. Several textile mills in New England today put into effect a reduction in wages of 15 to 20 per cent.

The cuts were recently accepted by the employes in order to keep at work. The refusal of the purchasing public to buy at high prices, and the wholesale cancellation of orders closed up some of the mills, reduced others to part time, tossed the whole industry into stagnation and left the workers with high wage scales, but no jobs. In many instances the 15 per cent cut wipes out a 15 per cent raise the workers received last July, when the mills were going at top speed on unfilled orders.

On the heels of the wage cuts at the mills, Hart Schaffner & Marx, clothing makers, issued an announcement advising the trade to defer placing its spring orders until the fabric market has reached more definite levels.

Poll Shows Harding Will Get Even Break In Railroad Vote

Marion, Ohio, Oct. 26.—Polls of railroad workmen and reports made to Harding headquarters by special scouts show that the vote of the Brotherhoods is not going solidly for Governor Cox as has been predicted by the democratic managers, but that Senator Harding will receive almost an even break.

As this railroad vote is counted at about 2,000,000 this information, although it must be discounted slightly as partisan, still is significant of the trend of events and forecasts the election of Senator Harding next Tuesday.

The Ohio polls among the railroad men show about 30-70 in favor of Cox, but outside the state it is a little better from a republican standpoint. When the campaign started it was asserted by President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, and assumed as true in many quarters, that the railroad men were a unit against the Cummins-Esch bill and would so record themselves at the polls because Senator Harding had supported that bill.

Mysterious Man Said To Have Been Runner For Reds And English

London, Oct. 26.—Sensational charges were made in Bow street police court today against a mysterious man of undivulged nationality, who, the government attorney declared, has been acting between members of revolutionary circles in this country and the Russian revolutionists.

The government attorney said that among the letters found on the accused was one from Sylvia Pankhurst to Nikolai Lenine, premier of soviet Russia, saying:

"The situation is most acute; not ready for revolution yet."

Senator Rolandi Ricci to Be New Italian Envoy to U. S.

Rome, Oct. 26.—Senator Rolandi Ricci, according to the Popolo Romano today, is to be appointed Italian ambassador at Washington.

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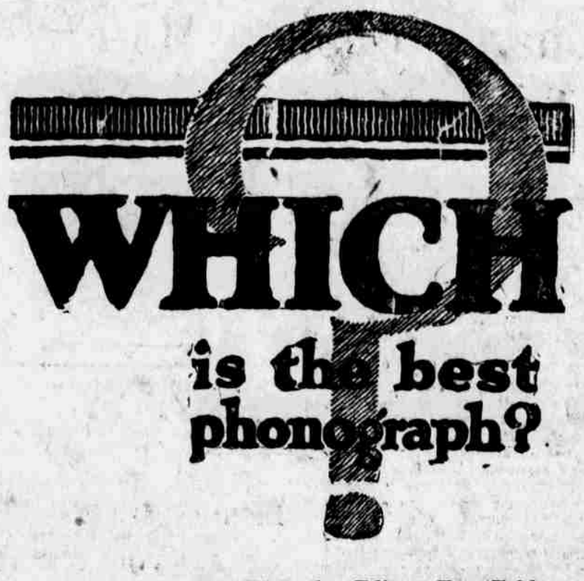

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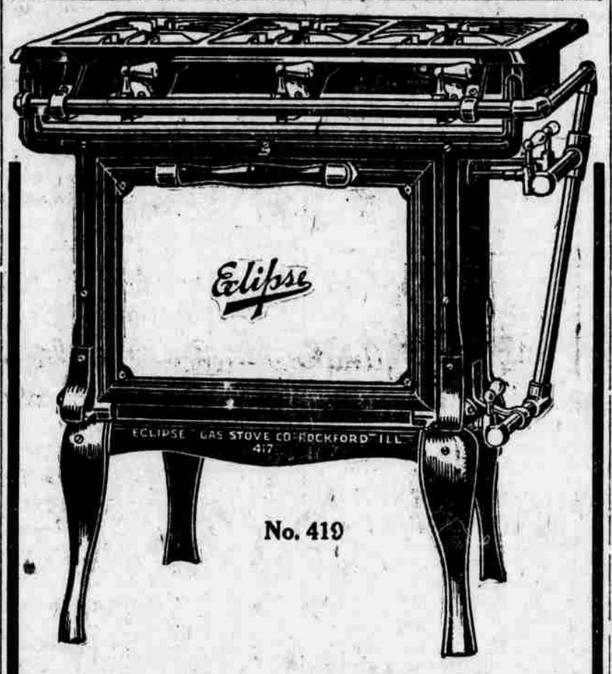

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