

Supplement.

ATTORNEY FORREST

Expatriates on the Unreliability of Circumstantial Evidence.

AN INGENIOUS PRESENTATION

Of the Arguments for the Defense—He Predicts the Acquittal of Beggs—No Conspiracy in Camp 20 Proven—If There Was No Conspiracy None of the Prisoners Are Guilty.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—In the Cronin trial Attorney Forrest resumed his address to the jury. He said:

"Now, gentlemen, I want in all seriousness to ask a few questions. Suppose that the accident of ordering the new men to clear that sewer had not occurred until after the trial, don't you know that in every speech urged by these distinguished orators you would have been told that Martin Barke was guilty, because he sent Dr. Cronin's clothes over the sea? Ask yourself if that argument had been made to me, and those clothes had not been discovered, would not I have given it weight? Cannot you learn, gentlemen, from that simple fact some lessons? You can learn that these gentlemen that have been studying this case for six months are no safer guides than we are.

Beggs Must Be Acquitted.

Mr. Forrest went on to say that the jury would be forced under Mr. Foster's argument to acquit Beggs. The acquittal of Beggs was equivalent to saying that there was no conspiracy in Camp 20; there being no conspiracy the case of course falls to the ground and the acquittal of the other defendants follows as a logical consequence. So they must look elsewhere, and it was not difficult to find twelve men who had some sort of connection with the murder outside of Camp 20. Simonds was one of them and eleven others were unknown.

Clan-na-Gael Factions.

He admitted that there was a peculiar combination of circumstances against his clients, and showed how it was to the financial interest of some of the principal witnesses for the state—Dinan, and the Carlsons—to show that it was a white horse that took Dr. Cronin away, and it was in the Carlson cottage that he was killed. Dinan is receiving \$100 a week from a dime museum manager where the horse is on exhibition and the Carlsons are making money fast by charging an admission fee to the cottage. "Now, there is another circumstance," he went on. "It is proven that the Clan-na-Gael throughout the United States is divided into two wings. One wing of the clan sits in the prisoners dock and the other wing sits in the witness seat. How does the wing that sits in the witness chair, and which envelops this entire prosecution—how does that wing feel toward my clients, and the wing to which its side belongs?"

The Cause of Death.

Mr. Forrest then went into the cause of death, arguing that from the testimony given it was not known. The evidence of Mrs. Hoertel, he declared, was hideous in its absurdity. Take for instance the wounds found on the head of the dead man. Not one of the wounds caused a scratch on the skull, and yet Mrs. Hoertel swore that when she passed the cottage that night that she heard the sound of blows. "Blows she heard through the door from her place on the sidewalk, and yet no scratch on the skull," shouted the attorney.

Looks Better for Beggs.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Mr. Foster concluded his speech in behalf of Beggs, and Mr. Forrest spent the greater part of Saturday afternoon in an analysis of the efforts of Messrs. Ingham and Hynes. He said he wished to compare the sophistries of these gentlemen with the truth seeking of Messrs. Wing and Foster.

It is not to be denied that Mr. Foster's speech has done Beggs good, for the ex-senior guardian handled his case most adroitly and was particularly clever in impressing upon the jury that notwithstanding its claims the state had not shown definitely that a secret committee had been really appointed by Beggs to try Cronin or any one else.

A JERSEY JACK THE RIPPER.

A Woman at Millville Murdered and Horribly Mutilated.

MILLVILLE, N. J., Dec. 7.—The body of Mrs. Annie Borden, colored, was found shockingly mutilated in her house here. The floor was covered with blood and there was every evidence of a terrible struggle. The woman was covered with blood and her clothing was almost wholly torn from her person and hung in saturated tatters.

Medical examination revealed the fact that the woman had been outrageously assaulted and in a manner rarely recorded, her murderer having ripped open her abdomen with a knife and committed acts that sound like descriptions of "Jack the Ripper's" work.

The police arrested John Knox, who had been seen to hurriedly leave Mrs. Borden's house. Blood had been noticed on his hands and coat. He accounted for the blood by saying that he had cut his hands. The evidence against him is strong and he was committed to jail.

Burned on a Steamship Dock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The North river pier at the foot of King street, occupied by the National Steamship Company, was burned over and four men lost their lives in a vain effort to save life and property, while twelve more were more or less seriously injured in like endeavors. The victims are James Barry, George Booker, Nicholas Johnson, James Whalen, all employed on the pier.

Whittier's Birthday.

BOSTON, Dec. 10.—The 82d anniversary of the birth of the poet Whittier is near at hand. Owing to the delicate condition of Mr. Whittier's health it has been deemed advisable to request his friends to allow the occasion to pass as quiet as possible. The aged poet is not able to receive callers nor to answer letters, much as he would like to do so.

Mr. Randall's Condition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The report placed in circulation that the condition of Representative Randall had become dangerous was emphatically denied at Mr. Randall's house. Miss Randall told a reporter of the United Press that Mr. Randall was very much better.

Thomas D. Messler, comptroller and vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad company, who was attacked with congestion last July, has fully recovered and is attending to business as usual.

The petition of the depositors of the Lawrence bank, asking for the dismissal of the assignee and the appointment of a receiver, has been refused by Judge Stowe, at Pittsburg, on the ground of illegality.

James DeLong, residing near Topton, Pa., was engaged in cutting down a large oak tree when it fell upon him, fracturing his skull and causing internal injuries. He almost bled to death before help came. His recovery is doubtful.

Secretary Blaine, having recovered from his recent attack of lumbago, resumed his duties at the state department.

A call has been issued for a meeting of miners of western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, northern Illinois, Indiana and Ohio to bring about a general movement for the advancement of wages during the coming year.

President Corbin and the board of managers of the Reading railroad began an inspection of the collieries of the Reading Coal and Iron company.

Speaker Reed has appointed Amos L. Allen, of Maine, as his private secretary.

During the period from January to October 82,000 Germans emigrated to America.

At the Baptist convention at Sharon, Mercer county, a temporary organization was effected for northwestern Pennsylvania. A permanent organization for the entire western part of the state will probably be effected at a meeting in Pittsburg in January.

Henry M. Stanley arrived at Zanzibar.

Theodore Roosevelt replied to criticisms of the civil service commission in a lengthy letter to Lucius B. Swift, of Indianapolis.

United States Consul Diller, at Florence, reports that horse meat is largely used in the composition of Bologna sausages exported to this country.

The Chinese troops suffered a severe defeat from the savages in South Formosa, 300 or 400 of them having been killed.

The American solar eclipse expedition arrived at St. Paul de Loanda.

Count Emil de Keratry, of France, was entertained at a breakfast in New York, which lasted all of Saturday afternoon by authors, publishers and artists who favor an international copyright league.

Dom Pedro arrived in Lisbon in good spirits.

Egypt is now threatened with incursion by 30,000 Bedouins who have hitherto maintained an inoffensive attitude. The cause of the present movement is the refusal of the Egyptian government to grant certain tribal claims in regard to land.

William McNamara, a Troy, N. Y., lineman, received a shock of 1,000 volts from an electric wire and will recover.

Lewis Dockstader, the wandering minstrel, is ill at Parkersburg, Pa. He promises to return to New York and face his creditors.

Several thousand dollars of the fund for Mrs. Jefferson Davis has already been raised in Atlanta.

"The Gondoliers," Gilbert and Sullivan's new opera, is a pronounced success in London.

At Easton Mrs. Dillard was sentenced to be hanged as an accessory to the murder of her husband at Beersville, Sept. 6.

The deadlock in Montana remains as on the first day of the sessions of the dual legislature.

Chief Williamson, of the English detective force, is dead.

Mr. Parnell is ill.

Jane Dobson, colored, died in Providence at the reported age of 113.

Claus Spreckles' new sugar refinery at Philadelphia began operations.

Postmaster Van Cott was elected president of the New York Players' Baseball club.

The committee on census reported to the senate with a favorable recommendation the nomination of Robert P. Porter to be superintendent of the census.

Killed by Electricity.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Another death by contact with electric light wires occurred yesterday strongly resembling in its details the horrible killing of Lineman Feeks some weeks ago. Peter Clausen was the victim.

Miners to Consolidate.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 10.—The movement looking to a consolidation of the National Progressive Union and District Assembly No. 735, Knights of Labor, the rival organizations of miners, has taken definite shape.

THE MARKETS.

Prices on the Stock, Produce and Petroleum Exchanges.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—The market was steady. Pennsylvania was rather dull. Reading was firm, and the bonds were steady. Lehigh Valley and Lehigh Navigation were dull and steady. The Northern Pacifics were strong. There was good buying of St. Paul.

Following were the closing bids:
 Lehigh Valley... 53 1/2 Reading 4. m. 4c. 99
 N. Pac. com... 33 1/2 Reading 1st pf. 5c. 78 1/2
 N. Pac. pf. 76 1/2 Reading 2d pf. 5c. 57 1/2
 Pennsylvania... 53 Reading 3d pf. 5c. 47 1/2
 Reading... 20 1-16 H. and B. T. com. —
 Lehigh Nav. 53 H. and B. T. pf. —
 St. Paul... 69 W. N. Y. and P. 7 1/2

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—State and western flour quiet and steady; low extras, \$2.35@2.55; city mills, \$4.25@4.40; city mills patents, \$4.65@5.50.
 Wheat—No. 2 red, December, advanced 1/2c. and January 1/4c. on covering; others easy and quiet; December, \$1.05@1.10; January, \$1.04@1.08; February, \$1.03@1.06; March, \$1.02@1.05; April, \$1.01@1.04; May, \$1.00@1.03; 15-16c.; June, \$1.00@1.03.
 Corn—No. 2 is quiet; 1/2@3/4c. higher and firm; mixed western, \$1.04@1.06.
 Oats—No. 2 is easier and quiet; state, 29@30c.; western, 28@30c.
 Beef—Strong; plate, \$7.75@8.25; extra mess, \$7.50.
 Pork—Strong and quiet; mess, \$10.50@11.25; extra prime, \$9.75@10.00.
 Lard—Firm and quiet at \$6.57 1/2.
 Eggs—Easy and quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 22@30c.; western, 22c.; Canadian, 24@25c.; limed, 17@18 1/2c.
 Spirits Turpentine—Quiet and steady; 45@45 1/2c.

The Oil Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—Oil opened at \$1.07 1/2 and closed at \$1.06 1/2.
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 PITTSBURGH, Dec. 9.—Petroleum rather dull. Market opened at \$1.04 1/2, declined to \$1.04 and reacted to \$1.03 1/2 at noon.

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