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Special to The Observer.

Asheville, July 11.-The trial of Rev. W. G. Whitaker, charged with using the malls for fraudulent purouses, moved along slowly this morning before Judge Newman in United States District Court. After the recall jurors who, it is alleged, had failed to dress of a couple of witnesses and the examination of another court took a re- grand jury resided in Wilkes county. cess at 12 o'clock until Monday morntify in the case is Mr. Harold W. Veney, an employe or official of the Bank of England, Mr. Vesey has been son. brought across the waters to tell what he knows, if anything, about all those millions of dollars in the Bank of England belonging to the Whitaker heirs, which Rev. W. G. Whitaker has been talking and, incidentally writing, about.

The monotony of the hearing was broken at times this morning by Virginia, and William J. Bryan was flashes of wit of counsel and humor- healed this afternoon, when the two time when a witness was reciting how | made mutual pledges. Whitaker had told him of his visit to from Denver with the Virginia delega-London and how, in passing through the Bank of England, he had seen all the money there and how they were just scraping it up with shovels and the station. dumping it into wheelbarrows, there was much suppressed laughter while entire party out to his house. Sena-Judge Newman was forced to smile, for Daniel and Mr. Bryan walking Even Whitaker, occupying a chair arm in arm. just behind his counsel, Mr. Thomas Settle, failed to suppress a broad smile. One of the witnesses intimated that at first he was skeptical of tween the Virginians and you was Whitaker and that he told Whitaker 'settled when the gavel fell, bringing Lambert, of New York, who is his when he paid over his \$10, "Now you to a close the Denver 'convention guest over Sunday, accompanied him. know if you are perpetrating a fraud From that moment every Democrat in This utterance also created some merriment.

. HUMOR OUT OF WITNESSES.

One witness, Mrs. Rogers, a lady of some years with a motherly expression and a sweet smile, testified that she had signed an affidavit that ecute her claim and that further she had signed a paper conferring upon his assistance Whitaker the power of attorney. She said that she believed Whitaker sincere and in response to a question from Mr. Settle said that she still believed that the Rev. Mr. Whilaker was sincere. "On what do you hase this belief?

queried District Attorney Holton. "Well," replied the witness, "be

cause he worked so hard " "He got your \$10, didn't he?" came back the district attorney with just a shade of disgust in his voice. The witness with some abashment admitted that that was no.

One of the witnesses testified that when he hald Mr. Whitaker his \$10. Whitaker figured out that the witness and his family's share of Capt. John Philadelphia. Pa., July 11.--Mayor Whitaker's millions would amount to John E. Reyburn, of this city, through

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knoll overlooking Long Island Sound one in Forsyth and one in Guilford. It when the hearing will be resum- is also understood that two of these in the Underhill burying ground, the Among the witnesses here to tes- grand jurors have died since the re- monument is a shaft of granite surturn of the bill of indictment against mounted by a bronze ball, on which is Messrs. Breese, Penland and Dicker- perched an eagle with wings extended, At its base is the grave of Captain Underhill, where for more than two BRYAN AND DANIEL MAKE UP. hundred years it has remained un-

ers of the Present Time.

marked. Virginia Senator Meets the Nebraskan Captain Underhill died at Matineand the Old Wound Between Them is Healed-Will Carry the State For ock in 1697, at the age of 75 years, and as a mark of respect and esteem the Underhill Society of America erect-Lincoln, Neb., July 11 -The old

ed this monument. of PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT SPEAKS. Captain Underhill was third on the ous declarations of witnesses. At one met at Fairview, shook hands and earliest minute book of Boston, was Governor of Exeter and Dover, New Hampshire, was one of the eight men Senator Daniel was coming through in the first Governor's Council of New Amsterdam and was prominent in the ed Mr. Bryan that they would like Legislatures of Boston, New Haven, to see the presidential candidate at and Hempstead. After he brought the Poquot war

Mr. Bryan met them and took the to a successful close he settled on Long Island.

President Roosevelt left his home at Arriving at Fairview, Senator Dan-Sagamore Hill in an automobile and made a quick trip to the grounds, armade a short talk, in which he riving there at 4 p. m. His remarks were short and in half an hour he was his way back. Dr. Alexander on.

In paying tribute to the memory of on these people they won't leave a Virginia was for Bryan, and we will captain Underhill President Roosevelt carry the State for you this fall." spoke in part as follows: Mr. Bryan was much pleased at the

"Now is there is one lesson that we sentiments expressed by the Senator, here in America have continually to "We expected to carry Virginia; we always have carried Virginia and we one-ness; our substantial unity as a appreciate what the Senator from that people and one of the ways to exem-State has so well said And, further-more, we will undoubtedly wish to call gathering as this. If the family has the most distinguished speaker been long enough in the land, why you she was a Whitaker heir and also that of that State to assist the party in will find its representatives in every she had paid the parson \$10 to pros- neighboring States, and I know now walk of life; you will find them filling that we will not ask aim in vain for all kinds of occupations; you will find them as capitalists and wage workers, Then the Virginians warmed up and

farmers, mechanics, professional men, verything; and the essential point to remember is that each one is entitled to the fullest and heartlest respect if he does his duty well in the position in fe in which he happens to find him-

If. That is sound American doctrine. EQUALITY OF OPPORTUNITY. cervining that can be done by law or Physics.

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Underhill Society of America Dedicates Monument to Captain John Under-hill, a Brave Soldier in the Poquot Indian War-President Boosevelt Delivers the Address and Pays a Beautiful Tribute to the Memory of Captain Underhill-Every Man Should Get What Belongs to Him by Rights, But No Man Should Be Coddled-Raps the Socialistic Writ-

136,000 each and that "they would A. S. L. Shields, his counsel, institut-certainly get the money within six or twelve months." A. Van Valkenburg, editor and president of

Whitaker's trial is attracting considerable interest. Some of the "heirs" who "contributed" to Whitaker are still standing by him. Whitaker posed here and elsewhere as the during the last two years. "representative" of the Capt. John Whitaker estate, alleging that there Van Valkenburg's counsel of the acwere millions of dollars in England tion taken and fixed next Tuesday for awalting the heirs and that he was a hearing of the charges before a trying to secure this money for the magistrate. The warrant was obtained upon an heirs. affidavit charging false and malicious

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

News of a fatal accident occurring late yesterday afternoon in the Fairview section of Buncombe county. twelve miles from Asheville, was received here this morning. Coroner Morris left during the forenoon for the scene of the accident to investigate and, if necessary, hold an inquest. According to a telephone message received by Deputy Sheriff Wil-Hams Judson Hill was shot and killed. accidentally, it was stated, by Mrs. Weldon. While only meagre particu-

lars of the affair were obtainable it seems that Hill handed a weapon to Mrs. Weldon with the request that she hold it while he went for some cartridges or shells. It was at the

instant that the weapon was passing atone," said Mayor Reyburn this af-Weldon, or just after she had taken the gun that it was in some manner discharged, the charge of lead striking Hill and resulting in his death. STILL ANOTHER POSTPONEMENT

The hearing in the First National Bank of Asheville cases has again been postponed. When United States District Court convened this morning with Messrs, Breese, Penland and Dickenson, the three defendant bank officials, in attendance, District Attorney Holton arose and stated to the court that late yesterday afternoon he had been handed affidavits or copies of affidavits relative to the cases tending to show that four of the grand jurors sitting on the grand jury that found the indictment at Greenshoro more than ten years ago were disqualified by reason of the fact that they had failed to pay their taxes. Mr. Holton said that he had had time to investigate these affidavits or to examine witnesses relative to them. He said that it would be necessary for the government to ascertain before it proceeded further as to the correctness of the allegations that certain grand jurors were disqualified. He asked that time be given the government to have witnesses here from Wilkes, Forsyth and Guilford, the three counties where the four alleged dis-qualified jurors resided at the time of the finding of the indictment.

Judge Charles A. Moore, for the defense, said that while it was the desire of the defense to proceed with the hearing as rapidly as possible, he would agree to a continuance if, after the district attorney had investigated and decided to prosecute the case, the defense would be granted time to examine the books of the In reply to a question from Newman it was stated that books were in Charlotte. Districk Attorney Holton said that he had

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Very properly we in this country set out faces against privilege. Counsel for the mayor notified Mr "There can be no grosser example of privilege than that set before us as an deal by certain socialistic writers-the deal that every man shall put into the

ommon fund what he can, which would mean what he chose, and should publication in The North American of take out whatever he wanted; in other certain articles and cartoons "contain- words, this theory is that the man who is victous, foolish, a drag on the whole community, who contributes less than his share to the common good, should infamy, contempt and disgrave." Those named in the warrants benot carned; that he shall rob his neighbor of what that neighbor has earned. This particular



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