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HOW THE JURORS FIND THE VERDICT

Sometimes It Is Very Elusive—Some Queer Experiences in the Jury Room.

SOME EAGER TO SERVE OTHERS TO ESCAPE IT

Reasonless Reasons for Insisting Upon a Certain Verdict—A Leader Is Always Developed.

Although there are regulations governing the selection of jurors, there are certain unexplained things which have more to do with the making up of juries than the regulations. Some men seem to have a knack for getting chosen on a jury, either the fortune or the misfortune; you will see men who act on juries at nearly every term of the court, it seems, and you will see others that have never been asked to serve, and freeholders at that, men whom you would think might make ideal jurors.

It is interesting to hear those who do have this knack tell of their experiences in the jury room, of the stubbornness of some, of the unreasonable of others, of the unfairness of still others, of the debates, the quarrels among jurors who cannot, or will not, see things in the same light. They tell of staying on one case a week or more and of the fatigue and wearisomeness of the proceedings, forced to sit and listen to things in which they naturally have no interest, probably only the judge an sympathizer with them.

"Professional Jurors." There are many men who try to get on the jury. In some of the country districts there are men who make most of their spending money in this way. In these cases the choosing of the juror is said to be the result of political preferment, although this may not be true.

It is laughable to watch the twists and turns that some busy business men will go through in order to get off the jury. They will do almost anything except tell a downright falsehood to escape. In tight places some might even do that. And these busy business men are not chosen as often as they should be, perhaps they are too intelligent.

In the Jury Room. The doings in the jury room are not always sealed chapters, by any means, although there seems to be a popular idea that it is dangerous to ask a juror anything about what is done. It is not, frequently they will not tell you, but it is not dangerous to ask them, if you want to know.

In the jury room leaders develop, just as they do elsewhere, who direct things, in a way, and insist that some decision be made; the leader is not always the foreman, not by any means.

If you can get one of these to talk, which is very doubtful, he will tell some very interesting things, and you will be impressed with the fact that some mighty little things result in determining the verdict.

Reasons Why. One of these was talking the other day—not for publication—and he told of being on a jury in which a public service corporation was being sued in a personal damage case. One of the jurors wanted to give the plaintiff big damage because the juror once had a child hurt by another corporation. In another case one of the jurors wanted to find a verdict for the plaintiff because the plaintiff needed the money.

This man stated that he did not mind arguing with a juror as long as he was open to argument, or even as long as he would talk, but he said that when the juror refused to talk, it was very trying; and he told of a juror in a case where all the rest of the jurors had come to the same decision and this particular man would not agree with them. Nor would he give his reasons, he just didn't see it that way and that was all there was to it, and he didn't seem to care when he was released; he was bent on giving the plaintiff damage and every time any one of the others would try to get him to talk about the case he shut up like a clam. Then he would get another of the jurors off in a corner and begin to talk about cattle or crops. It took severe measures to make this man come to an agreement.

He told of another who, without waiting to find out how the others stood, but taking it for granted that they would be against him, which they were, entered the jury room, pulled off his coat, which he used for a pillow, and without saying a word about the case lay down, shut his eyes and commended himself to Morpheus. It is needless to state that he got very little rest.

One of these jurors can talk all day about his experiences and they will all be interesting.

Amusements.

"The Gamblers." Charles Klein's latest play, "The Gamblers," the triumphant dramatic offering of this and last season will be offered at the Auditorium tonight by the Authors' Producing company, of which John Cort is president. This epoch-making play, which established a record run of over 200 performances to audiences that tested the capacity of Maxine Elliott's Theater in New York City, is credited with having made a deeper impression than any dramatic production, since



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velops and the characters he portrays are so true to life and the action so cumulative of situations that "The Gamblers" has been declared the finest and most appealing play he has yet given to the public. For its local presentation "The Gamblers" will enjoy the advantage of interpretation by one of the most carefully selected and uniformly acting organizations gathered in recent years. In the matter of scenery and properties—which are exceptionally elaborate as the action transpires in those centers of finance

and fashion, Wall street and Fifth avenue, the Authors' Producing company has left nothing to be wished for.

TELEGRAPHERS RAISED

Norfolk & Western Grants Wage Increase—Southern's Operators Taking Strike Vote.

Roanoke, Va., Oct. 6.—It was announced that the telegraphers on the Norfolk & Western system will be granted an increase in wages this being the result of a conference which has been in progress for ten days between the representatives of the men and the officials of the company. The working regulations were amicably

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adjusted. The amount of the increase to be made has not been given out. The telegraphers on the Baltimore and Ohio and the Southern railroads now are taking a strike vote having failed to reach an agreement with the officials of those lines.

EXPULSION FAILED BROKER

W. J. Yancey, Formerly a Wealthy Cotton Man Ousted from Exchange.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 6.—W. J. Yancey, formerly a wealthy cotton broker and member of the defunct spot cotton firm of Knight, Yancey & Co. of Decatur, Ala., was expelled yesterday from membership by the New Orleans cotton exchange.

Notice of Yancey's expulsion was posted on the floor of the exchange. The alleged irregularities of the firm

of Knight, Yancey & Co. came to light a little more than a year ago and several members of the firm and others connected with the alleged frauds are awaiting trial.

The notice of expulsion states that Yancey was guilty of violation of article 8 of the constitution of the exchange. The specific charge which the expulsion was based upon was not given.

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BAPTISTS UNITE

Work in the Home and Foreign Mission Fields is Merged.

Boston, Oct. 6.—The long-discussed union between the Baptist and Free Baptist denominations was financially consummated, in so far as their home and foreign missionary work is concerned, at a largely attended public meeting here last night.

Legal documents were signed and the funds of the general conference of Free Baptists transferred to the American Baptist Foreign Mission society and the American Baptist Home Mission society.

Chaloner's Deposition Sensational.

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 6.—Sensational charges against friends—and members of his own family—the Chaloners of New York, marked the continuation of John Armstrong Chaloner's deposition in his suit for the recovery of \$1,500,000, held for him, by a court's committee in New York on the ground that he is insane.

Chaloner declared that his relatives had him committed to Bloomingdale asylum because they had learned that he had ignored his brothers and sis-

ters in his will and because he had in his possession facts that would be very damaging to Lewis M. Rutherford and others.

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Philadelphia	79	69 .541
St. Louis	73	72 .507
Cincinnati	68	4 .456
Brooklyn	59	82 .419
Boston	40	106 .274

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Philadelphia	100	60 .667
Detroit	88	63 .567
Cleveland	79	71 .523
St. Paul	75	69 .521
Pittsburg	74	74 .507
New York	76	75 .503
Washington	64	88 .421
St. Louis	42	104 .289