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IDAHO'S VAMPIRE RECALLED TODAY

Orchard the First Witness on the Stand

ADAMS THE PROBLEM

What to Do With This Man is the Question That Befuddles the Brains of the State...

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Boise, Idaho, June 18.—Harry Orchard was the first witness today in the Steunenberg murder trial.

Orchard was taken to Caldwell yesterday, where his case was postponed for the term of court.

Orchard was in conference with Detective McPartland and Prosecutors Hawley and Borah in Hawley's office last night.

Adams a Puzzle. The state is still undecided, says Senator Borah, about calling Steve Adams against Haywood.

The state is not sure how far Judge Wood will permit it to go in forcing Adams to testify...

So far the corroborative evidence has simply established that Orchard was in certain places where crimes were committed.

The defense scoffs at any likelihood of another sensational witness. It is not likely that the state will close before the end of the week...

Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone and their wives are certain now that the state will not make out a case. While Orchard was recanting his original testimony...

The Haywood jury is subjected to a surveillance such as no jury in the west ever before experienced.

Interview With Counsel. Talking with a representative of The Evening Times this afternoon, Attorney J. N. Holding, of counsel for Dr. and Mrs. Rowland...

THE EXAMINATION OF ORCHARD

Boise, Idaho, June 18.—Just before Orchard was called today "Jap" Nichols, former sheriff of Canyon county, produced a copy of the unsigned letter the state claims Pettibone wrote to Orchard after the latter was arrested.

When Orchard was called, Richardson began asking impeaching questions. Orchard was asked if he did not in June or July, 1905, tell Max Mallich, at Denver, that he would kill Steunenberg if he swung twenty-four hours after.

"Did you not say to ex-Attorney General Engley, of Colorado, that you would fix Steunenberg?"

"No, sir."

"Did you not say to Lottie Day in the Belmont lodging house at Denver that you would kill Steunenberg?"

"No, sir."

"Did you say to Dr. J. S. McGees, of (Continued on Fifth Page.)"

BOTH ROWLANDS' LOCKED IN JAIL

Coroner's Jury Recommends That They be Held

FURTHER TESTIMONY

Evidence at the Afternoon Session. Talk of Habeas Corpus Proceedings—Council Refuses to Allow Visitors to See Prisoners—Case to Go Before July Court.

The jury which heard the testimony of witnesses yesterday concerning the death of the late Engineer Charles R. Strange, last night rendered its verdict, recommending that both Dr. D. S. Rowland and Mrs. Rowland be held for the action of the grand jury at the next session of Wake superior court, beginning July 8.

The result of the inquest was not an entire surprise to many who have taken an interest in this most extraordinary case, although the opinion that evidence sufficient to convict the Rowlands of murder will be difficult to obtain.

The outcome of the case will be awaited anxiously, and will show that the persons now held in jail are either the victims of most unfortunate circumstances, or are guilty of one of the most awful, cold-blooded crimes known in North Carolina.

Witnesses told of seeing Dr. Rowland make a hypodermic injection into Strange's arm on the morning of his death, and of Mrs. Strange's refusal to allow Dr. Rowland a short time afterwards, to insert anything into her own arm.

There was some talk about the possibility of an application from the Rowland counsel for a writ of habeas corpus for release on bond, although no action has yet been taken along that line.

Talking with a representative of The Evening Times this afternoon, Attorney J. N. Holding, of counsel for Dr. and Mrs. Rowland, stated that it was not certain that a writ of habeas corpus would be resorted to; that the July term of Wake Superior Court, beginning on the 8th proximo, is so near at hand that the game of habeas corpus might not be worth the candle.

"We prefer an early disposition of the case finally," said Mr. Holding, "and we believe we can get that by an acquittal at the July term of court. If we can get the case tried and disposed of and the accused liberated through an acquittal within the next month, as we believe we can, it will be better for defendants and counsel for us to address ourselves in the meantime entirely to that end, and not worry through a habeas corpus proceeding."

Mr. Holding referred to the fact that the hearing yesterday was so far apart and defendants had no opportunity to disprove any of the testimony or to even cross-examine a witness.

Referring to certain parts of the evidence, Mr. Holding said the defendants would be able to thoroughly refute (Continued on Page Seven.)

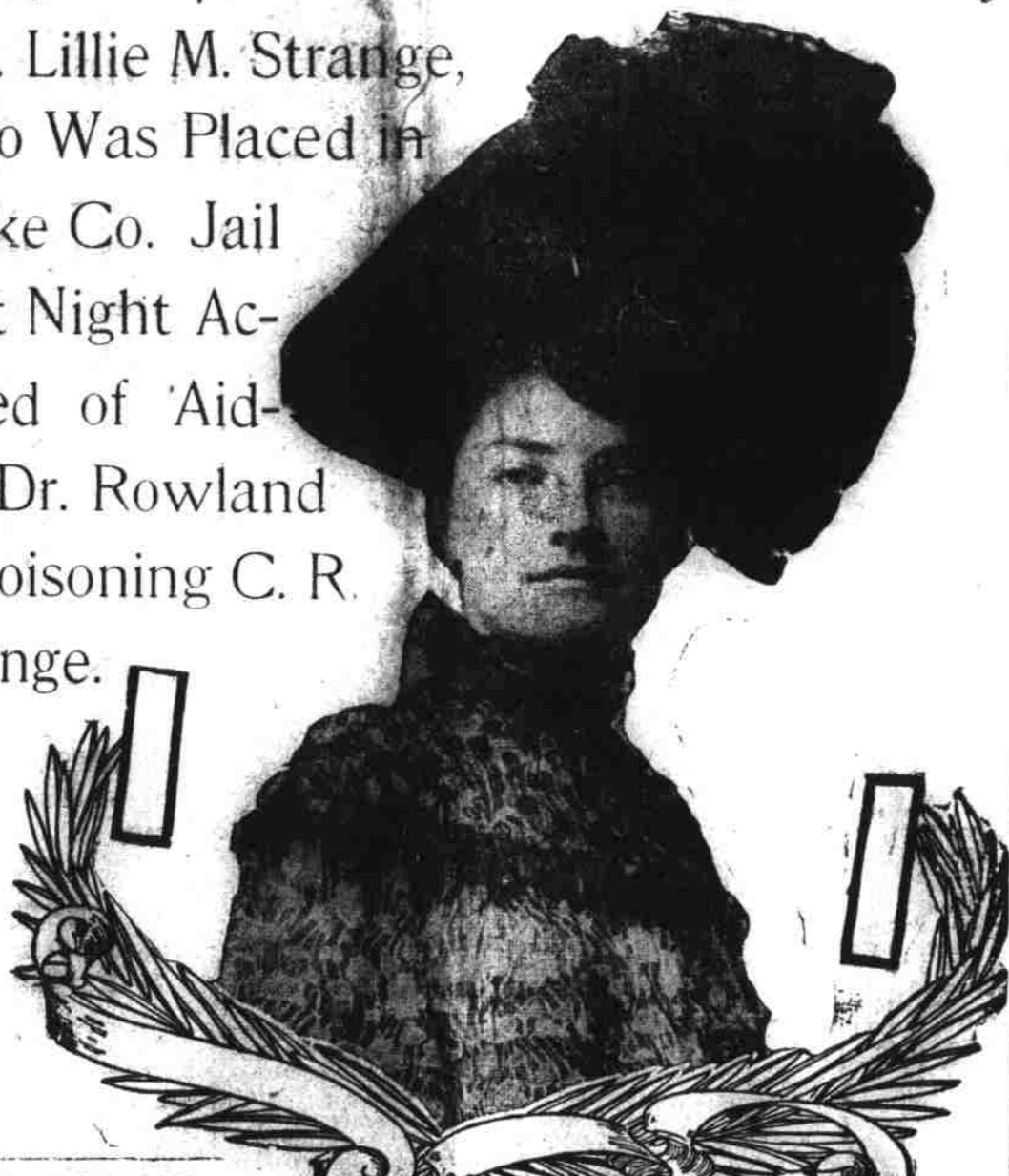
Pretty Mrs. David S. Rowland, Formerly

Mrs. Lillie M. Strange, Who Was Placed in

Wake Co. Jail

Last Night Ac-

cused of Aid- ing Dr. Rowland in Poisoning C. R. Strange.



BOYCE BELL IS IN THE TOILS

Charged With Aiding and Abetting Franc Jones

HE IS NOW UNDER BOND

Five Thousand Dollars Ball for His Appearance at December Term of Federal Court in Charlotte—Franc Jones Leaves for Atlanta Prison. Case of Foyville.

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Bell is charged with aiding and abetting Jones in embelzing the bank's funds. Bell was given a preliminary hearing this morning before United States Commissioner Cobb and was required to give \$5,000 ball for his appearance at the December term of the federal court here.

Franc H. Jones was carried to the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., this morning at 10:10 to begin his six years term. The case of Percy Foyville on a charge of complicity will be tried at Greensboro, N. C. at the October term of the federal court. He is out on \$10,000 bond.

A NEGRO KILLED BY HIGH POINT POLICE

(Special to The Evening Times.) High Point, N. C., June 18.—There is much excitement here over the report that Oscar Kearns, a negro, was shot by Officer Sechrist of this place. The policeman admits shooting a negro gambler Sunday near the place where Kearns' body was found yesterday and said that Chief of Police Grey had also done some shooting.

THAW IS TO SELECT COUNSEL THIS WEEK.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, June 18.—During the present week, Harry K. Thaw, will select counsel to represent him during his second trial for the killing of Stanford White on the Madison Square Garden roof, a year ago. Thaw will not have Delphin Michael DeLmas as his leading counsel.

MRS. DUFRECHE SUBMITS PROOF

Marriage License, Letters and Photographs

AND ALSO OTHER PROOF

Mrs. Dufreche, Claiming to Be Silent Smith's Daughter, Lives With Her Invalid Husband and Three Children in Dire Penury in a Mean Tenement in New Orleans.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New Orleans, La., June 18.—Mrs. Sarah Ann Smith Dufreche, who claims to be a daughter of James Henry (Silent) Smith, exhibited today two letters written by James Henry Smith to her mother, Ellen Gargan Smith, acknowledging Mrs. Smith as his wife and asking after the welfare of the "baby," meaning Mrs. Dufreche.

The letters are addressed to "My dear wife," and conclude with "Yours truly, Husband." The letters referred to are the parents of Patrick Flynn and William A. Flynn, with whom Smith and his bride boarded in New Orleans when Mrs. Dufreche was born.

Mrs. Dufreche holds many letters as evidence in her suit to obtain one-third of the fortune of \$27,000,000 left by "Silent" Smith. She has also the original marriage license used in the ceremony that united her mother and Smith.

Mrs. Dufreche is the wife of Simon Dufreche, a hopeless invalid, and lives in a mean little tenement at 324 North Diamond street. She has three children, a girl of nineteen, a boy of thirteen, and another seven years. The family is in destitute circumstances.

CHARLES CHEEK DEAD ON TRACK

(Special to The Evening Times.) Greensboro, N. C., June 18.—Charles Cheek, 42 years of age, was found dead this morning on the railroad track, two miles east of here, near Holt's Chapel, with his skull crushed and one hand severed.

It is supposed that he was killed by a train. The remains were taken to Burlington, his former home, for interment. Coroner Turner thought an inquest unnecessary.

NEW YORK CENTRAL LIMITED WRECKED

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Columbus, Ohio, June 18.—The New York Central Limited, the fastest train between Cleveland and Cincinnati, ran into an open switch near here this morning while going at the rate of seventy miles an hour.

Mrs. Hyndman, wife of Dr. Hyndman, New York. Mrs. Elizabeth Lowry, Cleveland. Joseph Mahaffey, Cleveland. J. C. Kreegan, Cleveland. H. L. Leed, Mansfield, Ohio.

Mrs. Hyndman was thrown against the back of the seat in front of her, striking her head. Her glasses were broken and cut her face and one eye so badly that she will lose its sight.

(Special to The Evening Times.) High Point, N. C., June 18.—Officer Sechrist denies that his shot struck the negro. He says he shot only to frighten.

CRASH OF WRECK STARTLES SYLVIA

Flagman Leaps But Goes to His Death

FRANTIC WOMAN'S ACT

Spings From Platform of Coach Before Swiftly Approaching Engine. Her Leg is Severed and She Receives Other Serious Injuries, But She May Possibly Recover.

(Special to The Evening Times.) Asheville, N. C., June 18.—There was a wreck on the Murphy branch of the Southern Railway at Sylva at about 6 o'clock last night. No. 13, a passenger train running from Asheville to Murphy, was standing near the station when the engine of an extra freight crashed into the rear end of the train. The flagman on the freight engine, seeing the coming collision, jumped, but landed on his head, receiving injuries from which he died a few hours later.

COMER DRAWS THE FIRE OF BANKHEAD

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Montgomery, Ala., June 18.—In a signed exclusive statement, former Congressman Bankhead today avowed Governor Comer's vitriolic declaration that the democratic primaries overstepped their constitutional ethical bounds in naming alternative senators from Alabama. The statement is in positive terms, and in it Bankhead asserts that he expects the legislature of Alabama to elect him senator at the expiration of his appointive term.

THE JURY FINDS A VERDICT OF GUILTY

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, Ga., June 18.—The jury in the John B. Cain murder case, after being out all night, returned a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to the mercy of the court. Judge Holden will not pass sentence until this afternoon. Cain shot and killed John Bix at Ficklen, April 28, in the presence of a young lady with whom he was talking at the time.

MISS GILES' REPORT ON THE COTTON CROP.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, June 18.—Miss Giles today issued a report on the cotton crop which made the average condition of the growing plant 83.7, compared with 83.4 on May 25 and 84.3 on June, 1906. The report says: "Taking the agricultural bureau's revised average of last year as a comparison for this year, an increase of 1.4 per cent or 12,476,000 acres is shown."

Portrait of Engineer C. R. Strange, with text: BOYCE BELL IS IN THE TOILS. Charged With Aiding and Abetting Franc Jones. HE IS NOW UNDER BOND. Five Thousand Dollars Ball for His Appearance at December Term of Federal Court in Charlotte—Franc Jones Leaves for Atlanta Prison. Case of Foyville. (By Leased Wire to The Times.) Charlotte, N. C., June 18.—The confession of Franc H. Jones, the embelzer in which he implicated Boyce Bell, former bucket shop man, but now a farmer of this county, caused a great sensation. Bell is charged with aiding and abetting Jones in embelzing the bank's funds. Bell was given a preliminary hearing this morning before United States Commissioner Cobb and was required to give \$5,000 ball for his appearance at the December term of the federal court here. Franc H. Jones was carried to the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., this morning at 10:10 to begin his six years term. The case of Percy Foyville on a charge of complicity will be tried at Greensboro, N. C. at the October term of the federal court. He is out on \$10,000 bond.

ODESSA IS THUNDEROUS WITH EXPLODING BOMBS

Prison Swarming With Men, Women and Children Arrested by Police. MUZZLE FIXED UPON THE LIBERAL PRESS

The Growl of a Political Volcano is in the Air, and Russia Waits in Breathless Suspense for the Explosion Which May Sweep Away Forever the Throne of the Autocrat and the Power of the Beau-rocracy.

(By Cable to The Times.) St. Petersburg, June 18.—Disorder and terrorism are steadily increasing in Odessa as a result of the dissolution of the duma. Bombs are exploding almost continuously and many people have been killed. In Odessa the news of the dissolution of the duma and the cease-pro-

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