

PRISONER TURNS STATES EVIDENCE

Claims Sugar Taken From Car Was Hidden Under Dock. Case Continued.

After all the evidence of the state was in, the case against Harry Bernstein and D. Goldfine, charged with the theft of 13 sacks of sugar from a carload in the terminal tracks was continued in municipal court until 2 p. m. today by Acting Judge French. In the meantime the bonds upon which they were released when arrested several weeks ago were continued.

Assistant District Attorney McKay, who appeared as prosecutor, called four witnesses. Detective McDonald related details as to the recovery of the sugar alleged to have been stolen by the defendants and as to their arrest. He said that the 13 sacks of sugar had been found at the food store of Dorf & Arnovich, where it had been sold, by the defendants, it was alleged.

Gust Nelson of Twohy-Elmon's told of opening the car containing the shipment of sugar and finding it short, with evidences that it had been tampered with since leaving the factory. I. Dorf of Dorf & Arnovich told of the purchase of the sugar from the accused, they having brought it to the witness' store on Sunday, July 17, early in the morning. He claimed that Goldfine had pretended to have bought out a camp.

Carl Berquist, now in jail awaiting trial on the charge of the theft of several tons of iron from the Duluth Iron & Metal company, testified in regard to the theft of the sugar, turning state's evidence, admitting that he had been mixed in the affair and that the sugar after being taken from the car had been hidden under the platform of an adjoining dock near the Twohy-Elmon wholesale house on St. Louis bay. From here he claimed it was taken by Goldfine and Bernstein and delivered to the purchasers.