

made a protracted but vain effort to secure from Mr. Lloyd a complete list of the "Rice" cases according to his promise. About this time, however, there were sent to me eighteen "Rice" cases that were regarded by me as so superior for purposes of investigation to any in my possession that I opened the investigation with these cases.

This declaration was made at Dorkins' oyster and clam house on Warner Street, where Frank Rice and Samuel W. Pattison took probably about 200 declarations. Virgil Dorkins (see my general report of even date herewith) testifies that he never knew of a man being sworn during the many visits to his house by these two men. The claimant is uncertain as to what happened at Dorkins', while Aaron Lott, identifying witness, is positive that neither he nor Lloyd