

B. & O. company. It is claimed that he was intoxicated when the attempt was made, which might account partially for the willingness with which he was led into it.

With Isaac Sarff it is different. His face is one not altogether unknown to the officers. He is a man about 38 years old, and has a face toughened and hardened by exposure. To a SHIELD reporter this morning Detective Rankin said that in all his 35 years' experience he had never run across such a thoroughly criminal face as Sarff's. Mr. Rankin is of the opinion that he has the picture of this man among his "gallery" at home and he intends to look up Sarff's pedigree.

Sarff was not put off the train with the others on last Friday evening. He paid his fare from Butler to Bellville on train 3. His motive could hardly have been one of spite against the B. & O. company.

It is the opinion of Detective Rankin that the attempted wrecking was purely a financial affair with Sarff; that he induced, and was the ringleader of, those who made the attempt.

At Bellville the feeling in the matter is at fever heat. Campbell has been a resident of the village for some time and for the past two years Sarff has resided there with his wife and two children. The people of Bellville know nothing about him. Even the marshal of the village did not know his name. He was known as a man who made periodical trips out of town and came back with money and good clothes, although he had no apparent means of support.

The attempted wrecking was a dastardly deed and only now, as the details of the affair are being brought to light, can it be fully realized what a narrow escape the limited train and its passengers had on last Friday night. "Behind-time" was all that saved it. It is the expression heard on every side that no punishment is too severe for those connected with the deed.

There are still others yet to be placed under arrest and it is to be hoped that the guilty ones will get the full extent of the law.

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"NOT GUILTY,"

**Said Campbell When Arraigned
This Morning.**

BOUND OVER TO COURT.

Isaac Sarff, Another Bellville Man Arrested on the Same Charge, Will be Given a Preliminary Hearing* August 20th—Other Arrests to be Made.

James Campbell, who was arrested at Bellville last Monday for attempting to wreck a B. & O. train near Bellville, as has been detailed in these columns, was arraigned before 'Squire Smith this morning. He pleading not guilty to the charge preferred and waived examination. The bond for his appearance at the next term of Common Court was fixed at \$1,000, which he failed to give, and he was lodged in the county jail to await his trial.

Isaac Sarff, of Bellville, who was arrested in this city yesterday afternoon by Detective Rankin, was arraigned before 'Squire Smith on the same charge, to which he pleaded not guilty. He demanded a hearing and his case was continued to 1:30 o'clock, August 20th. His bond was fixed at \$1,000, which he was unable to give. He was taken to the city prison.

Much excitement exists in the village of Bellville over the attempted wrecking of the limited vestibule on last Friday night from the fact that the men under arrest are residents of that place. Campbell is a young man and, though not having one of the best of reputations, has never been known to have been connected with any criminal offense of a serious nature. The attempted wrecking, with him, it appears, was prompted purely out of a feeling of spite against the