

# LEO FRANK'S FATE MAY BE DECIDED BY MONDAY NIGHT

**Solicitor Dorsey Is Expected  
to Complete His Address to  
Jury During Morning Ses-  
sion of Court.**

## **MANY FRIENDS VISIT FRANK IN THE TOWER**

**Judge Has Intimated That  
He Will Be Ready to Re-  
ceive Verdict at Any Time  
of Day or Night.**

By 11 o'clock this morning—and per-  
haps earlier—Solicitor Hugh Dorsey  
will have finished his address in the  
case of Leo M. Frank, charged with  
the murder of Mary Phagan, and Judge  
Roan will begin charging the jury.

In a talk with a Constitution re-  
porter last night Mr. Dorsey intimat-  
ed that the final summing up of his  
argument would not take two hours,  
and that it probably would not last  
much longer than one. He intimated  
that by 11 o'clock the judge would be  
well under way in his charge.

With two more hours added to the  
already record-breaking speech of the  
solicitor, it will establish a mark that  
many declare will not be excelled in  
years to come. Mr. Dorsey has al-  
ready spoken over six hours.

Because of exhaustion, resulting  
from his speech of over four hours  
Saturday afternoon, the solicitor spent  
a quiet Sunday, getting ready for the  
end of his argument today.

### **Rosser at Warm Springs.**

Luther Z. Rosser, senior attorney for  
the defense, spent Sunday and Sunday  
night in Warm Springs and Woodbury,  
which he visited with his wife. At  
Warm Springs during the day, he was  
besieged by a host of admirers.

Leo Frank spent a typical Sunday  
in jail. Throughout the day his cell  
was a mecca for callers. His wife and  
mother came late in the afternoon, re-  
maining with him for considerable  
while. On these trips, he is permitted  
to see them in the jailer's dining  
room on the first floor.

He read the papers bearing on the  
progress of his trial, and, according  
to attaches of the prison, appeared un-  
affected by the terrific strain of the  
trial. Frank, his jailers say, has not  
suffered a single day of illness since  
his imprisonment.

It is predicted that the jury will re-  
tire this afternoon between 3 and 4  
o'clock. The regular noon recess will  
be observed. The judge will charge the  
jury on the law in the case, and then  
there will be no developments until  
a verdict is reached.

### **When Will Verdict Be?**

It is a matter of wide speculation  
over the time in which the jury will  
require to render a verdict. Many pre-  
dict it will not be returned tonight,  
while others expect it as early as  
midnight, if not before.

Following the charge the twelve  
men retire to the jury room in the  
courthouse. A hat ballot is cast, each  
man indicating his decision of "guilt,"  
"innocent" or "doubt." Then a fore-  
man is elected.

A foreman selected, the jurymen be-  
gin their arguments. Each man is  
permitted to present his individual  
views of the case. If much time is  
required the foreman, from time to  
time, will be called into the court-  
room to announce to the court the  
progress of his body.

Judge Roan has already announced  
that he will be in readiness to receive  
the verdict at any time it is reached.

### **Quiet Day for Jurors.**

Sunday was a quiet day for the  
jurors. An extra detachment of  
balliffs and deputies stood guard over  
their quarters in the Kimball house  
and no outsider was permitted within  
hearing distance.

At 8 o'clock the twelve men were  
taken on their daily constitutional  
through side streets of the uptown  
district, returning shortly before 9  
o'clock.

Police reserves from both the head-  
quarters and county departments will  
be detailed to the courthouse today.