## NO WOMEN TO SEE ACTRESS ON TRIAL

Nan Patterson Personally Directs the Selection of Jurors by the Defense.

THREE PICKED FOR BOX

District Attorney Jerome Charges That the Smiths Were Kept Away From New York Court by Counsel.

NEW YORK, April 18.-The third trial of Nan Patterson, charged with the murder of Caesar Young in a cab in this city last Summer, was begun in the Court of General Sessions before Recorder Goff today. There were 200 talesmen in et for selection in the special panel and three of them had been accepted as jurors when the case was adjourned untomorrow. The three men are: Lovell M. Aldrich, an ice dealer, 48 years old; John H. Splint, a tes and coffee merchant, 65 years, and Julius Goldstone, &

silk manufacturer, 38 years old. The former actress personally directed the selection of the jurors by the defense. Five talesmen were rejected before the first juror, Aldrich, was accepted. A large crowd witnessed the proceedings. Counsel for each side was allowed 30 challenges. The task of completing the jury will be resumed tomorrow morning.

Under an order of Recorder Goff no oman spectators will be allowed at the

#### Charges Made by Jerome.

In the same court earlier in the day, before Judge Foster, District Attorney Jerome charged that J. Morgan Smith and his wife were, by advice of counsel, kept out of the jurisdiction of the New York court. Mr. Jerome said he would produce the evidence on which he based this if the court desired. The court allowed Mr. Limburger, counsel for the Smiths, until tomorrow to make his re

Mr. Limburger then conferred with Nan Patterson's attorneys. He gave District Attorney Jerome a copy of an affidavit he filed yesterday with Justice Gaynor, asking the Justice to order the District Attorney and Mr. Rand, his assistant, to appear tomorrow before him and under oath state just what papers and documents in the Smith case the District Attorney's office had gained possession of, whether they still retain such property, or whether they have caused it to be destroyed or sent out of their custody and control

#### Limburger Heard Over Telephone.

Mr. Limburger's affidavit recites a teleconversation which he had with Mr. Rand regarding the package of doc-Rand relinquished to him yesterday. Mr. Limburger said he found that there were no letters in that package and one letter particularly, written in Cincinnati, is missing. He asked Mr. Rand if he had that and other letters."

"I have obeyed the order of the court and turned over everything in my pos-session," he said Mr. Rand replied, and that he declined to tell him anything

The District Attorney and Mr. Rand will appear before Justice Gaynor tomorrow to argue their motion for a modification of the court's original order directing them to turn over all the letters to Mr. Limburger.

SRULL FLATTENED BULLET.

#### Jealous Singer First Fatally Wounds a Chorus Girl.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18 .- Because she intended leaving the theatrical company of which both were members, Edward Smedes today shot Bessie Helen Davis, at a theatrical hotel where they were both staying, inflict-ing a probably fatal wound near the heart, and then attempted to kill himself. The bullet flatened against his skull, and he was not much hurt.

The couple were members of the chorus in "The School Girl" company of which Edna May is the star, The woman is known on the stage as Bessie Dale. She is 13 years old, and her home is in Hebron, Neb. Smedes' home, it is believed, is in Vicksburg,

#### Intimidation of Witnesses.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 18.-A sensa-Hergis, charged with murder, when Sher-iff Wilkerson reported to the court that certain friends of Hargis were endeavorto intimidate and abuse the witnesses the state. The court commended Wilkerson and warned the men against persisting in the attempt.

#### Cigarcite Papers Bring a Fine.

MUNCIE Ind., April 18 -- A young man was fined \$25 and costs today in the Po-lice Court on the charge of having cig-arette papers on his person. This is the first penalty assessed in Indiana since the anti-cigarette bill became effective.

#### Gullty on Nine Counts.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 18.—Earl W. ard, ex-president of the Medina National Bank, was tonight found guilty on nine counts of misappropriating the funds of the bank and making a false report to Controller of the Currency

Hoch's Trial Is Today.

CHICAGO, April 18 .- The trial of Johan Hoch for the alleged murder of one of his many wives. Mrs. Marie Walcker-Hoch, will begin tomorrow before Judge Kersten, in the Criminal

#### REACHING OUT FOR LABOR

South Carolina Is Bidding for Surplus New York City Population.

or capital, and the state is seeing that they are safe. We are likewise offering good lands cheaply to those looking for homes, and offering employment to agri-ultural laborers, servants and the like in positions wherein they will have opportu-

nity to save their earnings and in a few years become independent. "I believe we are solving one of the great economic problems of the country in a peaceful and desirable solution of the negro problem, and assisting the General Government to avoid many of the vexatious questions accompanying the great influx of foreigners, which has become a menace to the large centers of population."

#### CAPITAL STOCK CUT DOWN

Northern Securities Files New Arti-

cles at Trenton. TRENTON, N. J., April 18.-The North-

ern Securities Company today filed with the Secretary of State articles providing for the reduction of its capital stock from \$285,400,000 to \$3,954,000. The new capital is just 1 per cent of the original outstanding capital. Accompanying the papers and as a part thereof is a resolution of the board of directors of the company providing for the reduction of the capital stock and the giving to the stockholders of stock of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern Company in return for the surrender of 99 per cent of their holdings of the stock of the Northern Securi-ties Company. It is provided that for each share of stock of the Northern Securities Company of the par value of \$100 each, the stockholders shall receive stock of the Northern Pacific Railroad of the par value of \$29.27, and stock of the Great Northern Railroad of the par value of \$30.17.

The certificate sets out the resolution adopted by the board of directors on April 21, 1904, providing for the reduction of the capital stock and the distribution of the stock of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern rallways, two of the surren dered stocks of the Northern Securities

This is really the final distribution that was attacked in the courts by E. H. Harriman, the suit finally terminating in a
victory for J. J. Hill and the interests
which he represents. The New Jersey
corporation laws provide that increase or
decrease of capital stock must have the
the superintendent to show cause why consent of the holders of two-thirds of the company's outstanding stock. Ac-companying the certificate filed today is the consent of the holders of stock aggregating \$294,474,000

Among those who have given their consent and the number of shares held by each are: James J. Hill, 28,600 shares; J. S. Kennedy, 252,701; Right Hon. Lord Strathcona, 148,500; Moore & Schley, 78,-710; Albert Smith, 50,645; J. W. Sterling, 4,865; Charles A. Ellis, 35,250; Right Hon. Lord Mount Stephen, 21,250; Sarmuel H. Lord Mount Stephen, 31.39; Samuel H. Miller, 31.38; J. W. Sterling, trustee.

#### Control Is Made Difficult.

NEW YORK, April 18.—General read-justment in the personnel of the North-western railroad directorates concerned in the Northern Securities dissolution is seen to take place, according to the Times. This is understood to have been found necessary in order to comply with the decision of the Supreme Court, under which it is believed that one man canno he a director in two parallel and compet-ing railroad companies.

This discovery upsets one of the working methods of the "community-of-inter-est" plan in which practically the same board of directors controlled a large number of systems, and, while it is not be-lieved that the decision will do away with this idea altogether, financiers say it will make the control of such boards of directors much more difficult.

One of the first changes scheduled to take place will be in the board of the Northern Pacific Railroad at the annual meeting May is next. This will be the first meeting held by the stockholders of that road in two years and a half, because of the injunction preventing the votice of the article half, by the Northern voting of the stock held by the Northern

The Hill interests are said to make no secret of their intention not to re-elect E. H. Herriman, and the latter interests admit that they expect that Mr. Harri-man will fall of re-election. It is said that the views held by Mr. Hill are also now maintained by the Rockefeller interests, and that for this reason there will

board memberships.

If the decision of the Western interests is carried farther there may be a rear-rangement of the directors of many of the Eastern railroads which are competitors, and whose boards are composed of practically the same men.

All this, of course, will not necessarily mean the end of the community of interest idea, but that the old plan of having boards of directors as nearly identical as possible will have to be abandoned.

### Steel Mill for China.

NEW YORK, April 18.-Important contracts have been closed for American equipment of the first steel mill to be built in China, and for Japanese steel wire-drawing, rollingmill and blast furnace plants. A Cleveland, O., company secured the contract through its New York offices. The work entells an expenditure of upward

of \$3,000,000. The company which is to build a plant in the vicinity of Shanghai, has ordered a lot of machinery, including an electrically-operated furnace charging equipment. The contract for the Japanese steel wire-drawing mill is the first of its description ever let in the Far East. Another Japanese contract calls for all the machinery necessary to go in a large rolling mill and blast furnace to be built in connection with the government arsenal at Kure.

### Soufriere Is Quiescent.

NEW YORK, April 18.-No activity has NEW YORK, April 18.—No activity has been manifested by the Souriere volcano in the last 24 hours, cables the Herald's St. Vincent correspondent. It is believed that the volcano has entered upon another period of quiet. Reports from Fort de France, Martinique, say that Mount Pelce, which on April 12 and 14 showed signs of renewed activity, has again become quiet. again become quiet,

#### Crude Oil Is Reduced.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 18.-The Standard Oil Company made another reduction in the price on all grades of crude oil. The higher grades were dropped 2 cents and the lower grades

License Carries in South Dakota.

PIERRE, S. D., April 18.—Elections were held in a majority of the cities and towns of South Dakota today. The question of license or no license was the esue. License carried in more than two thirds of the cities and towns, generally by a decisive majority.

#### A Most Excellent Remedy for Whooping

NEW YORK, April 18.—An office has been established here by the State of South Carolina for the purpose of obtaining its share of this city's surplus labor, ing its share of this city's surplus labor, of immigration, formally opened the head-quarters.

"We are looking not alone to the re-habilitation of agriculture in South Carolina" he said. "but to the broader minaring her said. He agent a plant to the said of his renewal interest."

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Senator Brackett Afraid of Equitable Bill's Death.

DEBATE LASTS ALL DAY

Superintendent Hendricks Shows That Policy-Holders Cannot Be Made Stockholders Under Present Charter.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 18.-An allday debate in the Senate chamber to investigate charges against the Equitable Life Assurance Society and the return of Superintendent Hendricks, who, for the first time since the Equitable investi gation began, talked on that topic with anything approaching freedom, brought the affairs of that corporation into sen-

ational notice today. The subject came before the Senate in the form of a resolution introduced by Senator Brackett to take from the in-surance committee his bill to fascilitate policyholders suits' accountings. Being unable to get a favorable report on this measure, Senator Brackett secured change to voice his views by putting in this resolution and having it made a special order of debate for this morn-The resolution was defeated by a

rote of 36 to 7. While Superintendent Hendricks clined to forecast when his investigation would be completed, he said that the next action on the amended charter of th

When asked concerning the reports that there is some dissatisfaction because two representatives of the policyholders have not been added to the executive commit tee in accordance with the alleged agree-ment, Superintendent Hendricks replied: "I will answer that question by say-ing that the charter of the company now requires the members of the executive committee to be stockholders of the com-pany. How could policyholders be made members of that company before the amended charter approved, as required by

IN SESSION SIX HOURS.

#### Equitable General Agents Resolve on Appeal to Legislature.

NEW YORK, April 18.—After a sea-sion at the Hotel Savoy lasting for nearly six hours today, aside from short recesses, the 200 odd managing agents of the Equitable Life Assurance Society from all over the United States adopted resolutions late this afternoon asking the New York State Legislature to "exercise its plenary power by en-acting an amendment to the society's charter," this amendment to give the policy-holders admission to the directo-

rate of the society.

The resolutions also provide that a committee, consisting of one manager in every state of the Union, and one from Canada, together with the man ager in New York, should be named to visit Governor Higgins and Superintensigned from the Board some time ago because be believed it illegal for one man to sit as a director of competing lines. finally adjourn.

Today's sessions were replete with developments. Several sets of resolutions were adopted. President Alexan-der made a brief speech. Vice-President Hyde followed him and in the course of his remarks referred to the sale by Sec-ond Vice-President Tarbell of the latin the near future be many changes in ter's interest in the renewal account of board memberships. sharp retort from Mr. Tarbell. Then all three officers left the meeting and the agents devoted their time to discussion behind closed doors. At 5:30 this even-ing the agents adjourned to meet again

morrow morning.
The first set of resolutions declared that the agents ple lged their "unqualifled support" to President Alexander and expressed their "entire confidence that the president will continue unfal-teringly and finish the work of mutualthat he has so courageously begun.

There was no reference in any of the

resolutions to Mr. Hyde. Resolutions were adopted by the agents giving their "unqualified ap-proval of the firm stand taken by Vice-President Tarbell in his support of the president on the mutualization issue." The Tarbell resolution was introduced y E. A. Woods, of Pittsburg. The Frick committee of investigation

was commended in another resolution The meeting of metropolitan man-agers was abandoned by resolution and the resolutions declared that the funds in the surplus reserve of the company belong to the policy-holders. This, in brief, is a summary of the day's proceedings, which began shortly before

Soon after the meeting opened Mr. Alexander made an address and was followed by Mr. Hyde and Mr. Tarbell. The talk of all was confined strictly to the admonition that all concerned should work from now on for the best interests of the

When Mr. Hyde arose to speak he was hissed by a general agent of the society, who was said to be the leader in last night's movement to engage Joseph H. Choste, now American Ambassador to Great Britain, to conduct an investigation on behalf of the agents into the society's affairs. Mr. Hyde remarked that any such reception really was a compilment, and proceeded with what he had to say. He said if he had done anything wrong, financially or otherwise, or had participated in any wrongdoing by others, he should be "kicked out," and if any other officers of the society had been guilty of wrongdoing they should be When Mr. Hyde arose to speak he was guilty of wrongdoing they should be thrown into the street. Mr. Hyde, Vice-President Tarbell and

President Alexander left soon after Mr. Hyde finished his address to the agents. As he was leaving the hotel Mr. Hyde said he would not return again to any conference of the agents unless he was sent for, in which event he would be very glad to respond.

In the course of his address to the

agents, Mr. Hyde referred to the sale by Second Vice-President Tarbell of the latter's interest in his renewal account, and remarked that he hoped "no agent would be called upon to sell his (the agent's) renewal interest." Mr. Tarbell followed Mr. Hyde and

terests, but I will never be called upon to put any money back into the treasury of the society."

This declaration was greeted with

President Alexander, in his address. resident Alexander, in his address, stated he did not consider the occasion a proper one to make any mention of the subject of investigations by any committee, or to talk about personal matters. It was improper, he said. matters. It was improper, he said, that any personal controversy should have taken place in the matter.

"I fully realize," he said, "that you gentlemen are responsible for bringing the Equitable its enormous surplus of \$50,900,000 and its assets of more than \$400,000,000. I want you to know that your interests will be safeguarded. I would shed my heart's blood to protect you and your inter-

blood to protect you and your inter-exts. We realize that this is a very difficult work, but hope that we can make it easier before long."
A short recess was taken. Thereafter there was a long discussion, resulting in the adoption of the resolutions here-tofore referred to Before today's meetings began every one of the agents was given credentials and none of the score or more of newspaper representatives were allowed in the hall. Third Vice-President Wilson did not atten!

It was announced tonight that tomorrow's meeting of agents will be for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization. Other action may be taken but nothing definite was given out as to this tonight. As far as known there was no formal gathering of the dele-gates here for today's assemblage this evening, although informal conferences may have been held.

After the seasions foday the three of-ficers declined to discuss the situation,

#### Protective Committee at Boston.

BOSTON, April 2-A large number of the large policy-holders of the Equitable Large Assurance Society in New England have formed a projective committee, of which William Whitman, a leading manu-facturer, is chairman. The purpose of facturer, is chairman. The purpose of the committee is set forth in a state-

ent which is in part as follows:
"The dissensions among the officers of the Equitable Life Assurance Society and the disclosures incident thereto make it desirable that the New England policyholders shall act together for the purpos of advising themselves fully of the present condition and future developments o the company's affairs and for taking such further action, if any, as may appear to be necessary for their protection."

#### Western Oll Is Reduced

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., April 18 --The price of Western oll was reduced 5 cents a barrel today to 61 cents for high grace and 55 cents a barrel for each half degree under 32 degrees gravity. makes the price of fuel oil in Kansas 21 cents a barrel. It is the general opinion of the oll men in this district that the price of high-grade oil will go to 20 cents a barrel unless drilling is suspended. It is estimated that the Western field is now capable of producing 50,000 barrels a day, while there is a market for anly 8000 barrels.

#### Contracts on Panama Roads.

NEW YORK, April 18 .- Sessions of the Panama Canal Commission and Panama Railway directors were held today, and a contract for 2500 tons of steel rails to double track the road across the Isthmus was awarded. Plans for the retirement of the steamship company's piers at Colon were approved.

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#### EASTER THE REAL SEASON OPENING The Actual Beginning of Spring's Reign

In Millinery's Court Annex—Second Floor.

Formal openings and informal showings of the new season's millinery beauties are over. Now comes the genuine rush in the Bijou Millinery Salons in that busy hive of elegance and industry—the Second Floor Annex. It's the real beginning of the season. Our previous displays have given you an idea of what you want for wear on Easter Sunday—and after. We are spiendidly ready to serve you with the newest and best that the authoritative style centers of the two continents offer, and supply you at the fairest prices known to any store in Portland. Our immense assortments are elaborate and yet practical, as all who have visited the Millinery Salons since the openings can testify. It is in the expert selection that our strong hold upon public favor relies. We have the best selected millinery in the entire West. Not alone in the higher grade reaching from \$16 up to \$25 and along up to \$56, but also in the popular-priced creations that leave the \$1.49 post to jog along by easy price stages to meet the \$10.00 exquisite. It is from the latter class we pick an example today and offer it at a price specially reduced for Wednesday patrons. For today only we shall offer Ladies' Smart In Millinery's Court Annex-Second Floor.

#### Ready-to-wear Hats Worth \$3.00 for 98c

The brisk selling of this class of hats for the past month has naturally resulted in leaving a number of twos and threes and single hats from lots nearly sold out. We've collected these into one grand offering for tomorrow, values up to \$3.00 are included, the equal in style and prettiness of any hats in the store of equal price. Sallors and turbans are embraced in the gathering. Values that start at \$1.49 and touch at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$2.00. Today

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\$4.00 make at \$2.50 TAN OXFORDS FOR \$2.30 Tan. Genuine Russian Calf Oxford Ties, medium shads: very much in vogue this season—Regular value \$3.00 and \$3.50; special, pair \$2.30 WOMEN'S \$3.50 PATENT COLT OXFORDS \$2.30 Patent Colt Blucher Oxfords; dull matt kid top; stylish welt soles; for street wear—Regular value \$3.50; special, pair \$2.20 MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S \$2.50 SHOES \$1.49

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