

OFFICIALS OF BANK BELIEVED INDICTED

Federal Grand Jury Returns Secret Indictments at Moscow.

F. W. KETTENBACH IS GONE

President of Institution Leaves Town—More Indictments Being Drawn to Be Returned Later.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Nov. 18.—(Special.)—The federal grand jury, which has been investigating the Lawson National Bank

shortage, reported this afternoon, the first true bill being filed in the secret records of Clerk Richardson. The grand jury made only a partial report, but it is believed true bills were returned against officials or employees or former officials and former employees of the bank.

The indictments returned this afternoon were short, covering only one or two pages. Tonight the office force of the Assistant Attorney-General, Peyton Gordon, is working and it is believed indictments are being drawn which will be returned tomorrow or Saturday.

There is much curiosity to know who will be held responsible for \$137,000, but it is generally believed that F. W. Kettenbach, president, W. E. Kettenbach, ex-president, and George H. Kester, ex-cashier, will be indicted with Clarence W. Robertson, who is accused of making false reports to the Controller of the Currency. It is believed a final report will be made Saturday, but it is possible that Mr. Gordon will not be able to draw the indictments before next Monday. F. W. Kettenbach left Moscow last night but the other men suspected are all here.

YAMHILL COUNTY IS RICH Value of Assessable Property Totals Sum of \$14,527,513.

YAMHILL COUNTY, Or., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—The value of the assessable property of Yamhill County for the year 1909, as equalized by the County Board totals the sum of \$14,527,513.

All classes of property share in the increase except horses and mules, cattle, sheep and goats and swine, which have all diminished in number during the heavy sales during the year. Household furniture, etc., and money also join the livestock in a decrease from the figures as found by the Assessor last year. Following is the summary of the 1909 assessment:

GIRL GOES WITH MOTHER Aid Society Loses Custody of Hazel Bidwell in Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—Miss Hazel Bidwell, 13-year-old daughter of Mrs. S. J. Bidwell, of whom the Boys and Girls Aid Society, of Portland, sought to gain possession, was this afternoon given in charge of the mother by Judge McMaster.

Habeas corpus proceedings were brought by the mother. The judge gave it as his opinion that the Aid Society had not furnished sufficient evidence that the girl was their charge. It was asserted by the Aid Society that the society had been appointed the girl's guardian, but the mother was given possession of the girl as long as she remained in Oregon and took proper care of her. This, they asserted, she did not do. Mrs. Bidwell was notified to appear before the juvenile court of Portland and show why she had not taken proper care of the girl. She did not appear but came with her daughter to Vancouver. There the girl was arrested, and the mother then brought her suit.

AGED BOISE CITIZEN DIES James B. Morrow was Veteran of Southern War Prisons.

BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 18.—(Special.)—James Birney Morrow, one of the pioneers of Idaho, died early Sunday morning from a stroke of apoplexy at the age of 68 years. He was one of Boise's foremost citizens. Deceased was a veteran of the Civil War and distinguished himself in service there. He was held a prisoner in both the Libby and Danville prisons, suffering the untold horrors of both battles. Accompanying Senator Shoup into the west, Morrow engaged in the stock business and became one of the largest dealers in the state. The second death of that day was chronicled when A. F. Plenker, one of the prominent jewelers of this city, succumbed to a tumor on the brain. His wife, Mrs. E. Powers, and father, F. F. Plenker, reside in Portland. He was married in that city to Eleanor Lemery November 15, 1860.

LIKELY ROUTE OUTLINED Milwaukee Could Avoid Conflict by Bridging Klickitat River.

ELY, Wash., Nov. 18.—Following the announcement that the Milwaukee road was likely to build from the Ahtanum valley, in Yakima County, to the headwaters of the Big Klickitat, men who know the country hereabouts are speculating as to the probable route between the two points. It is regarded as most likely that the road would come

down the public highway and touch Lyle on the north side of Balfour's alfalfa field. Then, it is conjectured, litigation with the Goldendale branch, which would be probable for 17 miles, could be avoided by making only one crossing and bridging the Klickitat river near the Root tract, 14 miles up-river from Lyle. A sheepman who knows the country, estimates the distance from Lyle to Ahtanum by a likely railroad route as 90 miles. The descent to the Klickitat would be down Panther Creek, through dense timber. Touching the river at Lost Horse Prairie, the road would follow it through the unbroken timber to Big Muddy Creek, and thence to Lyle. Forty miles of the line, the sheepman says, would run through the Yakima Indian reservation.

WATER ORDER IS REFUSED Board of Control Declined Special Action in Powder River Cases.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—Announcement was made at the office of the State Engineer this afternoon that the application of the attorneys for the Cookingham-Thatcher interests that a definite order be made in the Powder River project, had been overruled by the Board of Control, which is still in session. Two rival corporations contend for water rights on the Powder River and the Water Board ruled recently that a contract would be made with the concern owning a contract with the Desert Land Board. Since the new water code went into

GALE DELAYS HER TRIAL FOR MURDER

Lights Go Out as Case Against Mrs. Kvalshaug's Is Argued.

HYPNOTIC THEORY JARRED Jury May Begin Deliberations This Afternoon—Women Bring Their Lunch to Keep Seats at Hearing.

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—A terrific wind which prevailed all afternoon, and which blew down the transmission power line of the Electric

WOMAN WHOSE TRIAL ON MURDER CHARGE HAS CLOSED AT TACOMA.



MRS. MARTINA KVALSHAUG.

effect application has been made for the adjudication of the water rights on about 40 streams in the state. The largest are the Umatilla and Rogue rivers. Application for the former has been virtually approved. There are now about 15,000 acres of irrigated land along the Umatilla River and from 100 to 150 persons are directly interested in the forthcoming adjudication. About 3000 are interested in the adjudication of the Rogue River rights.

Company, extinguishing all lights in the city, brought the trial of Mrs. Martina Kvalshaug, the alleged murderer, to an abrupt ending early this afternoon. Deputy Prosecutor Burmeister had just completed the arguments for the state when the courtroom was thrown into darkness, necessitating Judge Easterday adjourning until tomorrow. Attorney Frank H. Kelly will then argue for the defense, this procedure being allowed by Prosecutor John L. McMurray in the closing arguments. The case will probably go to the jury during the afternoon.

Deputy Burmeister in his opening argument attacked the hypnotic theory of the defense bitterly. He charged the defense advanced as a "nasty and vicious scheme" and laid great stress on the variance of the woman's testimony in the Newcombe case and her own. The main part of his argument was devoted to comparison of the two confessions and the rehearsing of the testimony which he said proved beyond doubt that Mrs. Kvalshaug's alleged confession was not made under threats or promises of immunity or suggestion while possibly in a hypnotic state. He pointed out how the two statements varied, and how Mrs. Kvalshaug's statement cited more details.

He argued that this was proof that he could not have suggested the statement of the woman, because he knew nothing of the details Newcombe had omitted. Great crowds gathered to hear the arguments, but only enough to fill the seats were admitted to the courtroom. The women, eager for a last chance to see the woman before the case closed, rushed into the courtroom and seized seats. Others, who were barred by officers, remained in the hallway. There were many of the women who have not missed a day of either the Newcombe or Kvalshaug trials, some taking their lunches to hold their seats. During the morning Mrs. Kvalshaug held up well under the strain. Several times, however, she wept silently when Deputy Burmeister denounced her.

DYING PAUPER, FATHER SON, LONG AGO DESERTED, TOO LATE TO SAVE HIM.

Charity Societies, Through Faraway Sources, Find Man's Relatives Nearby.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—James Morrow, aged, decrepit, a pauper, is dead at the Municipal Hospital. His death terminates a story of domestic tragedy that had its first writing 14 years ago, when he deserted his wife and child in Toronto, Canada. Beside him when he died, and holding his withered palm, was the son, now grown to manhood and well-to-do, whom he had deserted. Morrow came to Seattle penniless. He sought aid of one of the missions in the lower end of the city, and later of the charity organization society. News of his relatives in Canada was obtained by the latter society, and a letter to the postmaster of Toronto brought a letter from the old man's brother, who in turn informed the son, who lives in Tacoma. The young man came to Seattle and took charge of his father. He paid all the bills contracted by the local charity societies and took care of the man. When

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BUDS TO SAVE BAD MEN

REDONDO JUDGE HANDS BUDGETS TO PRISONERS. "Makes Them More Tractable," He Says, and Jailer Supports His Theory.

REDONDO BEACH, Cal., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—Believing that the beauty and perfume of flowers have a beneficial effect on lawbreakers, Judge Wells, of the local court, has distributed 5000 tube roses and chrysanthemums among prisoners here before him for trial this year. Ordinary prisoners get a blossom whether they are convicted or not, and when he sentences a man to prison Judge Wells hands him a bouquet. "There is a question in my mind," said Judge Wells today, "that flowers uplift men who have fallen into evil ways. The sweet fragrance of the flowers and the beauty of the blooms cheer them and give them new hope. I could cite many cases in which reform has been worked among hardened criminals solely by the flowers that they are allowed to have." Judge Wells has made arrangements with the jailer whereby each prisoner is allowed a dish of water, to keep the flowers fresh as long as possible. The jailer supports Judge Wells in his theory, and says the flowers make the prisoners more tractable.

SHOPS GO TO PENDLETON Washington-Oregon Railway Miffed by Walla Walla's Coldness.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—Because they could not get a satisfactory franchise from the City Council, the directors of the Washington-Oregon Railway Company at a meeting today decided to move their headquarters

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Grange Assembly Closes. DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 18.—The National Grange closed its annual convention here today with the administration forces in complete control. Next year's meeting will be held in Atlantic City, N. J.

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