# MRS. BROKAW IS WINNER IN SUIT

Court Grants Separation and Alimony of \$15,000 Each Year.

#### TWICE THIS SUM ASKED FOR

Woman's Intuition and Keen Wit More Than Match for Husband's Attorneys Who Fall to Secure Damaging Admissions.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 .- (Special.)-Justice Putnam, at Mineola, today granted a separation to Mrs. Mary Blair Brokaw from her husband, W. Gould Brokaw, and awarded her allmony of \$15,000 a year. The decision one of the most sensational of the "smart set" divorces in recent

Mrs. Brokaw had asked for \$30,000 alimony and it was generally believed that she would be allowed at least \$20,000. The comparatively small sum of \$15,000 was fixed by the court because of representations made by Brokaw that his fortune is not as large as is considered. popularly supposed.

Technicality Secures Separation.

Although desertion is the technical ground on which the decree is granted, the real cause of Brokaw's troubles, it developed at the trial, was Brokaw's jealousy of his wife. Brokaw, through his counsel, admitted that he was jealousy was justified by his wife's conduct. It was shown by the evidence that Mrs. Brokaw kept company with Frank Gould, Edna May, the actrees, and other persons to whom her husband objected.

Throughout the trial Mrs. Brokaw

hand objected.

Throughout the trial Mrs. Brokaw was the chief figure. She was on the stand for a long time, and during that ordeal distinguished herself by the eleverness with which she thwarted every effort of opposing counsel to pin her down to statements that were damaging to her case.

#### Woman Evades Questions.

During her cross-examination she evaded making direct answers to questions 1248 times, and to one question alone she made 67 evasive answers. One of the attorneys for the defense made an examination of the record of her testimony and drew up the follow-ing tabulation of her answers:

g thousand of her answe I don't remember, 293. I can't tell, 113. I could not tell you, 137. I don't belleve, 81. I don't know, 184.

think so, 125. believe, 198. thought, 63. won't swear, 49.

### Intuition Wins Her Much.

"She seemed to know intuitively," said the lawyer, "what cyldence was competent against her, and her originality in making her answers minimize that testimony was amazing." It was not alone in her evasions, however, that Mrs. Brokaw excited the admiration of the opposing lawyers. She had a smaler like with and leaves. She had a rapier-like wit and knew

when to use it.

The Brokaw trial was one of the longest and most sensational in the hisory of separations in the State Courts Mrs. Brokaw charged cruelty and abandonment, and for days occu-pied the witness stand, telling in detail how, as she alleged, she had been spied upon by servants at Mr. Bro-kaw's direction, while she was staying in the Brokaw residence at Great Neck, i. I., and Mr. Brokaw was at his hunt-ing lodge at High Point, N. C. Her husband had neglected her and slighted her, she claimed, and finally abandoned her. She attributed his conduct to un-reasoning and unjustifiable jealousy and

Mrs. Brokaw persistently denied that she had ever carried on flirtations or in any way given her husband cause for jealousy.

# WATER POWER SAVES WOOD

Spokane Conservator Urges President to Hurry Legislation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 .- J. J. Browne WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—J. J. Browne, of Spokane. Wash, a representative of the Western Conservation League, to-day had an interview with President Taft in which he urged the early opening of water-power sites that have been withdrawn by Secretary Ballinger and his predecessors in the Interior Department.

Mr. Browne said that the power waneeded urgently and argued that the use of the water would tend materially to conserve timber and coal now be-ing used to oreate power. President Taft siready has indicated

that he is anxious to have the law validating withdrawals of water-power sites passed at this session of Congress, saying that the laws as to the disposition of the sites could wait, if Browne urged that both measures be passed at the same time.

# HONOR GOEBEL'S MEMORY

Brother of Governor Buried as Monument Is Unveiled.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 3.—The 18th auniversary of the death of William Goe-bel, who was the central figure in one of the most stirring chapters in the lat-ter days of Kentucky's history, was ob-served today by the unveiling of a marble and bronze monument above the grave in the State Cemetery here.

Coincident with the ceremony, the body of Arthur Goebel, who devoted his life after the assassination to an effort to convict the men he believed guilty of the murder and died just after his work had ome to naught, was laid to rest beside

that of his brother.

The Kentucky General Assembly attended the dual exercises in a body. A great throng gathered around the monument. Miss Lillie Goebel, of Phoenix, Ariz, niece of the decedents, cut a cord releasing the large American flag which veiled the statue.

# WILLAPA MILLS ARE BUSY

Raymond's Output Extraordinary for Poor Lumber Year

one for the lumber interests of Washing-ton. Yet a resume of that industry for the Willapa Harbor and especially of Raymond, where the bulk of the lumber on Willapa Harbor is cut, shows a most gratifying condition. Mills here were able to make a better showing than those in almost any other section. During the last year the lumber pro-ducts of the Harbor were considerably more than \$2,500,000, and more than \$2,600,000 worth of that was cut in Ray-mond. 1843 PIONEER DIES

Almoran Hill Passes Away in Yamhill County. mond.

Gratifying as these figures are, every manufacturer in Raymond predicts greater results for next year. Every mill, it is confidently believed, will increase its output largely. Then two large plants will be running that did not parti-

LEAVES WIFE, 7 CHILDREN

Took Part in Cayuse Indian War and Was Prominent in Affairs of State, Though Never Holding Office - Charter Mason.

in-Hamilton, lumber mill; Creech Bros., lumber and lath; Raymond Lumber Company, lumber and lath; Raymond Box & Lumber Company, lumber and lath; Rill Company, lumber and lath; Willapa Lumber Company, lumber and lath; Case Shingle Company, lumber and lath; Case Shingle Company, and Coats-Larkin Company, shingles; W. Wood, baskets; Raymond Manufactur-

PRINCIPALS IN NOTED DIVORCE CASE CONCLUDED YESTERDAY



Mrs. W. Gould Brokaw and Her Attorney.

cipate to any large extent in the products of last year. These are the Clerin-Ham-ilton mill which was started only in No-

company, which is nearing completion and will manufacture fruit packages for

he year's crop. This gives Raymond the following 12

arge lumber manufacturing plants; Cler-in-Hamilton, lumber mill; Creech Bros.,

W. Gould Brokaw, Who Loses Con-tested Sult.

ing Company, doors and sash; Pacific Fruit Package Company, fruit packages.

# CRETAN CRISIS AVOIDED

ATHENS CALMS FEARS OF TURK-ISH GOVERNMENT.

British Warships Assemble to Forestall Possible Attempt to Seat Delegates to Greece.

MALTA, Feb. 3.—The British flagship uncan, flagship of Rear-Admiral Sir corge Astley Callaghan, second in com-land of the British Mediterranean fleet, with the cruisers Lancaster, Minerva and

Barham and four torpedo-destroyers, have left here for Piracus, the port of Athens, Greece.

The dispatch of the British squadron to Piracus is indicative of the determination of the interested powers—Great, Britain, Physio, France, and Italy—hi

ation of the interested powers—Great Britain, Russia. France and Italy—to assure a strict adherence to the agreement under which the international forces were withdrawn from Crete.

At that time the Cretans solemnly promised to take no steps against the sovereignty of Turkey. The recent decision of King George, of Greece, to convoke a National Assembly, was followed by reports that the Cretans would attenut to send delegates to that body. tempt to send delegates to that body. This caused uneasiness at Constantinople, and it is understood the Turkish government assured the powers protecting the

The situation was the subject of an exchange of views at London yesterday, several Ambassadors and Ministers con-ferring with Sir Edward Grey, the Brit-ish Foreign Secretary. A semi-official statement issued at Athens last night declared that the anx-

ieties excited in Turkey were groundless, and that the Assembly had been convoked precisely because its sitting would defer he date of the Parliamentary elections which otherwise might have given the Cretans an opportunity to realize their amoution to send deputies to Athens. Nevertheless, the movement of the British vessels make it clear that the powers concerned do not propose to per-mit a. 7 action threatening peace in the nor in any other way disturbing the status quo.

Greece Says Fear Is Premature.

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Official advices re-eived from Athens say that the Greek overnment protests that the disquietude among the powers is premature as the preliminary election will not be held un-til next year, and especially as this will afford ample opportunity for action in

#### CITY TO WATCH DANCERS Guynor's Park Commissioner Promises to Supersede Pitfalls.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The establishment of a series of municipal dancehalls in New York City, where young men and In New York City, where young men and women can so without being subjected to serious temptation, has been promised by Mayor Gaynor's new Park Commissioner, as the result of a report recently submitted to him by a committee on amusements for working girls, appointed by the Women's University Club. The report, following an investigation of more than 500 dancehalis in upper New York, declared that conditions in many are worse than anything that can be found in Paris.

The work for evil that is being done called associations, which are no more or less than business organizations of men, some of them with a political pull, who make this their trade. They get out flamboyant posters of their forthcoming dances and the names of the associations are in themselves a forecast of the invitations of lecontinuousless which is held out.

tions to licentiousness which is held out at every dancehall.

"A great many of the dancehalls have hotel accommodations attached, and those that have bars on the floor simply aggravate the evil. Male and female procurers make the galleries of the hall a nightly place of vantage in the pursuit of their calling."

## Salem's Invitation Accepted.

RAYMOND, Wash. Feb. 3.—(Special.)

Owing to the financial depression, the pear 1909 was not a particularly good the Capital City on that date.

plains in 1843, when 22 years old. At that time he had been married two years, and until his death he and his wife had been married the longest of any couple in the state. She still sur-

Mr. Hill wettled near Guston, in Vam nill County, on coming to Oregon and had lived there continuously to the day

or his death.

Mr. Hill was among the first to enlist in the Chyuse War of 1848. He was a vigorous exponent of everything tending to build up his community and the state, there probably being no betterknown citizen in this part of the state

His widow, now 86 years old, and seven children survive him. He was one of the three surviving charter members of Holbrook Masonic Lodge, of Forest Grove, at the time of his death. The funeral will be in charge of that order.

George H. Himes, of the Oregon Historical Society, was intimately ac-quainted with Almoran Hill. "He was too busy to run for office," said Mr.



Almoran Hill, Aged Ploneer Who

Himes last night. "He was always, however, interested in public affairs and was a vigorous defender of right. He was the kind of citizen every com-

# JAPANESE PLANT PEACHES

Graduates of Own Agricultural College Arc Experienced.

NEWBERG, Or., Feb. 2.—(Special.)— Two educated Japanese, graduates of an agricultural college in their home country, have leased 12 acres of side hill land of L. S. Otis, two miles east of Newberg, to grow peaches. They have imported dwarf trees from Japan for planting, which on account of their small growth will be set only 12 feet

apart.

The Japanese say they have tested these trees in Oregon and find they are sure bearers of fruit as large as naval oranges. The site they have selected is well protected from the rays of the early morning sun, which will be a good protection from frost. apart be a good protection from frost,

## METALWORKERS HAVE WON

Spokane Employers Agree to Closed Shop After Long Strike.

SPOKANE. Wash., Feb. 3.—(Special.)— After a two years fight, the Spokane Sheet and Metalworkers Union today won

Sheet and Metalworkers Union today won its battle for a closed shop. The 15 master tinners in the city signed the agreement and posted up the union cards, which have been turned to the wall since the inauguration of the strike.

About 25 men working in different shops will be affected by the new order and all of these will join the union at the regular meeting next Monday evening. All of the members of the union are now at work.

Supreme Court to Deliberate. SALEM, Or., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—No more cases will be set for hearing in the Supreme Court until February 25, according to Clerk Moreland, on account of the large number of cases that have already been argued and in which opinions have not yet been written.

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Leather, Silk and Elastic Belts, 29c vals. to \$1.75.

# SENATE RAPS BALLINGER

BILL TO SOLONS.

Alaska Insane Asylum Asked, Cabinet Officer Told He Encroached. Official Obeyed Taft.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Secretary Bui-inger was criticised on the floor of the Senate today for sending a communica-Senate today for sending a communica-tion to the Senate inclosing a bill pro-viding for an insane asylum in Alaska. Although Mr. Ballinger said he trans-mitted the measure in obedience to the direction of the President, Senators Hey-

direction of the President, Senators Heyburn and Bacon succeeded in obtaining annulment of reference in the bill to the committee on territories, on the ground that neither a Cabinet officer, nor even the President himself had authority to introduce a bill in the Senate.

Senator Heyburn objected to reference of the bill as a "proceeding not in conformity with any rule or privilege of the Secretary." He read the Senate rules to demonstarte that no executive official may address that body except when authorized by law or through the President. He construed the act as a virtual introduction of the bill by the Secretary.

Vice-President Sherman declared the Secretary had said he was acting for the President, and said otherwise he would have returned the communication to the ave returned the communication to the

"The Constitution allows the Executive to communicate with the Senate, but does not permit him to delegate that audoes not permit him to delegate that authority." responded the Idaho Senator.

Mr. Bacon agreed with Mr. Heyburn and added that not even the President had the right to introduce a bill in the Senate. There was only one way to accomplish that, he said, and that was through a Senator. To send the bill to committee was practically to recognize its introduction. He said there was a constant tendency on the part of the execusiant tendency on the part of the execu-tive department to encroach on the legis-lative and he thought such encroach-ment should be stopped.

# WHITMAN PLANS JUBILEE

Centenary of Birth of Dr. Eells Also to Be Observed.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Feb. 3.-(Special.) — Preparations are bein made by the trustees and overseers ( Whitman College for the fitting cele Whitman College for the fitting cele-bration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of that institution and the 100th anniversary of the birth of its founder, Cushing Eells. The cere-monies will be held at the chapel on Wednesday and Thursday, February 16 and 17. Invitations for this event are being sent out and it is planned to make this one of the biggest events of the college year.

the college year. The programme for Wednesday will begin at 8. A. M., when public services will be held in the chapel. Historical addresses as follows will be delivered: "Early Missionary Activity in the North-west," by Rev. Mr. M. A. Matthews. "The Significance of Whitman College in the Life of the Northwest," William Thomas Dovel, M. A.

At 1:30 o'clock the annual meeting of the board of overseers will be held and at 9:30 o'clock in the evening a recep-tion will be given at the residence of President S. B. L. Penrose. The meet-ing of the alumni and former students in the college chapel will be held at 10 A. M. Thursday. There will be a luncheon for overseers and invited guests at Reynolds Hall at 12:30 P. M.

ber 4, 1909. The building purchased has been used as a bank ever since its erection in 1886, first by the First National and then by the Vancouver National.

Of La Center, Mr. Smith will go to Tacoma, where he is interested in the Tacoma City Creamery. His term as Commissioner would have ended in less than a year.

# SECRETARY CHID FOR SENDING BATTLE AIDS BALLINGER

Former Partner of Secretary to Advise in Hearing.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—John J. Vertreez, of Nashville, a leader of the Tennessee bar, a Democrat and a warm personal friend of President Tart, has been asked to take charge of the case for the defense in the Ballinger-Pinchot Congressional investigation. He is now on his way to Washington to consult with Attorney-General Wickersham and officials of the Land Office. Mr. Vertrees probably will also confer with Mr. Taft. In addition to the three lawyers designated as coursel for the Interior Department, Mr. Ballinger will be assisted in an advisory capacity by Alfred Battle, of Seattle, his former law partner, who is now in this city. WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 .- John J. Ver-

### FAMILY SHARES AUTOPSY

Compromise Reached in Inquiry Concerning Professor's Death.

MONROE CITY, Mo., Feb. 3.—An autopsy was performed on the body of Professor J. T. Vaughn today, and a pathological examination will be made of the viscera. The autopsy proceeded only after a conference had been held to discuss a demand, made by attorneys for Mrs. Vaughn, that half of the stomach, liver and brain be given to her representatives. This demand was refused by Coroner Wilson, but a compromise was made whereby the examination of the organs will be made by two chemists, one selected by the state, the other by Mrs. Vaughn's family. MONROE CITY, Mo., Feb. 3 .- An

## WESTON WALKS EASTWARD

Aged Pedestrian Allows Himself 90 Days to Cross Continent.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 3.-Edward Payson Weston, the pedestrian, left Pasa-dena yesterday on a walk across the continent, which he expects to complete in 90 days. He will follow the route of the

Commissioner Smith Resigns. VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—F. C. Smith, of Ridgefield, County Commissioner from the First District, handed fils resignation to the Board this afternoon, to take effect as soon as his afternoon, to take effect as soon as his successor is appointed. The appointment, it is expected, will be made tomorrow morning by Commissioners J. G. Eddings and A. M. Blaker and Judge Donald Mo-Master. Among the names mentioned for the vacancy are James Neill and E. T. Hatch, of Ridsefield, and O. B. Aagaard,

#### WHY YOU ARE THIN; HOW TO GET FLESHY.

Gives New Method of Increasing Weight and Bounding Out the

Prescription Accomplishes Wonders.

A treatment which anyone can prepare the college chapel will be held at 10 A. M. Thursday. There will be a luncheon for overseers and invited guests at Reynolds Hall at 12:30 P. M. and at 2 P. M. will occur the dedication of the new conservatory building, with appropriate exercises.

SWITCHMEN REOPEN CASE

Mediation of Minnesota Railroad Commission Now Sought.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 3.—With a view of recogning negotiations with the railroads and having the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission act as mediator conferred with Governor Eberhardt today in regard to the switchmen's strike.

Governor Eberhardt promised to take up the subject with the Railroad Commission.

Vancouver National Bank Sells.

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# BOYS DRUNK IN CHURCH

ice in "Dry" Dayton. DAYTON, Wash., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—
While a congregation of \$00 people sat in the First Christian Church, two boys—Ora Winnett and Frank Spalinger—each aged 18, stageered into the crowded aisles and fell into a seat. Then they proceeded to make things lively. Bad whisky had been procured by Winnett in "dry" Dayton and he had induced his friend to assist him to break up the meeting.

Bad Whisky Nearly Breaks Up Serv-

meeting.

Rev. Mr. Stephens was in the midst of his sermon when the interlopers became intolcrable. He stopped speaking and appointed a delegation, of church trustees to wait on the disturbers and they were ejected. A warrant was sworn out next morning for Winneti's arrest but he had made his escape in the night. Now he is a fugilive in Oregon, flesing from two charges—giving liquer to a minor and attempting to break up a religious meeting. ow he is a fugitive in Oregon, fleeling om two charges—giving liquor to a linor and attempting to break up a regious meeting.

The boy's brother, Ira, was arrested

yesterday charged with assisting the boy to get away, but he was acquitted on account of insufficient evidence. Both Winnetts have been living on the county all Winter, although both are able-bodied, strong men. Sheriff Davis told the older brother to go to work today or he would arrest him on a vagrancy charge. Winnett promised to support his wife and children.

# SOUTH DAKOTA GETS TODD

Governor Honors Requisition for Man Charged With Forgery.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 3,-(Special.)-Governor Benson has decided to honor the requisition from the Governor of North Dakota for Walter W. Todd, wanted in North Dakota for forgery and obtaining money under false pre-

tenses.

The Governor several weeks ago declined to honor the requisition because of defects in the papers. Sheriff E. P. Olson is here and will return to North Dakota with Todd at once.

# **ANNOUNCEMENT**

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Leave	Portland	6:30	A.	M.	Arrive	Woodburn	8:05	A. M.
Leave	Portland	7:50	A.	M.	Arrive	Woodburn	9:50	A. M.
Leave	Portland	9:15	A.	M.	Arrive	Woodburn	10:30	A. M.
Leave	Portland1	1:00	A.	M.	Arrive	Woodburn	12:40	P. M.
Leave	Portland	2:00	P.	M.	Arrive	Woodburn	4:00	P. M.
Leave	Portland	3:50	P.	M.	Arrive	Woodburn	. 5:30	P. M.
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