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Resolutions Adopted in Venerable Guildhall Indorse Arbitration Move.

PARTY CHIEFS AGREEABLE

Premier Asquith and His Predecessor Balfour, Speak for Plan Suggested to Great Britain by President Taft.

LONDON, April 28.-In the venerable Guild Hall, where all the popular movements of England are launched, and with the flags of Great Britain and the deal of delay. United States entwined over their heads. Premier Asquith, the Lord Mayor of London, ex-Premier Balfour and other notables of Great Britain and her colonies today adopted resolutions pledging the city to support the move for a per-manent arbitration agreement between Great Britain and the United States, as

suggested by President Taft.

The adoption of the resolutions, which indorse not merely the arbitration of those questions which might lead to war but of all differences which might for-ever arise between the two nations, came after many speeches.

## Gathering Is Distinguished.

In his scariet robes and with his mace in his hand, the Lord Mayor sat in the center of the stage, surrounded by a group, including the Premier and expremier, leaders of the two principal political parties, the archbishop of Canterbury, the archbishop of Westminster, Lord Loreburn, the Lord High Chancellor; Lord Strathconn, High Commissioner of Canada; Sir Joseph G. Ward, Premier of New Zeeland, and other notables. Over their heads the Union Jack ables. Over their heads the Union Jack and Stars and Stripes were entwined. Mr. Asquith and Mr. Balfour spokeloquently of the treaty first proposed by President Taft, declaring that it would mark a new era in civilization. but both pointedly disclaimed that a peace pact between Great Britain and the United States providing for the submission of all differences to arbitration would mean an alliance between the

we countries.

Mr. Balfour warned his hearers, than caught. whom he said, none in the world felt more the burden of preparing for war, that the treaty would not mean the immediate reduction of armaments.

## Democracy Is Represented.

The meeting represented the democracy of England rather than the aristocracy. Among those on the platform were the Bishop of Herford, the Earl of Aherdeen, Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland. Sir George H. Reed, High Com-missioner of Australia; agents of all the other British colonies, with repre-sentatives of the banks, the rallways

and steamship companies of England.
Premier Asquith said in part:
"The profound significance of the new departure is that between Great Britain and the United States, whatever the gravity of the issue and the magnitude argument for force, and the suppression by judicial methods of the old ordeal of

bitration seemed nearer fruition at this moment than ever. Some, he said, regarded it as an idealistic dream, and balleved that when the clash of conflicting interests came all paper barriers would be swept away.

## TACOMA FEARS FOR WATER

City's Supply System Menaced, Temporary Dam Hurried.

TACOMA, Wash, April 28.—(Special.) -Tacoma's big water supply system, in course of construction on Green River. is being seriously menaced by high Commissioner Lawson, who was called to the scene of operations last night, announced today that the water had risen about two feet, necessitating hurried construction of a temporary dam to allow work on the big ntake to proceed.

The warm weather of the last few

days has caused all the small streams flowing into Green River to rise and almost everflow their banks. They are fed by the snows in the mountains, and The soil is these are rushing down in torrents and Kennewick. causing Green River, the main body of water, to rise rapidly. Commissioner Lawson expressed the opinion that by the construction of wing dams the work could proceed without a great Plant on the Columbia River, another

## JUDGE YAKEY IS QUERIED

Disbarment Proceedings in Seattle Now Proving Boomerang.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 28 .- In the disbarment trial of State Senator James W. Bryan, of Kitsap County, to-day, Superior Judge John B. Yakey, of Kitsap County, the principal witness against Bryan, admitted, under cross-examination by the Senator that he had ridden on steamboat passes and that he owned buildings at Port Orchard in which saloes were conducted. chard in which saloons were co

Bryan, who is an insurgent Republi-can and Prohibition leader, has prac-tically turned the disbarment proceedings into an investigation of Judge Yakey Judge Yakey denied indignant-ly today in answer to a question by Bryan, that he had charged his liquor bill at the Rainier Club, Seattle, to the

## Salmon Cache Seized and Sold.

STEVENSON, Wash., April 28.—(Spe STEVENSON, Wash, April 28.—(Special.)—Fish Commissioners seized 500 pounds of salmon at Butlers today, which had been cached by unidentified fishermen. They brought the fish to this city where they were sold. There is said to have been much filegal fishing in this vicinity lately, but so far none of the offenders have been

## Albany to Celebrate Fourth.

ALBANY, Or., April 28.—(Special.)—Preparatory plans for celebrating the Fourth of July in Albany this year were made at a meeting of business men last evening. A committee consisting of Owen Beam, George Roffe, R. C. Churchill, D. C. Burkhart, J. O. Lee, Clair W. Daw-son and Frank Whitaker, was named to ascertain if local business men would assure sufficient funds for a big celebra-

## Firemen Are Alleged Thieres.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 28.-Assistant hief of the Fire Department Thomas Nunan and Fireman G. E. Robb were arrested today, charged with stealing rubber boots from the Eyres' storage warehouse during last Monday's fire. Other firemen are alleged to have stolen of the insue and the magnitude warehouse during last Monday's fire. of the interests involved, whatever the warehouse during last Monday's fire. Other firemen are alleged to have stolen there will be abandonment of war as a boots, shirts and other articles, and furpossible solution and the substitution of their arrests are expected.

WASHINGTON TRACT OF 14,000 ACRES GOES FOR \$400,000.

One of Largest Realty Transactions on Record Made by Syndicate Headed by Miles C. Moore.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 28 .- (Spe cial.)-James A. Moore, president of the Western Steel Corporation yesterday closed the deal for the sale of 14,000 acres of land on the Columbia River near Whitcomb, Wash, to a syndicate of Oregon and Washington capitalists headed by Miles C. Moore, of Walla Walla. The price is given at \$400,000 and it is stated that the syndicate will store, incorporate and has raised funds with foxes. which to irrigate the tract by pumping

deal is one of the largest of record in Eastern Washington in some years. The tract is as large as the whole Kennewick trigated district. The soil is much similar to that at

Plant on the Columbia River, another plant on the Deschutes River in Oregon and plants on the Upper Yakima River in this state. The Moore syndicate will spend upward of \$500,006 this Summer in developing the property and will construct power and pumping plants on the Columbia River, using plants on the Columbia River, using electric power furnished by the Pacific Power & Light Company, which is controlled by the Electric Bond & Share Company, of New York City.

## SEATTLE CONVICTS ROBBER

Accomplice of Highwayman Ford Cries "Innocent"; Juror Replies.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 21 .- (Special.)-Axel Nist, who was with highwayman John Ford on the night of February 22 last, when the latter shot and killed Patrolman Judson P. Davis in a revolver duel on Boylston avenue near Denny Way, was today found guilty of murder in the second degree by a toru in Indeed In the second degree by a jury in Judge Gay's court. The penalty is from 10 years to life at the discretion of the

A dramatic incident followed the verdict. Nist sat within four feet of the Jury box. When he heard his fate he half rose from his chair and, with a snarl, snapped out: "You've convicted an innocent man." It was not the words but Nist's balance but Nist's baleful manner that caused Juror W. R. Tonkin to lean forward fro Juror W. R. Tonkin to lean forward from the box and, when he had fixed Nist with his eye, to say steadily: "We are all satisfied that you are guilty, guilty of that crime and more." You are

# FIRE AUTOS FREED OF TAX

Washington Also Exempts Police Patrols From License Fees.

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 28 -- (Special.)-In an opinion given to the Secretary of State by Assistant Attorney-General Lyle, it is held that automobile fire wagons and police patrols do

however all other municipal-owned machines have to be licensed and registered the same as those that are owned by private individuals.

# INDIAN GIRL IN LIFE-FIGHT

Alaskan, Charged With Killing Mother, Now Being Tried.

JUNEAU, Alaska, April 28.-The trial of Selina Dowling, the pretty half-breed Indian girl, 17 years old, who is charged with the murder of her mother, Mary Dowling, an Indian, was begun today. The girl viewed the proceedings with unconcern. Mrs. Dowling died in agony at Douglas on January 27, after eating three candlefish brought to the Dowling home by John Harris, an Indian suitor for the girl's hand. A druggist stated at the time of the traggedy that Seliffa had tried to buy poison at his store, saying she wished it to kill

The girl said she asked for the poison at the request of her father, Ed Dowling, a white man. It is the prosecution's theory that Mrs. Dowling was poisoned because she objected to Harris' attentions to Selina. Most of the witnesses called in the case are Indians. The girl is defended by able counsel.

West Selects State Fiscal Agency. SALEM, Or., April 28 .- (Special.)-Governor West today selected the National Park Bank of New York City as the fiscal agency in the metropolis for the State of Oregon. Selection of such fiscal agency by the Governor was prescribed in a bill passed at the last Legislature. Under the terms of the act this agency will be for the pay-ment of bonds and coupons issued by the state or any county, township, town, city, precinct, school district, ir-rigation district or any other muni-cipality. It will devolve on the State Treasurer or the treasurer or proper officers of any of the municipal divi-sions given above to remit to the agency in the form of a check or draft payable in New York, at least 15 days before maturity of any bonds or coupons, payable in New York City, sufficient funds for the redemption of such bonds or coupons.

Alleged Trout Dynamiters Caught. THE DALLES. Or., April 28 .- (Spe-THE DALLES, Or., April 28.—(Special.)—Deputy State Game Warden L. S. Fritz today arrested three Dalles men—Ed Baker, Harry Heebner and Jack McCowan—for alleged dynamiting a trout stream. Their preliminary hearing was held before Justice Douthit, and they were bound over under \$200 bonds to appear before the grand jury at the May term of court. grand jury at the May term of court. There has been much trespassing going on, but this is alleged to have been a flagrant violation of the fish laws, occurring on Lower Ten Mile about eight miles from town, with plenty of witnesses. The warden is after other parties who are fishing in the same way. Local sportsmen are very much opposed to any such methods of taking fish, and are willing to give the warden any aid in protecting the trout streams.

Vaccination Regulations Made.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 28 .- The regulations of the Public Health and Ma-rine Hospital Service relative to vaccination of persons departing for Alaska have been so modified that travelers suffer no inconvenience. Only persons who have been exposed to smallpox need be vaccinated. For a few days no one could even buy a ticket to Alaska unless he had been recently vaccinated not have to have licenses in Washington.

It is pointed out that such vehicles are made exempt by inference, eithough it is not so specified in the law. The opinion says that it was not such meters that the law sought to reach.

unless he had been recently vaccinated and 1000 persons were obliged to undergo the operation. Travel to Alaska is very heavy on account of a desire to descend the Yukon as soon as the lice breaks, in order to be early into the Iditared diggings, where a Spring clean-up of \$5,000,000 of gold dust is expected.

VICTIMS OF VANCOUVER BANK TO MEET MONDAY.

County to Be Asked to Provide Aid for Official in Investigation to Find Who Is Culpable.

VANCOUVER. Wash... April 28.-(Special.)-A meeting of depositors of the Commercial Bank of Vancouver, which failed December 19, 1910, has been called for Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, when the County Commissioners will be present. The Commissioners will be asked that an appropriation be made to retain a special prosecutor to assist Fred W. Tempes, County Attorney, in investigating the bank failure, to ascertain whether H. Phillips, president, and Gilbert W. Daniels, cashier, may be prosecuted

for the bank crash. Judge McMaster, of the Superior Court, says he will call a special grand fury to investigate the case if that ction is recommended by the County Attorney.

'A dividend of 10 per cent, the first to be issued, has been declared by the receiver, M. B. Kies. The dividend will be payable May I. About \$30,000 will be paid, all claims against the bank not having been approved. It will take 1000 checks to pay the dividend. The bank owes approximately \$380,000, and

JOB AWAITS BENSON, JR.

of this amount \$290,000 in claims have

Son of Late Secretary Tendered Place in Father's Old Office.

SALEM, Or., April 28.—(Special.)— mother change in the Secretary of Another change in the Secretary of State's office along the lines predicted by The Oregohian will come June 1. when C. A. Zeigler will be asked to resign. Zeigler holds one of the more important of the clerical positions and his place has been tendered to Wal-lace Benson, son of the late Governor

and Secretary of State.

Wallace Benson is attending the Uni versity of Oregon and the position will be offered him upon his leaving schoo this year. He is a resident of Rose

Secretary Olcott, in speaking of the prospective appointment today, paid another high tribute to the late Secretary of State, whom Olcott succeeded

# Seattle's ex-Fire Chief Appeals.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 28.—Ex-Chief of the Fire Department John H. Boyle, who was removed by Mayor George W. Dilling because of alleged habitual drunkenness, frequenting of saleons during hours of duty and in competence, appealed to the Civil Servlice today from the Mayor's action.
Boyle is one of the recalled Mayor
Gill's closest friends, and was appointed to office by him.

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