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VERDICT SECOND DEGREE

Jury Compromises in Case and Fixes 20 Years as Sentence-Defense Gives Notice of Appeal. Will Argue in Week.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 20.-Colone Duncan B. Cooper and his son Robin ere found guilty in the second degree of the murder of ex-Senator Carmack today by the jury that has been hearing the case for the past nine weeks; and ommendation of the jury, which in Tennessee has the power to fix sen-

In Tennessee has the power to fix sentence in all but first degree crimes, were sentenced to the maximum penalty of 29 years in the State Penitentiary.

Autories's for the Coopers at once stated that they would appeal from the verdict, basing their action on the statement made yesterday at the acquittal of John Sharp, that the jury was "hopeloxely tied up as to the Coopers;" and declaring that this was the real yerdict, and that a mistrial had occurred. Judge Hart fixed the bonds of the defendants at \$25,000 each

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Instantly that the bond books were brought into court there was a rush of people to sign them, and as a result the bond totalled nearly \$1,500,000 when the Coopers finally left the court and retired to the home of Judge J. C. Bradford. In vain the clerk protested that more than crough sureties had been signed, but the invariable answer was:

"We want to put our names on that bond, too,"

When there was no more room for names at the foot of the document the new bondsmen indersed it across the face until it was difficult to decipher the

#### Verdict a Compromise.

Inquiry among the jurors after the trial had been closed showed that the verdiet was a compromise. From the start the jury stood six for conviction in the first degree with mitigating circumstances, five for murder in the second degree with a 30-year sentence, and one for acquittal. On the first ballot Sharp was acquitted and the conspiracy charge disregarded. Wednesday and Thursday the ballots showed the same result.

Friday the man who had stood out for acquittal went over to the second decountry.

sequittal went over to the second degree verdict, but insisted on a ten-year penalty. Early Saturday morning he agreed to the 20-year term, and then those who had been in favor of the first degree verdict joined the others, and the jury was agreed.

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The defendants took it coolly—almost without emotion. Mrs. Buren and Mrs. Wilson, the young daughters of Coionel Cooper, were brave, and aside from tearful eves, restrained their emotion gamely. Mrs. Burch sat with her arms around her brother Robin's shoulder, and Mrs. Wilson was at her father's right.

The jurors looked tired, too, looking disheveled and when the court remarked: "I thank you, gentlemen, for your partisince and devotion to the state, and dismiss you to your homes and your personal avocations." the entire 12 sprang from their seats as one man and hurriedly left the courtroom. The defendants and their counsel remained to complete the bond preliminaries and motions for a new trial.

jury had agreed were responsible for a crewded courtroom this morning and for the presence of attorneys for both sides long before the usual hour for convening court. As soon as Judge Hart entered court, and even before he removed his coat, he ordered the tree.

coat, he ordered the jury and the defendants brought into court.

"I understand they have agreed," he remarked to the press table, "and am sending to see."

In almost a moment—9:25, to be exact—the 12 men entered the room and act—the 12 men entered the room and took the same seats they have occu-pied for nearly nine weeks.

"Have you agreed upon a verdict, gentlemen?" said Judge Hart. "We have," replied Foreman Burke, hoarsely. "Advance, Mr. Foreman, and read the

We, the jury, find the defendants, Duncan B. Cooper and Robin J. Cooper, guilty of murder in the second degree ind assess their punishment at

finement in the state penitentiary for a period of 20 years."

The sixth game, unfinished, goes to the referee for adjudicaton, but the

"So say all of us." in chorus.
Then after the court had dismissed
the jury, Judge Anderson, of the demse, was on his feet, exclaiming: fense, was on his feet, exclaiming;
"Your Honor, we move the case be
declared a mistrial, because of the verdict yesterday. We contend that yesdict yesterday. We contend that yesdict yesterday was the only one, and dict yesterday. We contend that yes-terday's verdict was the only one, and that it acquitted John Sharp and de-clared a disagreement on the other de-fendants. We also ask that the defend-

ants be admitted to bond."

"The verdict of the jury makes it a bailable case," was the court's retort.

"Hence I will fix the bond of each defondant at \$25,000, unless there be some objection. In any event, I will hear arguments."

#### State Ready for Protest.

"It is satisfactory to us," said At-rney-General McCarn, "And satisfactory to us," retorted

"And satisfactory to us," retorted Judge Anderson.

"There seems to be nothing left but for the court to pass sentence," said Judge Hart.

"I don't think that necessary," said Judge Anderson. "We move that judgment be suspended and that we be given a new trial. We will be prepared to argue the motion later—probably next week."

"All right, Judge," remarked the court. "I know you will not delay unnecessarily and I take it upon your Bring in the bond books," ordered

Judge Hart.
It was done, and the defendants It was done, and the defendants signed the bond and returned with their relatives and friends to the room they have occupied in the jail building. Mrs. Burch, who stood bravely and even smiled in the courtroom, collapsed as she reached the narrow corridor leading to the jail, and had to be supported by her husband. Mrs. Wilson's eyes were streaming with tears. Both young women have counted confidently on an acquittal, although even their counsel advised against building toe many hopes on the result.

John Sharp hurried to the Court-cuse when he heard of the verdict hd was soon closeted with the de-endents and their counsel. Mrs. Sharp was in court when the ported.

Jury reported and comforted the daughters of Colonel Cooper. Several other friends were with them, and accompanied them to the room of the defendants, where they awaited the arrival of bondsmen.

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party was whirled away in the Burch automobile to the Bradford home. There will be no further proceeding in the case for about a week.

#### Europe Thinks West Is Wild and Woolly

gon Train Hold-Up, Accepted as Authentic, Are Highly Diverting.

The fame of the daring hold-up made of the O. R. & N. train No. 1 near Clarnle hast December has spread far and wide. R. F. Roberts, an Englishman passing through Portland, said yesterday that he had noticed in the museum maintained by the city of Birmingham, a copy of the linen notice insued by the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company. The notice was framed in a wild and woolly setting of stuffed wild snimals, with a few revolvers in the background. To hear of the crowds gathered round the notice, one would assume that those who had read the notice believed that hold-ups of this nature were dally occurrences in the West. The notice was donated by an American tourist, who supplied a very garbled account.

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The insolent swagger with which the robbers were described as going through the train in the appended notice was the most interesting part of Mr. Roberts' story. They were alleged to have taken the valuables of many passengers, some of whom were made to take off their shoes as proof that their gold was not secreted in them, while the ladies were made chastely to salute the modern Turpina.

Mr. Roberts also spoke of seeing a cut of the notice in the Paris Temps, with a trænslation attached. The Temps discussed the matter editorially, informing its readers that the lack of a police service and the employment of a mere Sheriff and his voluntary deputies was the undoubted reason that the "villains" had not been captured. "Although the Westerners cried 'death to the villains,' " runs a translation of the Temps' remarks, "they have never been discovered from that day to this. The Temps was never corrected and Parisians still believe Portland the home of wild outlaws, freelances and cowpunchers.

### WAS PIONEER OF 1848

Mrs. Mary J. Hanna Long Resident of Yambill County.

Mrs. Mary J. Hanna, a pioneer of 1848, died in this city last Sunday, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel H. Davis, 3M Fourteenth street, aged 83 years, 3 months and 17 days.

Mrs. Hanna, whose maiden name was Clark, was born in Mansfield, O., May 16, 1825, of Scotch-Irish ancestry. In early life she removed to Paris, Hl., and on February 3, 1842, was married to Stewart Hanna, of that place. In 1847 Mr. and Mrs. Hanna, with two small children, determined to go West, and that Fall went to St. Joseph, Mo., remaining for the Winter. Early in the Spring of 1848, the necessary outfit of provisions and teams was procured, and the journey across the plains was made. In September of that year the family arrived at Dayton, Yambill County.

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County.

Mr. Hanna, who was born in Bellenhench, Ireland, in October, 1788, came to the United States in 1806, and settled with his parents in Pennsylvania. In early life he learned the carpenter's trade and later that of a millwright, both of which stood him in good stead in his early ploneer life in Yamhill County. He also followed contracting and farming. He died in Dayton, October 25, 1875. He was related to Mark Hanna, of Ohio, on his father's side, and to the well-known millionaire merchant of New York, Alexander T. Stewart, on his mother's side. In 1877 Mrs. Hanna removed from Dayton to this city, and made it her permanent residence up to the time of her death. Many years ago she united with the Christian Church, and was a faithful member of that connection.

Crowd in Courtroom.

Various and insistent rumors that the marry had agreed were responsible for a browded courtroom this morning and for Fred A. Crawford, of Dayton, Or., and Mrs. E. A. Rowley, of Idaho. She was buried in the family plot at Dayton, on March 17, and multitudes of her old friends and neighbors by whom she was greatly beloved were present at the interpretation.

College Men Play by Cable at Princeton and London.

PRINCETON, N. J., March 20 .- For the second successive year the American college chessplayers, from Columbia, Newark and Pennsylvania, easily bia, Newark and Pennsylvania, easily defeated the combined talent of Oxford and Cambridge today in the annual cable match for the Rice international trophy. Five of the six games ended tonight, with the score 4 to 1 in the Americans' favor.

American player has the call. The American players were at Alexander Hall here and the British players were in a hotel in Holbern, London, and the Americans were represented

NEW LEAGUE SIGNS PITCHERS

Intermountain Circuit Gets Three Star Ball Players.

BUTTE, Mont., March 20.—(Special.)
—Manager John Barnes, of the Butte team of the Inter-Mountain Loague, announced today that he had purchased the release of Kirby Hoon, the well-known pitcher, from the Spokane team of the Northwest League, and had signed Charles N. Elisey and Joe Chevalier. Elisey was a member of the Butte team in the days of McCloskey, and was a member of the Southern was a member of the Southern que. Chevaller is a twirler from the Coast.

#### TEMBLOR COMES ON TIME Shock Near Barcelona Was Predict-

ed Two Weeks in Advance.

BARCELONA, Spain, March 20.—An earthquake shock was felt in Catalonia Province at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The earthquake shock fulfills a prophecy made a fortnight ago by Emile Marchand, director of the observatory on the Pica du Midi, in the Pyrenees. M. Marchand also predicted an earth-

quake for February 21 in the Alicanta His second prophecy created great con-sternation among the lower classes. No verification has been received here of the reported carthquake shock. There was no shock at Barcelona. Slight Shock in Portugal.

LISBON, March 20.—A slight earth-nuake shock has occurred in Algaryo Province. No damage has been re-

Refuse to Tell Grand Jury About Graft in Los Angeles Tenderloin.

OSWALD IS STILL MISSING

Search Along Mexican Border Proves Fruitless-Absence of Three Chief Witnesses May Block Inquiry.

LOS ANGELES, March 20 .- Arthur C LOS ANGELES, March 20.—Arthur C. Harper, ex-Mayor, and Edward Kern, ex-member of the Board of Public Works, will refuse to answer questions propounded to them by the grand jury when they are summoned before that body next week. This is the statement of Horace Apple, counsel for Kern and Harper, who says that he has advised both men to assume that attitude. The District Attorney's office has been advised of the situation.

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The continued absence of Nick Oswald, "King of the Tenderioin," together with the attitude of Kern and Harper, may render the work of the grand jury in ferreting out the facts a difficult problem. Chief Detective S. L. Brown, of the District Attorney's office, returned today from Tia Juana and reported inat he had covered the surrounding country for a hundred miles around the Mexican border in his search for Oswald, but had found no trace of either him or Vetter. The detective declared his bollef that Oswald was nowhere in that region.

No arrests have yet been made following the indictments by the special grand jury of an individual whose name is unrevealed. Several deputies from the Sheriff's office have been busy since last evening endeavoring to locate the man wanted. Speculation continues as to the identity of the person indicted, and it has been stated with some show of foundation that the person named is not Nick Oswald. The jury adjourned to meet Monday.

#### HALF-BILLION IN SUBWAYS

New York to Make Vast Expenditure for Rapid Transit.

NEW YORK, March 20.-The remark NEW YORK. March 26.—The remarkable scope of Greater New York's plans for providing adequate transportation facilities is indicated in a statement issued here today, which shows that the expenditure of nearly \$500,000,000 is contemplated. Of this amount nearly \$400,000,000 is included in projects for tunnels and subways. Work involving a fourth of this total will probably begin before the end of the present year. A continuous transit line, which proposes an \$8,000,000 system of moving sidewalks beneath the most crowded business centers, is also planned.

MURDERER CAUGHT Accused of Killing Foreman of Section Gang in California.

SALT LAKE CITY, March 20 .- A Jap-SALT LAKE CITY, March 20.—A Japanese, who corresponds in appearance to the description of an alleged murderer in a circular issued by Special Agent Kinderland of the Southern Pacific railroad was arrested by the local police today. The name in the circular is Torahiko. The suspect has been known here as Murise.

Torahiko is said to have killed the foreman of the section gang with which he was working in California.

#### SENATOR CAN BREAK TIE-UP

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At a conference of 28 regular Re-At a conference of 29 regular Republican Senators they agreed this morning to stand pat on the provision for vote by assembly districts. The seven Democrats and 13 Republicans who advocate the statewide vote are as determined as their opponents, and declare that the only way the latter can break the deadlock is to get Black back from Pale Alto.

Nebraska Not at A .- Y .- P.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 20.-Nebraska will not exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pa-cific Exposition. The Senate today killed the appropriation for \$15,000 for that pur-pose which had previously met with the approval of the House.

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N. P. OFFICIALS COMING

Attempt Will Be Made to Straighten

Terminal Tangle.

President Howard Ellett. accompanied by a party of Northern Pacific officials, will reach Portiand late this week on what is given out as an inspected mileage in Eastern Washington and Idaho. In this party we re: Howard Elliott, president; C. M. Levey, taird vice-president; H. C. Nutt, general manager; Henry Blakely, general washington and superintendent.

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A. C. Dore Dies at Aberdeen. ABERDEEN, Wash., March 26.-(Special.)-A. C. Dore, of Canyon City, Or., who was visiting his son here, was found dead in bed this morning. He was 66 years old.

Robbers Get \$2000 by Dynamite. COLDWATER, Okia., March 20.—Robbers dynamited the safe in the Bank of Coldwater today and escaped with \$2900.

## LADIES' SUITS FREE

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Many Have Inquired the Time of This Sale. So Here It Is LADIES' SUITS FREE We Tell You Free With Each Order for a Gentleman's Suit



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