# MRS. BOYLE GUILTY

Female Kidnaper Threatens to Expose Man Who Laid Plans for Crime.

STILL TALKS OF SUICIDE

Lawyer Makes Veiled Allusions to Third Person and Woman Says Others Will Go to Penitentiary With Her.

MERCER, Pa., May 8 .- Mrs. James H. Boyle was today found guilty of aiding and abetting the kidnaping of Willie Whitin and was returned to jail vowing that a third person not yet mentioned

that a third person not yet mentioned had planned the crime and that she would commit suicide rather than go to the penitentiary. The jury reached a verdict on the first ballot.

The charge that a third person was involved in the crime was reiterated by Judge Miller, her attorney, in his closing address to the jury. He intimated that powerful influences were being brought to bear to convict the woman, and there were veiled references to the suppression of the efforts of the Boyles to bring into the case the name of a third party.

Receives Vardict Stolents

#### Receives Verdict Stoically.

Manifesting the same stoical indifference to her fate which has characterized ence to her fate which has characterized her throughout her trial, Mrs. Boyle sat immovable as the jury returned its verdict. A heavy vell which she has worn throughout the trial concealed her features so that it could not he seen whether her color changed, but there was not a movement of her body to indicate that she so much as heard her doom pronounced. Her indifference was even more pronounced than it has been during preceding portions of the trial.

The courtroom was crowded almost to suffocation when the jury filed in at 130 and the foreman announced they had

and the foreman announced they had agreed. The crowd was warned that no demonstration would be telerated and the verdict was read in silence. Quietly as if preparing to go out for a walk, Mrs. Boyle drew on her gloves, arose from her chair and went with the Sheriff back to her cell.

back to her cell.

Judge Miller will make a motion on Monday for a new trial. It is believed here that the motion will be over-ruled and that Boyle and his wife will be sentenced Monday. The penalty in Boyle's case is from one year in the penitentiary to a life sentence and in Mrs. Boyle's case the maximum is 25

#### Will Expose Third Person.

"Life in the penitentiary would kill me in a week or ten days, and rather than submit to this I would take the Dutch route," said Mrs. Boyle this

Like her husband, she is anxious to tell more than has been brought out in the trial of herself or her husband. "If Jimmie and I are sent to the pont-tentiary," she said, "we will not go alone. Others will go with us or join us there. Half the truth has not been told in this case. One other man who planned the whole affair has not been arrested. I am willing to suffer for any crime I have committed, but there is no evidence that I have been mixed up in this case, and rather than suffer injustice from the court I will quit this earth and take justice from my maker."

## Victim of Female Jealousy.

On her way to jail after her conviction, Mrs. Boyle expressed the belief that she had been convicted to satisfy the venom and jealousy of some Mercer women. "Had I been a plain girl," she said, "these same women would have pitied me, If the jury had acquitted me, I believe these women would have tarred and eve these women would have tarred and feathered me. A sacrifice had to be made, and Jimmle and I are the victims. They think they will railroad me to the

## GOOD OF STATE PLANNED

California Promotion Committee Lays Out Work.

DEL MONTE, Cal., May 8.—Conserva-tion of the National resources of Cali-fornia was the subject matter of reso-lutions, reperts and addresses considered today at the 4th annual meeting of the Countles Committee of the California Promotion Committee, when delegate Promotion Committee, when delegates from 63 affiliated organizations assembled in the art room of the Hotel Delmonte to plan new steps in the co-operative movement that has proved so far-reach-ing in upbuilding the Golden State. Unanimous indorsement of the proposed \$18,000,000 band issue for the improvement

of the state's highways; the signing of a petition to the National Government for the opening of Yosemite Park to automobiles; the adoption of a compr ensive scheme for the distribution of advertising California's sources, with the promotion committee as a clearing house to supply the sub-sidiary bodies; indersement of sugges-tions for highway tree planting and the conservation of forest areas, and the se-lection of Visalia as the meeting place of the Counties Committee next Novem-ber, were among the results of the de-

# DIAMONDS IN SUCCOTASH

Goldfield Man Pans Out Valuable Stones at Meal.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., May 8.—Two diamond ear-rings, estimated to be worth \$125 each were found in a dish of succotash, by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robinson, of Gold-field, while at their evening meal Thurs-

The corn and beans in cans, were bought of a local store some months ago at a bargain sale. On Thursony a can of string beans and a can of corn were made into a succorash, and servel Mr. Robinson bit into a stone, took it from his mouth and to his amatement found it to be a diamond. At the same time another member of the funlly chewed upon a gold mounting. The dinner was broken up and the family began panning the succotash for a ore diam ands and the inste to the first stone was found. The find was kept secret until tonight.

# GREAT VALLEY IRRIGATED

Government to Open Shoshone Project of 150,000 Acres.

WASHINGTON, May 8 Large areas

most beautiful valleys in the West, a region described by Government experts as of wonderful scenle grandeur, of exceeding fertility and free from tornadoes, blizzards or other severe storms, will be opened to settlers on

The lands are situated in the Shoshone irrigation project, which eventually will reclaim 150,000 acres east of the Yellowstone National Park, in the Yellowstone National Park, in Northern Wyoming. The farms are to be offered for settlement under the homestead law, subject to the payment of actual cost of applying water to the land, which has been fixed at \$46 per acre, payable in not more than ten annual installments, with no interest. The settler, however, will be required to pay annually \$1 per acre for the operation system.

eration and maintenance of the irriga-tion system.

The engineering features are of un-usual interest. Just below the junc-tion of the north and south forks the Shoshone River flows through a canyon of solid granite with almost perpendicular walls several hundred feet high, in the narrowest portion of which the Government is constructing a dam, which, it is said, will exceed in height every other structure of its height every other structure of its kind in the world. Is is only \$5 feet wide at the bottom and 200 feet long on top, but its height is 328.4 feet, or 48 feet higher than the Flatiron building in New York. The reservoir formed by this dam will cover an area of ten square miles to a depth of 70 feet, and will contain sufficient water.

President and Senator Have Jovial Interchange of Badinage.

RIDE HOME IN SAME AUTO

Washington Government-Not Yet Decided on Favoring One-Man

that cars will be running by Septem It is the plan of the company to operate gasolene motor cars for the passenger traffic. The Salem terminus of the line will be in West Salem, which is already coming in anticipation of the coming o the road. The Waters Brothers have platted a large addition and Chester Mur ohy of Portland will divide his farm into

If the material shall arrive tracklaying will commence this week. Some steel ralls are already on the ground at Dallas and the Willamette Valley Lumber Company has several thousand ties ready for use. The grading gung working from Dallas has already reached Derry tive and one-half miles from the Polk County city. About two miles of grade on the Salem-Eola division are now roudy for ties and rails. About 40 teams are working or the grade and the earthwork will be rushed to early com

The only bridge of importance is over the La Creole River on the Brunk farm, and this is being rushed to completion The company's piledriver is at the Pierce Riggs farm, where it is being used in the construction of a trestle.

In addition to the Salem extension the

railroad company is doing a great deal of work this year on the Dallas-Black Rock division. With the new extension and the improvements the Salem, Fall

Unless Congress Takes Action, This Sum Will Be Turned Back Into Treasury.

AFFECTS OREGON STREAMS

Clause in Appropriation Will Cost Columbia \$24,000 and Coos Bay \$23,000 Unless Burton Can Get Resolution Passed.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Unless Con-gress takes specific action at the special session now in progress, nearly \$1,000,000 appropriated for river and harbor im-provements in various sections of the United States will be turned back into the National treasury, much to the cha-grin of many Congressmen and Sena-tors.

This situation arises over the "covering back" section of the sundry civil ap-propriation bill, approved March 4. This section provides that all unexpended bal-ances of appropriations that remained on the Treasury books June 1, 1894, except permanent specified appropriations, judgments and findings of courts and trust funds and appropriations for fulfilling treaty obligations with the Indians be carried to the surplus fund and covered back into the Treasury; "provided that the money is not needed to pay existing treaties."

treatles." To meet the situation, Senator Burton has introduced a resolution providing that the section of the sundry civil bill in question shall not be construed as applying to the unexpended balances in river and harbor appropriations which may be esential, in the judgment of the Secretary of War, for the maintenance and prosecution of the work for which it was appropriated.

Among the appropriations that will revert are:
Mouth of Columbia River, Oregon, \$24.000; entrance to Coos Bay, Oregon, \$23,000;
restraining barriers Sacramento and
Feather rivers, California, \$114,000, and
harbor at Tacoma, Washington, \$11,000.

HASKELL SUIT TO CONTINUE About 1500 Purchasers of Muskogee

Lots Are Affected.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., May 8.—Federal fudge Campbell here today overruled the lemurrers of the defendants in the so-called Mott civil Creek Indian land suits.

ernor Charles N. Haskell and other prom-inent Oklahomans.

The decision, involving, as it does, the legality of millions of dollars' worth of lots, created great consternation here. Not only are Governor Haskell and asso-Not only are Governor Haskell and asso-clates involved in the charge of fraud, but about 1500 subsequent purchasers of lots are vitally interested. Judge Camp-bell announced, however, that all inno-cent purchasers would be protected.

These suits were brought by the United States for the Creek Indian Nation, to recover for the tribe Muskogee town lots aggregating 3000 acros of land, and alleged to have been obtained by Governor Haskell and the other de-fendants by the fraudulent scheduling

of "dummles."
Out of these civil sults grew the criminal prosecution against the Governor and six others, for which they were once in-dicted. TULSA. Okla., May 8.—It was announced here today that Judge John A. Marshall, of Utah, will preside over the grand jury investigation into the Muskogue lot land frauds.

WIDOW DRIVES BARGAIN

County to Care for Her in Exchange for Her Property.

TACOMA, Wash., May 8,-(Special)-A unique bargain was made by Mrs. Lucy Stewart, of Bismarck, near here Lucy Stewart, of Bismarck, near here, with the Pierce County Commissioners this afternoon. She owns property valued / several thousand dollars, including a cottage in which she lives, which she has deeded to the county on promise that the county support her for the remainder of her life. The Commissioners entered into the agreement and she will be cared for at the county farm until she dies, when she will be given burial, the coat of which is stipulated in the agreement. Mrs. Stewart is a widow and has no

WEST RICH, STONES GO UP

Increase in Diamonds and Pearls I Brought About by Prosperity.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Because of the demand of the West and Southwest for precious stones the price of diamonds and pearls is to be increased soon Prosperity in those sections is credited by the Maiden Lane dealers with causing them to do more than 100 per cent more business in precious stones last April than during the same month last year. A leading importer is quoted as saying that as soon as the tariff question is settled there will be an in-creased price on diamonds at least.

ROOSEVELT IS WITH PEASE Party Will Leave for McMillan's Ranch in About Two Weeks.

NAIROBI, May 8 .- The Roosevelt ex-NAIROBI, May 8.—The Roosevelt expedition is still in camp on the ranch of Sir Aifred Pease, at a point near Machakoe. All the members of the party are well. Two more cases of smallpox have been discovered among the porters of the expedition, Mr. Roosevelt will proceed to George Mc-Millan's Juja ranch some time between May 16 and May 20. He will be accompanied by P. H. Percival, brother of Major Percival, one of the assistant game wardens, and C. D. Hill, a settler.

HACKETT GOES BANKRUPT

Says Liabilities Are \$126,456 and His Assets but \$744.

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Fit, fabric and style mean more to you during the Summer than any other time. Your clothes must feel comfortable, above all things, and perfect fitting. The Salem Woolen Mills way assures comfort. The fabric must be in harmony with the season and its activities. They must be "Summerish." Combine perfect fit and good fabric with style, and you have a

# SALEM WOOLEN MILLS SUIT

Our Tailoring Department is the best equipped in the Northwest, and a large force of expert craftsmen are at your service. Our made-to-measure suits are the equal of any produced in this country, and at prices that cannot be duplicated in Portland.

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# Announcement!

Great Alteration Sale of Broken Lines—Shoes and Oxfords for Men, Women and Children Begins Tuesday at 9 A. M. Sharp.

Store Closed All Day Monday for Price Marking.

> The Goddard-Kelly Shoe Co., known to every Portlander, many of whom have bought their shoes here regularly year in and year out for over a quarter of a century, preparatory to remodeling and putting in a handsome new front on Washington street .will inaugurate, beginning Tuesday morning, the greatest value-giving sale on record. These broken lines are made up of Oxfords in all the latest leathers-tan, brown, patent and black calf-also shoes in every variety of Spring and Summer styles. Included are the well-known "Queen Quality" Oxford ties, the makes of Laird, Schober & Co., Foster & Co., Armstrong & Co. and Delsarte shoes for women; the Nettleton, Staey, Adams & Co. Slater & Morril, Snow, and W. L. Douglas shoes for men. Every foot can be fitted in some one new style.

Prices Way Down. Be on hand without fail, Tuesday.

# Goddard Kella Shoelo

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Tomorrow Is Washday, Avoid Its Troubles by Sending to the

UNION LAUNDRY COMPANY Where Linen Lasts

**FAMILY WASHING** 

Rough dry 5c a pound, rough dry by the piece 1c up Lace Curtains 30c Per Pair Call Main 398 or A 1123



SCENE IN TEMPORARY HOME OF NEW SULTAN OF TURKEY. vestibule to the Dolma-Bagtche Palace, which is the temporary home of the new Sultan of Turkey, Rechad Effendi. It is the palace in which the Sultan, while heir apparent, was practically confined for 30 years.

to cover 456,000 acres of land one foot

# PURE BREEDS OF WHEAT

GOVERNMENT ADVISES FAR-

MERS NOT TO MIX.

Seed of High Quality Distributed Will Continue High Strain if Kept Separate.

TOPEKA, Kan., May 8 .- (Special.)-The Kansas experiment station at the State Agricultural College at Manhattan is sending out to the farmers in the wheat belt information as to the best plan for keeping pure the wheat recently furers who are growing this wheat are urged to use great care in keeping the wheat pure, in order to continue the distribu-tion of the improved seed to their neighbors and at the same time maintain the yield and high quality of the wheat grown

on their own turms. on their own tarms.

It is pointed out by Professor Teneyck of the state experiment station that several factors cause a deterioration of wheat, and one of the principal of these is the mixture or crossing of the wheat of different strains of varieties. The im-proved wheat which has been distributed from the experiment station is not absolutely pure in variety of type, but these varieties are much purer than the average

## KNOCKED OUT WITH PUSH

Ex-Champion of London Police Falls Before Ferguson.

PARIS, May S.—Sandy Ferguson, of Boston, made his first appearance in Paris tonight at the Circque de Paris, tied up at the dock. where he met Herbert Hall, ex-champion of the London police, in a fight which lasted less than two minutes. The men had hardly put their hands up when Hall fell to the floor from a push, not a blow. His head struck the someone fired a shot at the crowd and boards with great force, knocking the a workman dropped dead.

Melody, of Boston, also "Honey" Melody, of Boston, also made his first appearance in what was to have been a 20-round bout with Willie Lewis, of New York. Melody went at his opponent viciously, but Lewis met him with straight lefts, punishing him badly. In the fourth round the New Yorker sent Melody to the floor five times and there he finally remained, unable to respond to the call. The winner of the bout received \$4000 The winner of the bout received \$4000 and the loser \$1000.

# JAPS FIRE HIGH SCHOOL Incendiarism at Tokio Follows Strike

of Students.

TOKIO, May 9.—A fire said to be incendiary broke out at 10 o'clock last night in the Commercial High School. It was extinguished after an hour's hard work by the firemen aided by troops, the damage being confined to the laboratory and

library.
The students of the school have been The students of the school have been petitioning the government to raise it to the rank of a university. Their request has not been granted, but the Minister of Education has sought to effect a compromise by establishing a new commercial course in the college of law of the University of Toklo. This caused dissatisfaction among the students and a committee of members of various classes yesferday resolved to retire from the school in a body.

A few bargains in second-hand autos at H. L. Keats Auto Co.'s garage, corner seventh and Burnside.

ton under the auspices of the Board of City & Western will be one of the best Trade and the Chamber of Commerce. Short roads in the West. sat at the guests' table were Vice-Presi dent Sherman and Speaker Cannon.
Mr. Taft discussed many phases of
Washington's commercial life and his
views were particularly significent in view

## of the movement now on foot to change the District of Columbia government from the Commission to the one-man form. PHY SET ASIDE.

Warm Greeting to Tillman. Senator Tillman strode into the hall toward the President. The latter greeted him and grasped his hand cordially, remarking:

"Hello, Senator, what are you trying to pass yourself in for tonight?" Tiliman laughingly rejoined: "Oh, I just drifted in here to see how you would behave yourself among the common people."
This merry interchange provoked amuse-

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The President made a 30-minute speech, during which he declared that he was strongly in favor of retaining the Municipal form of government for the District of Columbia, but he had not reached any conclusion as to what he would recommend to Congress about the real point of contention, whether there shall be a governor or three Commissioners, as at present. The President declared himself unalterably opposed to the plan for suffrage in the district.

When the President left the hotel he invited Mr. Tiliman to join him in the invited Mr. Tiliman to join him in the White House automobile and the Presi-dent took the South Carolina Senator to

the latter's home ONE DEAD IN UNION RIOT

Nonunion Men Attacked When Lake

DULUTH, Minn., May 8 .- One dead and

The Berlin, a nonunion boat, arrived with coal to be discharged at the dock. Soon after her arrival a crowd gathered and began throwing coal at the crew. Several of the latter were injured and

ROOSEVELT FOR MAYOR Boom Started to Place ex-President

at Head of New York.

NEW YORK, May &-The nominatio of Theodore Roosevelt for Mayor of New York City is proposed by General Stewart L. Woodford, the diplomatist and former Minister to Spain, in a statement issued

It is admitted the boom thus launched has neither the knowledge nor the con-sent of Mr. Roosevelt, but it is declared "that an insistent and unanimous de-mand upon the part of the people of the city would compel him to accept."

KESSAB NOT DESTROYED

LATAKIA, A. T., Friday, May 7 .- The destruction of Kessab was not so general as was believed. Much of the place was not destroyed and the refugees are returning. Only a few women were carried

RAILROAD WORK IS RUSHED Salem-Falls City Line to Be Completed by September 1.

SALEM, Or., May 8.-(Special.)-Work on the Salem, Falls City & Western Rail-

\$60,000 ALIMONY LOST

# DIVORCE OF MRS. EDITH DUN-

Court Holds When She Married Last Time She Was Still Bound to

Julius Silvestone.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8 .- Superior Judge Graham set aside today the divorce obtained by Mrs. Edith Dunphy from James C. Dunphy, the wealthy cattleman, which granted her \$60,000 alimony. The

The divorce of Mrs. Edith M. Dunphy, which has just been declared illegal, thereby losing to her \$90,000 altmony, was granted in Hillsbore, Or., April 18, 1898
The decree was to sever her alliance with
Julius Silvestone, a practicipg attorney
of Portland, with offices in the Chamber
of Commerce building. The couple had
been married in Stevenson, Skamania County, Washington, January 20, 1898. As the decree was declared illegal because her residence had been in Oregon only three months, it is supposed she did not establish her home in this state until the time of her wedding. Judge Silvestone did not contest the suit for divorce, the charge against him being cruelty.

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Mr. Silvestone has previously said in discussing the case that he was Mrs. Dunphy's third husband, although she was only 25 years old at the time of their marriage. Her first husband was a Californian second W. C. Coffey, of San Francisco.

## WESTON STOPS AT TOPEKA

Rain, Bad Roads and Companion's Illness Make Him Turn Back.

TOPEKA, Kan., May 8.—After reaching the western outskirts of this city and being delayed by the sickness of one of the men accompanying him, with heavy roads ahead and rain threatening Edward Payson Weston, the pedestrian, tonight turned back and is now staying in a local hotel. He will start again to-morrow night just after midnight on his westward journey.

TRIES TO OVERTAKE WESTON 'Sergeant' Walsh Starts From Bos-

ton to Walk to San Francisca. CHICAGO, May 8.—"Sergeant" John Walsh, a former Chicagoan and veteran of the Civil War, 57 years old, has arrived in Chicago, declaring his intention of overhauling Edward Payson Weston on foot. Walsh said he had walked to Chicago from Boston, en route to San Francisco, and already had gained 500 miles on Weston.

les on Weston

Joachim Andersen, Composer, Dead.

COPENHAGEN, May 9. — Joachim Andersen, the noted composer and conductor, died today at a sanitarium near Copennages Mr. Andersen married Miss Sarah D. Watson, of New York, who survives.

NEW YORK, May 8.—James K. Hackett, the actor, today filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, giving his liabilities as \$126,456 and his assets at \$744. The actor's wife, Mary Mannering-Hackett, has the largest claim, \$56,000, Daniel Hanna of Cleveland is named as a creditor for \$10, 5000 in money loaned.