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The Weather—Rain tonight and Wednesday; high southerly winds.

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ON TRAINS AND NEWS HEADS, FIVE CENTS

DELMAS FINISHES Eloquent Appeal FOR THAW'S LIFE

Brilliant and Fervid Oratory Marks Closing of Case for Defense. Retells Evelyn's Story and Its Effect Upon Prisoner's Mind. Wrongs Drove Thaw Insane

(Journal Special Service.) New York, April 9.—Attorney D. M. Delmas all day held a crowded courtroom spellbound by his eloquence...

that they would sneer at him, and that it would hurt him with his family. He would not hear me, and renewed his offer of marriage...



Attorney D. M. Delmas.

FORCE PETITION BY MANDAMUS

With Half the Names Stricken From McKenna Ordinance, Fight Will Now Be Carried Into Courts.

There is little doubt of the fate of the McKenna \$1,000 liquor license and Sunday closing ordinance...

LOCOMOTIVE ROBBERIES ARE NINE BOYS

Nine Youths, All Under Fourteen, Arrested for Complicity With Junk Dealers

Had Organized Gang and Un-screwed Hundreds of Dollars Worth of Brass Nuts From O. R. & N. Engines—Were Sold to Albina Junkmen.

A gang of undersized criminals, whose specialty has been to take full-grown locomotives to pieces and work the brass fitting off on the market as junk...

CLERK COULD GIVE RUEF POINTERS ON GRAFTING



John Bouillon and Wife. He Lived Like a Millionaire Upon \$23 a Week Salary.

HERMANN BADLY MIXED IN STORY

Government Flashes Telegrams Sent Mays Which He Stated Yesterday Had Not Been Sent—Contradictory Evidence.

(Washington Bureau of the Journal.) Washington, D. C., April 9.—The government sprung a sensation this afternoon in the cross examination of Binger Hermann...

MANY NAMES WERE SIGNED BY ONE MAN

Whole Pages of Signatures Upon Wagon Free Water Petition Work of Individual

Law Not Complied With and Petition Full of Gross Irregularities—Several Pages Signed by Some Person in Pencil and Others by Another in Ink.

One man, the secretary of the plumbers' union, signed five pages of the Wagon free water initiative petition with names of the members of the plumbers' union...

SEEK NORTH POLE IN AUTOMOBILES LENGTHEN TIME OF COAST TRIP

Six Motor Cars Being Built for Dash Across Ice to Frozen Polar Regions—Each Machine Intended for Research.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, April 9.—Admiral R. S. Osborn of the Arctic club is authority for the statement that six automobiles are being built here and abroad for individual "dashes" to the north pole...

ROOT TO LEAVE THE CABINET

Secretary of State Reported to Be Angry Because of Treatment Given Harriman—Also Said to Resent Selection of Taft as Legatee of Roosevelt Mantle—Cortelyou With Root

Washington, April 9.—It is reported that Secretary of State Root intends to resign to show his displeasure because the president disregarded his advice in some cases and ignored him in others...

WAGE DEMAND HALTS BUILDING AT BUTTE

Butte, Mont., April 9.—The refusal of the millmen and contractors to grant the demands of the carpenters and cement workers for increased pay has precipitated a building strike at Butte...

SOUGHT HEIRESS BUT FOUND CUPID

Details of Matrimonial Campaign by Noble Englishman to Find Rich American Girl for Wife Spoiled by Love.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, April 9.—Financed for a matrimonial campaign in New York, in which he was to match a proud name and an ancient lineage against millions in American dollars, Captain Alexander Elphinstone of the King's Own Royal Lancashire regiment of England, confessed in the "Tomb" this morning that his failure was due, perhaps, to an unavoidable and unaccomplished happening...