

Both witnesses testified that Meyer made two visits to the Thomas offices in the matter of the insurance. Upon the first visit he mentioned \$2,500 as the amount of the policy he had in mind. He left the office, returning in about 20 minutes and signed an applicaof \$10,000.

Notification of the death of paid.

Through the testimony of Miss Georgia Maxwell, superintendent of the hospital to which Meyer was taken and where he later , the fact was brought out that the defendant was alone with her husband in the latter's room on either September 5 or 6. The death of eMyer, took place on September 7.

Walter Hoodenpyle, a Gooding, farmer and brother-in-law of Meyer, declared upon the witness stand that Mrs. Meyer said to him on the day of the funeral of Meyer that she had had a lot hard luck with her husbands; that she had lost two and her baby and that "Ed" (Meyer) was a sweet boy and she thought a lot of him. He further testified that Mrs. Meyer in discussing the receipt for the premium on the life insurance policy applied for by Meyer told him that if he could

collect the policy she would give him half of it. On the day of Meyer's fuperal, W. J. Trueblood, here. Mrs. Meyer's father, stated to the witness according to his testipost, according to a report filed mony that he did not want the

witness to go back to Gooding thinking his (Trueblood's) daughter poisoned Meyer. He added that he had plenty of money with of approval from the members

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REDWOOD CITY, Cal., Oct. 4 .- The jury was sworn in floating face downward in Clear late today that will try William A. Hightower, itinerant baker Lake and the demeanor at that and laborer, charged with the murder of the Rev. Patrick E. Heslin, a Catholic priest of Colma, Calif., about August 2. Eight troduced by the prosecution this men and four women of middle age will pass upon his guilt or afternoon at the trial here of innocence.

District Attorney Franklin A. low after a restless night and he tion for a policy in the amount Swart immediately began the pre- evinced anxiety. Once during the sentation of his statement of how delivery of the statement of the

the state purported to show High- district attorney, Hightower's tower guilty of first degree mur- composure gave way and he said the insured was given the com- der. He had detailed for half loud enough to be heard several pany but the claim was not an hour the chain of circumstanc- feet away: "He's a d- liar." es he said would prove the defend-In beginning his preliminary

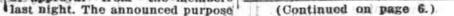
ant guilty, when at 4:30 p. m. statement to the jury District At-Superior Judge George H. Buck, torney Swart described the abducadjourned court until tomorrow tion of Father Heslin from his morning at 10 o'clock. home at Colma on the night of In the selection of the jury August 2 by a stranger in an au-Hightower took a prominent part, tomobile who asked him to adfrequently making suggestions to minister the last sacrament to a his attorneys. His face was sal- dying man.

SPICEY MEETING OF LEGION DEBATES INTERESTING

Members of Capital post No. 9, of the contest was to aid the orassembled in force at the armory ganization in getting on a clear financial basis and in establishing last night thd took much interest adequate club rooms. **Club Under Advisement**

in plans for the acquisition of club rooms for the American legion

One of the plans presented to the legion by local members last The recently closed auto connight, was to co-operate with the test netted \$1356 for the local Commercial club in the use of the present club rooms. The elaborate by the committee which had comrooms occupied by the club could plete charge of the enterprise and well accommodate likion mem-consistent work in making a suc- bers, it was asserted. Action on cess of the contest received a vote the club room plans was deferred



LAKEPORT, Cal., Oct. 74.- Testimony describing the finding of will mean that nine nations will the body of Mrs. Maud Spencer sit together when such discussions

time of her husband. John A. Spencer, former minister, was in- the five major powers. Spencer, accused of murdering his

wife. Robert Siddell and his wife of Komooti Bay, neighbors of the Spencers, were the principal witnesses. Mrs. Siddell told of hearing a cry after retiring on the and both hurried out.

"Spencer met us at the door, she testified. "He told us his wife had fallen overboard. three of us hurried to the lake armed conflict. which is nearby. The men recovered the body. Attempts to resuscitate her were fruitless."

had fallen into the water while his back was turned, Mrs. Siddell asserted.

ashore to seek aid." Mr. Siddell substantiated

ion, however, he admitted that advance of the conference, was the cost of living. he "had no use for Spencer." Dr. R. M. Bonar of Santa Rosa,

rise to the surface so soon after among the conferees. **Bids** Identical drowning.

Motion in Mahoney Case

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 4. -Counsel for the state and defense in the case of James E. Mahoney, convicted of the murder of his wife, stipulated today that a motion for a new trial might be filed next Saturday and argued the following Friday.

McCormack has also ordered which is regarded here as assured, E. Forrest Mitchell, federal proare entered into. The question of armament limitation will be discussed only by

Loan Matters Mentioned The attitude of the administration with relation to discussion

of the inter-allied debts was developed in connection with recent. ly published suggestions in London that the British would welcome consideration of loan matters at the Washington meeting. aroused her husband, she said, Officials here were represented as taking the view that the con-

ference would be limited to matters which might involve differ-The ences of a nature likely to lead to Mrs. W. P. Gilkerson Pres-

Not in Category Inter-allied debts are not considered by officials here in that Spencer explained that his wife category. The further statement was made that the American delegation at the forthcoming conference, lacking congressional au-

"He told me he had dived four thority could not agree to such meeting of the newly organized times to rescue her before he went consideration of the debt queshis should be undertaken. The adwife's story. Cn cross examina- ministration's desire that debt will be held tonight for the pur-

based on practical matters and not another witness, declared it was on anxiety that the debt question effected last night with the elecmost unusual that a body should might arise to disturb harmony tion of the following officers:

The invitations to the additionthe tnetative suggestions as to May Be Filed Next Friday the conference program, insofar as it relates to the Pacific and

> to Belgium reads as follows: The invitation of the president the United States to France,

hibition director to produce Jack Lawrence, purported informant of federal authorities as to the source of the Arbuckle liquor. Mitchell late today promised Mc-

Cormack that he would produce Lawrence "within 48 hours."

ident-Meeting With

Merchants Called

SILVERTON, Ore., Oct. 4. and she complied with their demand that she open the vault and (Special to The Statesman) -A then the safe. women's auxiliary of the Loyal tion, even if it was desired that it Legion of Loggers and Lumberdescription of the men, they having been seen by Spangle business men with merchants of Silverton. men the day before the robbery funding legislation be enacted in pose of making an inquiry into walking about the town.

The auxiliary organization was of a sheriff's posse and the two bandits who robbed the Sierra Valley bank at Loyalton, Cal. President, Mrs. W. P. Gilkerson; this morning, are engaged in a vice-president, Mrs. Theo Sandergun fight in the hills near Antelson; secretary, Mrs. Smith Goodal nations were accompanied by year; treasurer, Miss Lillie Shafer; member-at-large, Mrs. C. F. Gabe of Chilcoot,

Jones A conference of the officers will Far Eastern questions and were identical in language. That sent be held Wednesday afternoon to discuss plans of procedure. A brief outline of the purposes of the organization was presented at

the meeting last night by Mrs. Great Britain, Italy and aJpan to send representatives to a conter- Owen Phillips, the organizer. A large number of women attended (Continued on page 6) the meeting.

Reinforcements are being sent from cities adjacent to the scene of the battle and a cordon of dep-

sheriffs that she was shot by one

lous, deputies said.

fugitive. Fleming was wounded in the arm in the encounter,

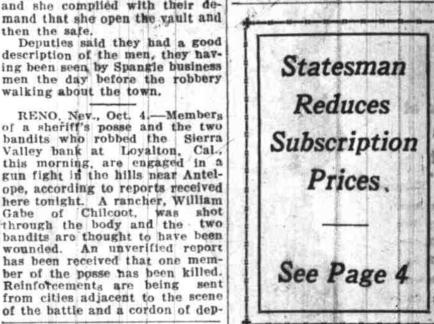
GIRL DIES

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 4 .- At late hour tonight it was an-LONG BRANCH, N. J., Oct. 4. nounced at the Spokane county While attempting to make a sheriff's office that no trace had flying leap from a speeding autobeen found of the two robbers mobile to an airplane late today, who robbed the Spangle State Miss Madeline Davis was so badbank, at Spangle, Wash., near ly injured that she died from a here of \$6,150 this afternoon atfracture of the skull in a hospital ter shooting Miss Ruth Jennings, here tonight. Her home is in the assistant cashier in the arm. Port Pierce, Fla. Miss Jennings told deputy

FORCED TO LAND

of the robbers while she was opening the safe for them. The MOUNDSVILE, W. Va. Oct. 4. robber became excited, she said, Don Campbell and Dallas Spears, when he heard the safe combinaflying circus aviators, who left tion click. The wound is not ser-McCook field, Dayton, Ohio, today Miss Jennings was alone, the for Washington, were forced to

other officers of the bank having land their airplanes here this afgone to the country to attend a ternoon after encountering a heasale, she told deputy sheriffs. vy snowstorm five thousand feet Miss Jennings said the robbers in the air. Campbell and Spears covered her with their revolvers were enroute to Richmond, Va.



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Dream of Years Realized Today When Yankees and Giants, 2 New York Teams, Fight for World Honor NEW YORK, Oct. 4 .- (By al baseball, the championship | Yankees will scamper out on | wnose speedy throwing arm George Kelly, leading home run of today are the great playing team or combination play and | Ynakees met on the home dia-

the Associated Press) - The of the universe. dream of the Metropolitan base- Star Combination Unbeaten with a combination of stars sel- to steal bases only to be thrown Emil Meusel, brother of Yankee world series history, such as the ed to heighten the glamor of of 1910 and 1914. In each case

the national sport have hoped league 1921 pennant winners, In the gray traveling uni- stops on the major circuit to- croft, one of the most finished Cubs of 1906-07-08 when Frank Regardless of the question of four games to two, with an exfor a world series battle be- meet in the first of a series of form of the Yankees will be day and Bob Meusel, heavy hit- shortstops of modern baseball, Chance led one of the fastest individual, brilliancy against tra tie contest for good meas-

tween the New York National best five out of nine games, Babe Ruth, the clouting king ting outfielder. and American league teams, which is expected to add re-Now, after 19 years of waiting, cord breaking features to the record of 59 home runs this opposed to this galaxy of ary.

ball fans has become a reality. On the historic Polo grounds dom, if ever, equalled in the out standing up; Roger Peckin-For years local followers of tomorrow afternoon the rival annals of the game. Dave Ban- Connie Maek and the Chicago Interest.

the diamond shortly after noon runner after runner has tried hitter of the National league; machines that made earlier this, in some respects, is expect- mond in the post-season series

Interest Keenest Ever and Pitchers Toney, Nehf and and smoothest working infield mechanical playing perfection, ure and the second, four games

possess both the color and the York's participation in world years later close to 400,000 fans

the National club was the victor, winning the first clash

