

FALL INDICTMENT QUASHED

BOZELL-BOLLMAN CASE IS OPENED

DEFENSE NOT REPRESENTED BY ATTORNEY

Presentation of Evidence Goes Forward Despite Absence of Former Secretary to Governor.

With neither the defendant or her counsel present, but with a heavy gallery and plenty of women in the ringside seats, the long heralded indictment action of Mrs. Alice Bozell against Celia Bollman, former private secretary to Governor Pierce, got under full steam today before a jury.

RETALIATION UPON TRUCK MEN LOOMS

County Court To Agitate General Movement To Prevent Referendum On Gross Earnings Tax

Faced by an effort of truck and stage men to refer to the people the gross earnings tax sought to be imposed by the legislature, members of the Marion county court will discuss with the state highway commission the possibility of a retaliatory move to force the truckmen and others involved to stand for their share of the tax under the new bill.

SERIOUSLY ILL



Washington, April 3.—Secretary John W. Weeks of the war department is ill with thrombosis.

JURY RETIRES TO SEAL FATE OF CHAPMAN

Case of Notorious Mail Looter Accused of Murder Closes; Four Verdicts Possible.

Hartford, Conn., April 3.—(By Associated Press).—The case against Gerald Chapman, mail looter, accused of the murder of a policeman in the New Britain store robbery was given to the jury this afternoon.

EXPERT SAYS ELLINGSON GIRL INSANE

Head of California State Asylum Considers Jazz Defective Mentally He Testifies.

San Francisco, Cal., April 3.—Dr. Fred P. Clark, medical superintendent of the state hospital for the insane at Stockton, considers Dorothy Ellingson insane, he testified today at the sanity hearing of the 17-year-old girl who killed her mother in the bedroom of her home last January after a heated discussion of the girl's night life.

Moore and Graves Endorse Head-On Parking Method

Perhaps the most extensive automobile traveler now living in Salem is George H. Graves, who last fall took a tour the length and breadth of the United States by auto. He has had occasion to see the effects and usefulness of every system of parking with which he came in contact on his tour, which extended over a period of several months and took him into every section of the country. A letter which Mr. Graves voluntarily wrote to The Capital Journal reads as follows:

SINCLAIR AND DOHENY ALSO ESCAPE TRIAL

Presence of Assistant Attorney General in Grand Jury Room Renders Indictment Illegal.

Washington, Apr. 3.—The government will appeal from the decision of the supreme court of the District of Columbia quashing indictments returned against Albert B. Fall, Edward L. Doheny, Harry F. Sinclair and Edward L. Doheny, Jr., in the oil reserve cases.

PARKING VOTE GROWS CLOSE

Journal Vote Remains In Favor of Head-on Plan; Lions Opposed and Informal Vote Against.

PARKING BALLOT
For Head-on _____
For Present Plan _____
Name _____
Address _____

At 1 o'clock this afternoon the vote being taken by The Capital Journal had resulted in 77 ballots being cast in favor of the proposed head-on parking system for the business district in Salem, as against 30 cast in favor of retaining the present head-out system.

SALEM HI LOSES TO FORT SMITH

The Salem high school basketball five lost their last chance to obtain a place in the race for the intercollegiate basketball title which is being decided in Chicago when the Fort Smith, Ark., quint defeated them this morning by a one point margin.

VEATCH REPLIES TO ROSS CHARGES

Portland, April 3.—John C. Veatch, recently appointed state fish commissioner by Governor Pierce, today filed answer to the quo warranto action brought about a week ago by Dr. Thomas W. Ross, deputy commissioner, asking that Veatch appear in court and show cause and by what authority he held office as commissioner.

TRAIN AND AUTO CRASH; MONITOR MAN IS KILLED

A. N. Moshberger, Willamette Valley Southern railway agent at Monitor, Or., near here, was instantly killed and Mrs. Moshberger was severely injured at 9:25 o'clock this morning when their automobile was run down by an Oregon Electric car on the branch line between Woodburn and West Woodburn. Their baby, who was also in the automobile, was practically unharmed.

DUELL SAYS HE'S WORST WITNESS IN WHOLE WORLD

New York, April 3.—Under perjury charges as a result of testimony which he gave in his suit to compel Lillian Gish to make pictures solely for his company and also facing disbarment proceedings, Charles H. Duell, has issued a statement terming himself "the world's worst witness" and reiterating that he and Miss Gish had been engaged.

Although a lawyer himself, Duell said that he was "utterly paralyzed and humbled" while on the witness stand. It was while he was under cross-examination that Federal Judge Mack dismissed the suit, ordered Duell held for perjury and announced disbarment proceedings will be instituted.

Duell, a son of the late Charles H. Duell, a judge of the United States court of appeals, is a member of an old Knickerbocker family. He is related to Ethel Root. Duell made public a letter he said had been written by Miss Gish's mother, in support of his claim of an engagement. An excerpt from the letter read:

DAWES NOW HONORARY MEMBER OF "40 AND 8"

Chicago, April 3.—Vice-President Charles G. Dawes was made a member of the "40 and 8" honor division of the American Legion yesterday. He responded by contributing \$1,000 to the endowment drive launched recently by the American Legion.

SHEPHERD AGAIN IS REFUSED BAIL

Chicago, Apr. 2.—Circuit Judge William M. Brothers refused today to entertain a motion to admit to bail William D. Shepherd, charged with murder. Chief Justice Hopkins in the criminal court twice previously refused bail twice.

Seek Dissolution Of Gervais Union School District

With six out of the seven school districts constituting the Gervais union high school district on petitions asking for an election to pass on the dissolution of the district, the county boundary board today authorized an election on the subject at the regular annual meeting times of the districts on the third Monday in June.

ALBERT TOZIER NAMED CARETAKER AT CHAMPOEG

Albert Tozier, veteran Oregon newspaperman and pioneer, was yesterday appointed by the state board of control as caretaker at Champeog at a salary of \$65 a month. Mr. Tozier's home is at Dee, Or.

FORMER DRAGON OF KLAN INDICTED

Indianapolis, Ind., Apr. 3.—D. C. Stephenson, former grand dragon of the Ku Klux Klan in Indiana, was indicted today by the Marion county grand jury on five charges in connection with an alleged attack on Miss Madge Oberholzer of Indianapolis.

ENJOIN SALE OF FEDERAL SHIPS

Washington, Apr. 3.—A temporary injunction blocking sale of the shipping board's California-Orient line, was issued today by Justice Hix of the District of Columbia supreme court.

GRAND JURY CLEARS POLICE OF "FRAME UP"

New Orleans, La., April 3.—The grand jury investigating the case of Raymond W. Holland, 21, of Stoneville, Ohio, who after being arrested while holding up a drug store here last February, declared he was forced to commit the crime by a policeman, verbally reported last night the youth had not been "framed" as charged.

Fish That Flirt and Monkeys That Brush Teeth are Described

New York, April 3.—Fish that flirt and climb trees, monkeys that brush their teeth after every meal and birds that sleep upside down are a few of the animals described last night by Carver Wells, F. R. G. S. explorer, in a lecture reciting his six years of adventure in the jungles of the Malay peninsula.