

Given \$5000; Charity

Will

OFFICERS UNDER FIRE

Conspiracy Case in Chic No Fed Court Produces cral

BY H. G. HOUSER United News Staff Corresponde CHICAGO, Oct. 28. - Behind the story of how \$15,000,000 led down unsanctified throats park. here in 1924 was an amasing

tale of graft and corruption in ed to vote for every recommendcording to testimony against for- relative to the enlargement and mer Prohibition Director Percy B. Owen and State Senator Lowell B. Mason, on trial for conspiracy

to violate the Volstead act.

This side of the picture was ald Wenner and Earl Crow. told from the stand today by Harry (R. Schlau, a bathhouse proprietor and admitted "go-between" man for wine dealers who sought to slake the thirsts their, "congragations," and Owen who issued the sacramental wine permits.

Crooks Given Jobs To snip the usual red tage involved with the issuance of a

permit, Schlau said, aides of the wine ring were given jobs as dry (UP)-Eight members of the carsleuths to investigate the standpenter's union were indicted by ing of applicants for permits. the county grand jury early today Invariably this meant approval on murder charges in connection A similar amount is given to Pat of the permit and the collection with the killing of W. C. Campor of a \$300 fee by Louis Abeleon, bell, a Bon-union carpenter who a "fixer," who divided with the was slagged to death. The jury s action followed a long session in

Abelson, who also accupied the which 16 witnesses were heard. stand, corroborated Schlau's These indicted were: Avehistory with the exception of ac-cusing Owen and that he picture bald J. Moeney, vice-president of cusing Owen and that he picture bald J. Moeney, vice-president of the Brotherheod of Cargenters; and J. Content of Cargenters; and J. Moeney, vice-president of Cargenters; and J. Moeney, vice-p

Lithians, who this week adopted a report of a special water bond ommittee, in which every phase Not Mentioned in Last of the proposed issue is given inrsement.

The committee emphasized es-CHICAGO, Oct. 28 .--- (United pecially the vital need of repair- News) — A merchant p r i n c e 'a ing the mineral water pipe line philosophy of wealth was revealed which carrid Ashland's famed postBumously here when the will worth of sacramental wines trick- the public fountains in Lithia Marshall Field and company, dismineral water from the springs to of John G. Shedd, late head of posing of \$15,215,000, was filed

During his life time, while he the ranks of the dry sleuths, ac- ation which will be submitted was still young enough to enjoy the fruits of good work Shedd gave millions of dollars to charity improvement of the city's water but of the vast fortune that he

Members of the special com- left at his neath not a cent goes mittee were B. C. Forsythe, Ger- to charitable objects.

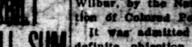
Built Big Aquari One of the gifts / that made Shedd a nationally known philanthropist was the \$3,090,000" which he gave to Chicago for the matruction of a large aquarium in Grant Park.

"During my life I have made what I regarded as appropriate gifts to charity." Shedd wrote in his will, apparently, explaining why all of his estate was being

left to friends and relatives. Helps Employes his "faithful and skilled

hauffeur," Reuben Delaunty, Shedd's will bequeaths \$5,000. rick Brittain, an employe of the Shedd winter home in Pasadena. To each of his servants who

years Shedd left \$1,000.



Dr. Robison's message was pre-

faced by the letter "M" repeated nine times and then "GBR" which is Rugby's call station.



Lives CONSTANTINOPLE. Oct. -27 (United News) -- An unconirmed report from Erivan, Rus-

man giving the name of anel people were killed during the earthquakes last week end in that held in connection with Portland's section. three mystery deaths early today. It says that the towns of Alach The family called the police after the man entered the house and ir, Echmiadzin, Uenibayazid and Gheumri were completely destroyed while parts of Alexand-

roplis were demolished. It was said at police beadquar OTAL REGISTRATION OF VOTERS IS GIVE

> There Are 359,236 Eligible to Cast Ballots in Qregon SALEM, Oct. 28 .- A total o 359,236 voters in Oregon have registered to cast their ballots in personally in his campaign. He

ed to the Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, by the National American for of Cohored People. It was admitted here that he state's 36 counties.

ANOTHER PROBE

is Not Interested in

Candidates

defeat of Senator Stanfield.

Clark said.



ter writing contest as conducted HEARING NEARS CLOSE y The Ashland Tidings. Mrs. Albert Segsworth won sec ctric Company+Head Says ond prize and Mrs. Mamie Dudley won third prize.

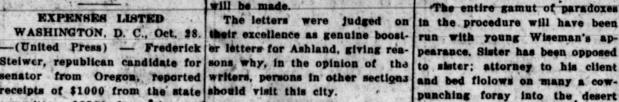
These awards were announced PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 28. _ today noon by the judges- who (United Press) - F. M. Clark read the letters submitted their of Philadelphia, chairman of the findings. The Judges were J. H executive board of the Portland Hardy, president of the Kiwanis club; O. F. Carson, president of ing before Senator McNary in the chamber of commerce; G. A the election investigation now Briscoe, superintendent of Electric Power company, appearunder way, today denied a report schools; J. A. Churchill, presi-that his company had paid The Oregonian \$35,000 to cause the dent of the Women's Civic club. Mrs. P. K. Hammond, vice-presi-The judges also asked that Ted "The company is not in poli-Kinney, a normal school student, tics /as affects . candidates." Mr. be given honorable mention for

> his letter, which they said was of exceptional merit. DENIAL MADE

The contest created city-wide WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28. (United Press) -Walter large number of entries, and the Hayes, vice-president of the Na- judges found it a difficult task to tional Securities company, today eliminate many letters which they

denied that he ever charged that regarded almost equal to those the Portland Electric Power com- which they placed as the three pany gave \$35,000 to the Port- highest. and Oregonian to cause the de-The three prize winners will feat of Senator Stanfield. "I never heard of the com-

pany, he sald. will be made. EXPENSES LISTED



receipts of \$1000 from the state should visit this city. committee, \$2500 from the national committee and \$598 spent NOTED CI

also acknowledge \$2750 which

for 25 Days

UNCONSCIOUS

Defense Expected to Com-plete its Testimony by Tonight

Call Tidings office by 6:30 if

will be sent.

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NO.

DECISION IS EXPECTED

Judge Expected to Hand Down Ruling Within a Sho

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 28. -United News) - A decision in the Aimee Semple McPherson perjury hearing may be reached within a few days it was indicated Wednesday when counsel for the defense announced that only two more witnesses remain to be called and unless further legal wrangles are precipitated the defense will rest today.

It became definitely known that the evangelist would not take the stand in her own defense, following, the announcement of W. I. Gilbert, as the nterest as was evidenced by the witnesses who will complete the testimony of the defense have been named.

Will Call Boy

A last sweeping bit of melodrama will be infused into the lengthy hearing, when 19 year be old Robert Wiseman will be askspecial guests of the Kiwanis club led to take the stand and brand tomorrow noon at which time the Ws mother, Mrs. Lorrain Wisecash awards of \$15, \$10 and \$54 man, the "hoar woman," a liar. The entire gamut of paradoxes The letters were judged on in the procedure will have been to sister; attorney to his client punching foray into the desert have taken sides against each other in this trial without paral-

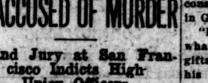
Another defense witness, Los lie Swan, handwriting expert, is scheduled to procede young Wise-Frank Tinney Has Been man and point out symptoms of



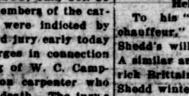
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Grand Jury at San Fran-cisco Indicts High Union Officers

To



SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 28



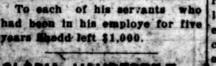


NEWPORA R. I., Oct. 28.-United News)-Gloria Morgan

Vanderbilt, widow of the late Reg-

"prince of spenders," will have to

inald Claypole Vanderbilt, t h e



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football team to play Colente uness Ray Vaughan & colored play er, was kept on the bench, in condemned in a protect forward-ed to the Sectorary of the Navy Wilbur, by the National America-tion of Column People.

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ere legal." Scheme Outlined The business began early in 1924, when Schlau said he slip-1924, when Schlau said he slip-ped Owen \$50 in a glove. It was Abelson who are said to the KING FERDINAND IS Abelson who suggested "the racket" to him, Schlau said, and by the end of the year fees were coming in amounts as high as \$1,600. Abelson's scheme as outlined by Schlau was to line up a lot of wine dealers willing to pay money for sacramental wine per-

mits; Schlau, as a friend of Owen's was to induce the prohi- News) - The Telegraph Union has bition director to cooperate; with published a dispatch from its Bel-Owens help friendly. investiga- grade, Jugo-Slavia correspondent tors could be appointed, and in which he quotes Bucharest rethen it would be all over but the ports that the health of King Fercollecting. J Price is Raised

Each dealer paid \$300 for a cable to Queen Marie, which repermit which entitled him to quested her to discontinue her distribute 2,000 gallons of wine. American trip and return home Later the fee was raised to \$400 immediately.

as the business progressed to great proportions and greater risks, according to Schlan,

So far no direct testimony has been introduced to show that Marshfield Boy Mason, the "dry" czar, shared in the graft.

The case is declared by federal prosecutors to involve one of the largest liquor conspiracies yet uncovered in the middle west.



SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 28. four days. Wilson's claim is known as the Rainbow mine, and is located in the Indian creek see- Bids On Store. tion of the mother lode region.

Saunders Funeral Plans Announced (UP)_Whether the J. G. Brill bid of \$30,593 for the Pilcher

Madison, John Cannon and Chris O'Sullivan, all carpenters.

REPORTED OUITE

Queen Marie May be Asked to Return to, Rumania be satisfied with a paitry legacy Soon .

of \$82.000. Regimald waded through a for-BERLIN. Oct. 28 .- (United tune of more than a million dol- River. lars and died just \$275,000 in debt. After all the debts were paid, two handsome estates and the furniture, there was left \$82,-000 for Mrs. Vanderbilt. dinand of Rumania has taken a

The village council of Ports-mouth, where Vanderbilt's palamost serious turn, necessitating a tial country house was located. sat as a probate court this afternoon, and granted the widow \$82,000 in the final wind up of

Confirmation of the report the affairs of the estate. from other sources is lacking. "Slim" Is Given

To Be Decided

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 28.-



LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18 .-MARSHFIELD, Ore., Oct. 28. (United News)-Carl Dane; for--Homer James, 9, son of Mrs. S. mer carpenter, whose role James, Millington, was almost in- of "Slim" in "The Big Parade" stantly killed on the highway near here late Tuesday afternoon the movies overnight, secured a when he was struck by a car driv-en by Mrs. Bessie McElkern of Emma Bane.

North Bend.

According to witnesses, the lad Thomas Campbell and had been hanging on the back of a truck. He suddenly **Dies In Portland**

Divorce Decree

PORTLAND, Oct. 28 .- Thomas K. Campbell, chairman of , the Oregon public service commission, died here Wednesday. He was for many years a leader in the regulation of railroads and other utilities.

Rumania To Ask Loan From U.S.

Plans Announces Funeral services for Mps. J. B. Sounders, who passed away Mon-day after a lingering ilmass, will be held at Y o'eldek tomorrew af-Sons chapel. Burial will be in Ashland cemetery.

S LEFT SMALL SUM definite objection to Vaughan's playing was in the hands of the Collision Sinks

Widow of "Prince of Spend-ers" Will Receive Just \$82,000 Savage Rapids

Screen Ordered PORTLAND, Oct. 28. On mouth of the Mississippi river their bid of \$4,350; the Willamet- early today in a collision, with

city was awarded the contract for fish screen for the turbines at The Madison was undamaged.

River Steamship NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 28. (UP)-The steamship Louisiana primaries was sunk at South Pass, near the

te Iron and Steel works of this the steamer Madison. The only casualty listed was a panic strick-on member of the crew who leap-ish S. P. C. A. annually, 'are "It is the longest I have Savage rapids dam on the Rogue ed overboard and was drowned. turned over to a fur dealer in return for a fixed sum.

It Sills in Our Craw



ST. LOUIS. Oct. 25.-(United Press) - Senator James A. Reed, chairman of the senatorial investigation committee, today announced he would ask Senator

DETROIT, Oct. 28.-(United McNary of Oregon to investigate face comedian, is establishing "light and darkness" sermon. expenditures made in the Arizona what doctors here believe may be

a record for semi-consciousness.

Dr. L. F. Hyslip, Tinney's physi- mony. cian, said tonight.

his semi-consciousness.

oring" in the specimens found at the Carmel cottage and at Ocean Park beach where Mrs. McPherson prepared News)-Frank Tinney, black- the notes for her now famous

The defense will attempt to have young Wiseman brand false Tinney, who was brought to certain details of his mother's the St. Mary's hospital on Octo- journeys to Salinas and Carmel The bodies of 50,000 cats, ber 2, suffering with pleurisy, has in her role as producer of "Miss X." He accompanied his mother "It is the longest I have ever on several such expeditions, it seen a man remain in this state," was developed from her testi-

It was indicated that argu-Tinney seems to be regaining ments would be in order before his physical strength, but does Thursday's session was concludnot appear to be working out of ed, but no intimation of their, length was to be had from either



the Mystic Shrine, whose membership is spread over all Southern Oregon, is to make a pilgrimage and stage a ceremonial at Roseburg, on Thursday, November 18, for which extensive preparations

are in the making. Parent-Teacher **Congress** Opens

SALEM. Oct. 28.- (United Posse Searching from all sections of Oregon were in attendance at the 21-st annual convention at the Oregon, Cougress of Parents and Teachers,

which opened here Tuesday night for a four day session.

Comedian Is Sued

NEW YORK. Oct. 27.—(Unit-ed Nnews) Georgie Price, the Shubert comedian, has been given an opportunity to laugh off a 100,000 damage suit summons served by attorneys for Kathryn Ray, another Brondway favorite hitherto billed as the "most beat-tiful women in the arche" and the set of t

tiful woman in the world." London's dukthing contain 1,-500.000 tons of rubbish every year, removal of which costs 700.000 pounds. 700,000 poinds.

ROME, Oct. 28.- (United News)-No force in the world and especially no external force can break the unity of fascist Italy, Premier Mussolini said Wednesday in a message sent the newspaper. Tribune as his com ment on Thursday's fourth anniversary of the fascist march on Rome.

For Mail Outlaws

PAXTON, III., Oct. 28.-(UP) Several hundred possemen are searching the countryside today for three members of the gang who entered the postoffice . here early today and shot Harry Swan-By Pretty Dancer son, mail clerk, who was alone at the time. Swanson is believed to be fatally injured.

