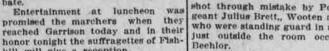


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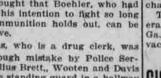
who were standing guard in a hallway just outside the room occupied by Boehler who came to Memphis from Indiana in a houseboat attacked his wife from whom he was separated in a boarding house where she had apartments with her four years old daughter. Occupants of the house heard the two scuffling but the only witness to the killing was the child who met officers who had been sum-moned with the announcement that "papa has killed mamma." The mamma was found lying on the floor,

CIGAR FACTORY GIRL Has Been Earning Four Dollars a Week, Can Now Spend Millions.

so-called controlling interests' would get only six per cent of the to tal, capitalization of the Southern Pacific company or an "infinitesima

and credits, was to be resumed at the afternoon session. It was expecta his testimony would be ended today. expected Mr. Morgan, surrounded by nearly a is partners and attorne

answered with apparent freedom all



shot through mistake by Police Ser geant Julius Brett,, Wooten and Davis

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Another Suffragette to Jall.

By Associated Press. Dec. 18 — Another milita e. Norah Laokey, 53 years ant to jail for three mont giving false fire alarma.

4 or 5 O'clock This

years, is regarded by many as the po litical adviser of the president, and so thoroughly fixed has this impression become in the popular mind that Mr. Hitchcock could never make the peo-ple believe that he had taken no active interest in political affairs of late

Mr. Bryan for secretary of state and Mr. Daniels for secretary of the inte-rior, is the way the thing stands in

Acheville today, Incidents of a Dinner Party, The following were dinner guests with Mr. Bryan at the Battery Park hotel just evening: Mr. and Mrs. Locke Craig, Josephus Daniels, Dr. L. B. McBrayer, John C. Mills and two sons McBrayer, John C. Mills and two sons of Rutherfordton, Dr. 2. M. Gudger, W. F. Randolph, J. W. Pless of Ma-rion, Owen Gudger, W. H. Zimmer-man and P. C. Cocke. Dr. Gudger picked Bryan as a pres-idential possibility four years before he was nominated, and has been a

idential possibility four years before he was nominated, and has been a sincere Bryan man all alons. He had been impressed by Mr. Bryan's first speech in congress, and had sen for the full text of it, as well as of Mr. Bryan's subscuper and faithfur reader of this. Dr. Gudger said he was a regular subscriber and faithfur reader of the Commoner, and Mr. Ergan claimed enough intimacy with the mail list to be able to verify this, too. Mr. Bryan remarked in effect that he was going to suggest to his friend Frank Seely that he build some cot-tages at the Grove Park inn: "I like to rent a cottage: 1 do not like stay-informed him that plans for 15 cot-tages are already drawn. The impre-sion was received that Mr. Bryan with Mrs. Ergan. Hegarded as Significant.

Mrs. Eryan. Hegarded as Significant. Mr. Seely was to take Mr. Bryan to the station is his automobile. Some-thing was and about saving time by yoing to Biltmore, and it was also successful that the train might be held for the Nebraskan. Mr. Daniels was inclined to feel sure this could be done; and thereupon Mr. Bryan and mitcant. "Is the Bouthern aiready suxtous about renswing its mail con-tracts?" is about the way he put it. Mr. Bryan went, from here to Greenaboro, thence east, to meet Mr. Villeon, it is supposed.

ones to Ask Cabinet Place

kill will give a reception. Business engagements forced Alphonse Major, the "quartermaster" of the expedition to desert today and a picturesque farm wagon replaced his automobile as a baggage conveyance.

WOULD HAVE PROVISION FOR EMERGENCY JUDGES

Bickett Terms Its Lack "Cost-

ly and Cruel Defect"-Crime Statistics.

ure of the man and heard an exclama tion of warning from a bystander opened fire. One of the bullets lodge in Parson's abdomen, another in his leg and another in his thigh. It is not hought he can recover.

sickness in the family of a judge with-out demoralization of public business. The fact that the solicitors convict 84 out of every 100 accused is proof they do their duty, the attorney general declares. The report covers the activ-ities of the dpartment for wo years and bristles with pointed expressions.

Suffragists to Print a Newspaper

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 18.—Woman suf-fragisis here are proparing to isunch a newspaper in a campaign for the en-franchisement of the women of New York state in 1915. An editorial start has been assembled by Mrs. Harriet Stanton Elatch, leader of the Woman's Political Union, and under her editor whip the paper is to appear workly as "the woman's political world." It is declared to be the start woman's paper gaveted exclusively to political All the other occupants of the house made hurried exits when warned by Boshler's room mate.

her throat cut. She died within a fer According to the child By Associated Press. Kinston, N. Y., Dec. 19.-Miss Esther Sleight, an 18 years old gir

Pochler, after cutting the woman's his h and and left before the police who for the past year has earned four arrived. dollars a week in a cigar factory here

Boohler was traced to his rooming will leave next week for Vancouver to claim a legacy left here in the will house on Main street near Adams street where he had entrenched himof Mrs. Charles Vandewater of this city. According to the advices re-ceived here, Miss Sleight is made the self after driving his room mate from the room. A demand that he surren der was replied to with a bullet residuary legatee of an estate worth through the door and a moment later several millions. Miss Sleight met Parsons, attracted by the shooting Mrs. Vandewater while she was work appeared on a balcony of an adjoining years ago and the two became fast building. Brett armed with a riot gu was standing guard on the street 50 yards distant and when he saw the fig

PRIZE CORN GROWERS TAKING IN WASHINGTON

Invasion from Ohio Follows One from Alabama—Secretary Wilson Welcomes Youngsters.

By Associated Press Washington, Dec. 19.—The agricul-tral department today is in the hands

wooten and Davis were shot an hour later. Opening the door just enough to put forth the barrel of his rifle. Boehler opened fire in the dark-ness. One of his bullets struck Woot-en in the right shoulder and passed through his body. His right lung was performated and while his wound is performated and while his wound is f prize corn raising boys from Ohio Secretary Wilson and his associates welcomed the invaders, even though they scarcely had recovered from the onslaught of a band of prize cotion raising boys from Alabama. The lad are members of corn and cotton club that are fostered by the department and the sixte arricultural boards and their trips to the capital were won by them as prizes for raising the great-est one-acre crops of both staples in their home counties.

Secretary Wilson personally com-mended the youngsters and gave them some professional advice. The visi-tors awarmed through the laboratories and visited the various bureaus of the Mary.

ONE WILSON LETTER WRITER IS HELD TO THE GRAND JURY

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 13.—Jacob Dunn, sione of the three mountaineers charged with having sent threatening letters to President-elect Wilson, was held for the grand jury at the con-lusion of his preliminary hearing.



Embalmed Separately.

By Associated Press. Munich, Vavaria, Dec. 19.—The

ody of the late, Prince Luitpold of Pavaria was carried this morning to its sepulchre beneath the altar of the Church of the Theatines in this city and laid beside that of King Maximillian II. The German emperor, the king of the Belgians, the king of Sax-Ferdinand ony. Archduke Francis ony, Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir apparent of Austria-Hungary, and a number of princes representing the royal houses of Europe followed the coffin in the procession which passed through streets crowded with mourners.

All the time the procession was of the way to the church, and also dur-ing the service, minute guns were fired and the church bells throughout the city were tolled.

Although during his life the aged prince regent had declined to adopt the royal title, because, as he said, the real king was still living but unable to rule on account of insanity, Ba-varia treated the dead Luitpold with kingly honors. The funeral was con-ducted with all the ritual employed in the case of Bavarian sovereigns, in-cluding the escort attired in medieval ostumes, while the coffin was ac-ompanied by cowled candle-bearers. The heart of the dead regent was mbained separately and interred with basined separately and interred with

those of many preceding Bavarian rulers at the village of Alt-Oetting, where it reposes in a sliver case be-side the famous shrine of the Virgin

Friend of Edgar Allen Poe Dead.

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Dec. 19.--William Price, the oldest lawyer in Philadel-phia, who was a close friend of Edgar Allen Poe, when the poot was a resi-dent of this city, died at his home here last night, aged 35 years. My, Price was a member of the bar seven-wethere years

Afternoon.

questioning. He agreed that through "voting trusts," several of which ex-isted in his company, a few trustees

GAZETTE-NEWS BUREAU, DAILY NEWS BUILDING, Greensboro, Dec. 19. When court adjourned at noon tocould name the directors who, in turn, would name the officers of great in-Greensboro, Dec. 19. When court adjourned at noon to-day there remained to be delivered but one speech and the charge of Judge Whedbee, and by 5 o'clock it is believed the case of the state against W. F. Blair for the murder of George

Thompson will be in the hands of the about control and a unity of action. He declared that without a majorury W. W. Barbee and E. J. Justice ity of the boards such men could not

spoke for the defense this morning dictate affairs or control the corpora-

spoke for the defense this morning unchanged and Solicitor Gattys for the state. Former Solicitor A. L. Brooks will have the final word with the jury this afternoon. Mr. Untermyer as to the opportunity offered a few men to control general

Last night may have been William banking conditions, through such participation as Morgan & Co. have on the boards of directors of the leading Finley Blair's last in a darkened steel ribbed cell of Guilford's jail. By to-night, barring failure to reach an anks of New York.

J. P. Morgan resumed the witness early agreement, the jury will have spoken the simple words which may stand today before the money trust investigating committee.

mean life or death, prison or liberty to the prisoner. A session of court last night lasting until 11 o'clock made The financier's lawyers R. V. Linda-bury, Joseph A. Choate, Delancy Ni-col and John C. Spooner, held a whisit possible for the case to go to the jury by 4 o'clock today, or at the pered conference as Mr. Morgan took latest 5 o'clock. Should the verdict be the stand and Mr. Untermyer, coun-guilty of first degree murder the state sel for the committee, began the exwill demand the life of Blair; if sec-amination. ond degree the maximum penalty is "Can't y

"Can't you give the committee a sentence is 15 years with a minimum of two years. If not guilty the prison-er, of course, goes free.

Mr. Morgan approximated it about \$100,000,000. He said he would fur-

r, of course, goes free. The defense yesterday closed its nish a statement showing the figures. Mr. Morgan said he and his partase within an hour after court conpers were directors in some of the interstate corporations that "have ac-counts with J. P. Morgan & Co." His counsel agreed to furnish a list of vened. A procession of character wit-nesses, including present and past congressmen, bankers, preachers, politi-cians and merchants filed to and from the witness stand, each swearing that the prisoner's general reputation was Mr. Morgan prot

Mr. Morgan produced, in response

the prisoner's general reputation was good. Two minor witnesses were re-called and the evidence upon which young Blair hoped to get an acquital verdict was before the jury. In rebutal the state called several witnesses, principal among whom were Dr. J. W. Tankersley, A. O. Mel-vin, Dr. W. M. Jones and Chief of Police iseley. Their evidence was im-portant principally in that it went to impeach Blair's own story of the "You are acting for a number m

portant principally in that it went to impeach Hiair's own story of the shooting of George G. Thompson, and for whose alleged willful and mali-cious murder he is on trial for his life. Dr. Tankersley swore that he hurried to the Blair home, reaching there be-fore Thompson was dead. He wuit immediately to the prostrate body. From beneath the body he pollied the crumpled and battered stiff hat worn by Thompson. Hair had testified that Thompson ran him over the house and from room to room. other corporations, are you not, in-cluding the United States Steel cor-poration?" suggested Mr. Uniter-

"Yes, but that is by a resolution of he board of directors of the stass opportion," said Mr. Morran. Fiscal Agent for Maoy Lines. As to other agreements whereby he Morran house because facult agent for corporations, he mid, they were



He is in a room on the second floo toward the center of the building. Unless Bochler makes an attempt to excape it is the plan of the police to Harve him out. big department.

serious it is not regarded as necessa-rily fatal. A builet srazed Davis' face but after the abrasion was dressed he resumed his poet with the besieging party. Boebler's fire was returned but it is not thought he was wounded. The building where the man is hold-ing forth is an old four-story struc-ture and the only means of exit are narrow front and rear stairways and a window.