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HEAVY !

Probably This Is The Reason The "Oleander" Got Behind On

Its Schedule!

JURY HAS HEARD ALL EVIDENCE

court trial of F. C. Watkins for the in the witness box and he could promurder of John Hill Bunting at Black cord as long as he wished with his

picted at the time of adjournment, J. J. Mackey, J. L. Stepp, Marcus Er-lien. Thomas Settle making a force- win, E. J. Dodson, J. K. Chambers,

ful and eloquent presentation of the testified that Watkins' character was strite's contention that policeman good. W. E. Goodson testified to the

Watkins, though he had a right to sume effect, telling on cross examina-come to the hotel on demand of its tion that he had heard, since the trag-

the and wounded his companion, Paul on Friday of the killing he saw Wat-C. Collins.

Line at Billmore and on the train and the day was featured by the testi-

These were the serious features but to 17 and then room 19 where he

he attention of the spectators. On following him into the room

Mountain August 7 was concluded questions

esterday afternoon and the first of

the arguments of counsel was com-

OF BOTH SIDES IN WATKINS CASE

Testimony Closed Yesterday and Mr. Settle Began Argument for Defense. Ladies

Gave Lighter Touch to Grim Court Proceedings By Their Flashes of

Humor.

All the evidence in the Superior ed him that she was quite comfortable some one turned the handle of the

Opening Testimony, W. M. Harris, Lafayette Burnett,

proprietor to quell disorderly conduct, edy, people say he was too quick on Before the shooting she saw the mer had without proper cause killed Bunt- trigger. Henry Patton testified that

mony of Miss Margaret Louise Wood- Miss Margaret Louise Woodruff the court room but was not able to ruff, formerly of Springfield, Mass., tertified that she occupied room 21 testify because such excitement would

Clem Jones and Burley Gowan, negro heard profane language, the worst hotel employes, were in the room as the had ever heard, which continued to identify a printed copy of the town

the contrary they were more interest- Lins struck a match as he went in and men, of her notifying proprietor Man-

d in the humorous incidents which when it went out another was struck. It who said he was not physically able were brought out in the course of the de told Clem to light a lamp. After to go upstairs and quiet them. She

Mr. Craig. The former proved her-former proved her-telf a young weman of girlish manner the negroes began to back out so the two darkies came, witness said

he had captured the traditional Tar-tar and he did seem averse to escaping could and the two negroes were shut

Wat-

cated and using vulgar language and tel abut 11 and they were noisy behad been shopping.
that at the time the shooting took tween 11 and 12, going from one room place neither of the state's witnesses, to another. She fell asleep and later racking." Mr. Settle

EXTENSIVE PLANS FOR GROVE PARK ARE ANNOUNCED

Grove Park Enlarged to In- Throw Bottles of Acid in Balclude Four Hundred Acres And Mountain Side

UNIFORM SCHEME OF DEVELOPMENT

Good Roads And Counterweight Rallway Will Make Every Part Accessible

W. Grove of \$78 acres of land on the side and top of Sunset meuntain means a development of more value and importance to Asheville than any of recent years, one which assures an addition of the highest attractive ness to the city and means employment to many men.

The plans were made public yesterday upon the securing of deeds to the last piece of necessary land call for the building of a counterweight railway from near the Golf club station to the highest point of Sunset mountain, the construction of an automobile boulevard from Charlotte street to a point near Overlook park and the macadamizing of roads along the mountain sides which will be turned into spacious residential lots interspersed with parks and plots of grass and flowers. In brief the property will become a part of the existing E. W. Grove park which it is officially announced will be made the most beautiful and extensive residential park in the South.

Since his exquisite beautification of the original tract of 40 acres on the west side of Charlotte street and the purchase of the 15-acre Deake property on the opposite side of the thoroughfare Dr. Grove's plans have been developing until today they are on a scale which undoubtedly means the expenditure of more than half a milion dollars, possibly a million since the matter of expense will not be considered. Dr. Grove has acquired from the Proximity Park company 15 acres adjoining the Deake property, 36 acres of the T. D. Johnston de, 80 from the T. W. Patton helrs, the 18-acre Mills place, the 3-acre Dawson place, the Vance orchard of 9 acres, and 282 acres from R S Howland, this being all of the latter's holdings except 15 acres surcounding his residence, the total of

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HE WAS LOCKED IN CELL

ON COMPLAINT SHE MADE

When He Refused to Return

to Her, Wife Draws Pis-

tol and Fires

POLICEMEN PRESENT

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.-Through the

bars of the cell where he had been

placed only two hours earlier on a

warrant sworn out by her charging

abandonment, Mrs. Esther Levy to-

day fatally shot her husband, Abra-

Mrs. Levy visited the cell room of

lock-up keeper had a chance to in

terfere, shot through the bare at Le-

In the bullding at the time wer

She was taken to the women's an-

The victim of the shooting was re-

When Mrs. Levy secured the war-

man to support their four chil-

with Levy said Mrs. Levy betrayed

ne excitement in conversing with

the children?" asked the visitor.

to dodge the builet.

"Are you coming back to me and

"No," answered Levy, "you put me

here and here I will remain. You tell your story to the judge."

Mrs. Levy then stepped back a pace

to one side of the cell in an attempt

moved to a hospital in an unconscious

condition from a wound in the abdo-

pex of the station where she became

vy, inflicting a fatat wound

score or more of policemen.

ham Levy, a tailor.

her jacket and fired.

hysterical.

SUFFRAGETTES IN FIGHTFOR BALLOT TURN DESPERATE

lot Boxes at Election in London Borough

METHODS APPROVED BY LEADING WOMEN

Some Officials Were Burned Standard Oil Magnate Ex-And Brave Ladles Were Arrested

ent intention of destroying ballots in box at the Bermondsey today as a feller to fight the "hook worm" dis protest against the exclusion of women from the right of franchise, Mrs. the Standard Oil company late today Tapin, a suffragette, this morning nashed a bottle containing corrosive eld upon the ballot box.

What she accomplished was cinful burning of some of the election officers and the assurance of her wn arrest. Slipping into one of the booths where perhaps a thousand balats had been deposited Mrs. Chapin drew from under her clouk a bottle way last Tuesday and at that meetn which ink had been mixed with ing Mr prosive acid, and before she could stopped hurled the bottle upon the It broke into many pieces and hox. It broke into many pieces and macussed. As a result of this dis-the flying seld spkushed upon the elections and the situation the "Rocke-

injured as to require medical atten-

Government Responsible.

About the same time a similar outage was attempted at another booth by a young girl who were the suffrak-gette colors. In the latter instance In the latter instance. little damage was done beyond the airning of the finger tips of the election officials who removed the bro-ken bits of glass. So far as could be scertained not smuch acid reached the ballots in wither case

Later in an interview Miss Christbel Pankhurst while deploring the wounding of the officials, asserted with much emphasis:
"It is the government that is re-

sponsible. It is the government that drive women to these acts."

ague, the members of which glory e what was sound It was members of this same tracks who picketed the house of commons for fifteen weeks. The league's secretary is Mrs. Edith

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HOOK WORM MAYAS WELLQUIT JOHN D. IS OUT AFTER HIM

Gives Million Dollars to Commission to Spend in Eradicating The Disease

LAZY FOLK WILL HAVE NO EXCUSE LEFT THEM

presses HIs Great Love And Admiration For South

NEW YORK, Oct. 28 -A gift of

scientists, selected in large part from ard Oil company's offices at 26 Broad Rockefeller's desire to organizaga commission to carry on campaign against the malady was A number of these were so severely of the hook worm disease" was origned as to require medical attenon.

The members of this comm The members of this commission as selected by Mr. Rockefeller are Dr. William H. Welch, professor of that Hology in Johns Hopkins university; president of the American Medical Association,

Dr. Simon Flexner. Rockefeller institute for medical re-

search.

Dr. Christa W. Stiles, chief of the dividing of knology. United States nubler handth and marine hospital service, uncodiscoverer of the American special control of the dispase in America.

Dr. Christalia of Virginia.

the University of Virginia. Planned By Club.

It appears that today's violence was of William to university. St. Louis, lanned by 'the, women's freedom Mo.

Processor P. Pr. Palaxton, professor Company of Ten-

Hen L.Y. Joyngr, state superin-

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NEGROES VICTIMS

THE BLAND OF CHE. 28 - John

Dalk application and and mile mile

has been supping the strength of the

ganized wayfare against the "necator

States withird the climate and soil are

vell defined geographical limit—it is

Unsanitary conditions on the farms

the researches of Dr. Stiles, Dr. Wil-

tities, but in the blacks its direct ef-

ots seem to be far less virulent. The effects of the hook worm, both

sect and indirect, are distressing

The direct results are retardation of

and dangerous to the economic wel-

physical and mental development, ex-

reme anemia, often mistaken for ma-

heria, abers on the shins and weak-

ress, frequently characterized as tazi

Among the indirect effects of the

becase is predisposition to pulmonary

peases, increasing the death rate ap

croudbly, (A significant fact regard

ng this feature of the disease is tha

the negroes, who seem more general by infected with the hook worm, suf-

or three times the mortality from

Dr. Weston who has made an ex-ended study of the disease, has found

achieved some satisfactory cures.

favorable to its propagation.

otomac and Oho rivers

1 September

Assassin Admits He Was Next to Tuberculosis is the One of Secret Society to One Great Scourge of Kill the Statesman ·the South

OTHERS INVOLVED

TOKIO, Oct. 28.-Bearing hom yard the body of Prince Ito, the Japanese warship Iwate left Dairen this morning. The body rests in a plair casket and is accompanied by President Nakamura, of the Southern war on the malady which for decades Manchurian railway and nine others. Prior to the departure of the warthe police station where her husband ship all music was prohibited in Dairen where also stags were kept at was confined and before the startfed half mast. Representatives of the emperor of Japan will board the warship at Sasebox The vessel is due to arrive at Yokosuka, the naval sta-

tion near Yokohama on Monday, MPS Levy had no difficulty in obtaining All social functions, including the ball which was to have been held at permission to visit her husband. She stood in the corridor of the cage the foreign ministry on the emper or's birthday have been postponed. talking in a low value to the prisoner, who remained locked in his cell. Preparations for an imposing stat Suddenly she drew the revolver uneral are being made, and a mag-

which had been concealed beneath nificent shrine will be erected in th nidst of the tembs and temples of the great Shogons at Shiba park.

ASSASSIN IDENTIFIED.

HARBIN, Manchuria, Oct 2 The assassin of Prince Ity was like tified toway as Inchan Angan, former editor of a newspaper a

He said that he was one of an or rant for her husband's arrest she ganization of twenty Koreans wh told the magistrate that Levy had had taken an oath that they would neglected his home for other women and that she had to work as a saleskill the Japanese statesman.

The assassin used dundum bullets which had been poisoned with eyan A prisoner who occupied the cell life.

KOREANS NOT MOURNING.

SEOUL, Oct. 25.-It is evident from the attitude of a considerable ection of the Korean population that the assassination of Prince Ito was not unpleasing. Those comprising this section represent the element which is now deprived of op-

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PRESBYTERY MAKES NEW DEPARTURE IN POLICY

Hor dallars to facht the book worm Violates Church Constitu- Tire Burst as He Was Going The Citizens Will Celebrate has been and isolated and apprault tion in Passing "Dry" South's goemanry will now be an or-Resolutions

americanus" especially a menace to the lower latitudes of the United ANNISTON, Al., Oct. 28 -The acion of the North Alabama Presbytery n adopting dution at their an The disease, which first was identi-fied by Dr. C. W. Stiles, had a rather today declaring in nuclesession to favor of the posed prohibition amendment to Alabama's constitution subject of charges not markedly prevalent north of the at to be made to preferred against the Presbytery beand the general secombly of the Presbyterben church am Weston of Columbia and other divisiolans show, have much to do of by Rev. W. I Sinnott, stated clerk of the Prestytery, who asserts that the the continuance of the menace the action of the Presbytery violates side were crushed into his lungs and the visitors. As the train pulled into the story of the killing and admitted the constitution of that body in that his left law was broken. He died the station a mighty shout went up as she wept bitterly, that her relaof the book worm. The disease is more prevalent in negroes than in the resolution of a political nature instantly.

end is prohibited. The resolution declares the subject of the proposed prohibition amendnent to be meral rather than a political issue and non-partisan,



hat thymol, the active principle of

MOTORCYCLE RACER FIRST TRAIN ON C.C.&O. HURLED TO HIS DEATH

at Terrific Speed on Track at Mile a Minute Pace

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 28 -- While speeding a practice mile preparatory motorrycle race, Eugene J. Marsh, an amateur, of Dallas, was thrown from his motorcycle and instantly killed at the state fair grounds race course this afternoon Marsh was riding at a rate of about bitty-eight miles an hour when a tire burst and the rider was thrown against the outer fence of the race ourse. All of the ribs of his left

The state fair automobile meet be the first held in Texas under the rive on a special car tomorrow sanction of the contest board of the

American Automobile associati The track was fast and the averge time was fifty-eight and fifty-nine conds for the mile. The riders in- places. finded Burman, Dewitt and George The fatest mile of the day was made by De Hymel, of San Anonto, in a Stoddard-Dayton, who ompleted the fifth mile of the first von the five-mile centest for pen state championship. Time, 4.50. Carolina and Tennessee,

GUILTY OF MURDER.

LEESVILLE, La., Oct. 28 .- A. C. win, tried here sor the murder of becoming variable, a latter attempted to arrest him.

FILLING VACANCY INSUPREMECOURT Southern Man Most Likely to

Justice Peckham

Geographical Considerations Weigh But Little With Presi-

dent in This Case

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The vacourt of the United States, caused by the death of Associate Justice Rufus W. Peckham, of New York, is the subject of much gossip in Washington just now. It is popularly speak-

The latest "frame up" of well informed prophets here tonight names Horace H. Lurton, of Nashville, judge of the United States Circuit court in the sixth circuit, as most probably Justice Peckham's successor, with Solicitor General Lloyd W. Bowers, of the department of justice as a probability for the next vacancy in the ourt. Mr. Bowers is thought many to stand a very good chance

Sat With Taft, Judge Lurton sat on the same juthe latter's choice for the vacancy that was later filled by the appoint-ment of William H. Moody, of Massachusetts. Mr. Taft was secretary of war when he made the recommendation of Mr. Lurton to President Roosevelt, and it is said was very much disappointed when his old ap-sociate and intimate friend was not appointed. Mr. Lurton is now about sixty-two years old and would have en years to serve before retirement

President Taft has in the past ex-pressed some decided views about

lut now resident of Southern Pines, and her mother room 20, connecting, and to her heart trouble. Her mother that Bunting and Collins were intoxi-Looked at from the geographical standpoint there are some inequali-ties in representation on the Supreme court. Justice Peckham's leaves three of the judicial circuits unrepresented on the Supreme court; they claimed, and by the evidence of from half to three-quarters of an ordinance fixing the duties of officers, linville, housekeeper of the hour. One of the doors of the rooms tel, who, called as a witness by the occupied by herself and mother was state, testified that Jones was in the open, the screen door being closed proven. the second circuit, comprising New York, Connecticut, and Vermont; the third circuit, comprising Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, Mrs. Emma Linville, housekeeper the fourth circuit, comprising Maryno means those which attracted knocked and entered, the two negroes at the Gladstone hotel, told of Mrs. land, Virginia and the Carolinas and

Both Justice Moody and Justice Holmes are from the first circuit and Justices Day and Harlan from the cross examination of Miss Woodruff the himp was lit she heard indistinct started to tell of the conversation she sixth in which Judge Lurton is now by Mr. Settle and of Mrs. Linville by talk, not noisy. The party had been had with Mrs. Woodruff but the defrom the seventh circuit, Justice witness said Brewer from the eighth and Justice

ally given second place in the specu-

There are many other names mentloned in connection with the vacancles but these two, in the order named, are the ones most prominently mentioned in the gossip in well

CONFESSES HER SHAME TO SAVE FATHER'S LIFE

Girl of Seventeen Compelled to Submit to Scarlet brand on Witness Stand

McRAE, Ga., Oct. 28.-Seventeenyear-old Elizabeth Miller told on the stand today, in the trial of her father, W. A. Miller, for the murder of her sweetheart, W. Thomas Pools, tions with the young man were improper. She was the only eye witness to the tragedy, . She withheld

Poole was killed June 1, this year, five miles from this place in the pubace in 51 3-5 seconds. He Hymel attended by fifty thousand visitors lie road, Miller and his daughter in the from all sections of this state, North a buggy met Poole driving in the opconite direction. Eiller, it is said,

The court room was crowded to

FOR FLOOD SUFFERERS,

MELICO CITY, Oct. 28 .- The govnment will advance \$1,000,000 to be Selected to Succeed

JUDGE LURTON WAS ON BENCH WITH TAPT

ing the most important matter which will confront President Taft upon his return to the national capital.

Belle (Borne)

door which opened slightly, then there

was dark when the shots were fired.

was a shot and another. The room

On cross examination by Mr. Settle

witness said that her mother was very

hervous and excitable, unduly so through ill health. Witness herself

was not afraid that night and told

how she had taken horseback rides at

night and ridden long distances alone.

lins helping Bunting. Her mother, she

"That is soothing and not nerve

Mrs. Linville.

Woodruff complaining of the drunken

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ENTERS SPARTANBURG

Event Today With Great

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 28 .-

The first train over the Carolina,

Clinchfield and Ohlo rallroad between

this city and Dante, Va., arrived

here tonight at 8.30 o'clock with

eight hundred visitors from Johnson

ity, Tenn., and other points for the

completion of the road. Five thous-

and people were at the station to

witness the arrival of the first train

over the new road and to welcome

The officials of the road will ar-

morning. Among those arriving to-

night were representatives from the

commercial bodies of Johnson City,

Tenn., Bristol, Marion, and other

celebrate the opening of the road

all kinds and a display of fireworks

at night. The entertainment is giv-

en at a cost of \$10,000 and will be

Tomorrow Spartanburg will

the

celebration here tomorrow of

from the assembled multitude.

Doings

racking," Mr. Settle suggested.

raid, was in the city and had been in

of getting this one.

Before the shoating she saw the men geographical limitations in appoint-struggering along the half supporting ments to that body. He has taken themselves against the wall and Col-the position that geographical consideration should figure only other things were equal. This is his present attitude as described by those in a position to know.

Geographical Consideration

but of more than girlish resource and that only their heads were inside the in Mrs. Linville Mr. Craig found that slowly closing door. The door being No. 20, and there was no noise to Solicitor General Bowers is gener-

nothing in her pitiful story, but made as she declared a clean breast of it an. She stated that she had carried on a secret correspondence with young with a big barbecue, amusements of Poole and on several occasions had met him clandestinely.

> fired twice at Poole with a shot gun, killing him instantly.
>
> Miller admits the killing, but declares he was justified.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Forecast Charles F. Magee, town marshal of alleviate the suffering caused by the day when the girly who it is said was North Carolina: Fair Friday and Hornbeck, La, was found guilty as Mrs. Levy then stepped back a pace ment writen is now depresed on the best stand and told her sordid story. The and drew her weapon, Levy jumping portunities formerly offered here and thygne, followed by saits, is the best stand and told her sordid story. The and drew her weapon, Levy jumping portunities formerly offered here and thygne, followed by saits, is the best stand and told her sordid story. The and drew her weapon, Levy jumping portunities formerly offered here and thygne, followed by saits, is the best stand and told her sordid story. The and drew here weapon, Levy jumping portunities formerly offered here and thygne, followed by saits, is the best stand and told her sordid story. The and drew here weapon, Levy jumping portunities formerly offered here and thygne, followed by saits, is the best stand and told her sordid story. The said and told her sordid story, the saits and the said and told her sordid story. The said and told her sordid story, the said and told her sordid story. The said and told her sordid story. The said and told her sordid story is a said and told her sordid story. The said and told her sordid story is a said and told her sordid story. The said and told her sordid story is a said and told her sordid story. The said and told her sordid story is a said and told her sordid story. killed es. \$50,000 of which sum will be put stand and told her sordid story. The tomorrow.