

SMITH WOMAN FOUND GUILTY

Jury in Justice Hanke's Court Returns Verdict After Short Deliberation.

SENTENCE SET FOR MONDAY.

At That Time Her Counsel Will File Notice of Appeal.

First of Stockade Cases is Prosecuted With Vigor by County Attorney Job P. Lyon.

The jury of three in the case against Margaret Smith, charged with soliciting for immoral purposes, at noon today returned a verdict in Justice Hanke's court of guilty as charged in the complaint.

At 11:40 the case had been argued and was submitted to the jury with a few instructions from Justice Hanke, together with a form for a verdict. The jurors, consisting of W. S. McCormick, A. J. Spores and A. O. Miller, retired to an adjoining room under the care of Deputy Sheriff Andrew Smith.

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The witness on the stand this morning was George Q. Morris, the complaining witness. He testified that on the evening of May 14, within the district known as the "stockade," he had been solicited for immoral purposes by a woman giving the name of Margaret Smith.

EXAMINATION WAS SEARCHING. The witness was taken through a searching cross-examination by the attorneys for the defense, every detail of the conversation on the evening in question being repeated time and time again, at particular points, what the woman wore at the time the offense charged was alleged to have taken place, as to whether her dress was white or black, brown or gray, the color of her coat, especially the color of her hair.

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THE PORTLAND GATEWAY CASE

Through and Joint Rates as Demanded Are Ordered for Two Years.

TWO DISSENTING VOTES. CAUSE IS MAKING ADVANCE.

Chairman Knapp and Commissioner Clark Believe Present Rates Are O. K.—Effective July 1.

Washington, May 21.—A decision was handed down today by the interstate commerce commission in what has come to be known as the Portland gateway case, in which the contention of the traveling public for through routes and joint rates from eastern points via Portland, Or., is sustained.

The case was instituted on the initiative of the commission itself in view of the numerous complaints it had received that the present through routes were unworkable. It has been pending many months and was bitterly contested by the railroads. The law empowers the commission to establish a through route and joint rate in cases like this.

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NO WITNESS FOR DEFENSE. Upon the conclusion of the testimony of Mr. Brown the state rested its case on the five witnesses given by Mr. Brown, and the defense, upon the expiration of the time, the defense failed to call any witness, but placing any witnesses on the stand.

INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

Lake Mohonk Conference Unanimously Adopts Program Urging it on All Governments.

CAUSE IS MAKING ADVANCE.

Great Armaments of the Nations Are Intolerable and a Satire Upon Civilization.

Mohonk Lake, N. Y., May 21.—Reiterating a declaration of the British foreign secretary that the increased armaments of the nations which prompted the call for the first Hague conference had become a satire upon civilization, the Lake Mohonk conference on international arbitration today unanimously adopted a platform.

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JAPANESE SUGAR SCANDALS GROWING

Tokio, Monday, April 19.—Day by day the scope of what is now known as the "sugar scandal" increases and the arm of the law is being stretched into places high and low to arrest and expose those responsible for the most gigantic irregularities ever perpetrated in Japan.

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JAPANESE IN UNITED STATES

According to Recently Compiled Statistics They Numbered, in December, 1906, 59,100.

50 PER CENT IN CALIFORNIA.

They Are Industrious and Thrifty and Send Home Millions of Dollars Annually.

Tokio, April 15.—According to statistics recently compiled there were in December, 1906, 59,100 Japanese subjects in the United States and out of that total no less than 53 per cent were in California and its immediate neighboring states.

BERNARDA CLARK GUILTY OF SECOND DEGREE MURDER

Winnebec, Nev., May 21.—After being out for 20 hours in the jury in the case of Bernard Clark, on trial for the murder of his wife, the jury today returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree.

FORT LATHAM. Famous Colorado Stronghold Against Indians Used as a Barn.

Greeley, Colo., May 21.—Fort Latham, built here in the early sixties for defense against the Indians, has been used as a barn for many years.

SENATE GETTING DOWN TO BUSINESS

Washington, May 21.—There was an air of business about the senate when it met today. The earthworm and glass-rod cases were the first order of business.

THE Saturday News TOMORROW

Among the features of the big Saturday edition of the Desert News will be: Napoleonic Reminders, Illustrated by a Salt Lake in Europe.

METHODS OF HIGH FINANCE

Italian Historian Ferrero Undertakes to Explain Moral Upheaval Against It.

MOVEMENT NOT SOCIALISTIC.

Country, So Often Accused of Materialism, Still Strangely Inspired by Puritanical Tradition.

Paris, May 21.—Continuing his letters in Figaro, Signor Guglielmo Ferrero, the Italian historian who recently visited the United States, undertakes to explain today the moral upheaval in America of the last few years against "Methods of High Finance."

MOTHER AND CHILD BURNED TO DEATH AT ATLANTA, IDA

Boise, Ida., May 21.—Mrs. Charles Broyer, aged 23, and her 2-year-old baby were burned to death last night in a fire which destroyed their home at Atlanta, a mining camp, 40 miles east of Boise.

WHO NEW APPOINTEES ARE.

Fireman and Policeman Confirmed Last Night "Resigned" Once.

WORKING ON SPEEDWAY.

Rio Grande Begins Tonight to Haul Material for Saltair Road.

PICKPOCKET AT SALT PALACE.

The Gotch wrestling exhibition at the Salt Palace last night proved expensive to Joe Smith—he not only paid his admission fees, but contributed \$11.25 to a clever colored pickpocket.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY REPORTS

Every Prospect That Will be a Very Hot Fight Over Adoption of Report.

BOARD WORK CONSOLIDATION

Three Gavel Presented New Moderator—Four Hundredth Anniversary of Calvin's Birth Celebrated.

Denver, May 21.—The beginning of what bids fair to become one of the hot fights of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church that of the adoption of the report of the executive commission, took place this morning.

ZION CITY PROTECTED BY WRIT OF INJUNCTION

Waukegan, Ill., May 21.—In the federal court at Chicago, Judge Landis has issued an injunction restraining permanent injunction.

MOTHER CUTS THROATS OF HER THREE CHILDREN

East Hampton, Conn., May 21.—Mrs. Louis Carsten cut the throats of her three children and then her own today at the Carsten home, a farm two miles from this place.

MRS. LONGSTREET OPENS FIRE ON BURGLAR

Gainesville, Ga., May 21.—Awakening at an early hour yesterday to find a burglar in her home on a farm several miles from Gainesville, Mrs. James S. Longstreet, the aged widow of the famous confederate general, opened fire on the intruder, causing him to leave the house post-haste.

MRS. F. J. GOULD GETS DIVORCE

New York, May 20.—Helen Kelly Gould was granted an absolute divorce today from Frank J. Gould.

RESPECT PAID ROGERS' MEMORY

Attendance of Leading New York Business Men Had Effect on The Financial District.

STANDARD OIL'S TRIBUTE.

Throughout Country Where Has Station or Branch There Was Cessation of Work for Two Hours.

New York, May 21.—The funeral of Henry H. Rogers, president of the Amalgamated Copper company, and active head of the Standard Oil company, today brought together many men prominent in the business and financial districts of this city.

ROCKEFELLER NOT THERE.

John D. Rockefeller could not attend the funeral as he is in Hot Springs, Va., with Mrs. Rockefeller, whose convalescence from a severe illness would not permit him to leave her.

FOUR DREADNOUGHTS TO BE LAID DOWN WITHIN YEAR

London, May 21.—Premier Asquith, Foreign Secretary Grey and popular opinion, according to the Pall Mall Gazette, have resumed the scrutiny of the ultra-revolutionary in the industry, and the cabinet has decided that the four dreadnaughts mentioned in the naval estimates shall be laid down by the end of the fiscal year.

WESTON WALKING AGAIN.

Cheyenne, Wyo., May 21.—After a stroke of 15 hours at this place, Edward Weston, the pedestrian, resumed his walk today.

ABDUL HAMID TRANSFERS DEPOSITS IN BANKS

Constantinople, May 21.—A local newspaper is authorized to state that Abdul Hamid, the sultan, has transferred bank deposits amounting to more than \$500,000 to the government.

COL. ASTOR WANTS PATENT PRO BONO PUBLICO

New York, May 21.—Col. John Jacob Astor has applied for a patent for a device which it is hoped will make possible the utilization of peat deposits as a fuel for power.