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Ordeal on Witness Stand Comes to End for Mother Of Alleged Kidnap Killer

Mrs. Carl Van Vlack of Tacoma Believes Her Son Insane at Time of Slaying of

Defense Brings Up New Witnesses

Douglas Van Vlack's mother testified in the district court here late yesterday "he is insane right now and has been that way for several months."

Mrs. Carl Van Vlack, continuing her testimony as the first defense witness in her son's trial for the murder of Mildred Hook, his former wife, underwent a brilliant examination at the hands of Attorney General Bert H. Miller.

The mother's testimony, according to a line of action outlined by defense attorneys, was to pave the way for much more evidence to show that

STERILIZATION CASE

San Francisco, Jan. 28 (AP)—A legal technician today prevented the issuance of warrants charging kidnapping and murder against certain persons accused of "wrongfully abducting" San Francisco Mayor James D. Rolph.

repeatedly told William E. Williams, one of two physicians accused by the girl—caused municipal judge Sylvain J. Laxarus to delay issuance of a warrant for the arrest of a study of the Little-known statute involved for the unusual case.

The attorney, E. M. O'Grady, denied the unprecedented proceedings.

He said the state's attorney, William E. Williams, is not the

investigator for the state's attorney's office, he gave a full statement to the press, saying that he and Louis

indeed, which he said, led to the denial that he had

partner of Nathan Leopold and

[illegible]

Judge to Hear Story
Last week the hearsay told her story to Judge Laxarus under oath and he complimented her on her story.

When the attorney general started his cross examination, Mrs. Van Vlack pleaded failure to remember. She said she could not recall the date she was asked. He pressed her closely about reasons for the defendant's

At Tacoma by that time, the defendant added, "the next morning" she showed no evidence of concern or emotion. His underling asked her:

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"Told me that that he was in line in his private bathroom at the hotel," she said. "I was there then. There, Louis and Leopold sat on the floor."

"I went to the room and walked in there. Louis came in and dressed and then he came in and dressed. He had a razor. As I was

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she charged they had been secretly sterilized so as to prevent birth of an heir who would have inherited principal of a trust fund left her by her disfigured father, the

electrical Engineer. But the 21-year-old helmsman, terminated by her mother as a "feeling-minded" child, is now the sign of a criminal complaint in the case.

The district attorney then justified the proceedings, before Judge LAFARUS.

They were inaugurated under the provisions of the penal code interpreted

the left for the Office," she said, "with only one telephone message after he had reached Seattle."

She told of numerous times when he was disoriented from various jobs, "not being able to sign a check of interest in his work." If lost others, she said, "because he was in different moods; he always thought he was being watched."

Finally, the attorney general

to Ex-Wife of Retired
Manufacturer

CHICAGO, Jan. 26 (AP)—Mrs. Barrett of San Diego, California, won a court order today to restrain the \$1,250-a-month salary of her husband, who is formerly employed by the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

ing a magistrate to intimidate criminal cases in instances where the person suspected to be the complainant.	manage the place better than the boss," the witness, apparently recognizing an implied reflection on her own behavior, spoke with emphasis of Goldstein's say that:	Judge Stanley Klarnowski repeated rulings on other matters of tangled dispute between Mrs. J. Edgar Hoover and the U.S. Attorney, Richard L. Evans, retired optical manufacturer of Omaha and Los Angeles.
Golden asserted that the last legislature had amended the section ruling out the procedure whereby a person could be forced without signed complaint.	At times she asked for time to reflect.	Created Trust Funds
Judge LAZARUS continued the case.	"You've got me all mixed up," she said, and, again: "You are tax-farful my brain as fast as you can and	When the Omaha National Bank 1919-25, Trusts created in 1920, ruled. They were divorced

SLAYERS' PLEAS
 Assistant District Attorney August Pournier to further investigate Golden's case.

Pournier said he had prepared warrants for Mrs. McCarter, and the two physicians.

FILM COMMISSION SUE
FOR DIVORCE DECREE
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 (AP)—

Wheeler sued Bert Wheeler, film comedian, for divorce today and asked custody of their daughter, Patricia Dolores, 7.

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Governor Holds Old Offense

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 28 (AP).—He accepted the conviction and Governor Bibb Graves today to break jail while the appeal was pending. He was taken to the Alabama State Prison, where he became a rancher. He was arrested last September and his identity established. He returned to the Alabama State Prison last year.

...impairment for the slaying of a
man in what was described as a
"free-for-all" brawl.

Thompson, Donna Hardy, Bessie Jackson; 7-C honor roll, Raymond Snow, Truman Wilks; 6-A high honor roll, Mary Hougendobler, honor roll, Barbara Smith, Kath-
erine Webster, Wanda Wilhelm, Frances Hurt, Otto Doctor, Mary

Dorothy Carlton, Meriam Folkman, Marston Healer, Margaret Wallington, Keith Barrett, B-B honor: Polly Dora Walker, Wanda Crawford, Leona Wilson, Helen Ivis, Dana Messenger: A-G honor roll: Margaret

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Eakin, Beate Grayne, Roderick
 Overfield; honor roll, Gene Moore,
 John Collier, John L. Smith, Jr.,
 Marilyn Beddall, Gene Tivie, Gladys
 Larsen, Edith Thorne; 3-B honor
 roll: Freda Heath, Regina Johnson;
 3-C honor roll, Arlyn Morgan,
 Jerry Walling.
 Cynageldone honor roll: Ruth
 Ann Johnson, Mary Ann Johnson,
 Main, Mary Roberta, Betty Pharis,
 Lytle Olfert; honor roll, Charis
 Bopp, Debra Pettigall, Iris Blau-
 hope, Debra Peterson, Mary Ann,
 Louise Melnychik, Lorina Tinn;
 Seventy high honor roll, Eugene
 Peterson, Mary Ann Peterson, Mar-
 jorie Peterson, Mary Ann Peterson,
 Jeannine; honor roll, Doris Pet-
 erson, Alfred Shambaugh, Frances
 Peterson, Tinn, Dorothy Weitz,
 Ruthie Rude, Mary Ann Peterson,
 high honor roll, Jack Lewis, Jack
 McIntyre, Verma Torry, Carl Pharis,
 Mary Ann Peterson, Mary Ann Pe-
 terson; fifth high honor roll, Hel-

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 stipation is A-Z-B-Bran.

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(*John Flynn, Myrtle Palmer; first honor roll, Anne Mae Burt, Madge Roberts, Freda Mae Keith, Hilda Pettigrew, Alexandra Winchell.*)

Fourth Honor roll, Mary Stambaugh, honor roll, Glenna Fiehrman, Patty Stambaugh, Donovan Vingt, Ida Rhee, Maria, Esther Shambaugh, honor roll, Shirley Apperson, honor roll, Shirley Apperson, Dorothy Henry, Donald Lewis.

Fifteenth Plaided, Eighth honor roll, *Ellis Reddick, Verna Thompson;* sixth high honor roll, Lola Mae, Mary Barker, LeVina Sims; honor roll, Helen Gillingham, Ellen Shillingham, Norma Vandever;

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Oakley Sharpshooters Nose Out Invaders In Sensational Game

'Seven Club' Baseball Loop Trims Box-Office Receipts

Disposal of Two Remaining Stars Depends on Price

By Alan Gould
(Associated Press Staff Writer)
NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP)—The announcement of the celebrated horse of Mack, now rapidly nearing completion, probably has achieved the purpose of nullifying the prospect of "out of the red," but it leaves a bundle of trouble on the door-step of the American league for some time to come.

Not even the spectacular play of the Red Sox (the "Big Three") has obscured the fact that to all intents and purposes the league will operate this year on a severely reduced box-office standpoint. No boycott will be needed to keep the fans away from the game, as there is hardly likely to be any excitement aroused by the Athletics on the track.

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Others For Sale
If the A's will cut down a pair in their price they probably can sell the two remaining marketable players. They include—Frank

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Pirates Rally To Win Over Albion

Third Quarter Spurt Gives Rupert Quint 29 to 14 Hoop Victory

ALBION, Jan. 28.—After trailing throughout the first half, the Pirates rallied in the third quarter to defeat the Albion team 29 to 14. The Pirates scored 14 points in the third quarter, while the Albion team scored only 4 points.

A thrilling preliminary round second round between the two schools ended with Rupert winning, 12 to 8.

Tilden Expected to Retire Next Year

PARADISE, Calif., Jan. 28 (AP)—Wendell Tilden, professional tennis player, said today he believed "Bill" Tilden will retire next year.

Montana Fighter Defeats Wolgast

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 28 (AP)—Ritchie Foutsine, Missoula, Montana, scored a technical knockout over Midget Wolgast, Philadelphia, in the seventh round of a scheduled ten round bout here tonight.

Freddie Miller Wins

SEATTLE, Jan. 28 (AP)—Freddie Miller, professional champion, hammered out a 10-round victory over Midget Wolgast, Philadelphia, in the seventh round of a scheduled ten round bout here tonight.

Wesley Ramey Wins Unanimous Decision

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP)—Wesley Ramey, Grand Rapids, Michigan, defeated Midget Wolgast, Philadelphia, in the seventh round of a scheduled ten round bout here tonight.

San Diego Gets Hollywood Club

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 28 (AP)—The Hollywood club of the Pacific Coast Baseball League was organized here tonight.

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UMPIRE RECEIVES \$9,000 FOR HALF-YEAR'S WORK -- HOLDS OUT FOR INCREASE

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP)—Umpire John E. Hume, who has worked for the National League for the past 14 years, has announced that he will hold out for a \$9,000 increase in his salary for the coming year.

Railroad Interest Centers On Azucar And Discovery

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 (AP)—Eight candidates for the \$100,000 prize offered by the Railroad Commission for the discovery of oil in the Azucar area are competing for the prize.

'Shiftless Skunks' Score 26-0 Win

SHILOH, Mo., Jan. 28 (AP)—The "Shiftless Skunks" defeated the "Bulls" 26 to 0 in a football game here tonight.

Rosenbloom Trims 'Killer' Coates

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 (AP)—Maxie Rosenbloom, former light heavyweight champion, defeated "Killer" Coates in a boxing bout here tonight.

Slapsie Maxie Takes All 10 Rounds From Young Akron Negro

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 (AP)—Slapsie Maxie, a Negro fighter, defeated Young Akron in a boxing bout here tonight.

Mountain Horse Five Trims Glenns Ferry

CLINTON, Mo., Jan. 28 (AP)—The Mountain Horse Five defeated the Glenns Ferry team in a football game here tonight.

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Legionnaires Trim Fairfield Townies

FAIRFIELD, Conn., Jan. 28 (AP)—The Fairfield Legionnaires defeated the Fairfield Townies in a football game here tonight.

Twin Falls Rifle Club Elects New Officers for Year

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, Jan. 28 (AP)—The Twin Falls Rifle Club elected new officers for the coming year.

'Build-Up' For Louis-Braddock Bout Under Way

Julian Black Denies Reports Bomber Not Interested In Meeting Champ for Title Next September

CHICAGO, Jan. 28 (AP)—Conceding an elaborate "build-up" for the Joe Louis-Jimmy Braddock battle for the world's heavyweight championship, set for New York next September, seems to be underway.

Kimberly Hoop Team Conquers Twin Falls Basketeers, 32 to 30

Bulldogs Upset Highly Touted Bruin Five; Magic City Girls Turn Back Invaders, 35 to 15

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Hornets Remain Only Undeleted Class A Squad

Cassia County Basketeers Win Over Buhl Indians by Score of 18 to 16 to Maintain Perfect Record

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"But the dangers which we encounter are not amendments which may be proposed and made by the people themselves, but amendments to the constitution through the usurpation of congress or the usurpation of the executive department of the United States."

Choice in Regimentation

Swinging his address to regimentation and monopoly, Borah reiterated his old opposition to the "evil"

"I think that if it became a choice, the people would rather have government regimentation than monopoly regimentation."

"I am convinced that if the people of America are going to enjoy

... must recognize the problem and must demonstrate to the American people that we are capable of dealing with the problems that we have been confronted with.



"We cannot go back. We cannot compromise. We must move forward; and the political party which

not advance, which does not accept responsibility, will drop out, and some other party will take its place."

Explosion Aboard S40 Injures Eight

MANILA, Jan. 28 (AP)—An explosion on board the United States navy

The submarine was being over-



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A New
"Crime Doesn't Pay"
Story—
"A THRILL FOR
THELMA"

Starts	Jane Withers as
PRE.	"PADDY O'DAY"