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lar terms of service, shall be held on

the municipal election day; namely, the Tuesday following the first Mon-

day of November in each odd-number-

ed year, but the General Assembly

may by law fix a different day, two-

thirds of all the members of each

House consenting thereto: Provided,

That such elections shall be held in

an odd-numbered year: Provided fur-ther. That all judges for the courts

of the several judicial districts hold-

ing office at the present time, whose

terms of office may end in an odd

numbered year.

tion No. 3.

numbered year, shall continue to hold

A true copy of Concurrent Resolu

Number Four.

A JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to section

one of article nine of the Consti-

tution of Pennsylvania, relating to

Section 1. Be it resolved by the

State and House of Representatives

of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amend-

ment to the Constitution of the Com-

monwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the

Section 2. Amend section one of

Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

actual places of religious worship

used for public purposes, actual places

of religious worship, places of burial

porate profit, and institutions of pure-

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Five.

A JOINT RESOLUTION.

House of Representatives of the Com-

al Assembly met, That the follow-

ing is proposed as an amendment to

the Constitution of Pennsylvania, in

accordance with the provisions of the

Article IX.

have been heretofore issued, or which

may hereafter be issued, by any coun

ty or municipality, other than Phila-

delphia, to provide for the construc-

tion or acquisition of waterworks,

subways, underground railways or

street railways, or the appurtenances

thereof, shall be considered as a debt

of a municipality, within the meaning

of section eight of article nine of the

Constitution of Pennsylvania or of

this amendment, if the net revenue

derived from said property for a per-

iod of five years, either before or after

the acquisition thereof, or, where the

same is constructed by the county or

municipality, after the completion thereof, shall have been sufficient to

pay interest and sinking-fund charges

during said period upon said obliga-

tions, or if the said obligations shall

be secured by liens upon the respec-

tive properties, and shall impose no

municipal liability. Where municipalities of counties shall issue obliga-

tions to provide for the construction

of property, as herein provided, said

said municipalities or counties may

also issue obligations to provide for

the interest and sinking-fund charges

accruing thereon until said properties

eration for a period of one year; and

said municipalities and counties shall

not be required to levy a tax to pay

said interest and sinking-fund charges,

as required by section ten of article

nine of the Constitution of Pennsyl

vania, until after said properties shall

have been operated by said counties or municipalities during said period

of one year. Any of the said munici-

palities or counties may incur indebt

edness in excess of seven per centum,

and not exceeding ten per centum, of

the assessed valuation of the taxable

property therein, if said increase of

indebtedness shall have been assented

to by three-fifths of the electors vot-

ing at a public election, in such man-

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Article

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merchants whose ads appear in this paper because their goods are up-to-date and never

Secretary of the Commonwealth

ROBERT MCAFEE,

ner as shall be provided by law.

Section 15. No obligations which

stitution of Pennsylvania.

eighteenth article thereof:-

ROBERT McAFEE,

to read as follows:

ly public charity.

No. 4.

'All taxes shall be uniform, upon

eighteenth article thereof:-

ROBERT MCAFEE,

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

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Kelly.

Constable—L. L. Zuver.

Collector—W. H. Hood.
School Directors—W. C. Imel, J. R.

Clark, S. M. Henry, Q. Jamieson, D. H.

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Member of Congress—P. M. Speer. Member of Senate—J. K. P. Hall, Assembly—W. J. Campbell, President Judge—W. D. Hinckley. Associate Judges—Samuel Aul, Joseph Mogran. Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, &c. -S. R. Maxwell

-S. R. Maxwell.
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Treasurer-W. H. Brazee.
Commissioners-Wm. H. Harrison, J.
C. Scowden, H. H. McClellan. District Attorney - M. A. Carringer, Jury Commissioners - J. B. Eden, A. M.

Coroner-Dr. M. C Kerr. County Auditors - George H. Warden, A. C. Gregg and S. V. Shields. County Surveyor-Roy S. Braden. County Superintendent-J. O. Carson.

Regular Terms of Court. Fourth Monday of February.
Third Monday of May.
Fourth Monday of September.
Third Monday of November.
Regular Meetings of County Commissioners 1st and 3d Tuesdays of month.

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Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching in M. E. Church every Sabbath evening by Rev. W. S. Burton.

Preaching in the F. M. Church every Sabbath evening at the usual hour. Rev. G. A. Garrett, Pastor.

Preaching in the Presbyterian church every Sabbath at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. H. A. Bailey, Pastor.

The regular meetings of the W. C. T. U. are held at the headquarters on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each menth.

#### BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TI NESTA LODGE, No. 369, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building. CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274 G. A. R. Meets 1st Tuesday after-noon of each month at 3 o'clock.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW CORPS, No. 137, W. R. C., meets first and third Wednesday evening of each month.

T. F. RITCHEY, ATT-LAW, Tionesta, Pa.

M. A. CARRINGER, M. Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law.
Office over Forest County National
Bank Building, TIONESTA, PA.

CURTIS M. SHAWKEY, Practice in Forest Co.

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### PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMIT-TED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR AP-PROVAL OR REJECTION, BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYL-VANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY OR-DER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSU-ANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

> Number One. A JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to article nine, section four, of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Penasylvania, authorizing the State to issue bonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars for the improvement of the highways of the Com-

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met. That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, pro posed, in acvcordance with the eighteenth article thereof:-

That section four of article nine, which reads as follows:

"Section 4. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State, except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in war, or to pay existing debt; and the debt created to supply deficiency in revenue shall never exceed, in the aggregrate at any one time, one million of dollars," be amended so as to read as

Section 4. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State, except to supply casual deficiencies or rev-enue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in war, or to pay existing debt; and the debt created to supply deficiencies in revenue shall never exceed, in the aggregate at any one time, one million of dol-Provided, however, 'hat the General Assembly, irrespective of any debt, may authorize the State to issue bonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars for the purpose of improving and rebuilding the highways of the Commonwealth

A true copy of Joint Resolution ROBERT MCAFEE.

Secretary of the Commonwealth, Number Two.

A JOINT RESOLUTION. Proposing an amendment to section seven, article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, so as to permit special legislation regulating

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amend-ment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof. Amendment to Article Three, Section Seven, Section 2. Amend section seven, article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as fol-

"Section 7. The General Assembly shall not pass any local or special law authorizing the creation, extension, or impairing of liens:

"Regulating the affairs of counties, cities, townships, wards, boroughs, or school districts: Changing the names of persons or

"Changing the venue in civil or criminal cases: "Authorizing the laying out, opening, altering, or maintaining roads, highways, streets or alleys:

"Relating to ferries or bridges, or incorporating ferry or bridge companies, except for the erection of bridges crossing streams which form boundaries between this and any other

Vacating roads, town plats, streets "Relating to cemeteries, graveyards, or public grounds not of the State: "Authorizing the adoption or legiti-

mation of children: "Locating or changing county-seats, erecting new counties, or changing

county lines: "Incorporating cities, towns, or vil lages, or changing their charters:

"For the opening and conducting of elections, or fixing or changing the place of voting: 'Granting divorces:

"Erecting new townships or bor-oughs, changing township lines, borough limits, or school districts: "Creating offices, or prescribing the

powers and duties of officers in counties, cities, boroughs, townships, election of school districts: "Changing the law of descent or

"Regulating the practice or jurisdiction of, or changing the rules of evidence in, any judicial proceeding or inquiry before courts, aldermen, justices of the peace, sheriffs, commissioners, arbitrators, auditors, masters in chancery, or other tribunals, or providing or changing methods for the collection of debts, or the enforcing of judgments, or prescribing the effect

of judicial sales of real estate; "Regulating the fees, or extending the powers and duties of aldermen, justices of the peace, magistrates or constables:

Regulating the management of public schools, the building or repairing of school houses and the raising of money for such purposes: Fixing the rate of interest:

"Affecting the estates of minors or persons under disability, except after due notice to all parties in interest, to be recited in the special enactment:

"Remitting fines, penalties and forfeitures, or refunding moneys legally paid into the treasury; "Exempting property from taxation:

"Regulating labor, trade, mining or manufacturing: 'Creating corporations, or amending, renewing or extending the chart-

Granting to any corporation, asso-

directly enact such special or local law by the partial repeal of a general law; but laws repealing local or spec-ial acts may be passed: "Nor shall any law be passed granting powers and privileges in any case where the granting of such powers and privileges shall have been provid-

ciation or individual any special or ex-

clusive privilege or immunity, or to any corporation, association or indi-

vidual the right to lay down a railroad

"Nor shall the General Assembly in-

ed for by general law, nor where the courts have jurisdiction to grant the same or give the relief asked for."no as to read as follows:-Section 7. The General Assembly shall not pass any local or special law

authorizing the creation, extension or impairing of liens: Regulating the affairs of counties, cities, townships, wards, boroughs, or school districts:

Changing the names of persons or places: Changing the venue in civil or criminal cases: Authorizing the laying out, opening,

altering, or maintaining roads, highstreets or alleys: Relating to ferries or bridges, or incorporating ferry or bridge companies, except for the erection of bridges crossing streams which form bounda-

ries between this and other States: Vacating roads, town plats, streets or alleys: Relating to cemeteries, graveyards, or public grounds not of the State: Authorizing the adoption, or legiti-

mation of children:

Locating or changing county-seats, erecting new counties or changing county lines: Incorporating cities, towns or villages, by changing their charters:

For the opening and conducting of elections, or fixing or changing the place of voting. Granting divorces: Erecting new townships or bor-

oughs, changing township lines, borough limits or school districts: Creating offices, or prescribing the powers and duties of officers in countier, cities, boroughs, townships, elec-

Non or school districts:

Changing the law of descent or suc-Regulating the practice or jurisdiction of, or changing the rules of evidence in, any judicial proceeding or inquiry before courts, aldermen, justices of the peace, sheriffs, commissioners, arbitrators, auditors, masters in chancery or other tribunals, or pro-viding or changing methods for the collection of debts, or the enforcing of judgments, or prescribing the effect of judicial sales of real estate:

Regulating the fees, or extending the powers and duties of aldermen, justices of the peace, magistrates or constables: Regulating the management of pub-

schools, the building or repairing of school houses and the raising of money for such purposes: Fixing the rate of interest: Affecting the estates of minors or persons under disability, except after

due notice to all parties in interest, to be recited in the special enactment: Remitting fines, penalties and forfeitures, or refunding moneys legally

paid into the treasury: Exempting property from taxation: Regulating labor, trade, mining or manufacturing; but the legislature may regulate and fix the wages or salaries, the hours of work or labor, and make provision for the protection, welfare and safety of persons employed by the State, or by any county, city, borough, village, or other civil division of the State, or by any contractor or sub-contractor performing work, labor or services for the State, or for any county, city, borough, town, town-ship, school district, village or other civil division thereof:

Creating corporations, or amending, renewing or extending the charters

Granting to any corporation, association, or individual any special or exclusive privilege or immunity, or to any corporation, association, or individual the right to lay down a railroad track:

Nor shall the General Assembly indirectly enact such special or local law by the partial repeal of a special law; but laws repealing local or specfan acts may be passed:

Nor shall any law be passed granting powers or privileges in any case where the granting of such powers and privileges shall have been provided for by general law, nor where the courts have jurisdiction to grant the same or give the relief asked for. A true copy of Joint Resolution

ROBERT MCAFEE. Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Three A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to section three of article eight of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (if the Senate concur), That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article Section 2.-Amend section three of

article eight, which reads as follows: "All judges elected by the electors of the State at large may be elected at either a general or municipal election, as circumstances may require. All the elections for judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and for county, city, ward, borough, and township officers, for regular terms of service, shall be held on the municipal election day; namely, the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each odd-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such elections shall always be held in an odd-numbered year," so as to read:

Section 3. All judges elected by the electors of the State at large may elected at either a general or mu-DO IT NOW for THIS PAPER nicipal election, as circumstances may require. All elections for judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and for county, city, ward, borough, and township officers, for regu-

# LID YANKED OFF MURDER PLOT

#### Lieutenant Becker Arrested For Rosenthal Slaying

their offices until the first Monday of January in the next succeeding even-

Secretary of the Commonwealth,

Lieutenant Charles Becker was arrested and held by Judge Mulqueen in New York for murder in the first degree after "Jack" Rose, Becker's collector of gambling money, had made an alleged confession that the police lieutenant had ordered him to have Herman Rosenthal killed.

story and the confessions of "Bridgie" Webber and Harry Vallon, who corroborated Rose in important particulars. District Attorney Whitman for four hours pounded one against the other

article 'nine of the Constitution of Rosenthal was shot down in front of the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levy-ing the tax, and shall be levied and Lieutenant Becker wanted it done.

collected under general laws; but the General Assembly may, by general the three, detailed how Becker six laws, exempt from taxation public weeks ago told him that Herman Rosproperty used for public purposes, enthal had lived too long, that Rosenthal had to be put out of the way and places of burial not used or held for that the men who did the job had private or corporate profit, and institunothing to fear because he (Becker) tions of purely public charity," so as was a power in the police department. So Rose spread the word around. He All taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, within the terdid more. He sent for Big Jack Zelig ritorial limits of the authority levying and held a conference with the nothe tax, and shall be levied and col-lected under general laws, and the torious gang leader of the Eastside. subject of taxation may be classified through the strata of thugs and hired for the purpose of laying graded or progressive taxes; but the General

Assembly may, by general laws, ex-The four men who pistoled Rosenthal by this arrangement were cans and Democrats allke to join in empt from taxation public property 'Whitey" Lewis, "Lefty" Louis, 'Dago Frank" and "Gip the Blood." not used or held for private or cor-Rose admits that he rounded them up that night and saw that they were polsed for the crime. A true copy of Joint Resolution

Rose called Becker up by phone a ew minutes after Rosenthal was dead on the sidewalk in front of the Metropole. He told Becker that it was a horrible thing. He said it was more han he expected. He was frightened clear to his heart and he was afraid definitely know, toward an end they Proposing an amendment to the Conto stir without a word of confidence cannot definitely describe, with but Be it resolved by the Senate and rom his master.

"Oh, don't worrs, I'll protect you. of acquiring power for their party by was the answer. For two days after that Becker, it

nothing to fear. The bald gambler, who included in his confession a frank statement that of reformers "whose absorption and for a long time he had been collecting money from gambling houses not only for Becker but for officials higher un

in the department, swears he did not know that murder was to be done. With these three confessions the district attorney and his advisers beieve that they have already an unbreakable case against Becker. But then they have the word that other confessions are coming now that Rose

has weakened. It can be said that every man now held for murder except Becker will be immunized if they tell the whole truth about the plot and its consum-

When "Jack" Rose made the conession that put Lieutenant Becker in the Tombs for the murder of Herman Speer Weeps as He Defends Himself Rosenthal Rose said also that Becker had told him that \$2,400,000 was the yearly police graft from gambling, disorderly houses and other forms of

Rose swore that Becker had confided to him the loot was divided him as a judge by Colonel W. A. Huff, among four police officials-Becker for ten years mayor of Macon and a himself, two policemen of higher rank and a minor official who does not wear

s so good that my own share was \$600,000 and the others got the same." Rose does not think that Becker or any individual pocketed \$600,000 in benefit of himself, relatives, special connections were distributing agents other improper acts. and that the \$600,000 each received was subdivided.

#### M'ADOO VICE CHAIRMAN

Democratic Manager McCombs Makes Announcement.

fication of Governor Wilson.

Dr. Forbes Winslow prophesied at

### New York Police Official Charged With Nurder

MOSE, WEBBER, VALLON TALK

Gamblers, Cornered, Tell District Attorney Whole Story of Conspiracy. Names of Murderers Are Learned.

The arrest and arraignment of Becker followed swiftly after Rose's

till they all broke down and said the Metropole by a hired gang because Rose's confession, the most vital of

and assured him that there was

a uniform. "Jack," said Becker, "the rakeoff

There is just one chance for Becker to save himself. The district attorney may conclude to deal leniently with dreds are signing a petition to get the the lieutenant if he can and will tell the truth about who else received the profits of blackmail. There is not the slightest indication that Becker will yarn informer. On the contrary it is said that the lieutenant's defense would be that Rose and Webber and Vallon had lied about him.

William F. McCombs, chairman of he Democratic national committee, sufficient. The commission holds that announced that William McAdoo had Captain Smith, though he made a been selected vice chairman of the grievous error, cannot be held guilty The name of the treasurer of the held, was under no moral obligations

assist the national committee will not other life. The third-class passengers be named until after the formal noti- were found to have been fairly treated

LIEUTENANT BECKER

#### BRANDED AS SOCIALISTS Wilson and Roosevelt Rapped by Taft

in Notification Speech. President Taft was formally notified of his renomination at the White

House. In accepting the nomination the president delivered an address in which he outlined the issues in the oming campaign. The president declared that the Through Zelig, ranging downward preservation of the constitution and the maintenance of an independent assassins, the arms were completed. Judiciary constitute the supreme issue in this contest and called on Republi-

> combatting the menace offered by the candidacies of Theodore Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson. The president asserted that both Roosevelt and Wilson are headed toward socialism. "The truth is," said he, "both those who have left the Republican party under the inspiration of their present leader and our old opponents, the Democrats, under their candidate are going in a direction they do not

popular support through the promise of a change for the better." The president added that hostility is alleged, kept in touch with Rose to the judiciary and measures to take away its power and independence constitute the chief definite policy that can fairly be attributed to that class

one chief and clear object and that is

at Chicago and the Democratic party yielded to at Baltimore." The president did not mention Roosevelt by name in his entire address, but it was full of indirect references to him and to his followers. Indirectly he referred to Roosevelt as a

demagogue. The Payne-Aldrich tariff bill, Mr. Taft contends, has vindicated itself. By its schedules the revision of tariff has been downward. The high cost of living is not peculiar to this country. the president continues, but world-

### JUDGE DENIES CHARGES

From Bench. With tears streaming down his cheeks and with his voice broken by sobs United States Judge Emory Speer at Macon: Ga., answered from the bench the attack made on member of the legislature. Huff had demanded the impeachment of Judge

Speer. Colonel Huff charges that the judge has "improperly juggled" the Huff case, involving \$150,000 in receivership proceedings, "for the financial any one year, but that Becker and his lawyers and others" and committed

The popular feeling seems to be entirely with Colonel Huff and there is little doubt that congress will be asked to probe the charges. Already hun-

#### SPEED CAUSED DISASTER

To England's Titanic Wreck Commission Concludes. The report of Lord Mersey's Titanic

wreck commission in England ex-

pressed the opinion that excessive speed caused the wreck and that the arrangements for the launching and manning of the lifeboats were inadequate. It is held that the lookout precautions against ice were inof negligence. J. Bruce ismay, it is national committee and the makeup of to remain on the Titanic as the only the various committees which are to result would have been the loss of anin the lifeboats. The liner Californian could have saved many lives, the report says.

Among the recommendations the rethe eugenic congress in London that port asks for the basing of lifesaving there would be more lunatics than accommodations on steamships on the same people in the world 390 years number of passengers and not on the steamship's tonnage.

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#### Stanley Probers Recommend Legislation to Congress

### DISSOLUTION NOT MENTIONED

Majority Report Would Separate Manufacturing and Transportation Business Completely-Morgan Censured.

The Stanley committee, which has been investigating the United States Steel corporation, sent in its report to the house of representatives. All the Democrats on the committee signed it; of the four Republicans two agreed in one separate report and each of the others had his minority

finding. One of the Democrats, Martin W. Littleton, signed the report, but refused to concur in one of three recommendations for remedial legislation accompanying it.

In the majority report the steel corporation is criticised without stint, but nowhere is the opinion expressed that it should be dissolved. The committee finds that its enormous earnings are due, "not to a degree of integration of efficiency not possessed by its competitors, but to the ownership of ore reserves out of all proportion to its output or requirements and to the control and operation of common carriers, divisions of rates and the liberal allowances obtained from other concerns through inequitable

and inordinate terminal allowances." The three bills in which the recommendations of the majority of the com-

mittee are embodied are: First, an amendment to the Sherman anti-trust act which would put the burden of proof in an action for violation of the act upon the defendant corporations, would permit anyone to bring a suit in equity, instead of leaving such power in the hands of the government, where it is at present, and would define unreasonable restraint to be the control of as little as 30 per cent of the value of the total quantity of any specified article.

The second bill would prohibit railroad supply manufacturers, including the makers of rails and structural steel and persons engaged in the mining and sale of coal, from being directors or officers of railroads engaged in Sterstate commerce.

ownership of railways by industrial or mining corporations, firms, companies Martin W. Littleton, in his statement explaining why he does not concur in the first of these recommenda-

The third would make illegal the

tions, says that the bill is ineffective. Among other things contained in the control the Republican party escaped report are: Garey-Carnegie plan of government ontrol disapproved.

> Publicity prescribed as partial cure of evils. Would have commissioner of cor porations report to congress as well

as to president.

"Watering" by J. P. Morgan and associates condemned. Gary dinners took place of pools. Colonel Roosevelt condemned for making trust control complete through Tennessee Coal and Iron transaction.

#### ized labor. Said to lower sociological conditions of employes.

Corporation declared foe of organ-

THREE BOATMEN DROWN Small Graft Run Down by Freight

Steamer in Delaware. Three men were drowned when a boat in which they were riding was run down by a stenmer in the Delaware river near Burlington, N. J. The dead are Robert Heatherington, thirty-five years old; George Van Dine, thirtytwo, and John Scudder, twenty-nine,

all of Bristol, Pa. According to the crew of the freighter the motor boat failed to display lights and ran directly across the path of the steamer.

#### AT 81 WOMAN WANTS VOTE

Californian Totters Into Court to Get Citizenship Papers. Sixty-four years a resident of Cali-

fornia and eighty-one years old, Mary Josephine Melvin, born in Ireland, tottered into court at San Francisco and filed her first papers to become a citizen. "I have lived to see the dawn of freedom for women throughout the

world," she said, "and I want to vote before I die." Wanted For Murder: Commits Suicide. When detectives approached to

man, a negro and former policeman of Philadelphia who was wanted on a charge of murder, committed sucide by cutting his throat. Meanest Man.

place him under arrest James Cole-

serve thirty days. Weldon attempted Drying Wheat in Coke Ovens. The Latrobe-Connellsville Coal and

burg, Pa. Airship Travels 500 Miles. Zeppelin's latest airship, Hansa, successfully completed a voyage of 506

Edward Weldon was sent to the county jail at Grand Rapids, Mich., to to steal ien cents from a blind man. Coke company is drying wheat from its farms in its coke ovens at Greens-