

## ADMITTS GRAVE ROBBERY; GETS 2 TO 4 YEARS

Prisoner Confesses Loathsome Crime to Cover Up Other Wrongdoing

SAYS CONSCIENCE HAD TORMENTED HIM

Larceny and Forgery Indictments Are Held in Abeyance

DELHI, N. Y., Feb. 26.—(A.P.)—Fred G. Beale of Binghamton, pleaded guilty to a grave robbery charge in Delaware county court and was sentenced to serve an indeterminate term of from two to four years at hard labor in Auburn prison.

Beale made a complete confession to County Judge Andrew J. McNaught, detailing all of his movements since the night of Sept. 25, last, when he robbed the grave of James Davis in a little cemetery near Hancock and afterward sent the body plunging over a cliff in his automobile in an attempt to make his friends and business associates believe he had been killed in an accident. He was arrested recently in Miami, Fla.

**INDICTMENTS STAND.**  
Indictments charging grand larceny and first degree forgery, which stand against Beale in Broome, Sullivan and Delaware Counties for his alleged mismanagement of the Mohican Brokerage Company of Binghamton, of which he was president, will be held in abeyance. It is understood, until he has completed his prison sentence. Beale will be taken to Auburn tomorrow.

Beale's confession was most dramatic. "My punishment," he told the court, "has been going on ever since that day in Boston when I found my crime had been discovered. I have seen my friends turn away from me. I have seen my father and mother turn away from me and then ask God what for and why I ever was born. I have seen my sister and brother spurned by their friends because of my act. I have seen my little girl, who used to come up to me and ask me to kiss her, turn away with loathing. I've been in hell for five months. I am ready to accept any sentence your Honor may impose on me and I ask only to be given the opportunity to save what I have made in Florida to be devoted to my wife and family."

**CLICK OF RAILS.**  
Beale's confession was a repetition of the statement he had made to Captain Daniel Fox of Troop C, New York State police, on the way from Miami to Binghamton. He assured Judge McNaught that he acted "absolutely alone" in robbing the grave. He told how he had fled from Hancock on the night of the robbery and how he had taken a train to New York and thence to Washington.

"While riding to Washington," he said, "I heard the click of the wheels over the joints of the rails, and every click said I was a cheater, so I went back to Boston, where I wrote four letters. I placed two \$100 bills in each of the last three letters with instructions to a lawyer to send them to my wife and family."

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## EDISON IN BURBANK'S REALM



Thomas A. Edison, "electrical wizard," is venturing into Luther Burbank's field, this new photo of him, taken on his 79th birthday, suggests.

mits a crime, his punishment falls heavily on his family and friends. The court has in its possession a number of communications from persons who know you and your father and mother, and speak in the highest terms of the home influence and life your parents gave you. You have suffered, I've no doubt, I believe you, I am not at all influenced by publicity or by this crowded court room. I wish to give you such a penalty as will be fair and just to the people and reasonable to you. I cannot suspend sentence upon you."

A throng gathered at the court house here in anticipation of the arraignment of the man who had admitted to the police the robbing of a grave to cover up his own disappearance.

**MARY SPAS TO WED**  
DENVER, Col., Feb. 26.—The Denver Post says that Mary Louise Spas, whose adoption by Edward W. Browning, wealthy New York real estate man, attracted such wide comment that it caused the annulment of the action, is in Denver and is engaged to Herbert W. Singleton, 31, of Rochester, N. Y.

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## Dry U.S. Ruins Husband, Wife Tells Court

ACCRINGTON, Eng., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Elizabeth Mullin, of Clayton-Le-Moors, is back from the United States with her husband after having taken him to prohibition America to cure him of the drink habit.

His fondness for liquor made her life unbearable, she said, so she persuaded him to take her to a "dry land."

"It was worse than ever over there," she told the judge in asking for separation. "He built a complete brewing plant and drank an average of 35 half pints daily. He got tired of taking beer to work with him. So I brought him home again, but he couldn't quit. Prohibition had finished his ruin."

Her suit for separation was granted.

**ROXBOROUGH CIRCLE**  
The sewing circle of Roxborough Lodge, L. O. B. A., was entertained Wednesday at the home of Mrs. F. Bilsard, West Saint John. Mrs. W. B. Nice presided. Mrs. Albert Wilson and Miss Edna Wilson were guests.

The time was spent in making a quilt, after which a social hour was enjoyed and Mrs. L. Melvin and Miss Rose Neil delighted those present with vocal and instrumental selections. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Edna Wilson, Miss Edith Bilsard and Miss Mildred Bilsard. Those present were Mrs. William McCallum, Mrs. W. H. Fuller, Mrs. William Lord, Mrs. A. Evans, Mrs. H. Double, Mrs. Percy Bosence, Mrs. George Magee, Mrs. L. Melvin, Mrs. H. Jennings, Mrs. A. Wilson, Mrs. S. Carvell, Mrs. E. Melvin, Miss Edith Bilsard, Miss Mildred Bilsard, Miss Rose Neil and Miss Edna Wilson.

The meeting next week will be held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Fuller, 238 Rodney street.

**FORD BUYS BICYCLE**  
SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 26.—Henry Ford, maker of automobiles, buyer of antiques and fiddling enthusiast, bought himself a bicycle here. He did not intend to, but the heart of a small boy had to be repaired, so Mr. Ford "dug down."

Mrs. Ford, with some friends, had left the Ford yacht, Sialia, docked here, to go to church.

An immense crowd was on the dock trying to get a glimpse of the noted Detroit and his chauffeur was trying to drive carefully, but with all his care he smashed up a bicycle belonging to little Walter Richardson, one of the spectators.

Walter took his troubles aboard the Sialia, and came ashore with the price in his pockets.



**GILLETT'S PURE FLAKE LYE**

**MARIE WILL MAKE PEACE WITH CAROL**

VIENNA, Feb. 26.—Queen Marie of Rumania, according to Bucharest rumors, will go to Paris soon to make her official and personal peace with her son, the former Crown Prince Carol.

The latter, who recently left Milan, is expected to return home and resume his official duties.

Queen Marie, accompanied by Princess Helena, visited Premier Bratianu, who has been ill for several days, in his sick room in Bucharest today.

**DEATH CAR DRIVER FREED.**

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 26.—The trial of W. G. Smith, charged with manslaughter arising out of the death last December of Andrew Turner, killed by a motor car on Topsail road, concluded today when the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. The case was before the court four days.

**CABINET SPLIT ON POLAND.**

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The Westminster Gazette says that several members of the cabinet oppose the claim of Poland and other nations to a permanent seat in the council of the League, but that the majority of the cabinet would be ready to support Sir Austen Chamberlain at Geneva, if he favored those claims.

**DRIVERS FACE FINE FOR UGLY PRACTICE**

ROME, Feb. 26.—Already beset by scores of new and complicated traffic regulations, Roman chauffeurs now have to guard against a new way of getting fined—committing "aesthetic misdemeanors."

One aesthetic misdemeanor is the act of protecting the radiator in chilly weather by covering it with a sheet of newspaper or other paper. This, says Governor Crenonnet, constitutes a most undecorative ornament. "If," says an ordinance, "special conditions render necessary covering the radiator, this should be effected by the proper technical means."

**3 Test Farms Bought Along H. B. Railroad**

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—An important move in connection with the completion of the Hudson Bay Railway was announced today by the Department of Agriculture. It is that three farms have been purchased along the route of that road, and that these farms will be used as experimental stations to test the possibility of a farming standpoint of the land along that railway.

Operations on these farms are likely to be begun this summer, and the ultimate result will either prove or disprove the contention that the railway can be made valuable from a colonization viewpoint.

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**CATHEDRAL CRACKS MENDED.**  
LINCOLN, Eng., Feb. 26.—During the past year 50 serious cracks in Lincoln Cathedral have been mended, at an expense of \$35,000.

**DEAD WOMAN ALIVE**  
DERBY, Eng., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Mary Porteous, legally declared dead after being missing for seven years, has been found at Glasgow.

EVERY bride should have enough clothes to last until her husband Use the Want Ad. way.



## Health and Food

The Need for Hot, Sustaining Beverages—and of Putting Nutrient and Flavour into Food

Bodily warmth comes from within. Woollens and furs do not add warmth—they retain the heat which the body creates from food. To be healthy and warm during the bracing, invigorating winter, keep the bodily fires burning brightly with nourishing, sustaining food—the strength-giving nutrient of prime beef in the form of "OXO" Cubes.

**Hot "OXO" Relieves Fatigue of Housework and Shopping**

When you are busy about the house, stop for a moment in mid-morning or afternoon for a refreshing cup of "OXO"—a cube to a cup of boiling water. When you go out for a brisk walk or shopping tour, take a cup of "OXO" on your return. It provides just the grateful warmth and nourishment you need to relieve fatigue and revive the energy.

**Hot "OXO" Prevents After-Chill**

Arctic explorers, trans-Atlantic airmen, mountain climbers and athletes in every sport depend on "OXO" for strength and endurance.

If you enjoy, hockey, skating, snow-shoeing, skiing, tobogganing, guard against the after-chill which comes over. Muscles then are relaxed; tiredness creeps on; the whole system is in a condition to "take cold." A hot cup of "OXO" is the best body-warmer and chill preventative. It sustains and stimulates mind and body—rebuilds the wasted tissues—protects against taking cold.

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Children "just love" the rich flavour of "OXO" Cubes; and the beef nourishment is a food that helps to build bone, muscle and good red blood. Give the children hot "OXO" when they come in from school or play—an "OXO" Cube to each cup of boiling water or milk.

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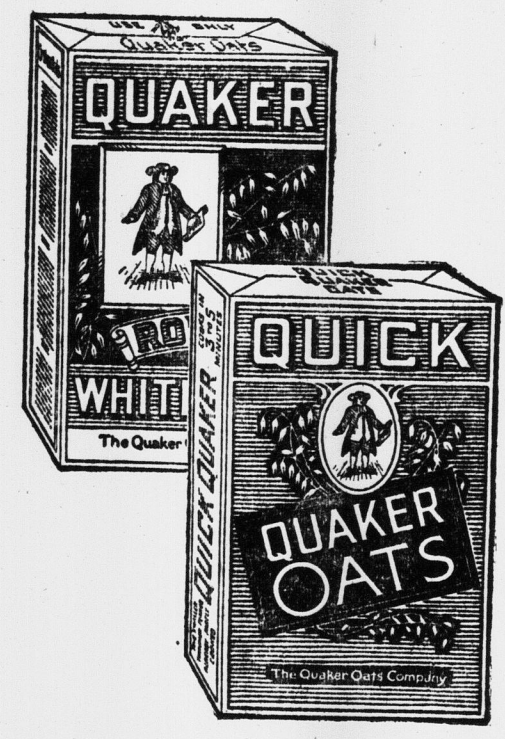
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