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Q. Would you still affect the brain? A. Yes, it would in time.
Q. And it would affect the lower end of the body about the lower part? A. Yes.
Q. Then what do you mean, that they (the jerks) would be far removed from the brain?
Witness replied that the progression of the disease would be through the whole body.
Examination of Vermilyea
Witness on the stand told of striping accused and examining him, but did not remember if he had tested for knee jerks. Persons with no knee jerks are unusual, but the cause for their absence in the case of accused was not known.
Q. How often do you appear in court? A. Quite often.
Q. Constantly? A. No, not constantly.
52 Times in Court
Q. Say in 1934, how often were you in court?
A. I don't know. Later he added he had in one spring been in the court 52 times between January and June. Generally he had testified on mental cases. He admitted that often there was a disagreement between men versed in his study.
Q. Yes, you might even get up and appear against each other?
A. Yes.
Q. And these points of difference are generally settled by the court?
A. As they should be, "yes," agreed Col. Greer.
Opinion of Doctors
Q. You heard Dr. Mitchell's evidence this morning. Are you aware of what he would say? A. Not what he would say to you.
Q. His opinion was that accused was not a normal healthy man, do you agree? A. No, sir.
Q. Or that he had an abnormal emotional nature? A. No, sir.
Q. And you don't agree with Dr. Howland? A. No, neither his diagnosis nor the statement that accused was suffering from delusions.
Col. Greer referred to Dr. Robertson.
Q. Do you agree with him when he said when the man committed the act he was insane? A. No, I do not.
Q. You don't agree with the opinion of any of the doctors? A. Not in entirety.
Justice Jeffrey took witness as Col. Greer concluded.
"Do you believe if he did the act he knew he would be punished for this?" asked the court.
A. Surely.
The taking of evidence was concluded at 3.45. After 4 o'clock court adjourned until Monday morning. Neither counsel had addressed the jury when the adjournment was made.
The petit jury held here since a week last Tuesday was discharged this Saturday afternoon.
Since early this morning a huge throng waited patiently for the opening of the doors. Many of them carried bundles of paper wrapped lunches in their hands. While waiting for proceedings to open, many of the women spectators in the packed rows knit patiently on sweaters and scarves.
Vermilyea still lolls at ease on his air cushion in the prisoner's dock, with his back to the jury and smiles occasionally. He glances around the crowded court room at times, returning the curious gaze of the spectators. Saturday the gum on which he usually chews steadily was missing. Col. Greer, defence counsel, as he entered, in the afternoon, engaged in a brief whispered conversation with the accused.

Cattering machine was used to mangle victim. It struck a reef a mile and a half off Boaso Peninsula, outside Tokyo Bay.
Fishing boats and larger craft, including a Japanese destroyer, hurried to answer its cry: "Lying in dangerous position—Need immediate (Continued on Page 7, Col. 4)
ENGLISH FOOTBALL
London, Feb. 23—(CP Cable) —Results of soccer games played in the Old Country today follow:
English League Div. I
Birmingham 1; Liverpool 3
Everton 2; Aston Villa 2
Grimsby Town 1; Derby County 3
Huddersfield Town 3; Chelsea 0
Manchester City 1; Arsenal 1
Middlebrough 3; Blackburn Rovers 3
Preston North End 2; Leicester City 0
Sheffield 1; Leeds United 0
Stoke City 1; Portsmouth 2
Tottenham Hotspurs 1; Sunderland 1
West Bromwich Albions 5; Wolverhampton Wanderers 2
English League, Div. II
Bolton Wanderers 2; Port Vale 0
Bradford 1; Hull City 2
Brentford 2; Bradford City 0
Burnley 3; Swansea Town 0
Fulham 2; Notts Forest 1
Newcastle United 3; West Ham United 0
Norwich City 1; Blackpool 1
Notts County 0; Sheffield United 1
Oldham Athletic 3; Manchester United 1
Plymouth Argyle 3; Bury 0
Southampton 0; Barnsley 1
Southern Section, Div. III
Bournemouth 1; Watford 2
Brighton 3; Cardiff City 1
Bristol Rovers 1; Torquay United 0
Charlton Athletic 3; Queen's Park Rangers 1
Clapton Orient 2; Millwall 1
Coventry City 1; Crystal Palace 1
Gillingham 1; Bristol City 0
Luton Town 6; Aldershot 1
Northampton Town 2; Newport County 0
Reading 2; Exeter City 0
Southend United 2; Swindon town 0
Northern Section Div. III
Accrington Stanley 4; Gateshead 2
Barrow 2; Carlisle United-1
Chester 1; Doncaster Rovers 3
Chesterfield 3; Lincoln City 1
Darlington 0; Stockport County 0
Halifax Town 4; Southport 3
Mansfield Town 1; Rochdale 0
New Brighton 1; Hartlepool United 4
Rotherham United 2; Wrexham 0
Walsall 3; Tranmere Rovers 0
York City 7; Crewe Alexandra 3
Scottish League Div. I
Celtic 3; Patrick Thistle 1
Dundee 3; Motherwell 1
Queen's Park 1; Kilmarnock 4
Queen of South 1; Clyde 0
Scottish League Div. II
Edinburgh City 0; Third Lanark 2
Scottish Cup Tie
Glasgow, Feb. 23—(CP Cable) —Third round matches of the Scottish Soccer Cup competition played today resulted as follows:
Rangers 1; St. Miren 0
Aberdeen 0; Hibernians 0
Buckle Thistle 0; St. Johnstone 1
Airdrieonians 6; King's Park 2
Brechin City 2; Hamilton Academicals 4
Hearts 2; Dundee United 2
HOME IS BURNED
Campbellford, Ont. Feb. 23—(CP) —Fire believed caused by mice and matches partially destroyed a frame building on Meyersburg Rd. early today. The building is owned by Bert Runnels, absent at the time.

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Trial Moves Rapidly
The trial today moved rapidly to its conclusion Saturday as the defence called but a single witness, Dr. Robertson, a schoolmate of Vermilyea's. Dr. G. Howland, of Toronto, was the only other witness for the defence, he was heard Friday.
Vermilyea did not go on the stand to testify in his own defence. The Crown at once began the introduction of rebuttal testimony.
Defence Exits
The defence in the trial of Harold W. Vermilyea, charged with the hatchet slaying of his aged mother last October 4, rested its case at 11.02 a.m.
Dr. J. J. Robertson, school-year acquaintance of the accused man, was the sole defence witness today. He testified Vermilyea was insane.
Dr. Robertson, a school year acquaintance of the accused man, said he felt his family held a conspiracy against him.
Dr. Robertson said Vermilyea had set about to rectify this conspiracy, thinking he was acting upon "divine guidance." Vermilyea had not used this phrase in describing his motive, but the doctor said he had come to that conclusion after examining him.
Accused's Business Life
The medical witness said Vermilyea had described to him his early life which took him through Western Canada and the United States until he finally settled in Ontario, Calif.
The Crown alleges Vermilyea came from the California city to Belleville, slew his aged mother, Mrs. Aurella Vermilyea with a small hatchet, and returned to his United States home by automobile and aeroplane.
O. A. Payne, examining Dr. Robertson, asked him:
"As the result of your examination (of Vermilyea) and relying upon your long knowledge of the accused, did you arrive at any finding regarding his sanity?"
Believes Man Insane
"I most assuredly believe he was an insane man," Dr. Robertson asserted.
G. W. Urquhart, cross-examining Dr. Robertson, asked:
"When he (Vermilyea) struck his mother with the axe, he knew he might kill her?"
Dr. Robertson said he believed he did.
"Did he think this act for which he was liable for arrest?"
"I believe I could say he might know this was punishable, but that he was justified in so doing."
It was expected the addresses to the jury would be made Monday.
Dr. J. J. Robertson of Belleville, took the stand at the Vermilyea murder trial, as a defence witness. He was examined by Mr. Charles A. Payne, K.C., associate counsel for the defence, on his experience with medical diseases. He said that he had been practising medicine for twenty-nine years and a half and that he had had two years under Dr. C. K. Clark, superintendent of the Kingston Asylum. He was frequently called in on cases of wills where it is necessary to judge on the mentality of patients and their ability to execute wills.
"I knew him at Albert College when we were students," the doctor replied when asked as to his acquaintance with Vermilyea. That was at 'boarding college' many years ago. Witness spoke of Vermilyea