

WIFE-MURDERER IS TO DIE NEXT WEEK

Abandons Hope of Reprieve and
Death-Watch Fears He Will
Attempt Suicide

Charles Ford of Camden, convicted wife murderer, under sentence of death, is to be electrocuted during the week of February 17. The condemned man has about given up hope for a reprieve and has grown morose. Fear that he may try to commit suicide has caused the death watch to exercise extra vigilance.

Ford slew his common-law wife following a quarrel in their home. His counsel fought hard to save him from the electric chair, but the murder was such a cold-blooded one that the jury was not long in arriving at a verdict of guilty.

HUNGRY, HE SOUGHT FOOD IN ASH CANS

That's What the Old Man Said,
But It Didn't Go
With Judge

George Oreska, fifty-five years old and homeless, was before Judge Naar in the Second District Court last evening on the complaint of Patrolman Ward, who found him delving into garbage boxes and scattering the contents on the sidewalks.

Oreska said he was hungry and that he thought he could turn an honest penny by getting some rags and iron from the garbage cans. He was sent to the farm for three months.