

WAS QUEER CASE

Jury Is Discharged and Ellis Glenn Case Brought to Close.

Parkersburg, W. Va., July 30.—The Ellis Glenn case was brought to a close this afternoon by Judge Stapleton, who dismissed the jury on their own request and upon their statement that they could not reach a verdict. Their last ballot resulted in seven for conviction and five for acquittal.

The case was one of the most sensational in the criminal history of West Virginia and cost the state thousands of dollars. The entire case hinged upon the identification of Ellis Glenn as being the same as one Bert Glenn, formerly of Williamson, W. Va.

Over one hundred witnesses were examined pro and con and the best criminal lawyers in the state were arrayed against each other. While Ellis Glenn appeared in court attired as a woman, the prosecution sought to identify her as Bert Glenn, a male.

The decision of the jury seemed to have had but little impression upon the prisoner, she merely smiling when the result was announced. Her recognizance was extended by the court until next Thursday.