

FIND NO BODY TO BACK STORY

That Negro Youth Was
and Thrown into
River Near Bolton

FIVE MEN ARRESTED AND A SIXTH SOUGHT

One of Men Is Alleged to Have Confessed to Dep-

Bolton, April 21.—Five men were placed under arrest here this morning in connection with the disappearance of a negro boy near here last Saturday.

Vermont railroad section foreman, James Sweeney and John Kennison, who worked under Foreman McCabe, and two tramps. The authorities are said to be looking for Henry Goodrich of Burlington, a woodchopper.

The arrests were made by Deputy

nen, Kennison, is said to have lost his nerve and, going to the deputy's house early Sunday morning, to have told the officer the whole story, declaring he

couldn't sleep because of the snail. An investigation was begun yesterday morning, as a result of which warrants were issued and the arrests made. Under examination by Deputy Sheriff Stevens and Deputy Sheriff Murphy, McCabe is

the occurrence, although declaring that he himself had nothing to do with throwing the boy into the river, but admitting that he threw a stone into the river and told the other men to throw the black—in there."

id to have been working on the dam construction in Essex. One feature that troubling the authorities, inasmuch as no body has been found, is that a negro youth was seen late Saturday making a way through Jonesville. The au-

As near as can be learned, the story

ture of the railroad workmen from their lodging place to a place known as the "ledges," where they placed their dinner pails in a little building near the track. At noon the men returned to the building for dinner and discov-

turn to Bolton for their dinner. Going back to the work in the afternoon they spied a negro boy in a mill warming himself. The boy disclaimed all knowledge of the theft and finally broke away from his captors. The men are al-

Several children are alleged to have been attracted by the sounds of the beating and to have seen the men torturing the negro, after which the children are alleged to have gone to the

to enlist the services of grown men stopping the torture. When the men went to the scene it is alleged they saw Bodrich on the bank of the river. Addressing McCabe, the foreman, as to the whereabouts of the negro, they are

Thinking that the boy had fled and escaped, the Bolton men returned, and nothing more was done about the case. Kennison called at Deputy Sheriff Knison's early Sunday morning, routing

the story which resulted in the arrests made today. There are several features not explained as yet, chief of which is that no body has been found in the river.

testant Episcopal Diocese of Vermont Convention.

the diocese of Vermont would be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd during the third week of next June. The convention will probably begin its deliberations June 17, the sessions to continue several days. Tentative plans for

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gates representing every organized church and mission in the diocese will attend and present indications point to one of the most successful conventions in the history of the church in Montana. It will be the first time that

bishops of the Vermont diocese participate in the annual diocesan council. The bishop coadjutor having been elected at a special convention last November. Last year the annual convention met in Burlington.

Bliss of Burlington, Rev. E. S. of Swanton, E. J. Ormsbee of London, C. E. Parker of Vergennes. Early in May the annual meeting of Montpelier district of the Woman's

Good Shepherd. The district em-
braces a number of parish organiza-
tions in the central part of the state,
many delegates are expected to be
present.

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