

POKOKNET TO BE RAISED TO-DAY

Believed That Incriminating Conditions Will Be Exposed When She Is Floated.

EIGHT QUESTION REFERRED

Merchants Want Quick Freight, and Other Citizens Oppose Being Kept Awake.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., July 20.—The mer Pokoknet, which was sunk at wharf here yesterday morning by a one, who opened her sea cocks, will be raised to-morrow by the Merrittman Wrecking Company's barge, which reached here late this noon from Norfolk.
It is believed that the condition of the net room will reveal incriminating evidence against the colored fireman, Julian Lowry, who was on duty at the time the sinking, and is now in jail, instead of having maliciously sunk the net.
John Galloway, the negro fireman, charged with maliciously sinking the mer Pokoknet by opening her sea cocks, is in jail here, awaiting the grand jury. He is the only member freed from an old crew, all of whom were discharged, and was on duty the time of the sinking. There is circumstantial evidence, which the mer Pokoknet's attorney very strenuously contests, in the prosecution of a case of negligence, referring to the whole question of quicker handling of freight shipments, and operation of city ordinance prohibiting the raising of a net in low water.
The Council, in a recommendation committee of councilmen, aldermen be appointed to consider it, the outcome of a public business meeting this afternoon. The shifting of the net seems to be the core of the difficulty. No railroad men were present at the party of business men went to the committee meeting, which was brief, adjourning after passing the net reference resolution offered by R. Bishop. The shipping merchants manufacturers want the railroads to be their freight more promptly, while the net on the railroad streets do want to be kept awake by car shifts at night, and charge the railroads with violating the ordinance against it. This is the sum of the situation.

NEVER SAIL AGAIN.

Delaware Schooner Runs Ashore—Sailed 15 Years.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ORFOLK, VA., July 20.—The Philadelphia four-masted schooner Matilda D. da, which went ashore, laden with the Gull Shoal Life Saving Station, 15 miles north of Cape Hatteras, seven days ago, will never sail the sea in. She has sailed there for fifteen years. Her finish will be where she went, a veritable graveyard for ships, where is hidden in the sands what is the sum of the situation.
The following telegram was this afternoon received here over the southeast of the United States Weather Bureau:
Hatteras, N. C., July 20.—Schooner da, at Gull Shoal, has been given up by the wreckers as past saving. She was partly stripped by the Merritt Chapman wreckers, and the tug has been back to Norfolk, leaving Gull Shoal at noon to-day. The captain is still in the wreck, and will finish stripping the wreck from the beach. The sea is high and prevented wreckers from working to-day.

WATER TROUBLES.

Water in Portsmouth Being Litled to Permit Contact With Air.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ORFOLK, VA., July 20.—Portsmouth its water troubles.
The Kilby and the supply plant of the

Fine School for Girls.

Matter of Deep Interest to Young Ladies and Their Parents.

One of the surest signs of the development of the South is the prosperity of its schools. We note with congratulation the success of the newall Jackson Institute for young Ladies, at Abingdon, Va. There are few schools, if any, in this country that are doing a greater work for our girls. The teachers are into close personal touch with them, thus creating a real home atmosphere. In a quiet, unostentatious way, the school impresses its stamp of culture, refinement and high ideal character upon the pupils. It has a high curriculum, excellent advantages in music, and the usual advantages required in schools for girls. In addition, it is keeping abreast of the times and the changed conditions in the South by having an industrial department, in which knitting, sewing and wood-carving are taught practically.
Abingdon ranks first in health in the State of Virginia, according to the statistical report of the year, and the school has always been noted for the care taken of the health of its pupils.
Under the present administration arrangements have been made amounting to \$20,000, and more are contemplated.
This excellent institution belongs to the Abingdon Presbytery, and is run as a money-making machine, with the low price charged as compared with schools of equal scholastic advantages.
Parents with daughters to be sent to home to be educated would do well to consider the merits of the newall Jackson Institute, of Abingdon, Va.

Idlewood Inn

SPECIAL \$1.00 MEAL.
For Saturday and Sunday, from 6 to 9 P. M.

Chicken.	French Crabs.	Fish.
Tomatoes.	French Fried Potatoes.	Cold Slaw.
Coffee.	Hot Muffins.	Ice Tea.

ON THE TRAIL OF LORD DOUGLAS

Judge Pritchard Receives Confidential Information in Regard to Notorious Bigamist.

MISS HOOD WAS HIS VICTIM

Traced to Mexican Cities, But No Sign Can Now Be Found.

NORRIS ARSON CASE.

Jury Retired for the Night—Verdict Not Guilty Expected.

Molina—Vaughan.

Wedding Ceremony Performed at St. Joseph's Church.

Elephants Charge Crowd.

New Haven, July 20.—Four elephants became frightened at a performance of the circus at West Shore here and charged into the band and the reserved seat enclosure. The crowd of three thousand present was in a panic for about five minutes and one woman fainted, but no one was hurt. The circus men said that fog in the tent alarmed the elephants.

Napoleon's Library.

The library which Napoleon carried off with him to Egypt in 1798 is probably a true reflection of his mental makeup. It included thirteen volumes of arts and sciences, forty volumes of geography and travel, among which the "Egypes of Captain Cook" is conspicuous; 125 volumes of works, ancient, mediæval and modern; forty volumes of poetry, the chief among which were Homer, Virgil, Tasso, Ariosto, Ossian and Voltaire's "Henriade"; twenty volumes of the "maestres" of the French stage, the Old and New Testament, the Koran, the Arabic works on mythology, and, for fiction, a few novels of Voltaire, Rousseau's "Nouvelle Heloise," Goethe's "Werther" and forty English novels in translation. Professor Sloane says that Napoleon's sister, Caroline, added a copy of Bacon's "Essays" and a copy of "De la France des Passions," which had just been published, and Mercier's "Vieilles Philosophiques."—Atlantic Monthly.

ROYAL GREETING TO SOUTHERNERS

Boston Overwhelms Virginia and North Carolina Editors With Attentions.

Knocked Down in Prison Growd

Man Pushed Forward Roughly Against Mrs. Thaw and Threw Her to Ground.

More Southern Spindles.

While 100,000 spindles were added or contemplated in the present calendar year, the second quarter did better for the cotton industry than the first. The year promises to show an increase in Southern spindles approaching a million.

SAN FRANCISCO VICTIMS THREATEN

Tar and Feathers Promised for Leaders of Finance Committee if They Don't Resign.

ARE AFTER DR. DEVINE ALSO

Demand That the Red Cross Head Quit—Blackmail, Says James D. Phelan.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., July 20.—James D. Phelan, chairman of the Relief Finance Committee; Allan Pollock, member of the same committee, and Dr. Edward T. Devine, at the head of the Red Cross Association and President Roosevelt's special representative in the local relief work, are being threatened in a printed circular, copies of which are scattered in the streets and refuge camps. The resignation of Dr. Devine is demanded, and it is intimated that unless Phelan and Pollock sever their connection with the Finance Committee they will be tarred and feathered. The documents are signed "The Committee of the Whole," an organization of refugees, of which Joseph M. Clark, who lives in tent No. 702, Jefferson Square, is secretary. He denies all knowledge of the circular, but states that its tone is too mild to submit to.

Phelan says Clark came to him on Friday and attempted to sell out the Committee of the Whole, and to force to blackmail Phelan. His clerk, who saw Clark at Room 100, at the headquarters, asserts that he came there twice before he was permitted to enter Phelan's office. "The circular is true," Clark said, when seen. These men should be forced to resign. But the statement is contained in a letter not strong enough for us. In a few days we will issue an eight-page pamphlet in which will be such a broadside attack on the Finance Committee, that even Roosevelt, at Oyster Bay, will sit up and take notice of it.

Associated with Clark in the committee is Alva Udell, an attorney. He has petitioned President Roosevelt, Secretary of War Taft and others high in authority to remove the relief funds from the custody of the Finance Committee and place them in the hands of the refugees. These petitions, some of which contained violent attacks on the Finance Committee, were referred to the President and Secretary of War.

WOMEN COMMANDED BY PROPHET TO MARRY

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 20.—It being commanded by Prophet William H. Crowdy in his province as Captain of the Lord's Hosts, founder and dictator of the Church of God and Saints in Christ, and according to a vision which came to him, that all the unmarried women in his congregation shall take up the cross and carry it in their hands, there husbands marrying after men in the little negro colony in this city. In and out of the Church of God glory story, the Holy Zion cafe and the Saints in Christ shanty parlors there is a flutter of lavender robes with purple sashes, husband hunting.

ALASKA TIN.

Discoveries in Northern Territory Will Add to Production.

That the tin production of the United States will be increased by the development of new lodes in Alaska, is made evident by the report of Frank L. Hess, of the United States Geological Survey, on discoveries made in our most northern territory. The first lode tin in Alaska was found in 1902, on Cassid's Creek, a tributary of the River about 200 miles from the sea. It showed the tin ore in a large metamorphosed acidic dike. Several tunnels have been driven in the lode, revealing veins from three to ten feet thick. One of them showed veins of almost pure cassiterite and quartz, about one-half inch thick, and the veins carrying cassiterite, chlorite and some wolframite up to one and one-half inches thick. In the vicinity of Cassiterite Creek three known tin-bearing veins of probably workable size occur in the Hestonite.

OFFERS REWARD FOR ARREST OF ALEXANDER

(By Associated Press.)
AUGUSTA, GA., July 20.—The Georgia Railroad Bank offers a reward of \$1,000 for the capture of Thomas W. Alexander, stating that he secured from that institution \$120,000 on false cotton warehouse receipts and left Augusta a couple of weeks ago.

JOHN M. HIGGINS DIES AT RIPE AGE

Sure Thing.

"To him that hath," said the man who loves to quote, "shall be given." "Yes," said the practical philosopher, "and they that hath not shall be given a swift kick."—Puck.

Tutt's Pills

FOR TORPID LIVER.
A torpid liver deranges the whole system, and produces SICK HEADACHE, DYSPEPSIA, COSTIVENESS, RHEUMATISM, SALLOW SKIN AND PILES.
There is no better remedy for these common diseases than DR. TUTT'S PILL PILLS, as a trial will prove. Take No Substitute.

THE PATENT STORE

(AUTHORITY TO THE PEOPLE)

25c Lace Striped Silk Organdies	12 1-2c Fancy Lawns	10c Fancy Lawns and Cotton Voiles
16 3/4c	7 1/2c	5c
50c Silk Organdies	8 1-3c Fancy Lawns	12 1-2c Lataska Voiles
25c	3c	5c

Plot to Kidnap Hartje Children

Special Officers on Guard at Home of Father of Defendant in Suit.

Case Has Many Sensations

Guard of Crooked Methods Made by Both Sides—Alleged Confession of Negro.

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Terrific Battle.

There was a terrific battle of argument when counsel for Augustus Hartje tried to get stricken from the case the evidence concerning Hooe, given by John L. Wolkow, Hartje's close friend, and the witness who followed him, Attorney Ferguson led the argument for Hartje and bitterly arraigned Mrs. Hartje. Attorney John M. Freeman, chief of counsel for Mrs. Hartje, replied sharply, and Judge Robert Fraser ordered a part of the case to be stricken.

Weight Inconceivable.

In neither this nor any other country, ever before, has a bumper crop of gold been paralleled. They are paralleled now in the July crop report, which partly reveals and in part promises an equally inconceivable mass of perishable wealth. Corn promises a crop only 4,000,000 bushels behind last year's huge record of 2,798,000,000. Potatoes, oats and beans are likely to be somewhat below last year, but wheat, much of which is already harvested, may go beyond the record by 20,000,000 bushels. This more excess alone would fill a bin 400 feet in height covering the Madison Square Garden block.

Prominent in Church.

In all Catholic enterprises Mr. Higgins had always been prominent in all efforts for the improvement of his countrymen. He was and has been for many years assistant financial secretary of No. 120, I. C. B. U., was president of the St. Vincent de Paul Society of the Cathedral. In all parish work Mr. Higgins had always been prominent. He was a member of the Cathedral choir, and was collecting for that worthy charity with Judge Kelley when the "Capitol disaster" occurred, a circumstance which probably saved both of their lives.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. M. E. Turner.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ORFOLK, VA., July 20.—Mrs. Mollie M. Turner, wife of Thomas H. Turner, of Pittsylvania county, died at the home of her husband on Tuesday of heart failure. Before her death she was survived by her father and mother, John M. and Mrs. Mary Turner, and one girl, and two sisters, Mesdames Scott McLaughlin and W. R. Clark, all of Pittsylvania county. Interment was at Mt. Tabor Church Tuesday afternoon.

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Mrs. H. K. Gifford.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., July 20.—Mrs. Helen Kimberly Gifford, 70 years of age, died at 10 o'clock while sitting with friends in the parlor of the Sherwood Inn, Old Point. Heart failure caused death. Mrs. Gifford was the wife of Captain John H. Gifford, U. S. A., retired, and sister to Postmaster John H. Kimberly, of Old Point, and Sam Kimberly, of Washington.

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Mrs. Josiah Beverage.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
MONTEREY, VA., July 20.—Mrs. Josiah Beverage, who a month ago was received as an inmate of the Western State Hospital from Highland, died at that institution Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Beverage was the wife of a prosperous farmer and Tucker preacher of the Straight Creek community, and her body was brought home for interment. She was the only surviving daughter of the late John Beverage, another sister, Mrs. Joseph Skidmore, of Franklin, having died less than two weeks ago. Her husband, two sons and two brothers survive her.



MISS JOSEPHINE HOOD, latest victim of bogus Lord Douglas.

December last, the couple leaving immediately after the ceremony for Mexico, and not having been heard from since, was undoubtedly the notorious bigamist, "Lord Douglas," alias J. C. Cavendish. Not only does Judge Pritchard's information establish this fact, but states that the couple were known to have been in Rincon Antonio, a small town in Mexico, during the months of January and February, leaving there February 7th, after which all trace of them seems to have been lost.

DEATHS.

BOWSER—Died, in her residence, 512 North Adams street, Friday morning, July 20th, at 10 o'clock, Mrs. JASPER BOWSER, wife of Dr. O. B. H. Bowser, and daughter of the late James M. Jasper.

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DUNKEL—Died, in Berlin, Germany, July 6, 1906. Miss KATE DUNKEL, interment took place in Berlin, Germany.

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Newspaper Tributes.

On the demise of the late Henry Clay Payne, a concern in New York gathered throughout the United States 4,628 newspaper stories of the life and career of the deceased.

These items were carefully mounted on Irish linen leaves and bound in 6 volumes, 400 pages to the book. A cover of genuine seal was appropriately lettered in gold and the entire material, representing the work of many people for several months, has just been delivered to Mrs. Payne at Milwaukee.

Mr. Burrelle, who makes a specialty of this unique method of preserving family history, also compiled four volumes containing the letters, telegrams and cards of condolence received by the family, all constituting a family heirloom that will be handed down to future generations.

This work is one of the several developments of the press clipping industry and Mr. Burrelle has made a special study of the work he executed since 1885.