

MYSTERIOUS TO THE FATE OF LOGGERS

Discovery of a Deserted Camp in the Wilderness North of the Pike River in British Dominions.

Belief That Indians Surprised the White Men and, After Slaughtering Them, Carried the Bodies Away to Cover All Traces of the Massacre.

A tale of mystery comes from the wilderness that lies to the north of Pike River, in British North American dominions, an investigation of which may reveal a tale of massacre by Indians unparalleled in Alaskan lore.

Special Dispatch to The Call. ANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 13.—The Reverend C. M. ... The telegraph survey party under J. B. Charlson recently came upon a most ghastly find.

ZIEGLER NOT ANXIOUS TO PLEAD GUILTY

Santa Cruz Wife-Murderer Changes His Mind and the Court Appoints His Defenders.

Special Dispatch to The Call. SANTA CRUZ, Aug. 13.—There were a brace of criminals in the Superior Court this morning.

SUSTAINS CITY LAWS

Important Decision Regarding a Municipal Election.

SANTA ROSA, Aug. 13.—Judge Burnett of the Superior Court handed down an opinion in the suit of Henry Prindle to retain the City Recorder's office, giving judgment to the plaintiff on the pleadings.

MRS. SLOVINSKI GOES FREE

Ending of the Los Angeles Black-malling Case.

Special Dispatch to The Call. LOS ANGELES, Aug. 13.—Upon the motion of Deputy District Attorney Chambers, Justice Austin this morning dismissed the complaint against Mrs. Slovinski, charged with black-malling.

SAN DIEGO LIBRARY BIDS TOO HIGH

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 13.—Bids for the new Carnegie Library of this city, for which Mr. Carnegie donated \$50,000, were opened this morning by the Library Board.

ANOTHER CLAIMANT FOR TANZER'S ESTATE

SANTA ROSA, Aug. 13.—An answer was filed today in the Superior Court to the petition for letters of administration in the estate of Albert Tanzer on the part of Virginia Hutchins, who alleges she is a daughter of Tanzer.

ROMANTIC MARRIAGE AT WOODLAND

WOODLAND, Aug. 13.—Sunday evening Mrs. Evangeline Armstrong arrived from Missouri, William A. E. Bridges, a California native, met her at the depot.

EARTHQUAKE AT SKAGWAY

SEATTLE, Aug. 13.—Alaskan advices state that Skagway had an earthquake August 8, the shock lasting fully a minute. The buildings rocked perceptibly, but no damage was done.

THE DESERTED MOUNTAIN FARM; SOCIETY FOR FOLK AS RANCHERS

AN IDYL OF SONOMA HILLS.



INCIDENTS ON MOUNTAIN RANCH.

CHAPTER I. MISFORTUNE. THE GEYSERS, Aug. 13.—John Armstrong, farmer, was arrested last week near here on a charge of grand larceny brought by his son-in-law, Charles E. Truitt.

CHAPTER II. THE DESERTED RANCH. On the Armstrong ranch, a garden spot in the hills two miles from the Geysers, when the sun arose on the next day, there came a mournful sound.

CHAPTER III. PLOT OF SYMPATHIZERS. On the shady veranda of a hotel at the Geysers, two days after the hand of the law had whisked Farmer Armstrong to the bastille...

BRAVE SANTA CRUZ WOMAN AND A BIG GUN

Mrs. Murphy Surprises a Midnight Burglar While Trying to Enter Her Home and Opens Fire on Him.

Special Dispatch to The Call. SANTA CRUZ, Aug. 13.—Mrs. J. Murphy of East Santa Cruz is a woman of nerve, and she fears not the midnight burglar.

LOS ANGELES CANNOT FIX THE WATER RATES

Federal Judge Ross Hands Down a Decision in Favor of the Complainant Company.

Special Dispatch to The Call. LOS ANGELES, Aug. 13.—Judge Ross decided the suit of the Los Angeles City Water Company against the city in favor of the water company.

FARMER GOES GUNNING FOR THE MEN WHO FLIRT WITH HIS DAUGHTERS

Special Dispatch to The Call. FRESNO, Aug. 13.—John B. Fontaine, who was arrested at Selma Sunday afternoon for firing three shots at a young man named Joseph Eldridge, was released on bail shortly after he had been taken into custody.

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INDIAN PREFERS DEATH TO DISGRACE

In a Fight With His Squaw the Buck Is Trounced, So He Shoots Himself.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 13.—Early this morning William I. Tuttle of Charlton murdered his wife and then shot himself. Domestic trouble is supposed to be the cause.

TAYLOR'S ACTIVE HUNT FOR MURDERER KING

Wonderful Endurance and Energy of the Pluck Sheriff From Marin Who Is Leading the Van of Poses.

Fugitive Manslayer Is Believed to Be in the Mountains of Northern Trinity County, Running for the Oregon Line.

The chase of Murderer J. E. King is one of the most remarkable of man hunts. For three weeks numerous posses have been on the trail of the fugitive and they tracked him from Two Rocks Valley, over in Marin County, to the Oregon line, the trail leading through the roughest of mountainous country.

ZACARINI GIVES UP

One of the Man Hunters Says King Is Too Far Ahead.

Special Dispatch to The Call. COVLE, Aug. 13.—One of Sheriff Taylor's tracking party that left here last Thursday in pursuit of J. E. King, the slayer of S. H. Church, returned this afternoon, having abandoned the chase for the present, and will await developments.

CAPTURE OF ARDELL

THE FRESNO MANSLAYER

One of the Men Accused of Having Killed Donnelly a Year Ago in a Nebraska Jail.

MASON IS M'KINLEY'S STAUNCH AND TRUE FRIEND

Senator Says He Will Campaign Illinois for the Republicans and Talks of the Boundary.

DEATH OF KIRK C. WARD

SAN JOSE, Aug. 13.—Kirk C. Ward, a well known Pacific Coast Journalist and newspaper editor, died at San Jose last night as the result of a stroke of paralysis one week ago.

CORRECTING ERRORS IN COLMA MURDER CASE

As a Result Suspects Are Rearrested and Are to Have Another Preliminary Examination.

BATTLE WITH BANDITS IN THE WILD BLACK AND BLUE COUNTRY

Special Dispatch to The Call. ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Aug. 13.—In a battle between a Sheriff's posse and a band of desperadoes, several members of the posse were killed and several of the bandits were wounded.

SANTA CRUZ GETTING READY

SANTA CRUZ, Aug. 13.—Elaborate arrangements are being made for the Republican State Convention which meets here September 5. Reduced rates of fare from all parts of the State have been obtained.

FORESTS ON LOMA PRIETA ARE BLAZING

SANTA CRUZ, Aug. 13.—A forest fire is burning in the direction of Loma Prieta. A dense volume of smoke in that direction is visible.

CHECKING THE STREET FAKERS

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 13.—The Board of Trustees tonight adopted an ordinance taxing street vaudeville and minstrel performances given in connection with the sale of any kind of merchandise \$2 for license for the first day and \$15 for each succeeding day.

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Favorite Prescription. Makes Weak Women Strong, Sick Women Well. JULY AUG. SEP. OCT. NOV. DEC.