



THE WEATHER. Forecast made at San Francisco for thirty hours ending midnight, July 14: San Francisco and vicinity—Fair Friday; fresh west winds. G. H. WILSON, Local Forecaster, Temporarily in Charge.

THE CALL

THE THEATERS. ALCAZAR—"On Probation." CALIFORNIA—"Toss of the D'Urberville." MATINEE—"Bosworth Benefit." CENTRAL—"Heart of the Klondike." CHUTES—"Prince Fan Tan." M... COLUMBIA—"Yiddish Players in 'The Golden Country.'" GRAND—"A Turkish Feast." MAJESTIC—"Barbara Frietsche." ORPHEUM—"Vaudeville." TIVOLI—"Amorita."

PERJURY CHARGED BY GRAND JURY

Collins Is Again Indicted for Felony. Mrs. McCurdy Arrives Safely Within Canadian Border.

Story Published in The Call Enables City Police to Locate Her.

"After reading the exclusive story in this Morning's Call regarding the flight of Mrs. Sarah A. McCurdy on last Sunday night, I conferred with Chief of Police Dinan and we sent a message to Chief of Police J. M. Langley of Victoria asking him if he had seen Mrs. McCurdy. As a result we received a telegram from him four hours later stating that the woman was there in company with Collins and his wife. The first information that we had concerning the destination of Mrs. McCurdy came through the columns of The Call."—Statement by Captain of Detectives Joseph J. Burnett yesterday afternoon.

An indictment charging George D. Collins, the alleged bigamist who ended his sensational flight from San Francisco last Tuesday by registering with his companion, Charles McCurdy, at the Hotel Bristol, British Columbia, with perjury, was returned by the Grand Jury during a session held yesterday afternoon. Realizing that the runaway lawyer could not be extradited on the charge of bigamy that stood against him, but determined that the man should be punished in some manner, this body acting under the advice of District Attorney Byington, decided to bring in the indictment for perjury. This was quickly accomplished and the order for his arrest signed at once by Judge Lawson.

The offense for which the warrant was issued was alleged to have been committed in the proceedings before Judge Graham by Collins by his sworn affidavit to his real wife's suit for maintenance. In this paper he swore that he was never married to Charlotte Eugenia Newman, while witnesses and the marriage certificate in his own handwriting prove that he was.

Detective Thomas Gibson will hurry north to-morrow afternoon in order to take any necessary steps to hold Collins until the extradition papers arrive. Acting Governor Anderson of California has already wired to Washington for the necessary documents, but it is likely that much time will be consumed before they reach Victoria and can be served. Gibson will watch the prisoner and as soon as possible he will escort him back to San Francisco.

MRS. MCCURDY WIFE COLLINS. In the meantime Mrs. Sarah A. McCurdy, the Chicago mother-in-law, whose disappearance completely baffled the police of this city until The Call discovered the facts of her escape and published every detail of the flight toward her son-in-law and daughter yesterday morning, has arrived at Victoria. Acting on the information published in The Call, Chief of Police Elman telegraphed to Chief of Police Langley of Victoria, and in the course of the afternoon he received the reply that the much-sought woman was safe in British Columbia with the rest of the refugees.

George D. Collins, under arrest in Canada, has already begun technical steps toward the securing of his release. He was defeated in his first move, but he has many more surprises left for the courts before he will submit to carrying back to the United States a prisoner. The following telegram shows what steps will have to be taken by the San Francisco authorities before they can hope to secure the escaped lawyer.

FUGITIVE REMAINS IN JAIL. "VICTORIA, B. C., July 12, 1905. J. F. Dhan, Chief of Police, San Francisco, Cal.: Collins held; his application for discharge dismissed. Case remained till Wednesday next to permit us securing necessary evidence. We must have following evidence here by next Wednesday morning: At least two expert witnesses on law of perjury in California; at least two witnesses to prove that Collins actually committed perjury according to California law; officer with original warrant duly issued by proper California authorities; original depositions should be brought here certified by Judge as original; signature of Judge thereon should be certified by clerk of court and identified by officer bringing warrant.

"J. M. LANGLEY, "Chief of Police." Detective Gibson says that he will have no difficulty in reaching Victoria

EXCESSIVE HEAT LEADS TO SUICIDE

New Yorkers Kill Themselves to Escape. Three Tragedies Due to Suffering From Humidity.

Twelve More Deaths From Sunstroke the Day's Record in the Metropolis.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. NEW YORK, July 13.—Twelve deaths were reported in New York to-day as a result of the continued heat and excessive humidity. Thirty-six new cases of prostration were sent to the hospitals.

Physicians report an unusual number of children ill in the tenements and predict great mortality among the feeble and feeble persons, if the enervating weather continue. While showers in the middle of the day brought temporary relief, the atmosphere seemed even more noxious and oppressive when the sun came out again and official forecasts at midnight gave little hope of any immediate change.

Lewis Eholis of Newark ended his life with gas to stop his sufferings. He was 66 years of age and lived with his little grandson. For several days he had complained of the heat and told the little boy that he could not stand it much longer. This morning he bade his grandson an affectionate good-by, telling him he was going to his room to prepare for a long journey. Two hours later the police broke open the door and discovered the aged man lying on the bed, with a gas tube between his lips. A note addressed to his grandson said that the heat had driven him to self-destruction.

Lorenzo Balle, aged 16, of Hackensack, in a fit of desperation from heat suffering, jumped into the Hackensack River and immediately sank to the bottom. Peter Sheedy crept to the roof of the house to get fresh air and went to sleep by the side of a chimney. Some tremor of the building dislodged a large capstone on the chimney, which fell upon his head, killing him.

It was the humidity accompanying the heat that made existence distressing. The wind, continuing in the south and southeast, brought the moisture from the ocean and gave Manhattan Island the atmospheric conditions of a Russian bath steamroom. Although cooler breezes were felt to-night, heat victims continued to pour into the hospitals and physicians and attendants complained of being nearly worn out.

PRESIDENT FISH MUST PAY BILL

Head of Illinois Central Is Ordered by Court to Settle for Wife's Furs. NEW YORK, July 13.—Stuyvesant Fish, president of the Illinois Central Railroad, is compelled by a decision handed down by Justice Delahanty of the City Court to pay Adelbert Jaekel, furs, a judgment of \$1600 for furs sold to his wife. Justice Delahanty denies an application made by Fish for a new trial.

Upon trial Fish testified that he does not allow his wife any income, since she has one of her own, derived from her private investments, but that he paid the house bills. He said he sometimes supplemented his wife's income by presents at Christmas. Justice Delahanty says that a husband is bound to furnish his wife with clothing suitable to his and her condition and station of life. So long as the marital relations exist he may be regarded by tradesmen as assuming the obligations cast upon him by law. The Justice continues: "I place little stock in the claim that Mr. Fish is alone liable here, because all transactions in connection with the purchase of the goods in question were carried on with her personally. It is conceded that the defendant never notified the plaintiff not to furnish his wife with such articles or that he would not be responsible for the purchase price thereof.

"I have yet to hear that a plea of this nature, standing alone, has ever been successful in avoiding a husband's liability arising from agency in the wife to bind him and his credit for her actual necessities. As there is no pretense or claim that Mrs. Fish ever personally obligated herself by express agreement or otherwise to pay for the goods in question, the liability for their value cannot be shifted from the husband, where, under the circumstances, it properly belongs."

EQUITABLE FEUD STIRS POLITICIANS

New York Governor and Ex-Governor Fall Out. Higgins Will Not Order a Legislative Investigation.

Senate and Assembly May Revolt Against the State's Executive.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. ALBANY, N. Y., July 13.—Public clamor for an investigation of insurance companies continues to grow in strength and volume. The Governor and his cabinet, composed of Collector of Customs Stranahan, Superintendent of Insurance Hendricks, Superintendent of Banks Kilburn and Commissioner of Public Works Franchot, are still opposing the demand for such an inquiry. All practical and experienced politicians of all factions in the Republican party are urging the Governor to send a special message to the Legislature creating a small joint commission to investigate not only the Equitable, but all insurance companies and to make a report to the next Legislature, embodying suggestions for more satisfactory laws.

Former Governor Odell, "boss" of the Republican State machine; a majority of the members of the Republican State Committee; such prominent leaders in the Senate as Brackett, Malby, Stevens and Sage and an overwhelming majority of Republican members of the Assembly believe that nothing short of a thorough and complete legislative investigation is adequate in the present crisis. An open break between Governor Higgins and Ex-Governor Odell is not probable.

HIGGINS TURNS MUTINEER. The Governor, whose "back has been stiffened" by his cabinet, is beginning to show indications of a revolt against the dictates of his party. He declared today that he had changed his opinion regarding the Equitable situation. When asked if it were true that the statement given out recently by ex-Governor Odell in favor of immediate legislative action was inconsistent with the latter's attitude during their recent conference on the Equitable report, the Governor replied: "I would prefer that you put that question to Governor Odell. 'Nothing has occurred up to this hour that leads me to believe that legislative action is necessary at this special session.'"

Attorney General Mayer and Governor Higgins had a conference to-day to map out a plan of action against Equitable officials charged by Superintendent Hendricks with having diverted the funds of the society to their own use. It is understood that radical action will be taken next week, and also that the Attorney General is looking up the law, with a view to compelling restitution to the Equitable Society of money made out of transactions in Union Pacific preferred stock. Recent facts connected with that deal show that the syndicate or "James H. Hyde and associates" bound the Equitable Society to hold the stock in pool for five years. It is a question whether this condition is binding on the company now, or if Schiff or Elyde can be held responsible for the negotiations.

LEGISLATURE MAY ACT. Assemblyman Wainwright of Westchester, who is one of the most influential members of the lower house, expressed the opinion of many of his colleagues to-night in almost the same words as did the Senate leaders yesterday. Wainwright said: "In my judgment, Governor Higgins is making a great mistake in taking a position of opposition to the overwhelming sentiment of a large number of members of the Legislature. I do not believe that anything short of a legislative inquiry will satisfy the public. The time has passed when the matter ought to be taken out of the hands of the State Department of Insurance and lodged in the hands of representatives of the people. If the Governor does not act pretty soon, before we adjourn we may have the novel situation of the Legislature requesting the Governor for permission to act. All talk about the effect of publicity on markets and business is foolishness. As a matter of fact, Jack of conscience in the life insurance business has been incubating upon the market and business generally."

BALKING JEROME'S EFFORTS. Superintendent of Insurance Withholds Equitable Evidence. NEW YORK, July 13.—District Attorney Jerome to-day made an unsuccessful attempt to secure from the office of First Deputy Superintendent of Insurance Robert A. Hunter in this city a copy of the detailed evidence on the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, taken before Superintendent of Insurance Hendricks.

After failure to get the report to-day the District Attorney sent a letter to Superintendent Hunter with a deputy in which he had Governor Higgins' order for a copy of the report and requested that it be delivered to one of his assistants. Hunter declined to comply with the request unless Jerome gave him a receipt to show that the copy in Hunter's hands was the property of Superintendent Hendricks and would agree to return it within a reasonable time when requested to do so.

Jerome then sent another letter to

KAISER TAKES UP THE CAUSE OF THE KING OF SWEDEN.



SIRE AND SON UNITED AFTER TWENTY YEARS

Nurse Who Kidnaped Boy Confesses on Deathbed.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. CHICAGO, July 13.—Kidnaped by his nurse twenty years ago, Thomas Lydon Jr., 23 years old, and his aged father were reunited to-day in Aurora. On her deathbed the nurse, who was known as Mrs. Sly, told the young man that he had a father living and that she was not his mother. Thomas Lydon Sr. and his son will invite their relatives and friends to a reunion party next Sunday.

Young Lydon begged Mrs. Sly to tell him the name and residence of his father. The dying woman had not strength enough to give the name of the father, but said "Aurora," and, with this word on her lips, she died.

As he stood in front of the Aurora postoffice today, the young man noticed an aged man mounting the steps of the Federal building. The two men glanced at one another. "You must be my father," exclaimed the young man. Mr. Lydon Sr. was quickly convinced of his son's identity, recognizing Mrs. Sly from a description as the nurse who had stolen his boy when the child was only 3 years old.

TRAVEL 6000 MILES IN THIRTY-FIVE-FOOT BOAT. Three Chicago Men Take Novel Voyage in Small Craft and Encounter Many Adventures. WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 13.—James T. Wallace, E. R. Parsons and Charles Chapin of Chicago are now between Clayton and Oswego, bound for the Thousand Islands, in a thirty-five-foot sailing yacht, in which they have traveled approximately 5000 miles. They left Chicago by way of the drainage canal on October 18. The trip down the Mississippi consumed two months. From New Orleans they went to Florida, where they spent the latter part of the winter. They then came up the Atlantic coast, and, arriving at New York about a month ago, started up the Hudson. A naphtha launch towed them from Troy by canal to Oswego. The trio has had many exciting adventures and hairbreadth escapes, and the men expect to arrive home between August 1 and 15.

CONVICT JOSEPH MURPHY WILL BE HANGED TO-DAY. Man Who Helped to Murder Guard Coter Durrug Jail Break to Die at Folsom. SACRAMENTO, July 13.—Convict Joseph Murphy will be hanged at Folsom State Prison at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning for the murder of Guard William Coter. Coter was killed at the time of the outbreak on July 27, 1903, when thirteen convicts escaped. Coter resisted and was slashed to pieces with knives. Murphy was one of the convicts who helped to murder Coter.

CANNOT BE REPUBLIC. Professor Tells Why Freedom-Loving Norwegians Are Felled. BERKELEY, July 13.—The crisis in the relations between Sweden and Norway formed the subject of a highly interesting lecture by W. T. Larsen at the University this afternoon, the assembly hall in the Philosophy building being crowded

Emperor William has taken a hand in the quarrel between Sweden and Norway and a German-Swedish alliance is in process of formation. As a warning to the Norse nation, the "war lord" is about to make a formidable naval demonstration in Swedish waters. Sweden has granted the German squadrons permission to enter her war ports.

Wilhelm and Oscar Meet to Negotiate an Alliance. GERMAN SHIPS TO GATHER ON SCANDINAVIAN COAST

Formidable Naval Demonstration to Awe Norwegians.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. STOCKHOLM, Sweden, July 13.—A German-Swedish alliance is in process of formation. The question, it is said, was discussed at the conference between Emperor William and King Oscar on board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern at Gefle

with summer school students and others anxious to hear an exposition of the two countries' peculiar difficulties from the standpoint of a Norwegian, a student of politics and a university man. Mr. Larsen is a graduate of the University of Copenhagen and also of the University of California. His most significant declaration this afternoon was that, while the majority of the citizens of Norway doubtless would prefer to establish a republican form of government, this is not likely to be done, because of the influence of Emperor William of Germany.

The German Emperor would strenuously oppose the founding of a republic in Norway, according to Mr. Larsen. The Kaiser, it appears, is likely to favor the secession of Norway from Sweden, and with so important and powerful a force back of them the Norwegians expect to accomplish their cherished desire to be independent of Sweden. But if there should be talk of a republic the Kaiser would be expected to put on the screws and prevent the accomplishment of Norway's hopes.

According to Mr. Larsen, there is more affinity between Denmark and Norway than between Sweden and Norway. The language of Norway is not like that of Sweden, but like that of Denmark. National characteristics of Norwegians resemble those of Danes more than of Swedes. Mr. Larsen believes there will be no war between the two countries, but that Norway will be permitted to establish a Norwegian dynasty.

ADORNS CANINE WITH CURRENCY

Walter Scott Decorates a Yellow Cur With Notes to Match Its Complexion. SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. CHICAGO, July 13.—Contenting himself with a drawing-room on the Twentieth Century Limited sleeping car, instead of the special thirteen-hour train which he had declared he was going to hire, Walter Scott and his yellow dog left Chicago this afternoon for New York. While the Death Valley miner took his dog, he left his wife.

"I gave the missus a chunk of my roll and she'll stay at the Great Northern Hotel until I get back," declared the Westerner as he saw that the yellow dog was made comfortable in the baggage-car. "I'm only going to stay in New York for a couple of days and then you'll have another chance to roast me because I don't throw \$1000 bills into the street. I'm only going to New York for a pleasure trip—there's no business about it."

"Did you see the new decoration I've put on the dog?" Scott asked as he showed that the animal was adorned with several yellow-backed bills, tied tightly. "They're just the color to match his complexion."

Scott paid his hotel bill to-day and "kicked" at a lively rate over a charge of \$5 a day for the bridal suite he and his wife occupied. "What?" he cried when he saw the bill, "55 a day? This is an imposition! Why, I've had the suite for \$3 a day."

"You never had this suite in your life," answered the manager. "Well, a friend of mine did," said Scott. Then he paid the bill.

WEALTHY NEW JERSEY WIDOW WEDS GROOM

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. NEW YORK, July 13.—Mrs. Granville W. Garth of Morristown, N. J., widow of a former president of the Mechanics' National Bank, is said to have been married to Hubert Hartigan, her groom. It is added that the couple are enjoying their honeymoon in Ireland, the native land of the bridegroom. The rumor cannot be confirmed here, even Robert L. Harrison, Mrs. Garth's lawyer, being entirely ignorant of the facts. John Hartigan, a brother of Hubert, who is in charge of Erin Farm, the Morristown property of Mrs. Garth, where Hartigan established a training farm for jumping horses, yesterday declined to affirm or deny the rumor. Hartigan was Mrs. Garth's riding master and was later employed by Mr. Garth as groom for his country place. A year ago last December, Garth was lost off the deck of a vessel in the Caribbean Sea in a mysterious manner.