

# NEWS OF THE COUNTIES OF THE BAY

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OAKLAND, Jan. 11.—At the risk of losing his own life in his endeavor to save those of others, W. M. Purvis, a plumber residing at 1314 1/2 Twelfth avenue, this afternoon rescued Herman Waters and R. H. Andrews, boys, whose home is in East Oakland, from the storm-lashed waters of the harbor, after their boat had been swamped, leaving them struggling in the water more than a mile from shore. Waters and Andrews had started out on a duck hunting expedition, and the rough water filled their boat. But for Purvis, both would have been drowned.

Purvis, who was in his own boat, some distance from the scene of the accident, was the first to notice the trouble of Waters and Andrews. After a hard pull against wind and tide, he reached the struggling youths in time to drag them into his skiff, which was nearly capsized by the rough water and the high wind, which swept over the estuary. By main strength Purvis kept them afloat until he got the pair safely into his boat. The three were nearly exhausted.

The two boys had started from the foot of Thirteenth avenue, and had reached a point well out in the harbor, which is very wide opposite East Oakland, when the water, washing over the low sides of the skiff, caused it to sink. Weighted down by their heavy clothing, the boys were in great peril when Purvis headed toward them. Waters and Andrews were good swimmers, but the wind and waves were against them and they could barely keep their heads above water. It seemed as if they must drown before their rescuer, bending every effort in his race to reach them, should come up to the pair. But the fight for life was successful, and the reward was the saving of both youths.

Waters and Andrews lost their guns, both of which sank when the sinking skiff overturned. After towing the boat to the shore, Purvis again returned to the scene of the accident to grapple for the guns, but did not succeed in recovering them. Waters lives with his father, W. O. Waters, at 25 Thirteenth avenue, and Andrews, who is an agent of the Denison News Company, lives at Thirteenth avenue and East Fourteenth street.

## ALAMEDA COUNTY NEWS

**GIVEN A DIVORCE.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—James Webster was granted a divorce to-day from Elizabeth Webster on the ground of desertion.

**THIEF WORKS IN DAYLIGHT.**—Berkeley, Jan. 11.—A daylight thief operating in a rooming-house conducted by Mrs. J. J. Deegan on 20th street, was arrested by Police Officer yesterday afternoon valued at about \$200.

**HASSE CASE CONTINUED.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—Arguments over the validity of the indictment against Otto L. Hassel for having presented false and fraudulent claims for stationery to the Board of Supervisors were continued to-day and the jurors to be excused until Monday.

**EXSTROM IS SENTENCED.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—David Edgar Exstrom was sentenced to the State Prison for a term of 2 1/2 years for a fine of \$113 by Police Judge Campbell this morning for battery, using vulgar language and resisting an officer.

**APRAISE HAWLEY ESTATE.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—An appraisal of the estate of the late W. Hawley was made by Judge Campbell this morning. The estate is to be divided between his wife and son, with school for the municipality.

**DIES AT HOSPITAL.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—Mrs. George A. Crosby, a pioneer woman of this county, died last night at the hospital, after a short illness. She was 64 years old. Her husband, George A. Crosby, died in 1886. She is survived by six children, James H. and Albert M. Crosby, Mrs. Mattie Wilson, Mrs. Mirtle Leighton, Mrs. Mattie Wilson and Mrs. Louis Tillman.

**WILL NOMINATE FRESHMANS.**—Alameda, Jan. 11.—Prof. H. M. Ketchy and Secretary S. S. Brower of the North Side Improvement Club have called a meeting of the organization for to-morrow night, 211 Eagle avenue for the purpose of nominating freshmen from Fremont 3, 4, 7 and 8, to be voted for at the election on January 22, when fifteen freshmen are to be chosen to frame a new charter for the municipality.

**REPUBLICAN CLUB ELECTION.**—Alameda, Jan. 11.—In the biennial election of the Alameda Republican Club held last night the following officers were elected: President, E. R. Anthony; vice president, F. S. Teller; treasurer, W. C. Campbell; secretary, A. J. Smith; president pro tempore, E. J. Young, the presidential candidate of the opposition.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk this morning: George Emilio, 18, and Mary Cherilla, 18, both of San Francisco; John Lawrence, 22, and Ledia Johnson, 18, both of San Francisco; Charles James, 41, Point Arena, and Anna L. Luff, 42, Oakland; John H. Campbell, 41, and Elizabeth S. Campbell, 38, San Francisco; Harry A. Baldwin, 27, and Winnie O. Foley, 19, both of Oakland.

**BOY'S TRIAL.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—The trial of A. C. Webb Jr. of Alameda on a charge of attacking Florence Cook, a 13-year-old girl, on September 2 last, was begun to-day before Judge Ogden in the Superior Court. The following jurors were selected to try the case: William H. Wall, Albert Rhoda, John F. Kelly, S. J. Hill, Emil Kirchmann, J. B. Leland, Peter Thissen, Robert Bonner, David Tyson, James O'Connell, F. W. Thompson and G. H. Mainwaring.

**BOY'S TRIAL.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—Among Sam Lung, Chinese tailor, accepted an embrace from a buxom colored girl in a street in Berkeley, and the man called at his tailor shop at 837 Washington street and ordered a shirtwaist. While the Chinese was talking the woman threw her arms around him. He quickly disengaged himself and the woman had gone and notified the police, but no one answering the colored woman's description has been found.

**WILL CARE FOR CHILDREN.**—Oakland, Jan. 11.—Charles Sivochich, who accused his wife of striking the child of his 10-year-old child with a lighted candle, was found guilty of striking the woman by Police Judge Smith this morning. Sivochich agreed to send his wife to her brother's home in the country, and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children will care for the three younger children. The other three children, the eldest of whom is but 15, will remain with the father.

**MORGAN'S FRANCHISE APPLICATION.**—Alameda, Jan. 11.—General W. H. H. Hart, attorney for W. J. Morgan, who has applied for two local railroad franchises, is to address the City Trustees at their committee meeting to-morrow night on the plans of his client. P. M. Greenwood has applied for a franchise on the north side, along Clement avenue to the bay, over practically the same ground as has Morgan. This route is the most direct for a transcontinental way to enter Alameda, and secure a terminal in San Francisco Bay. L. W. McQuinn, a resident, has interested himself in the Greenwood route in their effort to secure the north side franchise.

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BERKELEY, Jan. 11.—Deadly poison found by City Chemist Rowe of Oakland in the stomach of W. S. Boyd, a young business man who died in this city under mysterious circumstances a week ago, has partially solved the puzzle involved in his death, but has added a new element of mystery to the case, in that the authorities now have to determine whether the boy committed suicide or was murdered.

Cyanide of potassium was taken by Boyd on the night of January 5, in quantity sufficient to cause almost instant death. This deadly stuff was revealed by chemist Rowe's examination of the boy's stomach. The exact quantity swallowed by Boyd remains to be determined by further analysis. The report of the chemist was made to the coroner, Dr. George W. Hayward, on Thursday night at the morgue in Berkeley.

William S. Boyd was manager of the Great American Importing Tea Company in East Oakland. He resided with his wife at 2311 Webster street, and was a well-to-do, comfortably situated, possessed of moderate means, and apparently happy in his family life. His death last Thursday night occurred an hour after a party of his friends had been entertained in the Boy's home.

There was mirth and jollity in the little gathering, and Boyd was apparently among the lightest hearted of the coterie. The friends left the home a few minutes after 10 o'clock. Boyd and his wife retired to bed. No hint of trouble, discord, despondency or other causes that might lead to suicide or murder is said to have come from Boyd or his wife. Mrs. Boyd, who was awakened by the contortions of her husband, who writhed in agony as he lay in the bed. His arms thrashed her like darts, and all his movements were those of a man in his death struggle.

Dr. Hayward, who was called to the house by the police on Saturday night at the request of the police, found the body cold and stiff. He immediately summoned Dr. A. F. Gillihan, who responded at once and reached the house within a few minutes after the call came.

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## POISON FOUND IN STOMACH

Dr. Gillihan examined Boyd and pronounced him dead, but in order that the cause of death might be ascertained, treatment was given, which, however, availed nothing. The physician was puzzled by the symptoms Mrs. Boyd informed him were shown by her husband, and he endeavored to diagnose the case satisfactorily to himself until further examination should be made. No cause of death was assigned in the reports that were made public after the occurrence, and the body was taken to the morgue.

Then a most peculiar feature in connection with the condition of the corpse was discerned. The blood, which would ordinarily have congealed, had death resulted from natural causes, remained in a fluid state. This circumstance suggested to the medical men the presence of poison in the remains and steps were taken at once to test the theory by expert examination. The stomach and its contents were removed and given to City Chemist Rowe for analysis. It was understood that several days would elapse before a result could be announced and the expert's work has taken just about that time. His announcement to-day that cyanide of potassium had been discovered in the stomach in quantity sufficient to cause death revived interest in the mysterious death and officials of the county now will search thoroughly for evidence which may prove that Boyd either committed suicide or was murdered.

## SUICIDE THEORY ADVANCED

Dr. Edward Franklin, a brother-in-law of the dead man, who resides in Tennessee, was in Los Angeles on a pleasure trip when the news was wired to him that Boyd had suddenly died, and that there were peculiar features in connection with the death. Dr. Franklin at once came to Berkeley and now is in charge of matters at the Boyd home on the corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets. Mrs. Boyd is prostrated by the disclosure of the nature of her husband's death and has given directions to Dr. Franklin to attend to her interests in the proceedings.

Mrs. Boyd has told but one story regarding the husband's death, not varying in the details of the narrative at any time. She informed Dr. Gillihan that Mr. Boyd sustained an attack of sickness a month or two ago, when he displayed symptoms not dissimilar to those which preceded his death last Thursday. He recovered from the first attack, however, and no further attention was paid to the malady that seemed to have distressed him. Boyd feared that the seeds of tuberculosis were in his system, and the theory is advanced that the possibility of being a victim to consumption and took his life to avoid a fate he dreaded more than death by poison.

The cyanide of potassium he swallowed may have been taken, Dr. Gillihan says, in the form of a capsule, and if this was the case, death would not ensue until the gelatine had dissolved and the poison had come into contact with the tissues of the stomach.

Dr. Gillihan says that when he found the blood in Boyd's body remained fluid, after the man had been dead for a day, he suspected poisoning, and so secured a chemical analysis of the stomach. He also believes that cyanide of potassium had been used by Boyd or had been administered to him, because of the peculiar color of the blood after death.

Boyd came to Berkeley a little more than a year ago from Tennessee, where he had been a revenue inspector. He built a home for himself and wife on Webster street made acquaintances and friends, and was apparently prosperous. George D. Prentice, who resides next door to the Boyd home, is an old friend of the family. He came from Tennessee with a year ago. He was one of

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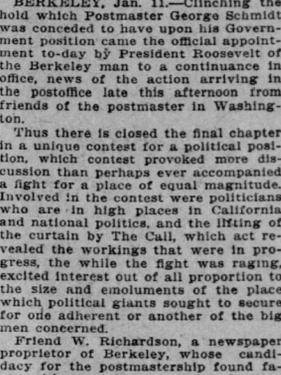
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## CHIEF JAILER AMONG MISSING

### WAS BEAUTIFUL MABEL SLOAN, HIS MOTHER AND HIS FRIENDS IN GREAT ANXIETY

OAKLAND, Jan. 11.—With his wife, who was beautiful Mabel Sloan, his mother and his friends in great anxiety, Harry A. Clark, chief jailer under Sheriff Barnett, has strangely disappeared, leaving officials and relatives entirely in the dark as to his whereabouts. On account of the peculiar circumstances attending Clark's disappearance, his position was to-day declared vacant by the Sheriff. Night Jailer P. L. White was advanced to the vacancy, and Joseph Moffitt, a brother of the late Frank J. Moffitt and an old-time South Pacific Company conductor, was appointed to fill White's place.

Clark was last seen Saturday, when, after two days' absence, he reported to Sheriff Barnett that he was ill, but would appear for duty Monday. The head jailer failed to return to the jail and, what was stranger still, left all of his keys in the office desk as if he had premeditated departure, for each jailer kept his own keys on his person.

Sheriff Barnett waited until to-day and then declared the position vacant, after making diligent inquiry as to Clark's whereabouts.

Clark's home is at 754 Eighth street. His young and pretty wife was out to-day at the home of her brother, Thomas Sloan, of 1376 Eighth street. No light could be thrown on Clark's disappearance. To Sheriff Barnett Mrs. Clark declared she could name whom his keys were last seen in her possession, but she did not know where he was, and could furnish no information which would lead to a trace of him.

Clark's aged mother, residing at 1021 Peralta street, seemed to be in much grief over her son's unexplained absence.

Clark had not been satisfied with his position for some time. There had been friction between himself and Jailer White. Along with this, the missing man was not in good health. Sheriff Barnett said Clark had been warned of his marriage trouble about the time of his marriage, but he had been despondent and morose. This had caused difficulty of a domestic character, but just what has not been disclosed. It was reported that Clark had gone to the Bullfrog territory in Nevada, but that he had returned to his home in Alameda County, where his name was associated with this alleged trip, is in Oakland. Clark was formerly a Southern Pacific conductor. He has many friends in West Oakland.

## PAIR OF HAZERS ARE EXPELLED

### TWO SAN FRANCISCO BOYS WHO TRIED TO "TUB" A FRESHMAN NOTIFIED TO QUIT STANFORD

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 11.—Robert W. McElroy, '08, and Berthold Nordman, '08, students of the Stanford University, registering from San Francisco, have been expelled from the university because of a disturbance in the quad Hall near the close of last semester. The action, which was announced by the chairman of the faculty students' affairs committee, has caused much comment in the community, as the manner in which the two students were dropped is considered out of the ordinary and severe. Instead of notifying the young men in vacation time of their dismissal the unfortunate lads were allowed to return and were then unexpectedly dropped after a brief interview. Many students are trembling, as it is rumored that the committee intends to hold further sessions.

The disturbance for which the two students were punished was the attempted "tubbing" of a freshman, who, being prepared, had barricaded his room and upon the arrival of the "tubbers" had his apartment walled with a baseball bat. In the melee several transoms were broken.

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PALO ALTO, Jan. 11.—A religious census completed here to-day by the various church organizations shows that eight out of every nine families in Palo Alto are affiliated with some church. Another important feature was that 1901 families were visited, which, counting five people to the family, makes the population within the corporate limits here over 9500.

Rev. H. E. Milnes of the Methodist church computed the family preferences as follows:

Methodist 764, Presbyterian 162, Episcopal 102, Congregational 95, Catholic 62, Baptist 61, Christian 41, Unitarian 28, Lutheran 17, Christian Science 12, miscellaneous 9, no preference 100—total 1601.

T. O. HEYDENFELDT ARRESTED AND TAKEN TO SAN RAFAEL

SAN RAFAEL, Jan. 11.—Thor O. Heydenfeldt, who is wanted on a charge of bigamy, was arrested in San Francisco to-day and brought before Justice Magee this morning. He was accompanied by his attorney, Jacob Meyer, who deposited \$400 cash bail. His trial is set for Monday morning.

## DAMAGES ARE EXCESSIVE

### SAN RAFAEL, JAN. 11.—JUDGE THOMAS J. LENNON TO-DAY GRANTED THE MOTION OF THE NORTH SHORE RAILROAD COMPANY FOR A NEW TRIAL OF THE SUIT OF MARIE SEFF AGAINST THE RAILROAD COMPANY ON THE GROUND THAT \$7500, THE AMOUNT OF DAMAGES AWARDED BY THE JURY, WAS EXCESSIVE. THE PLAINTIFF, WHILE RIDING IN A PASSENGER COACH, WAS SEVERELY INJURED BY BEING THROWN OUT OF HER SEAT IN A COLLISION AT MILL VALLEY.

## TO STUDY IN GERMANY

### PALO ALTO, JAN. 11.—PROFESSOR J. O. GRIFIN, WHO LATELY DISCONTINUED HIS WORK AS HEAD OF THE GERMAN DEPARTMENT AT STANFORD UNIVERSITY ON ACCOUNT OF AN INJURY TO HIS EYE, WILL LEAVE HERE MONDAY FOR GERMANY, WHERE HE WILL LISTEN TO THE CELEBRATED LECTURERS.

## MAKES BIG SCORE

### PALO ALTO, JAN. 11.—OLIVER SAUNDERS OF THIS TOWN HAS THE RECORD ON THE LOCAL RIFLE RANGE. HE HAS 223 RINGS TO HIS CREDIT.

## LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

**SAILED.** Thursday, January 11. Stmr Point Arena, Walwig, Seattle.

**ISLAND PORT.** Hilo-Sailed Jan 11—Bark St. Katherine, for San Francisco.

**OUTSIDE BOUND IN-MIDNIGHT.** Bark Edwards.

**OCEAN STEAMERS.** QUERENSTOWN—Sailed Jan 11—Stmr Majestic, for New York.

**LIVERPOOL.** Arrived Jan 11—Stmr Otoman, from Boston; stmr Saxonia, from Boston.

**SAN FRANCISCO.** Arrived Jan 11—Stmr Hartford, for Halifax and St. Johns.

**NAPLES.** Sailed Jan 9—Stmr Neapolitan, for New York.

**NEW YORK.** Sailed Jan 11—Stmr La Gasconne, for Havre; stmr Brandenburg, for Bremen; stmr Arcturion, for Liverpool; stmr Arkansas, for Copenhagen.

**ARRIVED JAN 11—Stmr Prins Oskar, from Genoa via Naples.**

**CHEROKEE.** Arrived Jan 11—Stmr Kaiser Wilhelm, from Bremen, for New York.

**HAVRE.** Arrived Jan 11—Stmr Peruvianian, from Halifax for London.

**PONTA DEL GADA.** Sailed Jan 11—Stmr Brooklyn, for New York.

**LONDON.** Sailed Jan 11—Stmr Minnetonka, for New York.

**HAMBURG.** Sailed Jan 9—Stmr Pallanza, for Philadelphia.

**SINGAPORE.** Arrived prior to Jan 11—Stmr Ning Chow, from Clyde and Liverpool for Shanghai and Tacoma.

**NEW YORK.** Jan. 11.—A meeting of the directors of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company was held here to-day. At the close of the meeting it was announced that no action had been taken looking to the financing of the proposed Pacific line of the company.

## ADVERTISEMENTS

**For Family Colds**

A reliable Cough and Cold cure should be always in the home ready for use the moment the first symptoms appear.

It is always easier, cheaper and better to check a cold in its very beginning.

It is safer, too.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, has been tested for thirty-three years, and tens of thousands of homes in the United States and Canada to-day are never without it.

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