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Is Threatened With Arrest
While Announcing Platform
NOTED FOR BRAVERY
Aspirations of Water Front Character Suddenly Checked

Albert Sucehl yesterday announced his candidacy for the presidency of the United States. Albert was a boatman in the days before the gasoline launch drove the whitehall out of business, and has been known along the water front as a character for the last 20 years. Albert is noted for his bravery. He is afraid of nothing. A few years ago he heard that an engineer who understood gasolines wanted to accompany an expedition to Alaska. Albert applied for the position and on the strength of his own recommendation received the appointment. The parts of the engine were shipped north on the steamer on which Albert traveled as a cabin passenger. His contract was to put the thing together and operate it, and it was not until he had made good that his employers learned of Albert's absolute ignorance about any kind of machinery. All their abuse elicited only a smile. Albert is not a total abstainer, and when the rich red wine mingles with his blood he always wants to make a speech. He made one yesterday in plain English. Mounted on a barrel on East street at the foot of Jackson, he gathered the crowd and informed the world that he had decided to run for the presidency. His friend, Tommy Crowley, he said, would be his campaign manager. Mayor Schmitt, out of the county jail before J. Dalzell Brown sells him any mule bonds or lime kiln stock. Albert might have been talking yet had not Captain Michael Joseph Conboy wandered into the zone of his eloquence. "What's all this about?" demanded the police captain. "He's going to run for president," volunteered a bystander. "I've listened to the flow of eloquence and was not long in detecting the strong Teutonic flavor of Albert's accent. "Where were you born, my man?" inquired Conboy. "In Germany," replied the orator. "Then you'll have to wait until Germany is a republic before you can be a president. Get off that barrel and move on or I'll kick you up." Albert went.

SERVICES IN MEMORY OF REV. B. W. WEEDEN
Work of Helping Destitute After Disaster Caused His Death

In St. Luke's church this morning there will be held the services in memory of Rev. Burr Miller Weedon, whose death took place in Evanston, Ill., last night. The funeral services of the clergyman will be held in St. Mark's cathedral in Grand Rapids, Mich., where Dr. Weedon had gone on leaving this city. The health of Dr. Weedon, which ultimately caused his death, was the direct result of his labors among the sick and destitute of San Francisco during and immediately after the disaster. He overtook his heart, which was weak and had never recovered from the effects of the strain. Although he attempted to keep to his work here, he found it impossible to do so, and immediately after the baptismal services of his daughter he tendered his resignation and went to the Maine pine woods to try and regain his health. In this he was partially successful, and accepted a call as dean of St. Mark's cathedral in Grand Rapids, which post he held until three weeks ago, when he was compelled to relinquish it and go to the home of his parents in Evanston, Ill., where the end came last Saturday morning. Dr. Weedon was married to Miss Susanne Hayes in February, 1902. She and an infant daughter survive him. The Right Rev. William Nichols, bishop of California, assisted by the pastor of St. Luke's church, the Rev. Edward Morgan, will celebrate the holy communion this morning at the same hour that the body of the preacher is laid at rest in Evanston.

BRIGHT PUPILS RENDER ATTRACTIVE PROGRAM
Miss Simms' Class in Bergeret School Entertains Relatives and Friends at Exercises

The pupils of Miss Simms' class of seventh and eighth grade pupils in the Bergeret school entertained many relatives and friends with an attractive closing exercise program Friday afternoon. The numbers were as follows: Song, "The Sunshine Sparkles O'er the Land"; "Christmas Wonders"; "The Fleck"; Mary Findlay, Pearl Simons, Constance Bashford, Bertha Rowen, Flora Riehl, Hazel Rowen, Margaret Clarence, Jeanette Marks, John Peabody, Edward Lucas, Thomas Toomey; song, "Round the Fire"; quotations, "The Christmas Eve"; "The Sketch Book (Bertha Rowen)"; "Christmas Eve" (Constance Bashford); "Christmas Day" (Genevieve Simons); Christmas carol, "God Bless You All"; quotations, Stella Lis, Mary Findlay, Pearl Simons; Genevieve Simons; Edna Beal; song, "Joy to God in the Highest."

HARRY STETSON ARRESTED FOR FURIOUS DRIVING
Many Other Automobilers Come Under Ban for Disobeying Regulations

Harry Stetson, son of James B. Stetson, was arrested in the park yesterday for running his automobile to exceed the speed limit. He was first taken to the park police station by Policeman Samuel Thompson and was then escorted to the central police station, where he put up \$20 bail and was released. Stetson was not the only automobilist to come under the ban of the law yesterday. Ray Boyd and Paul Douglas were also arrested for fast driving. Others were Clarence Wolfe, a lumber merchant; Benjamin Waterfield, special agent of the West Coast Life insurance company; and Edmund Cottle and James Whittle, all of whom were arrested for violating the park ordinance in riding upon roads that are prohibited for use for automobiles.

Fancy Combs for Xmas gifts. Large stock, 10 per cent off. S. Stroussky Co., 1249 Sutter.

INVESTIGATION OF BANK WRECK TO GO ON TODAY
Grand Jury Will Take Up Accusations Against Four Officials
BARNETT WEAKENS
Through His Attorneys He Shows Eagerness to Be State's Witness

Whether J. Dalzell Brown, W. J. Barnett or other officers or directors of the California safe deposit and trust company were criminally responsible for the jugglery and wrecking tactics they pursued with the funds of the depositors will be the subject of the grand jury investigation which will be continued this afternoon in Native Sons' hall. William Hoff Cook, assistant district attorney, who has charge of the case, said last night that the Colton securities inquiry will be rested and the responsibility of the bank officials for the loss of the \$9,000,000 belonging to their helpless depositors gone into. Twelve witnesses are to be called. Cook said, but he refused to divulge the names of the men who are in a position to give testimony which may convict Brown, Barnett, James Treadwell, David F. Walker and others with criminal mismanagement of funds. Walker already has told the prosecution all he has to say. He is in a position to give testimony which may convict Brown, Barnett, James Treadwell, David F. Walker and others with criminal mismanagement of funds. Walker already has told the prosecution all he has to say. He is in a position to give testimony which may convict Brown, Barnett, James Treadwell, David F. Walker and others with criminal mismanagement of funds. Walker already has told the prosecution all he has to say. He is in a position to give testimony which may convict Brown, Barnett, James Treadwell, David F. Walker and others with criminal mismanagement of funds.

MCCARTHY DENOUNCED BY GOOD GOVERNMENT CLUB
Dismissal of Zant From Membership Arouses Indignation

The Good Government club of the building trades council, of which T. E. Zant is a member, met yesterday in the hall of the labor bureau association in McAllister street and discussed the dismissal of Zant from the building trades council by the followers of P. H. McCarthy on Thursday night. McCarthy was bitterly denounced. Ralph McLeran, a leader of the club, intimated that a big surprise was in store for McCarthy and his followers. He said: "Zant will regain his lost membership in the trades council. Just at this time, however, our one desire is secrecy. When once we are ready to strike we will strike hard. "The Good Government club is backing Zant to a man, and while we do not yet comprise a majority of the delegates to the council, from which Zant was expelled in order that he might be elected to the way, we have every hope of restoring him to his former good standing. We are in this fight to win, and it looks now as though victory were in sight."

PERSONAL MENTION
H. G. Carley of New York is at the Callaghan.

J. T. Bingham of Schuyler, Mo., is at the West.

Mrs. S. H. Lynch of Custer, S. D., is at the St. James.

H. A. Fitzgerald of Philadelphia is at the Baltimore.

Mrs. G. Meeker of Detroit, Mich., is at the St. Francis.

M. H. Heines and wife of New York are at the Audubon.

Rev. Dr. Edward W. Wilker of Los Angeles is at the Jefferson.

J. F. Lynch of Sattillo, Mex., arrived at the St. Francis yesterday.

Mrs. George P. Runyon of Courtland is at the Jefferson for the holidays.

Captain J. R. Foster, proprietor of the Western Hotel in Marysville, is at the Fairmont.

Mrs. M. G. Carpenter and Miss Bessie Carpenter of Reno, Nev., arrived at the Dorchester yesterday.

Harold Hansen of Copenhagen, Denmark, is at the Majestic with Bruno Levy, also of Denmark, on a tour of the coast.

Prof. J. E. Stubbs, president of the Nevada state university, arrived at the St. Francis yesterday with his wife and daughter, en route to Pacific Grove, where they will spend the holidays.

MILLS TO TOUR COUNTRY
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22.—Benjamin Fay Mills, the former orthodox evangelist who converted thousands in all parts of the United States and four years ago founded a new liberal organization here known as the "Fellowship," will start upon another tour of the country February 1. His purpose is to hold meetings in the principal cities and establish branches of the Fellowship.

Sweater Coats, Cardigan Jackets, Jerseys, Underwear, Ladies' Blouses and Neckties, J. J. Fisher Knitting Co., 298 McAllister street.

Gossip of the Railroads
Judge Williams of Maricopa was awakened suddenly one night two weeks ago by a section hand and informed that his presence was wanted at a car loaded with wood and grain alcohol. "There is a hobo dead in the car," explained the man. Judge Williams summoned Conductor Sparks of the Maricopa and Phoenix road and told him to gather up a coroner and a physician. The coroner, Maricopa does not permit of 12 men being found at a minute's notice Sparks gathered in four hoboes to sit on the panel and acted as foreman. When the case was reached it was learned that one more tramp had died from the effects of imbibing wood alcohol. The jury was impeached and Judge Williams, leaning over to Sparks, whispered "Wood alcohol the cause." Sparks said promptly: "We, the jury, find that the deceased came to their death through wood alcohol poisoning." At this one of the hoboes jumped from his seat and gave an unearthly shriek, shouting: "White line, by heavens, I have been drinking it, too," and fainted. He was revived, assented to the verdict, and shortly afterward died. Another hobo who was also on the jury died, and the four that were left started at a speedy pace for Yuma. They, too, succumbed to the effects of the wood alcohol before they reached the river. That car was responsible for eight deaths.

The following correspondence between a firm and two high traffic officials illustrates the technicalities of the interstate commerce law. Gentlemen: Again handing you papers in the above, we beg to state that we will stand by our inspection of the technicalities of the interstate commerce law. The rate assessed by us at \$3 is correct. Thereupon this railroad official wrote to another railroad official, who was the inspector: Referring to attached papers, I am inclined to the opinion that the rate on cotton shirts would also include cotton flannel shirts. The rate, as I understand it, applies to the material from which the shirt is made, and not the description of it after it has been completed. It seems to me that a cotton flannel shirt contains more or less than a cotton night shirt. Please favor me with your views. If these cotton flannel night shirts in shirt form we cannot get away from transcontinental provisions for cotton shirts. If, however, they are made in shirt form, they are not otherwise specified applies. This, however, does not by any means settle the vexed question, which finally will be referred to the commission for a ruling. Jay W. Adams of the Nickel Plate has returned from a trip east. He has been in Cleveland, Boston and New York. "Talking about hard times," said Adams, "if spending money freely is a sign of hard times then New York must be in bad shape. I never saw the yards so easily as I did in New York this time. One thing that struck me more than anything else was the management of street traffic in all large eastern cities. Teams are made to respect the right of way and drivers are kept out of the way of the thoroughfare and not go dashing all over the street as it suits them. In consequence pedestrians do not run the risk of being run over and killed as they do here."

The Western Pacific track is now within five miles of Sacramento and with the steel for the bridges piled up in the yards at Marysville for the Bear and Yuba rivers it will not be a great while before the Gould people have a line from Oroville to Midway. All work is completed in Utah. The track is all laid, buildings erected, and the lines completed, operators installed in the stations, and trains would have been running had not the copper mines in Ely proved a disappointment. The Western Pacific also has a fine water supply brought in an iron pipe from Dell springs to the station of that name. This line is 15 miles long, has a capacity of 600,000 gallons a day and cost \$250,000. The water is of splendid quality and is to be used by locomotives, tank cars having been expressly built to fill the reservoirs along the line on the desert from this spring. There are at present 2,000 men employed in Nevada doing tunnel and pile driving. All scraper work has been abandoned owing to the ground being frozen, and therefore track will not be laid until spring, when a large force will be in operation to do the work and laying track. The engineering department of the Western Pacific is satisfied with the progress made during the year when the difficulties of the summer in getting men is considered.

H. T. Cory, chief engineer of the California development company, said yesterday that the track connecting the loop from Imperial to Yuma, the main west of the bridge at Yuma was within 16 miles of the levee along the banks of the Colorado river. The track will be laid for a mile or so on the levee and then will be continued west of the embankment until it connects with the main line. This road leaves the main line at Imperial Junction, passes through Imperial valley, crosses into Mexico at Calexico, makes a curve in the neighborhood of Mexicali and then returns to California. In Mexico it traverses a country which is rich in cattle and agricultural products.

Work is proceeding on the Dumbarton bridge and the double track cutoff from Mayfield to Los Gatos in good shape and will be kept up throughout the winter till completed. The Peninsular railway company, the electric asset of the Southern Pacific in the Santa Clara valley, is making plans to create a popular resort at Congress springs next season, which, it is expected, will be patronized largely during the coming summer. The first of one track on the cutoff has been completed to the connection with the electric railway near Cupertino, and work on the other track is proceeding rapidly. A union depot for both the electric and the steam line has been planned at Los Altos, the new town on the cutoff.

Statistics of the movement of oranges and lemons from December 1 to 19 have been received, and the report shows a favorable increase in the business over that of last year. During this time there was sent east from the Tehachas \$16,000,000 worth of oranges and 45 of lemons. The total for the same time last season was 230 cars of oranges and lemons. The total shipment of citrus fruits east up to date this year was 559 cars, of which 440 cars were lemons. Last year the number of cars sent east during the same period was 581 of oranges and 249 of lemons. The shipments from Porterville and Oroville to December 9 amount to 2,117 cars of oranges and 54 of lemons.

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NINE FIREMEN INJURED
WILKESBARE, Pa., Dec. 22.—Nine firemen were injured and damage to the extent of \$2,000 was done by a fire which originated in the Globe dry goods store of Langflet Brothers today.

Luminous Coloring Marks Sydney Yard's Latest Monterey Landscape
By Lucy B. Jerome

In Vickery's there are a half dozen exquisite water colors by Sydney Yard portraying bits of Monterey landscape. The largest is a canvas in greens and reds showing El Carmel mission on a stretch of green upland, a hill in the farther distance, and a pool of limpid clearness in the foreground, the whole placed amid the red browns of the trees and brush in the middle distance. The coloring is exceedingly luminous and soft, with almost the effect of more haze. Another smaller painting of more vivid and brilliant coloring, though wonderfully soft toned, is an irregular hollow surrounded by low hills in the marvelous greens of the Monterey coloring. A shadowed lake lies at the bottom near the borders of which a few cows are peacefully grazing. Another study of Yard's shows a group of eucalypti on the edge of a white gleam of water. The trees throw a dense shadow over the glassy surface, which conveys in some way a sense of mystery. Some cattle are feeding in the middle distance near a second quiet of Nature which a single jarring note is that of an owl. This quality is present in all of Yard's work. It is along impressionist lines, but one is conscious of every detail, of such is the completeness and satisfying quality. The smallest water color of the group differs in picturing a brown, rocky hillside, deeply rutted, and dotted by sparse vegetation. Over the dull browns and greens of the hillside hangs a vivid sky, the one note of brightness in the scene. The sky is shown only by a wash of bluish green with a broad sweep of yellowish color across it. This picture speaks of loneliness—the majestic, solemn loneliness of the heights, the wind swept mountain top where a man may stand, clean and unafraid, to commune in silence with his God. Yard's drawing is the foundation over which he works his effects.

George Stratton Ferrier has also six or seven canvases. A solitary windmill in the midst of a Scottish landscape; a stretch of brown marshland; a group of trees near a winding stream; a country road with a peasant maiden walking along it, and another windmill scene in which the perspective of white clouded sky over the tender and exquisitely vernal tints of the rolling ground is extremely good. In both these windmill scenes sheep lend a touch of animation. The lonely tower on a hummock of rising ground has an air of neglect and decay strangely at variance with the beauty and springtime freshness of the surrounding fields.

The large picture, "Le Petit Dejeuner," by Caroline F. Callahan, now on exhibition at the Sequoia club, is attracting much attention from those interested in figure work. The picture was painted in Paris, where it was exhibited at the salon and won much praise. The model was a little French girl whom Miss Callahan had used for several subjects, and in "Le Petit Dejeuner" she has been shown in a very natural and unstudied pose, leaning against a couch of dark browns and greens, which contrast well with the creamy hue of her gown. She is pouring tea, and the warm copper hues of her coiled hair shade exquisitely with the low tones of the picture. Her slippered feet rest on a flat cushion and the whole pose speaks of relaxation and languor. Miss Callahan's work is well known in Paris, where she studied under Raphael Collin and Messon. She has been at her home in Mountain View for the past few months, where she met with an accident while driving which incapacitated her from the use of her right arm for six weeks or more. She expects to return to Paris in the spring, where she has a studio and a plethora of models which she avows are extremely difficult to find here.

Alda Ghirardelli is another figure worker who devotes herself chiefly to figure painting. She has at her home a large picture—a Dutch interior, showing a coffee drinking in Holland. The family is gathered about the table, and all the members from the old granddaddy down to the tiny baby are engaged in emptying coffee cups that stand in front of them. This picture was done in Holland and was exhibited in the picture of the "Blue Boudoir," now on view at the Sequoia, the model was another sister.

Alice Chittenden, who has been studying in Paris for some time, will return in May. Her cousin, Sophie Brannan, is going east on a visit of some months and purposes doing some sketching in New Orleans. Jonnevald, who never paints a land-

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ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 22.—Francis B. Clark, formerly general traffic manager of the Great Northern, was yesterday elected president of the Portland and Seattle and the Alaska and Columbia River railroads. The Portland and Seattle is owned by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific and is now building between Portland and Spokane, Wash. The Astoria and Columbia River is 115 miles long and is owned by the Portland and Seattle road.

Bertha Boys has been very busy for the past year. She has remodeled a memorial drinking fountain, an order from Mr. Baldwin of Honolulu, the original of which was destroyed in the fire. The fountain represents a life also young boy holding a drinking cup in an extended hand. The model is about five and a half feet in height and is intended as a memorial of Mr. Baldwin's little grandson.

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