

# News of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys

## CHILDREN BY SPEEDING MACHINE

### Eleven Year Old Girl Slain and Chauffeur Is Charged With Manslaughter

**[Special Dispatch to The Call]**  
SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 26.—Philomena Herrera, 11 year old daughter of Paul Herrera, was run down and killed this afternoon by an automobile belonging to J. S. Casey and driven by his chauffeur, George Smith.  
Chief of Police Ahern, after investigating, swore to a complaint charging Smith with manslaughter and he was released on \$5,000 bail.  
The little girl was crossing the street when Smith approached in the Casey car at a high rate of speed and on the wrong side of the street. She was struck by the lamp and hurled 20 feet and then run over by the machine. She was killed almost instantly.

## EIGHT BIDS RECEIVED FOR PEABODY SCHOOL

Eight bids for the general construction of the Peabody school were yesterday received by the board of works, the offer of Brown & Alcorn at \$52,791 being the lowest.

## AMUSEMENTS

### PRINCESS THEATRE

PHONE WEST 6110  
S. LOVERICH, MANAGER  
Ellis St. Near Fillmore, Class A Theatre  
Matinee Today—LAST TIMES—Tonight

### FLORODORA

Commencing With Matinee Tomorrow, Sunday

### FERRIS HARTMAN

And His Big Company in a Superb Revival of Gilbert and Sullivan's Masterpiece.

### THE MIKADO

Night Prices—25c, 50c and 75c.  
Tues., Mat.—25c to \$1.00.  
SEATS AT THEATRE AND EMPORIUM.

### Savoy THEATRE

McAllister St. near Market. Phone Market 130 Home 3252.  
MATINEE TODAY AT 2:15  
JUST ONE LONG YELL!  
The Farcical Sensation of the Year.

### THE LOTTER MAN

By RITA JOHNSON YOUNG, Direction SAM S. and LEE SHUBERT, Inc.  
Night and Sat. Mat. Prices—50c to \$1.50.  
Tues., Mat.—25c to \$1.00.  
SEATS AT THEATRE AND EMPORIUM.

## ALCAZAR Sutter and 1400

Phone West 1400 Home Phone 54242  
BELASCO & MAYER, Owners and Managers

### JAMES K. HACKETT

In Henri Bernstein's Gripping Play  
"SAMSON"

Prices—Night, 25c to \$1; Mat., 25c to 50c.  
Seats for Sale at Box Office and Emporium.

### "HIS HOUSE IN ORDER"

MON. NIGHT—Regular Stock Season Opens With  
By Arthur Pinero. First Presentation Here.

## Columbia

Geary & Mason  
Franklin 150 Home 3783  
MATINEE TODAY

NIGHTLY, INCLUDING SUNDAY.  
Matinee Wednesday and Saturday.

### 7 DAYS

GREATEST COMEDY HIT IN 20 YEARS  
SEATS SELLING FOR NEXT WEEK.  
Coming—Rose Stahl in "The Chorus Lady."

## IDORA PARK

TELEGRAPH AT 107th  
EVANS GRAND OPERA COMPANY  
Matinee 2:15 This A. D. Evening Performance at 8:15

### "MARTHA" "TRAVIATA"

Reserved Seats 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1. at Sherman, Clay & Co.'s on Park.

### ELLERY'S ITALIAN BAND

THE FINEST ITALIAN BAND THAT EVER PLAYED AT IDORA.  
Free Open Air Concerts This Afternoon and Evening.

From S. F. take Key Route Ferry direct to Park in 25 minutes.

## New Crayhem

OF FARRELL, DEL. STOCKTON & POWELL  
Safest and Most Magnificent Theater in America.  
MATINEE TODAY AND EVERY DAY  
Every Evening at 8:15.

## ARTISTIC VAUDEVILLE

MINNIE DUPRE and Her Company in "The Minister's Wife," THE ORIGINAL SIX SCAP  
LANS. Featuring Frank Kaufman; AL JOLSON; RENEE (Goddess of Music); J. C. NU-  
EXT & CO. in "The Spanish Tragedy"; EDWARDS; HARVEY-DE VOIRA TRIO; NEW  
CRAYHEM MOTION PICTURES. Last Week—  
Crayhem's "THE OPERATIC FESTIVAL."  
Evening Prices—10c, 25c, 50c, 75c. Box Seats, \$1.  
Matinee Prices (except Sunday and Holl-  
day) 5c, 10c, 25c.  
PHONES: DOUGLAS 70, HOME C1570.

## LURLINE

BUSH AND LARKIN STS.  
OCEAN WATER BATHS  
Swimming and Tub Bath.

Salt water direct from the ocean. Open every day and evening, including Sunday except holidays, from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. Spectators' gallery free.  
Natuatorium reserved Tuesday and Friday mornings from 9 o'clock to noon for women only.

"Filtered Ocean Water Plunge"  
Comfortably heated. PORCELAIN TUBS, with hot and cold and fresh water. Each room fitted with hot and cold salt and fresh shower.  
Branch Tub Baths, 2151 Geary st. near Divisadero.

## BUCKING ANIMALS TO FEATURE FIESTA

### Cows, Buffaloes and Horses Included in Untamable List of "Frontier Days"

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 26.—Bucking contests, which will constitute one of the chief features of the Frontier Days show at the Fiesta of the Dawn of Gold, will furnish plenty of excitement for the thousands of visitors to the state fair next month. Irwin & Hersig, proprietors of the Frontier Days show, own half a hundred of the most vicious and untamable bucking horses in the entire west, including the notorious "Old Steamboat."  
Irwin and Hersig will pay \$100 to any California rider who can ride slick, whip and scratch "Old Steamboat." They will also pay \$100 to the owner of any California horse that may be produced which one of their champions can not ride slick, whip and scratch. Within the last week a new bucking terror has appeared at Cheyenne, where the Frontier Days show is now exhibiting, in the shape of a big bay stallion, who has heretofore defied the best efforts of the most expert riders in the country to remain on his back for more than a few seconds. This vicious beast is claimed by its owners to be even more untamable

than "Old Steamboat," and it is probable that he will be seen in action here during the fiesta.  
Horses are not the only animals that can buck. In the Frontier Days show outfit is a bucking buffalo and several bucking cows. The buffalo is a recent acquisition and when performing stunts with a man on his back is driven double with a mate. As a harness animal he is comparatively docile, but as a bucking he is said to have the average broncho backed off the boards.  
The bucking cows are all that the word implies and the efforts of the daring and resourceful cowboys to ride them furnish some rare sport for the spectators.  
The champion bucking horse rider of the world and a number of former champion riders are connected with the Frontier Days show and will participate in all the contests. And they will have to do some riding to retain their laurels, for their supremacy will be contested by cowboys and other ambitious riders from all over the west. Scores of letters from intending contestants are on hand to ride for the fiesta committee and it is probable that there will be at least 50 broncho busters on hand to ride for the big purses that will be hung up by the fiesta committee.

## BEAR LASSOED AND CLUBBED TO DEATH

**[Special Dispatch to The Call]**  
CHICO, Aug. 26.—A lasso in the hands of John Lucas, and a club in the hands of a friend, settled the fate of a big bear a few miles north of town yesterday.

Lucas and his friend drove into Chico this morning, bringing with them a bunch of cattle and the bear, also the story of the death of brin.

Dogs drove the beast out of the woods and across the road, and as it dashed into an open space Lucas put spurs to his horse, uncoiled his lariat and had the bear on the other end of it in a jiffy. He dragged the bear against a tree root and held it there while a companion dispatched it with a club.

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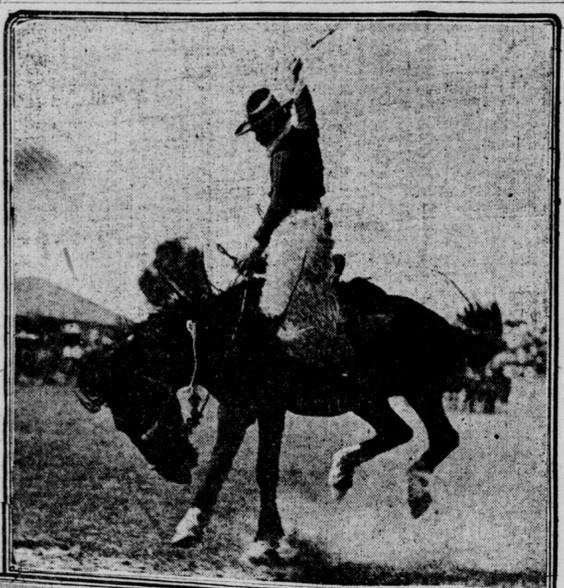
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## Dawn of Gold Carnival To Have Real Wild West



OLD STEAMBOAT IN ACTION.

## YOUTHS TERRIBLY BEATEN ON TRAIN

### One Dies From Injuries and Companion Says They Were Attacked by Detectives

**[Special Dispatch to The Call]**  
REDDING, Aug. 26.—George Vallier of 739 South E street, Tacoma, is in a serious condition at a local hospital, as a result of injuries received last night while beating their way on a southbound passenger train on the Southern Pacific.

Goble was able to tell his story today. He says the two were on top of a passenger coach when they were attacked from behind. He believes their assailant was a railroad detective. The blows killed Vallier. Goble will live.

Railroad detectives scout the theory of attack and say the boys were hit by a tunnel. Others do not believe this, however, as the injuries seem to have been inflicted with a bludgeon.

Representatives complete investigation—Pawhuska, Okla., Aug. 26.—The committee of the house of representatives which has been investigating the case of the McMurtry land contracts completed its work in Oklahoma today and adjourned to meet in Washington in November.

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## 25 BALLOTS TO BE USED FOR NOMINATING

### Competition for Freeholders at Vallejo Leads to a Very Spirited Contest

**[Special Dispatch to The Call]**  
VALLEJO, Aug. 26.—After two hours and a half and the taking of 25 ballots the citizens' nominating committee of 15 selected the 15 citizens who are to be voted for as freeholders on October 11 to frame a new charter for the city of Vallejo.

For half a dozen ballots there was an exciting contest between Supervisor Henry J. Wideman and President of the Board of School Directors George M. Jewett for the last place. Finally, the vote standing 7 to 7, Jewett withdrew, and former School Director William J. Carlin, a dark horse, was chosen on the twenty-fifth ballot.

Considerable feeling has been engendered and it is now expected that there will be several opposition tickets placed in the field. The 15 nominated last night were chosen from 74.

The successful ones are:  
R. F. Griffin, cashier First National bank.  
John Sullivan, contractor and city trustee.  
John Davidson, contractor and settler trades and labor union.  
Grant McLaughlin, clerk Mare Island navy yard.  
J. B. McCauley, bottling works and soda manufacturer.  
G. S. Hale, machinist equipment department, Mare Island navy yard.  
Joseph R. Ward, gunner, United States navy.  
Donald Munro, foreman blacksmith, navy yard.  
William H. Taylor, barber, marine hospital, Mare Island.  
William A. Jones, architect.  
Dr. R. E. Dempsy, physician and surgeon.  
E. V. Williams, quartermaster blacksmith, navy yard.  
B. Hussey, foreman machinist, navy yard.  
W. J. Carlin, engineer, ferryboat Vallejo.

## ROAD IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED AT STOCKTON

### Board of Supervisors Award a Number of Contracts

**[Special Dispatch to The Call]**  
STOCKTON, Aug. 26.—The board of supervisors have awarded contracts for road improvements, as provided by the good roads bonds. The following received the contracts for supplying and spreading gravel on the roads mentioned:  
R. J. Parsons—47 of a mile on Linden road at \$14 per ton.  
Munson & McIntire—4.11 miles on Copperopolis road at \$14.75 per ton.  
M. S. Sullivan—2.25 miles on Copperopolis road at \$18.90 per ton.  
R. J. Parsons—3.18 miles on Mariposa road at \$14.35 per ton.  
Cy Moring & Son—2.18 miles on Mariposa road at \$12.10 per ton.  
Munson & McIntire bid \$17.4 a ton on the Linden road job and Cy Moring & Son \$18.50 per ton. Parsons will receive \$100 for the job.  
Munson & McIntire will receive \$14,181 on the 4.11 miles section of the Copperopolis road and Cy Moring & Son \$12,650 for improving the Mariposa road.

## MAN FOUND BY TRACK WITH FEET AMPUTATED

### Portland Express Runs Over Rancher at Willows

**[Special Dispatch to The Call]**  
WILLOWS, Aug. 26.—William McNamara, a rancher, was run over by the northbound Portland express early this morning, but lay at the side of the track with one foot cut off at the ankle and the other at the knee until 8 a. m. before he was discovered. A section hand by McNamara and took him to the county hospital.

## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

### Notable Deaths

PROF. WILLIAM JAMES—Chocoma, N. H., Aug. 26.—Prof. William James of Harvard university, one of America's foremost philosophers, died at his summer home here.

ELIOTT COLGAN—New York, Aug. 26.—Elliott Colgan, president of the National lead company, died at Carlsbad, Bohemia, yesterday.

JAMES MCCARTHY—Valdez, Alaska, Aug. 26.—James McCarthy, a mining engineer, well known in Alaska, was drowned in McCarthy creek yesterday, when his horse stumbled in midstream and threw him off into the rushing waters.

DR. LYDIA HASBROOK—Middletown, N. Y., Aug. 26.—Dr. Lydia Hasbrook, who was in the dress reform in this country, is dead at the age of 88. Following Miss Bloomer in 1850, she adopted the bloomer costume consisting of velvet blouser trousers and short skirts.

### Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were issued in San Francisco, Friday, August 25:  
BROWN—WOODS—Charles C. Brown, 29, and Sylvia S. Woods, 34, both of Traft, Kern county.  
GOEFFERT—ISLIP—Victor V. Goeffert, 21, Modesto, and Letha B. Islip, 19, Riverbank.  
GREEN—YARNOLD—Henry L. Green, 35, 450 Ellis street, and Hattie L. Yarnold, 18, Hotel California.  
HURBERT—SWEITZER—George R. Hurbert Jr., 23, Madison, and Lucile Sweitzer, 21, Guinda.  
LASSALLETT—GALAN—Isidore Lassallette, 27, 1256 Sixth avenue, and Eugenia Galan, 19, 1825 Buchanan street.  
LEMAIRE—KLAGES—Albert J. Lemaire, 27, and Helena M. Klages, 27, both of 355 Fifth street.  
MARSEN—RASMUSSEN—Louis Madsen, 23, 60 Silver street, and Carla Rasmussen, 22, 3711 Clay street.  
PIERCE—SHELLEY—Stuart C. Pierce, 23, Alameda, and Ramond C. Shelley, 22, 2400 Clay street.  
PUCHEE—DOMECO—Cyprien Puchen, 41, and Marie J. Domeco, 32, both of Mendota, Cal.  
SCHALLACK—CLAVIER—Arthur Schallack, 22, 16