

DANGERED SHIP PROBABLE TO SURVIVE NIGHT

Captain-of-Life Savers Says He Hopes to Reach Boat in Morning

Tugs Which Attempt a Rescue Are Forced Back by Fury of Storm

An attempt to reach the distressed craft by the channel north of the spit. It is extremely doubtful if they will be able to get to her.

A telephone message late tonight from Captain Stuart of the Cape Disappointment life saving crew, said that when last seen the Washington was still at anchor in the breakers on the outside of Peacock spit, about a mile and a half off McKean head.

Captain Stuart says the Washington is slowly drifting to the north, and he believes that with the aid of the tide she will be near enough to North beach tomorrow morning so that the crew and passengers can be taken off with breeches.

Pilot Babbidge, who brought the Washington down the river from Portland, said it has a nearly full list of passengers.

The Washington is one of the Olson & Mahoney line lumber coasters. It is of 267 tons net register, carries a crew of 20 and is commanded by Captain George Winkler.

BURKE ACTED AS HERRIN'S SPOKESMAN

Character of His Employment With Railroad Advsays Admitted Frankly

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represent the San Francisco banks at Sacramento during the session of the legislature. In 1903 he was selected to represent the San Francisco banks that were interested in the Los Angeles street railway difficulties and he negotiated the deal by which the electric system of the southern city was purchased by H. E. Huntington.

About that time he became associated with the Southern Pacific company and was in its service until the time of his death. In September, 1907, he was elected to succeed the late O. A. Hale as president of the Peninsular Railroads, the electric system radiating from San Jose as far north as Palo Alto and south to Los Gatos. The system is now the Interurban railroad of San Jose.

Herrin's Spokesman "Those acquainted with the annals of the state declare that it would be difficult to mention any convention or election of many years in which 'Jere' Burke did not prominently figure. He was credited with officiating as the spokesman for W. E. Herrin upon matters political in the northern part of the state, as Walter Parker did in southern California.

When E. Black Ryan was called to Sacramento to argue against a raise of the Southern Pacific company's assessment, Burke was known to lend his assistance, but he was raised as a politician and a director of political forces than as a financier that he made his arguments.

Burke always appeared frankly as the representative of the Southern Pacific company, speaking plainly for the political machine of that great corporation, and for years in his representative capacity influencing by his political connections but the law making powers as well.

Active at Capital Burke's activities at the sessions of the legislature became part of the state's history. Until the last session he was a prominent figure at the capitol, offering advice and suggestions concerning the course to be pursued by the legislature. In some men this would have been a source of weakness, but Burke made it his strength, as he let it be known that he had no wishes of his own, and that whatever he said he spoke only in his representative capacity, setting forth the things that the railroad corporation wished to have accomplished.

Burke was not a public speaker, preferring to accomplish his ends by personal appeal. He appeared before legislative committees when his employment made it necessary, and always put upon his case the best possible face and bolstered it with the most plausible arguments.

A man of strong feelings, Burke had many fast friends, as well as enemies. His likes and dislikes were as well known as his corporation affiliations. As a friend he was unflinching, and his benefactions to those whom he thought worthy of his help were many.

ONCE ON SCHOOL BOARD While Burke was a consummate politician his labors were all on behalf of the Southern Pacific company, save in one instance, when his employment to the school board of this city in 1882. He was chairman of the classification committee. He was a member of the Bohemian club, a charter member of the Family club, a life member of the Press club, a member of the Olympic club and one of the congenial coterie known as "The Cabinet."

Burke and Miss Elizabeth K. Burke, daughter of Mrs. Lizzie K. Burke and sister of Miss Katherine Burke, were married 19 years ago. The children are Sherman K., Barbara, Elizabeth, Katherine, Warren, Roger and Jackson D.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. The services will be at the late residence, and the interment will be private.

Caught Flirting With His Wife He couldn't resist her. She was toggled in so sweet an attire that he mistook her for another. She looked awfully good to him in the outfit she got on at California's H. & W. Credit Plan. 59 Stockton st., upstairs.

Fable of the Fairy Wise Young Call Contestant

Puts Beautiful Bulge in Bank Account and Wins Home; Learns Economy

Once upon a time there lived a young man who received a pretty fair salary. Some of this salary he gave to his mother and some he spent on dress.

Most of it he frittered away on nickeloons, peanuts and gallery seats in the theater. Not that he had an evil nature. He wanted to save enough money to buy a house and lot, so that he could get married and stop supporting his mother, who was very extravagant.

He was always about two jumps ahead of the sheriff, and they were not very long jumps either. Well, announcement of a Booklovers' Contest caught the young man's eye one morning in his copy of The San Francisco Call, and he became interested in solving the picture for that day.

His girl got interested in the contest too, and both of them used to spend some of the most enjoyable evenings of their lives going over these pictures and matching their wits against those few possessed by the three wise members of The Call's staff who conceive these pictures.

It was not long before the young man found that his bank roll was getting a beautiful bulge, and soon he was able to start a checking account, so that his wife could draw it out after they were married.

Moral: Don't spend all your money trying to kill Time. Hit him on the head with a set of Booklovers' Contest pictures.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES Catalogues used in the former contest are NOT the same as the catalogues used in the present contest, and it is from the new catalogue that all the 77 titles are being chosen for representation.

Catalogues go on sale Wednesday next at the San Francisco and Oakland offices of The Call. Thirty-five cents each; 40 cents by mail.

McNAMARA ASKS ONLY FAIR JURY

Darrow Asserts He Will Not Exhaust Challenges If Impartial Men Are Found

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LOS ANGELES, Nov. 12.—"If we can find 12 fair minded men among the talsmen now being examined we will accept them without exhausting our 20 peremptory challenges," declared Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel for James D. McNamara on trial charged with causing the deaths that resulted from the explosion of the Times building here last 13 months ago.

District Attorney John D. Frederick shares this view, so that, with three jurors already sworn, a lucky combination may furnish a complete jury within a shorter interval than expected. Darrow's announcement will not attempt to use all the challenges at their disposal and that if an acceptable dozen business men in such a way as to make ground they believe now to be imbedded in the record which would give them an appeal in case of conviction.

RULINGS ON QUESTION The decisions in this state uniformly have held that conviction could not be set aside on the ground that the defense was obliged to accept biased jurors, unless it was necessary to accept such jurors under peremptory challenge were exhausted.

Attorney Darrow explained that he would rather submit the merits of his case to a fair-minded jury than depend upon a higher court on the record thus far made, though he believes there already has crept in on the examination of talsmen sufficient ground for an appeal.

DEMANDS OF PROSECUTION So far as the state is concerned, the essentials for a jury are fair-mindedness, no previous affiliation that would embarrass a juror's view, no opposition to the state's case and a willingness to accept circumstantial evidence, for while the state has not admitted that all of its evidence against the McNamara is circumstantial, it nevertheless demands that jurors shall be ready to convict on circumstantial evidence alone, provided it is convincing "beyond a reasonable doubt."

Many people have read about the case and formed fixed opinions," Darrow said, "or they have had some experiences with unions or are affiliated with them in such a way as to make them lean to one side or the other. Then, too, the statute limits the choice of veniremen to taxpayers, which again cuts down the range of selection."

The circumstantial evidence snag still appears in the case of Talsman Arthur Gribling, while willing in most cases to find a verdict of guilty upon circumstantial evidence, provided it were strong, Gribling told the district attorney that he would be very reluctant to find a defendant guilty upon that kind of evidence in a murder case. If a talsman is determined upon that point he generally has been excused, but the prosecution is not satisfied that Gribling has fully explained himself on this point, and the state will interrogate him briefly tomorrow.

With Gribling's case disposed of the examination of other talsmen will follow. Only seven members of the fifth venire remain besides those in the box, and the drawing of a sixth venire probably will be necessary before the end of the week. There are approximately 600 names left in the jury wheel.

"FOLLIES OF STANFORD" PLEASES BIG AUDIENCE STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Nov. 12.—Forgetting for the time the sting of defeat a large gathering of students and alumni last night enjoyed to the utmost "The Follies of Stanford," the football show, which consisted of vaudeville, many clever dances, besides 25 new songs, full of local color, were given.

The hit of the evening was the chorus of waitresses and the "College Kid," impersonated by H. R. Spence '13. The singing of J. H. Forbes '13 was applauded heartily.

GOVERNMENT ARE BEHEADED

Wife of Official at Taiyuefu, Shansi Province, Also Is Decapitated by Rebels

Family of Imperial Representative at Kaiheng, Honan Province, Flee, Fearing Death

PEKING, Nov. 12.—Foreign refugees who have arrived here from Taiyuefu, Shansi province, report that the governor and his wife and 30 Manchus have been beheaded. Serious rioting and disorders followed the assassinations, but no foreigners were harmed.

The situation at Kaiheng, Honan province, is serious. The governor's family fled for the north last night on a special train. The telegraph and telephone lines and all leases that the company possesses.

President T. T. Gregory announced today that he had issued calls for bids on the 15,000 foot trestle that is to carry the rails of the Sacramento-Woodland line across the Yolo basin. Material for the trestle will be on the ground within a few days and construction will be started as soon as the contracts are let.

With the completion of the Sacramento-Woodland line work will be commenced through Solano county to Vallejo by way of Vacaville, Elmira, Fairfield, Suisun and Cordelia. Another branch of the system is scheduled to be built from Elmira to Dixon and Davis.

YUAN GOING TO PEKING Yuan Shih Kai and the government exchanged telegrams this morning. Yuan has agreed to come to Peking as soon as he is able to leave on his resolve not to accept the premiership. He is expected to arrive tomorrow and an audience with the regent has been arranged.

RELIEF IS FELT The fact that the man on whom the government depends more than anyone else is coming to Peking has caused a general feeling of relief and of hope that the whole evil phase of the end of the present chaos. It is understood the court will remain in the forbidden city, realizing that their departure now would be a disaster.

Looting at Foochow AMOY, Nov. 12.—The conference of officials with representatives of the conservatives and radical elements for the purpose of determining upon a general action has failed to reach an agreement. The officials and conservatives proposed a temporary independence, while the radicals favored the surrendering of the city to the revolutionists. It was argued that Amoy was too weak to stand alone and that some foreign power would seize it as soon as it declared its independence.

Subjects Executed at Nanking LONDON, Nov. 12.—A dispatch to a London news agency from Nanking says martial law has been proclaimed to further order in the city. The victory is executing all suspects, including some of his own men, and his existing numbers of roughs. The rebels have retired to their nearest power, and the Pukow government troops are bringing up artillery to attack them, but are respecting the neutrality of the railroad.

Rebels Take Chuchow SHANGHAI, Nov. 12.—Reports from Nanking say that city is now orderly and that all foreigners are safe. Chuchow, a short distance from Nanking, is awaiting results at the latter place, but the rebel flag still flies over the forts. The revolutionists have taken Chuchow on the Pukow railroad 30 miles north of Pukow.

Manchus Bombard Wuchang HANKOW, Nov. 10 (delayed in transmission).—The Manchus have bombarded Wuchang, without noticeable effect. They have practically abandoned Ten Kilometer station because of the effective shooting of the insurgents. Otherwise conditions are quiet here, except for occasional "sniping."

WIFE'S DIVORCE DOES NOT KILL HIS LOVE Former Husband Rushes to Sick Woman's Bedside [Special Dispatch to The Call] SANTA BARBARA, Nov. 12.—"I love her more than words can tell, and I surely will not take the stand to testify against her."

AMBITION FOR STYLE SHOWN BY "BORROWER" Coachman Loses Trap and Pair of High Steppers SAN MATEO, Nov. 12.—Some one had a ride in style around San Mateo tonight, and the price was \$100. Driscoll's coachman would like to know who it was. Driscoll's coachman drove into San Mateo tonight on an errand. He had one of Driscoll's traps and a high bred horse. He left the trap in a street. When he returned the outfit was not there. An alarm was sent through San Mateo county. Two hours later the coachman returned to a street and the horse and trap were back.

"LOVE, AFFECTION AND \$10" CAPTURE FORTUNE Steadfast Husband Is Deeded Valuable Ranch LOS ANGELES, Nov. 12.—"Love, affection and \$10," gained for Fred L. Boruff a gift of property worth \$40,000 which is located in the most fertile part of San Fernando valley. Mrs. Fred L. Boruff made the present to her husband and fled the deed in which this compensation was named, with County Recorder Logan today. Mrs. Boruff, prior to her marriage to Boruff, who was the manager of her ranch, was the widow of George K. Porter.

STRIKERS STAGE PLAY TO AROUSE INTEREST [Special Dispatch to The Call] SAN JOSE, Nov. 12.—The striking shompen of the Harriman line will stage labor plays in all the cities affected by the strike in an effort to arouse interest. A three act play, "Labor and Capital," will be staged here on the 17th under the management of the Labor-Capital company, organized by the shompen. Between acts labor leaders will address the audience. The company is under the direction of Paul Gerson of San Francisco.

Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys RAILROAD BONDED TO PAY FOR WORK

Sacramento and Woodland Files Trust Deed in Favor of Mercantile Trust Co.

[Special Dispatch to The Call] FAIRFIELD, Nov. 12.—A deed of trust of the Sacramento and Woodland Railroad company, a branch of the Vallejo and Northern, to the Mercantile Trust company of San Francisco has been filed with the county recorder. The deed is to secure bonds within a few days and for the purpose of completing the road between Sacramento and Woodland.

The Mercantile Trust company will take the bond issue of \$1,000,000 and as security receives a mortgage of all the property belonging to the Sacramento and Woodland railroad.

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COMPLAINTS OF CRUEL PRACTICES RECEIVED BY GOVERNOR [Special Dispatch to The Call] SACRAMENTO, Nov. 12.—Complaints received at the governor's office from former convicts and others charging cruelty and inefficiency at Folsom prison are likely to be followed by an official investigation of conditions there. While Governor Johnson is silent regarding the method to be used, it is known that Prison Director Dennis Duffy has had conferences with the governor regarding the charges.

According to statements made by former convicts, the punishment at Folsom prison is severe. Until a few weeks ago the barbarous "hook" method of punishment was in use. This consisted of tying a prisoner's hands and then suspending him by a hook until his toes barely touched the floor. The prison directors a few weeks ago issued an order abolishing this practice.

COMMITTEE WILL MEET TO DRAFT AMENDMENTS TO CHANGES IN IRRIGATION ACT TO BE CONSIDERED [Special Dispatch to The Call] STOCKTON, Nov. 12.—Assemblyman McGowan has received word from Assemblyman Griffin of Modesto that a meeting of the committee appointed by the governor to draft proposed amendments to the irrigation act will be held at the Stockton next Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Those on the committee are Attorney General Webb, State Controller Nye, Senator Larkins and Assemblymen Griffin and McGowan.

POINT RICHMOND LABOR WILL BE ORGANIZED [Special Dispatch to The Call] VALLEJO, Nov. 12.—B. Dale, organizer for the California State Federation of Labor, arrived here today from the south. Dale has been organizing migratory labor in Bakersfield and the valley towns for the last few months. He will work in Point Richmond next week.

ELOPEMENT OF CHILD ENDS IN TRAGEDY IN WASHINGTON EVERETT, Wash., Nov. 12.—Mrs. Letha Lamara, the 15 year old wife of Louis Lamara, committed suicide in the court house here today by choking herself with a piece of rope. Lamara and his wife were being held pending an investigation of their conduct.

WIFE, 15 YEARS OLD, HANGS SELF IN JAIL Mrs. Henry Eaton, mother of the girl, learned of her arrest and hurried here from her home in Oregon. She arrived in Everett today and visited her daughter in jail. When she left her daughter was apparently in good spirits. The Laramas were married in Oregon several months ago and disappeared immediately. Mrs. Eaton knew nothing of their whereabouts until she read of their arrest November 2.

VALIDITY OF CHARTER ELECTION IS ATTACKED Votes in Annexed District of Sacramento Questioned [Special Dispatch to The Call] SACRAMENTO, Nov. 12.—The validity of the charter election may be tested in the courts in a few days. At the city election Tuesday the commission form of government was adopted by a majority of 68 votes.

The close vote has given those opposed to the charter hope that if the measure can be submitted again it will be defeated, inasmuch as there were 1,200 more votes cast for mayor than for or against the charter.

The point to be raised will be that the recently annexed districts should not have had a vote on the charter, because the residents there had no hand in the selection of the freeholders who drafted the measure.

PROFESSOR HOME FROM ABROAD—Stanford University, Nov. 12.—Prof. H. R. Fairclough, head of the bio department, has returned from a 17-month sojourn in Europe. During the past year he has been the director of the American School of Classical Studies situated in Rome.

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1911 TAXES TAXES Notice to Taxpayers

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the taxes on all personal property, secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, will be due and payable on Monday, the 9th day of October, 1911, and will be delinquent on Monday, the 23rd day of November, 1911, at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto 15 per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before Monday, April 29th, 1912, at 6 o'clock p. m., an additional 5 per cent will be added thereto.

That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all property will be payable on and after Monday, January 1st, 1912, and will be delinquent on Monday, April 29th, 1912, at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof and 50c costs.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment as herein provided is due and payable.

That said taxes are payable at the office of the Tax Collector, 240 McAllister street, between 8:30 a. m. and 5 p. m., except on Saturdays, when the office closes at noon. For the convenience of taxpayers unable to attend during the day, the office will be kept open evenings to 8 p. m., from November 13th to November 25th, both days inclusive.

No checks received after the 20th day of November, 1911, and the 23d day of April, 1912, respectively. Taxpayers will save much inconvenience and delay by bringing last year's tax bills.

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