

NEWS OF OAKLAND, BERKELEY, ALAMEDA, HAYWARD, SAN LEANDRO

PRESCOTT TESTIFIES AT MURDER TRIAL

Court Eliminates Testimony Regarding Thompson's Statement Before Shooting

OAKLAND, May 23.—Attempts to introduce testimony to the effect that the presence in town of Harry Prescott was known by Ralph Thompson...

Charles E. Lloyd, Who Will Sing in Benefit Next Week

Good Cheer Circle of King's Daughters Will Give Music Lovers Treat

BERKELEY, May 23.—A treat is being prepared for music lovers in the form of a concert to be given in Town and Gown hall Tuesday evening.

SENATORS PREPARE REPORT ON TITANIC

Officers of Wrecked Vessel Criticized and Legislation Suggested to Guard Travelers

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The senate committee on commerce today considered the report of the Titanic disaster, which the committee will submit to the senate Tuesday.

BERKELEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ROWS

Officials Resign as Result of Friction Over Status of Member

BERKELEY, May 23.—Dr. H. N. Rowell, president of the Chamber of Commerce, A. Howard Herrmann, vice president, and Charles Green, Fred A. Mueller, W. H. Wadsworth, E. L. McNeill and A. E. Almond resigned tonight from the organization as a result of friction which had been caused by differences as to the status of H. J. Bither, former president of the organization.

MISS CARLIN HAS ANOTHER ATTACK

Second Paralytic Stroke Is Suffered by Teacher of History in Berkeley High School

BERKELEY, May 23.—Miss Eva Carlin, a teacher in the history department of the Berkeley high school, who expected to resume her duties next term after two years' illness from a paralytic stroke, has again suffered paralysis, according to information just received here.

ISLAIS CREEK BOND SALE HELD LEGAL

Judge J. M. Seawell Upholds Demurrer to Suit Against State Officials

The restraint placed by the court on state officials having charge of the sale of \$1,000,000 worth of bonds for the improvement of Islais creek and India basin water front was removed yesterday by Judge J. M. Seawell, who, in discharging an order to show cause and upholding the demurrer of the state, paved the way for the work to go forward.

Prescott took the stand just before adjournment and began his narrative of suspicions regarding Mrs. Prescott during the trial...

CANNY SCOT HAS FUN AT HEARING

Stevenson Knew How to Shake the Steel Trust Apple Tree

NEW YORK, May 23.—John Stevenson Jr., a Scotchman and a relative of Robert Louis Stevenson, enlivened the hearings in the federal suit to dissolve the United States Steel corporation today when he told, in a rich Scotch accent, of the deals by which he sold out half a dozen steel properties to the Reid-Moore syndicate...



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The report, it is said, will severely criticize Captain Smith as mainly responsible for the disaster because of failure to heed the warnings of other vessels; the British Board of Trade for inspecting J. J. Bither, who was a passenger, and will point to the lack of discipline in the time of danger...

LOSSES ON RACETRACK DRIVE MAN TO SUICIDE

SPOKANE, Wash., May 23.—A well dressed man, believed to have been W. S. Duff of Tulsa, Okla., stepped up to the bar in a local saloon tonight, ordered a drink, drank it, took a bottle of poison from his pocket, drank the contents and died on the way to a hospital. Recent losses in racetrack operations are given as the cause of his act.

DISAPPEARANCE OF WOMAN IS MYSTERY

Mrs. Frances Brown, 62, of Oakland, Is Missing

OAKLAND, May 23.—The disappearance last evening of Mrs. Frances Brown, 62 years old, from her home at 2706 East Twenty-first street, was reported to the police today. No trace of her can be found. When last seen Mrs. Brown was with Mrs. Henry Wilcox, 3327 Cherry street, on whom she called yesterday, leaving for home at 5 o'clock.

CHANGE IN VALLEY PASSENGER SERVICE

S. P. Will Soon Run Regular Through Passenger Trains Over Dumbarton Cutoff

The Southern Pacific company is preparing to open the Dumbarton cutoff and bridge to regular through passenger travel, and when the summer time card goes into effect on June 2 it is probable that the train which now leaves Fresno afternoon at 4 o'clock and arrives at First street and Broadway, Oakland, at 8:22 o'clock, and at San Francisco at 10 o'clock, will run directly into San Francisco over the new cutoff.

FRENCH NAVAL ATTACHE AND WIFE PLAN A TOUR

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The naval attaché of the French embassy, Viscount Benoit d'Asy, and Mme. d'Asy leave Washington next month for a tour of the West Indies, Panama, California and Colorado.

MRS. MONAHAN BEFORE CIVIL SERVICE BOARD

Mrs. Josephine Monahan, matron in the hospital service, appeared before the civil service commissioners last night in response to a charge of obtaining unnecessary leave of absence from her work. She is said to have obtained leave of absence on the grounds of sickness, but she might engage in political activities as president of the Women's Club of San Francisco. The commission decided to lay the case over two weeks.

WOMEN AND MEN

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition and beauty. Vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased. For good results use Dr. Kilmor's Swamp-root, the great kidney remedy. At drug stores. Sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet. Address Dr. Kilmor & Co., Birmingham, N. Y.

WHITE STAR LINE REPLIES

LONDON, May 23.—The White Star company today delivered its reply before the Titanic court of inquiry to the assertion of the board of trade supported by the evidence of the manager of the Marconi company, that the Titanic was navigated into an oblong space into which, according to the company, the Titanic had drifted from the north of the Caronia reporting ice to the north of their course.

ATLANTA MINES CO. CHOOSES DIRECTORS

GOLDFIELD, Nev., May 23.—Details for the reorganization and passing of control of the Atlanta Mines company were concluded today, when the former directorate resigned and new directors were chosen, including George Wingfield, C. R. Zabriskie, Clyde H. Hester, Charles E. Knox and A. H. Howe.

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LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

ARRIVED Thursday, May 23. 4:25 p. m., Br. stmr. Dakotah, Ross, 24 days 18 hours from Hongkong; ballast to Standard Oil company. 6 p. m., stmr. Tahoe, Donaldson, 46 hours from San Pedro; ballast to Standard Oil company. 6:40 p. m., stmr. Alcatraz, Johansen, 49 hours from San Pedro; ballast to L. E. White & Co. company. 9:55 p. m., stmr. Marabell, Ahlin, 38 hours from Union landing; bound south, put in for fuel. SAILED Thursday, May 23. 5:40 p. m., stmr. San Pedro, Bendixson, Eureka. 6:40 p. m., stmr. Nebraskan, Knight, Seattle. 6:40 p. m., stmr. Fibel, J. van Bando. 6:50 p. m., stmr. Eureka, Wadland, Monterey. 7:20 p. m., stmr. Daisy Freeman, Devitt, Astoria. 7:30 p. m., stmr. Daisy Mitchell, Smith, Grays Harbor. 7:30 p. m., stmr. Fairhaven, Poulsen, Port Gamble and Port Ludlow. 7:30 p. m., stmr. Gray, Armstrong, Ancon. 8:45 p. m., stmr. Hanalei, Hanna, San Pedro. 9:55 p. m., Br. stmr. M. S. Dollar, Ridley, Manila via Portland. 10:50 p. m., stmr. Albion, Nymann, Stewart's point. TELEGRAPHIC POINT LOOKS, May 23, 10 p. m.—Weather cloudy; wind N by E, 10 miles an hour. DOMESTIC PORTS HUNSMERE—Sailed May 23, 2:30 p. m.—Stmr. San Jacinto, for San Francisco. MENDOCINO—Sailed May 23, 9 p. m.—Stmr. Santa Rosa, for San Francisco. ASTORIA—Sailed May 23, 5 p. m.—Stmr. Breakwater, for Coos Bay. ABERDEEN—Arrived May 23, 7 a. m.—Stmr. Lakme, from Tacoma; 9 a. m., stmr. Coronado, from Seattle; 2 p. m., schr. Oceania Vance, from Redondo Beach. SANTA ROSA—Sailed May 23, 5 p. m.—Stmr. Shoshone, for San Diego. VENTURA—Arrived May 23, 3:30 p. m.—Stmr. San Jacinto, from Humboldt. SOUTH BEND—Sailed May 23—Stmr. Daisy Gadsby, stmr. Westerner, for San Francisco. SAN PEDRO—Arrived May 23—Stmr. Gray Harbor, from Grays Harbor; stmr. James S. Higgins, stmr. Central, hence May 21; stmr. Pres. Duff, from Grays Harbor; stmr. Saginaw, stmr. Raymond, from Raymond; stmr. Hornet, from Tacoma; stmr. Harvard, hence May 22; stmr. Car. from Grays Harbor; stmr. Fair Oaks, hence May 21. Sailed May 23—Stmr. President, Rose City; stmr. Olympic, Graywood, for San Francisco; stmr. Harvard, stmr. James S. Higgins, for San Diego; stmr. Wallace, for San Francisco. TACOMA—Sailed May 23—Stmr. La Touche, for Seattle; stmr. Col. E. L. Drake, with barge 93 in tow, for San Francisco. TATOOISH—Passed May 23, 6 p. m.—Stmr. Queen, hence May 21 for Seattle; 6:30 p. m., stmr. W. S. Porter, from Port San Luis for Everett; 4 p. m., brig. Harriet G. from Seattle for Seattle. SANTA BARBARA—Arrived May 23—Stmr. Santa Clara, hence May 22. SEATTLE—Arrived May 23—Stmr. Watson, hence May 20; stmr. Willamette, hence May 20. Sailed May 23—Stmr. Jefferson, for Tacoma; stmr. Willamette, for Tacoma. RANDON—Arrived May 23—Stmr. Esther Babbs, hence May 21. Sailed May 23—Stmr. Mary Dodge, for San Francisco. ISLAND PORT HONOLULU—Sailed May 23, 12:30 p. m.—Br. stmr. Marima, for Sydney. PACIFIC STEAMERS MONTREAL—Arrived May 23—Stmr. Royal George, from Montreal. ANTIWERP—Arrived May 23—Stmr. Marquette, from Philadelphia. SUZET—Arrived May 23—Stmr. Proteus, from Tacoma. LIVERPOOL—Sailed May 23—Stmr. Baltic, for New York; stmr. Haverford, for Philadelphia. BY WIRELESS Thursday, May 23. STEAMER ROSE CITY—From San Pedro for San Francisco; 4 p. m., 10 miles south of H. ocean; light west wind; sea smooth; weather fine and clear; barometer 29.93; temperature 62.

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