

NAVAL SUPPLIES  
Stolen From Mare Island  
Is Seized

Officers at Local Station Receive News of Loss With Astonishment

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—A carload of naval supplies, said by the police to have been stolen from the Mare Island navy yard, valued at about \$15,000, was seized by federal authorities in the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad yards near Hawthorne, Ill., today.

The supplies were taken on a writ issued by United States Judge Kenesaw M. Landis. The car was billed to a smelting and refining company with a plant here.

Government investigators said there had existed a band of thieves which has been robbing United States naval yards of supplies aggregating several hundred thousands of dollars.

The government agents have been working for several months attempting to locate shipments of stolen materials. It is believed today's discovery will result in disclosing further cases. The carload consisted of more than 50,000 pounds of copper and brass used in the construction of battleships.

The car was consigned to the smelting and refining company by a San Francisco agent. It left San Francisco October 10, and arrived in the Hawthorne yards last Sunday. Federal officers ordered the railroad company to hold the car until court action could be taken.

Navy Officers Astonished  
VALLEJO, Nov. 5.—News from Chicago that \$15,000 worth of copper and brass supposed to have been stolen from the Mare Island navy yard and traced from San Francisco to Chicago, had been seized near Hawthorne, Ill., today by federal authorities, was received at the navy yard with astonishment.

Simian Refuses to Return Home After Two Years  
[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
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Hazel Palmanteer  
For Whom Many Fetes Are Planned



WIFE OF INSANE BANKER WILL PAY  
Devoted Woman to Redeem Chicago Institution in Hands of Receiver

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CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—The visible assets of the Kirby Savings bank at 6019 South Ashland avenue, which went into the hands of a receiver after the president had been adjudged insane, are nearly \$18,000. This figure was given out today by Thomas B. Lantry, attorney for the conservator of the estate.

Two hundred depositors are represented in the bank's deficit of \$55,000. Confidence that they finally will receive most of their money, if not all, is expressed by the majority of the depositors.

Mrs. William T. Kirby, wife of the president, who is in a Waukegan sanatorium, is reported to have sent word to all of the depositors that they will receive their money in full. It is said that Mrs. Kirby will meet the deficit from her own resources if necessary.

“Doctor Kirby has been known in this part of the city for many years,” said one of the depositors. “He was a man universally loved by the community. His affairs now may be in an unfortunate tangle, but we are confident that no heavy loss will fall on the depositors.”

There are depositors who have volunteered to help Mrs. Kirby if she needs financial assistance,” said another depositor.

JUDGE LOSER HIS LEGS BEFORE BULLETIN BOARD  
Struck by Train, Seriously Hurt, While Getting Returns

ELGIN, Ill., Nov. 5.—White Judge Henry B. Willis, presiding jurist of the northern division of the appellate court, was standing on a railroad track in front of a newspaper office tonight watching the election returns, he was struck by an engine and seriously injured. Both his legs were cut off near the ankles. He also sustained serious injuries about the head.

OKLAND SOCIETY GIRL TO BE ENTERTAINED FOLLOWING RETURN FROM ABROAD

OKLAND, Nov. 5.—The first compliment for Miss Hazel Palmanteer since her return from abroad will be given shortly by Miss Anne Spring in the family home in Fruitvale. While she was in Europe California friends learned of her betrothal to Ewald Grunsky Jr. of San Francisco, and in the coming months she will share largely in compliments of the season.

AUSTRIAN ARMY BIRDMAN WINGS WAY TO DEATH  
VIENNA, Nov. 5.—An Austrian military aviator was killed this morning while flying around the army aerodrome at the military station at Goetz. He fell from a considerable height, owing to the collapse of one of the wings of his aeroplane.

FIRST VOTE CAST AT THE AGE OF 80

Berkeley Woman Rejoices in Opportunity to Add One Ballot for President

BERKELEY, Nov. 5.—Though 80 years old, Mrs. Margaret Dickerson, who lives at the California hotel in University avenue, would not lose the privilege this morning of casting her first vote in a presidential election. Early in the day she appeared at her polling place, University and Shattuck avenues, and was one of the first voters of her precinct to cast her ballot.

She was accompanied by a friend, Charles Gier. She had informed herself in the procedure and was in the booth only a few moments, emerging with her ballot properly folded.

“I’ve waited 80 years for the right to vote for a president,” she said. “This is the first vote I have ever cast, and I am glad I lived to see the day when women could vote in California. No, I will not tell you for whom I voted.”

LEPER VICTIM FOUND IN UNCLE SAM'S NAVY  
Federal Agents Rush Messboy Secretly to Hawaii

BALTIMORE, Nov. 5.—An Hawaiian mess boy named Kaoliwi on the battleship Connecticut was discovered to have leprosy early in the week and sent to the naval yards at Philadelphia, where he was placed secretly in a boxcar supplied by the federal authorities and equipped as a hospital room with a physician and a nurse. The train left Philadelphia Thursday night for San Francisco where it is due tonight. The boy will then be sent to his home in Honolulu.

Kaoliwi has leprosy in its most virulent form. His case was handled with profound secrecy by the federal authorities, who feared that the knowledge of the disease might create a panic on the Connecticut.

Kaoliwi had been employed in the kitchen. Physicians examined every man on the battleship and none was found with any symptoms of the disease.

RATS START A FIRE AND IMPERIL LIVES  
Rats nibbling matches caused a fire in a grocery at 1284 Golden Gate avenue last night that imperiled the lives of a dozen inmates of the Golden Gate lodging house, directly above the shop. Men and women ran into the street in their night clothes and several of them suffered from the rain and cold while firemen were subduing the flames. No one was hurt. The loss is estimated at \$2,000. William St. Clair, one of the guests, was carried out of the third story window by firemen.

WOMAN IS BURNED WHEN BALM EXPLODES  
OKLAND, Nov. 5.—Heating turpentine and oil with which to treat her husband for rheumatism, Mrs. Lizzie Cohn was burned today when the mixture exploded. To save the house Mrs. Cohn threw the blazing dish out of doors. Her right hand was seriously burned to the elbow. Mrs. Cohn lives at 315 Harrison street.

FIRST WOMAN TO VOTE FOR WILSON IN THIS CITY

TO Mrs. J. H. Acton, 1013 Steiner street, belongs the honor of being the first woman to cast a vote for Wilson in San Francisco. At 1 minute to 6 o'clock yesterday morning Mrs. Acton entered the booth at the corner of Golden Gate avenue and Steiner, in the thirty-sixth district, and stamped a cross opposite the names of the Wilson electors.

Mrs. Acton first night said: “I was the first woman in the city to cast a vote for Wilson at the May primaries and was bound to be the first to put in a ballot for him for election. There were four votes in my family, and Governor Wilson got them all.”

PALO ALTO PLAYGROUND PLANS ARE COMPLETED  
Committees Named to Equip Recreation Park

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
PALO ALTO, Nov. 5.—Captain G. R. Slocum, Miss R. T. Greene and C. S. Morris, the local committee of the Palo Alto Playground association, have recommended that a portion of the new high school property at Addison avenue and Webster street be devoted to recreation purposes. The board of education has consented to the use of the ground by the association.

Miss Blanche Stedman, W. E. Talbert and C. S. Morris have been delegated to arrange the purchase of apparatus and J. C. Templeton, Frederick Morgan and W. E. Talbert were appointed to plan competent supervision.

The governing body of the association comprises 15 citizens of Palo Alto, as follows: One year—Atherton Maconrady, Mrs. Charles Thompson, Miss Blanche Stedman, W. E. Talbert, J. C. Templeton. Two years—Captain G. R. Slocum, C. S. Morris, Edward Ackley, Miss Leslie Blanchard, Miss Rebecca T. Greene. Three years—Judge Monroe Thomas, Mrs. A. L. Corbett, Frederick Morgan, Mrs. H. F. Perry, Milton B. Roller.

GRAND JURY HAS IDLE TIME ELECTION DAY  
Though the grand jury was in session from 4 o'clock in the afternoon until midnight yesterday for the purpose of hearing any charge of fraud that might arise during the election and counting of the ballots, not a case materialized. During the afternoon session the grand jury listened to the report of the committee on hospitals. The report stated that the institutions of the city and county were in splendid condition and many improvements had been made bettering the arrangements.

SUFFRAGE RECEIVES SETBACK IN LONDON  
LONDON, Nov. 5.—The suffrage movement suffered a setback in the house of commons today when an amendment providing for women suffrage, which it was desired to include in the home rule bill for Ireland, was defeated by 314 yeas against 141 nays.

MINCE MEAT  
made with pure Italian-Swiss Colony bottled in bond brandy is a delicious filling. Order this brandy from your grocer or family liquor store.—Adv.

OCTOGENARIAN DROPS DEAD—OKLAND, Nov. 5.—John Homan, aged 84 years, of 2646 Bargin street, Alameda, was found dead in his bed at his home at 10 o'clock today. He had been suffering with pneumonia and dropsy. He was a native of Germany.

FENCE ON TRACK; THREE ARE HELD

Oakland Youths on Spree Are Accused of Attempted Train Wreck

OAKLAND, Nov. 5.—Upon the complaint of Southern Pacific railroad detectives, John Angel, John Smith and Alexander Kennedy, young men of West Oakland, were charged with attempted train wrecking today. Patrolman McKeegan made the arrests and the men are being held pending an investigation. They are charged with throwing 30 feet of fencing across the main line tracks at First and Peralta streets at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

The obstruction was seen an hour later by McKeegan and he notified the railroad authorities. A train from Los Angeles was due from the south a half hour later.

CLERK, BRIDEGROOM, IS ACCUSED BY GIRL  
Oakland Woman, Jilted, Has Former Admirer Arrested

OAKLAND, Nov. 5.—Upon the complaint of Miss Margaret Casey, 116 Oakland avenue, Thomas H. Johnson, a young clerk, was arrested on a statutory charge today. Miss Casey, who is engaged to be married to a young man, promising to marry her last April and a few weeks ago marrying another woman.

Johnson was arrested by Inspectors Harry Green and Thomas Gallagher. He denied the right to arrest him, declaring that he was already married. The detectives told him that this did not save him and placed him in a cell.

Johnson informed the detectives that he had been married last Saturday, but refused to give the name of his bride. He said that the marriage had taken place outside of Alameda county, but no trace of the ceremony has been found.

CONSTRUCTION IS BEING RUSHED ON VALLEJO LINE  
VALLEJO, Nov. 5.—Construction gangs are busy this week on the Vallejo and Northern railroad in this city and Vacaville. It is expected that the line between this city and Vacaville will be open for traffic by the first of the year. Shortly after the first of the year construction between Vacaville and Vallejo will begin and Vallejo and Sacramento will be joined by July 1, 1913.

MAN IS KILLED BY S. P. TRAIN IN PINOLE  
PINOLE, Nov. 5.—An unidentified man was killed by a Southern Pacific train in Pinole at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The man was walking at the side of the track when he was struck. He had evidently not heard the train. He was about 30 years old, with dark hair and mustache and carried a roll of blankets. It is thought he was a laborer employed on a section gang near Pinole.

JOHANNESBURG DIAMOND WEIGHS 1,649 CARATS  
Gem Found in Same Mine Which Yielded Cullinan  
JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, Nov. 5.—A diamond weighing 1,649 carats has been discovered in the Premier mine. The famous Cullinan diamond, which was found in the same mine in 1905, weighed 3,024 carats, but was cut into eleven stones.

And His Stomach Is All Right  
Thousands With Poor Teeth Have Good Digestion by Using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets After Meals

Whether or not we eat too much, is a matter for individual judgment. Benjamin Franklin tried the experiment of living on a handful of raisins. But he discovered that the question wasn't what he ate nor the quantity thereof, but one's digestion and assimilation. The normal person eats heartily, and with keen enjoyment. That is because his mind doesn't anticipate stomach trouble. And if he does have an attack of sour stomach or indigestion he knows that the use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give quick relief.

A Gentleman of the "Old School" Who Keeps Up With the Times  
Many people have poor teeth, weak gums, sore teeth and other bothersome troubles that prevent a vigorous mastication of food. And instead of eating soft, mushy food that pulls on the appetite they go in for those savory dishes, the very odor of which starts the saliva and makes the stomach fairly revere with anticipation.

This is but a natural condition. Anything else borders upon the indifference which fosters indigestion and chronic dyspepsia. It may be safely said that it should not be a question of diet or kind of food, or teeth or even any of the reflexes which are supposed to have their influence in deranging the stomach. It is simply a matter of supplying the stomach and digestive organs with those known assistants such as pepsin, and hydrochloric acid, both of which have a direct and powerful action upon the contents of the stomach.

One grain of a single ingredient in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest 3,000 grains of food. This saves your stomach and gives it the rest it needs. All muscles require occasional rest, and they are ever overtaxed. The stomach is no exception to this rule. Try a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and you will wonder how you ever got along without them. They are sold at 50 cents by all druggists everywhere.

GODEAU WINS LONG FIGHT AGAINST FUNERAL TRUST

Well Known Undertaker Smashes High Rates for Caskets And Establishes Big Trade

ONE of the most cold blooded and heartless of all the vicious trusts that exist today in the nation is the great funeral trust that, under one name or another, has its organization in every state and in every great city, preying upon the sorrow and distress of those in trouble in the very hour of their deepest grief. It is a trust that exists like a parasite, imposing its burden particularly upon the poor and needy, and never showing the slightest spirit of human sympathy.

Not only does the funeral trust gather in annually hundreds of thousands of dollars that it never earns, but that it collects through its methods of forcing prices upward, but it has been unrelenting in its war upon all undertakers who have dared to oppose its dictates and has driven hundreds of them out of business and at the same time wrecked the manufacturers who have sided with the independent undertakers.

The fight has been waged in San Francisco as in all the other large cities, but San Francisco has one man today who has single handedly, who is still fighting it and who has achieved success in the long battle. That man is Julius S. Godeau, well known as an embalmer and funeral director. The history of his long fight against the trust is not written as an appeal to sympathy nor to attract special interest in the man himself, but as a narrative of how the application of honest, straightforward principles and a square dealing with the public have enabled one individual to win in a struggle against tremendous odds.

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But Godeau stood his ground. He had found that the men he had befriended after the fire had refused to stand by him when they came under the domination of the trust, and his answer to the demands of the trust was that he hoped his tactics would continue to hurt business and that his chief ambition was to make himself the biggest enemy of the trust in the state of California. Since that time Godeau's business has grown by leaps and bounds. The public approved of his fight by backing him up, and not only did his establishment in San Francisco grow and expand, but he met with unequalled success in establishing branches in Oakland and Los Angeles and preparing to reach out into other parts of the state.

Godeau has maintained his principle of charging reasonable prices for funerals in the face of the fiercest opposition by cutting out the middleman. He furnishes everything for his own use and report of the committee on hospitals. The report stated that the institutions of the city and county were in splendid condition and many improvements had been made bettering the arrangements.

At the outset Godeau was advised by the trust representatives that if it would be better for him to charge the same high prices that the others were charging and reap some of the benefits. He was urged to get into the "game" and share the huge profits. Representatives were sent to him first to reason with him" and then to threaten him. Finally it was admitted that his tactics were hurting business, and the trust people begged him to desist.

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throughout California that has escaped the clutches of the funeral trust. In this way he has succeeded in maintaining the independence of undertakers even where he has been unable to extend his fight to other parts of the state.

Godeau maintains four magnificent automobile hearses in San Francisco, which are used for funerals in the city and county, and has all the limousines that are required and a sufficient number of other hearses, carriages and caskets to give him the most complete and up to date equipment in the state. Throughout the year he has been busy in the production of the consumer, even to the extent of making his own shrouds. In this branch alone he has employed, making the funeral suits and dresses, and he sells a silk shroud for \$18 or \$20 that costs \$40 if purchased from any other undertaker.

Godeau's Van Ness avenue establishment, which has been built for only two years, is one of the handsomest, most commodious and modern in the United States. It is a three story structure of brick, of a modified Colonial style of architecture, with huge white pillars at the entrance, giving it somewhat the appearance of a tastefully designed apartment house. Its interior arrangement is such as to carry out the idea of quietness, comfort and privacy, regardless of the number of groups of mourners who may be within at one time.

An office opens off the main entrance hallway, and to the rear of this are four large and well appointed private rooms, where bodies are received and cared for until the time set for the funeral service. Watchers and friends of the dead may occupy these rooms at any time of the day or night in absolute seclusion.

Mortuary Chapel, 41 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco.

