

Number of Sports Items in Yesterday's
CALL 73
 Chronicle 62
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THE CALL

THE WEATHER
 YESTERDAY—Highest temperature, 58;
 lowest Saturday night, 54.
FORECAST FOR TODAY—Fair; brisk
 northwest wind.
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BULGARS UNRELENTINGLY POUND TCHATALJA LINES



TRIPLE ALLIANCE

THE UNITED STATES

The Turks have been crushed. The power of the Moslem in Europe is a horror of the past. What of the future? The world knows that the heroic little states that have practically driven the Turk back into Asia will not be permitted alone to determine what shall be the fruits of the victory. Germany, Austria and Italy, on one side, and Great Britain, France and Russia, on the other, may



PRESIDENT W. H. TAFT

OUGHT TO INTERVENE

possibly involve all Europe in war over the spoils. The Call believes that it is time for the United States to intervene to preserve the peace of the world. The United States can do it, and ought to do it now. The Call's thought on this, the most important of all subjects, now almost exclusively engrossing the attention of the whole world, is fully set forth on page 6.



TRIPLE ENTENTE

MRS. C. L. PARKS, SOCIAL LEADER, IS SHOPLIFTER

Wife of Wholesaler Confesses in Police Court She Is "Jeannette Parker"

Woman Pleads Guilty to Felony and Asks Probation as a Kleptomaniac

Detectives, Baffled for Year, Find Loot Hidden in Page Street Home

HER identity doubly concealed behind a heavy veil and an assumed name, Mrs. Charles L. Parks, 324 Page street, widely known in social circles, and wife of the former vice president and secretary of the wholesale grocery firm of Parks Bros. & Co., confessed last week in open police court that she was the mysterious "Jeannette Parker," who swindled half a dozen of the largest stores in San Francisco out of goods worth hundreds of dollars.

She was arrested October 23 after some careful detective work by David G. Davis, manager of the White House, but when she was booked at the city prison she gave a fictitious name and address and for a time refused to admit her identity. When her home was searched, however, and the stolen goods found and identified, she broke down and confessed to a startling series of ingenious thefts covering a period of many months.

These developments, as well as the woman's true name, were kept from the public and when she was arraigned in Police Judge Weller's court last week, she still retained the alias. As "Jeannette Parker," and not as Mrs. Charles L. Parks, she pleaded guilty to the felony charge of obtaining money under false pretenses and asked for probation on the ground that she was a kleptomaniac.

Case Up Again Today

Felony cases are outside the jurisdiction of the police court and Judge Weller could not accept her plea. Instead, he put the case over until tomorrow morning, when he will decide whether to hold the woman for the superior court. She is now out on bail.

Manager Davis of the White House, who obtained a full confession from Mrs. Parks, said that her operations had been one of the biggest and most successful swindles perpetrated in San Francisco in many years. Her scheme of action, while not original, baffled the detectives, and it was only by fortune that she was apprehended about two weeks ago.

According to Davis, it was Mrs. Parks' custom to visit the White House and other stores and represent herself as some wealthy woman who had a credit account. She would order a bill of goods, but instead of having them sent to the address of the woman she was impersonating, she would tell the clerk that the goods were for her niece, who was away on a honeymoon trip, but who would live at a given address upon her return.

Then Mrs. Parks would give the address of a vacant lot or a vacant floor, usually in the vicinity of Page or Grove streets, and direct that the goods be sent there. In the meantime she would have called at the homes of families in the neighborhood of the blank address, tell them she was planning to live in the vicinity and ask them to receipt for the goods.

\$1,000 in Loot Found

Kindly strangers did this for her each time without question, and not long after the driver left the packages Mrs. Parks would appear and take them away.

On one occasion she represented herself as a wealthy woman living in Scott street and ordered the goods sent to the woman's home. She had ascertained first that the woman she was impersonating was away, and when the delivery wagon arrived Mrs. Parks was

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CONSTANTINOPLE (THE CITY OF CONSTANTINE) VIEWED FROM THE ASIATIC SHORE OF THE BOSPORUS



CONSTANTINOPLE is known to the Turks as Istanbul, Stambol or Stamboul, said to be a corruption of a Greek phrase, "into the city." The main waterway in the picture is the Bosphorus, leading from the sea of Marmora north to the Black sea. On the Asiatic shore to the right is Scutari, and the Bosphorus at this point is only about one mile wide. Branching to the left and to the northwest is the Golden Horn, which flows under the two bridges connecting Constantinople with Pera and Galata. Pera, connected with the main city by the upper bridge, is the residence of the ambassadors and principal Europeans, while Galata, at

the junction of the Bosphorus and the Golden Horn, is the merchant and shipping quarter. Constantinople proper is inclosed by a triple range of walls 12½ miles in circuit and is built on seven low hills. The extreme point of the city on the east was formerly occupied by the Seraglio, the private domain of the sultan. It is separated from the rest of the city by a lower flanked wall pierced by several gates, the chief of which, the "Sublime Porte"—burned in 1863—has given its name to the Turkish government. The largest dome covered building in the foreground is the famous mosque of St. Sophia. Adrianople is to the northward, 130 miles from Constantinople.

TURKS' LAST DESPERATE STRUGGLE IS LOST

More Strong Ottoman Positions That Block March on Constantinople Are Taken by Victorious Invaders

SERVIANS OCCUPY TWO ALBANIAN STRONGHOLDS

Sultan Continues Conflict in Hope That Finally Powers Will Save His Capital From the Allies

Summary of Important Developments of War

Bulgarians continue unrelentingly their attack on the Tchatalja lines and capture more Turkish positions that blocked their advance on Constantinople. Cholera is spreading among Islam troops. Servians capture Dibra, in Albania, and unconfirmed reports say Monastir also has fallen. Austria's arrogant stand with reference to peace negotiations threatens to embroil the whole of Europe. Austria says its only concern is the national and political freedom of Albania. Powers seem agreed that Bulgars shall not occupy Constantinople and may send troops to Turkish capital, ostensibly to protect their subjects, but in reality to keep the victorious army from entering the city.

BULLETIN

PARIS, Nov. 10.—According to a Sofia dispatch to the Journal, the powers, with the exception of Austria, have presented a joint note to the Bulgarian government offering mediation. The government accepted the note, but as yet has made no reply and it is understood will decline the offer. Dispatches received Sunday say a great battle is being fought around Tchatalja and that the Bulgarian government will do nothing until that has been decided.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—The Bulgarian attack on the Tchatalja lines goes on unrelentingly. According to a correspondent at the front, further Turkish positions have been captured, but their location has not been indicated, in accordance with the invariable Bulgarian plan never to give information to the enemy. There is another unconfirmed report that Monastir has been captured. This

MANY HURT IN CAR CRASH Two Injured in Accident May Die

Two persons were probably fatally injured and a dozen men and women bruised and cut by wood and glass splinters about 12 o'clock last night when a Union street car jumped the switch at the corner of Jackson street and the Embarcadero and crashed into a Kearny street car, inbound from the ferry building.

On the Union street car, which was crowded, the passengers suffered most from the collision. The conductor, T. B. Boles, 2717 Union street, received a concussion of the brain, lacerations of the face and internal injuries. At the harbor hospital it was said that he might die during the night. A Japanese merchant, G. Pawraria, 1513 Buchanan street, who was riding on the platform, received a fracture of the skull and broke several ribs. His condition is serious.

Mrs. John Marnaglo of 1455 Grant avenue has a broken shoulder and internal injuries. Her condition is serious.

SEAMAN SAVES MEN DOOMED ON SHIP

Swims With Line About Waist to Vessel on Rocks; Captain Keeps Post

[By Federal Wireless]

HONOLULU, Nov. 9.—Attempting to force its way out of Hilo bay in the teeth of a northeast gale Saturday afternoon, the barkentine Kikikat, Captain Nelson, went on the rocks opposite Honouliuli gulch and is a total wreck.

The heroism of Sam Johnson, a seaman, who swam with a line about his waist through the terrific waters beating on the coast, saved the lives of the officers and the crew. Captain Nelson refused to leave the doomed vessel, which showed every sign of going to pieces shortly after it struck.

The crowning act of the drama occurred near midnight when a party of seamen returned to the vessel, placing their lives in the utmost danger, and kidnaped the captain. They took him ashore in spite of his entreaties and struggling.

The Kikikat was bound out to Port Townsend

ous. Both legs of Vincent Reed, a sailor of 52 Jackson street, were broken and his right arm was fractured. Other passengers, including several children, were badly cut by splintered glass and suffered severely from fright and shock. Many of the passengers, although cut and bruised, refused treatment at the Harbor hospital and went to their homes.

For a moment after the terrible crash, which was heard several blocks away, panic reigned. It was thought that Boles, who was pinned between the two cars, had been killed outright. He was released by the crew of the Kearny street car.

A hurry call was sent to the harbor hospital and the ambulance with a corps of doctors and nurses rushed to the scene.

The Kearny street car, from the ferry, was running north in the Embarcadero at a high rate of speed.

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SON OF WEALTHY MAN DISAPPEARS

Clothes of E. P. Hample Found on Pier; Farewell Letters to Parents and Creditors

A suit of clothes, cap, socks and shirt were found at the foot of the Vallejo street pier yesterday morning. In the pocket of the coat was a copy of a telegram signed by E. P. Hample, alias Hurl, addressed to his mother, 211 South Jackson street, Butte, Mont., in which he said he would soon be in San Francisco bay and bidding her goodby. There was a bill in the coat pocket from the St. Francis hotel for room rent made out to E. P. Hurl.

At first it was believed Hample, who is reported to be 18 years old, had committed suicide, but this the police doubt. It was learned the young man had left Butte, Mont., after forging the name of his father, J. E. Hample, a wealthy wool and hide dealer in Butte, to checks aggregating \$250. It was also found that the young man had pawned his watch and overcoat and

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TRIO ARRESTED FOR DEATH OF MAURIS AUBRY

Murder Charge Follows Mysterious Aspects as Call Questions Coroner's Verdict

Alfred Delvex, his older brother, Theodore Delvex, and Florence Joule were arrested yesterday in San Francisco and taken to Redwood City, where they will be charged today, Alfred with the murder of Mauris Aubry, the young butcher whose body was found riddled with buckshot Monday morning in the San Bruno hills, and the other two with being accessories to the crime.

"There is no doubt in the world that it is a case of murder," said Sheriff J. H. Mansfield after he had taken Alfred Delvex and Florence Joule over the scene of the murder.

"After my investigation, I am sure I have the right man in Alfred Delvex."

Call Takes Initiative

As announced exclusively in The Call Saturday morning, the police did not rest with the verdict of the coroner's jury that the death of Aubry was due to an unknown cause, and investigated the murder theory with the result announced by Mansfield.

Aubry's companion on the hunting trip on which he met his death, Alfred Delvex of 1805 Laguna street, and Aubrey's aunt, the Joule woman, are taken over the scene by Under-Sheriff John J. Shields and District Attorney Franklin Swart.

"Both appeared nervous," said Mansfield, "especially the man. He varied in his explanations, and the woman talked to him in French continually, apparently prompting him. They refused to discuss the matter, the nearest to an explanation being the nonchalant remark of the woman:

"The man is dead, he can't be brought back to life. We are sorry, so what is the use of talking any more about it."

Evidence on Ground

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ASTOR HIGHWAY CHAMPION May Back Ocean-to-Ocean Project

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Within a week Vincent Astor will be in fact the richest young man in America if not in the world. He will celebrate his twenty-first birthday Friday and then will come into full possession of about \$75,000,000.

Not unnaturally there has been much interest in what young Astor intends to do when he comes into his own.

A close friend of the young man said today:

"I don't think Mr. Astor has yet decided how he intends to use his vast wealth. I do know that he has given the subject very careful consideration, and that he considers himself much in the light of a trustee. His mother, who has decided to stay with him this winter

BRYCE, ENGLISH ENVOY, RESIGNS

Ambassador Will Leave Washington and Soon Retire for Literary Pursuits

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—James Bryce, the British ambassador to the United States, has resigned and will return to England. There has been no official announcement of the resignation, and the embassy will make no statement, but it was learned tonight on high authority that Bryce informed President Taft of his action at the White House yesterday.

The Washington correspondent of the Morning Post says Bryce informed President Taft that he would retire shortly and devote himself to literature.

Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, now minister at Stockholm, will succeed Bryce.

Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice was born in 1859 and was created K. C. M. G. in 1906. He has served at Stockholm as minister since September 1, 1908.

In 1888 he was acting third secretary at Washington and was appointed acting second secretary at Washington, to act as secretary to the British delegate to the international maritime conference, August 27, 1889.

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ter instead of going to Europe, has taken this course, it is understood, at Vincent's request, so that she may aid him in planning for some humanitarian work that he has under advisement.

"He is deeply interested in the good roads work. Like his father, he is a keen motorist and naturally will give his active support to any plan for good roads.

"It will be recalled that Colonel John Jacob Astor was one of the first, if not the very first, to take up the subject of a great ocean highway. His friends know that Vincent Astor also is enthusiastic over this project, and it would not surprise them if he should throw the influence of his name and wealth behind it."

BOY SAYS HE IS SHASTA BANDIT

Youth Surrenders to Sacramento Police and Confesses to Delta Train Holdup

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 10.—George Maine, a youth, surrendered to the police here today, declaring that he was one of the bandits who held up the north-bound Shasta Limited train at Delta, last Friday night. He said there were three men in the robbery—Harry Davis, Jim Gallagher and himself. He said that Gallagher was the man who was shot and killed by brakeman Jim Younkum.

He related the details of the robbery with considerable accuracy, and told of his escape with Davis on horseback. He is held at the city jail while the police are searching the city for his companion, whom Maine says is in or near the city.

The dead bandit was identified today in Redding by a Swede, whose name is withheld by the authorities, as F. Martinez. The Swede is a miner, and says that he knew the dead man well in Maricopa, Mex. The initials "F. M." were found on the dead man's collar before he was identified.

The police were surprised by Maine's confession, and opinion is divided as to the truth of his story.

Many View Dead Outlaw

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