

LIPTON LEAVES TO BURN HIS 1915 CHALLENGER

"I'll Be Back, Boys," Is Sir Thomas' Farewell to His Friends as Train Pulls Out

FAMOUS YACHTSMAN PLEASSED WITH VISIT

Says He Is Sorry to Go and Will Be Glad to Return

"I'll be back, boys!" The engine whistled, the compressed air brakes screamed and the train pulled out.

Sir Thomas Lipton tried to say something else, but his words were drowned out in that fearful noise of a departing train.

The famous old Shamrock yachting song broke from the lips of the few personal friends who gathered at the Third and Townsend depot to wish the skipper goodspeed.

His smile's irresistible. It soothes the waters of the ragin' main. The train swerved on a curve. The red lights of the rear coach swung full. And Sir Thomas was gone.

REGRETS TO LEAVE OFF Even though San Franciscans rushed the veteran British yachtsman on his visit here through a cyclone of entertainment that robbed him of enough time to get a whole army of Britishers a roaring, Sir Thomas weathered it with all the seamanship of a Yankee in such waters and his personality suffered not a bit.

"My one regret is that I have to leave San Francisco," said Sir Thomas as he boarded the train. "I have to get my boat ready," was the excuse which tore him away.

"I'm sorry to go, but I'll be just that much more glad to get back. Goodbye boys!" With that he heartily shook hands with the dozen friends at the station, and stately boarded the train.

McINTOSH LEADS SINGING The dozen men then broke out in the old Shamrock song, led by Burr McIntosh, who was on the old Erin with Sir Thomas nine years ago. It was too much for the old skipper, and he turned back to tell them their goodbyes again.

Sir Thomas Lipton is bound for Los Angeles. He will visit Pasadena and San Diego and depart from the state Friday night, with an itinerary as follows: Salt Lake, Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Detroit, Boston and New York. He is accompanied by Colonel Duncan and Mrs. W. McVillie.

Among those who gathered at the station to bid him adieu were Allan Pollok, C. Y. Williamson, president, and William Pickering of the British Empire club, Captain Martin L. Crimmins and Burr McIntosh.

LAST DAY IS RESTFUL It was rather a quiet day yesterday for Sir Thomas. He had his first real sleep since arriving here, for he was not disturbed until the sun had spent its first five hours. The first thing on the day's program was a luncheon at the home of Mrs. William Cluff, mother of Mrs. J. C. Wilson, at 2113 Pacific avenue.

Later in the day he had tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. de Young, and he dined with Allan Pollok. Thence he went directly to the Third and Townsend streets station. It was hard for him to leave San Francisco, and he confided to one of his friends shortly before boarding the train, that:

"You've got some nice pieces of water out here, and it's not a bad place to live in at all."

There was only one thing Sir Thomas forgot while he was here. His secretary told about it just before the skipper boarded the train. Said the secretary:

"I've got more than two names. 'Is middle name is Johnston."

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SLAYER OF WIFE PAYS PENALTY FOR HIS CRIME

SAN QUENTIN, Nov. 22.—The penalty of death for the crime of murder was paid today by Alexander Szafeur on the gallows in the death chamber of San Quentin prison.

The doomed man met his fate with apparent resignation. His last words were spoken in the condemned cell to the Catholic priests who had been with him during the last 24 hours.

As the cell door opened and the priests stepped to his side to walk with him to the scaffold a few feet away, Szafeur said:

"A few moments hence I shall have paid a bill that I ought to pay."

He ascended the 12 steps to the platform with a map of the black cap and rope were placed in position and the trap was sprung.

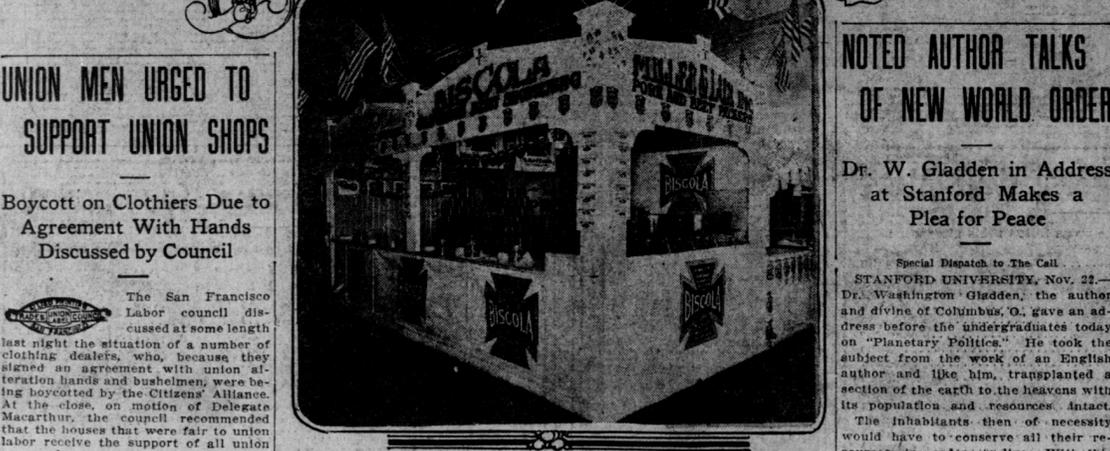
In 10 minutes from the time Szafeur left his cell the prison physicians, Dr. H. N. Kierulff and Dr. Ralph E. Allen, pronounced him dead.

Szafeur was the first man to be hanged in California since the execution of Mark A. Williams at this place, January 12 of this year.

The crime for which Szafeur was hanged was the shooting of his second wife, Irma, April 4, 1910, in their Frederick street home in San Francisco, in which Szafeur had squandered \$2,000 which had been left to his wife by a relative.

LATE COAST SHIPPING NEWS ALBERDEEN, Nov. 22.—All harbored steamers were able to get away today. They include Daisy Mitchell, Lintner, Centralia, Willapa, Tamalpais and Tama. The following are reports of departures for Seattle of schooners Manila and Watson A. West and barkentine John C. Meyer, they are still harbored. The Watson A. West has been in the lower harbor, falling to sail for Tacoma, nearly three weeks. Schooner Salvador joined the harbored fleet today. Steamer Nehalem arrived from Astoria.

17, at 'Home Made' Show Marriage Church Stillness Marks Public Affair



Some of the attractive booths to be seen at the Home Industry exhibit.

Cafe Cashier Becomes Wife of Salesman and Pair Get \$500 in Presents

If such a thing were possible, it might be said that Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Parkinson embarked on their matrimonial voyage last night on a sea of faces. Fully 17,000 persons who were gathered at the Home Industry exposition in the Auditorium stilled their voices while the solemn words of the marriage ceremony were repeated by Rev. James Madras Heady, pastor of the Central Baptist church and known as "the marrying minister."

STATE BAR ASSOCIATION AIRS DEFECTS IN LAWS

FRESNO Meeting Rejects Move to Hang on Uncorroborated Proof FRESNO, Nov. 22.—Modification of the laws of criminal and civil procedure were discussed at today's session of the California Bar association.

REMARKABLE BUILDING ACTIVITY IN OAKLAND

OAKLAND, Nov. 22.—A feature of the real estate market has been the many inquiries from outside investors eager to find openings in business and residence realty. While the building operations are keeping up to the high standard set at the beginning of the winter, particular activity has been shown in the construction of apartment houses, and it is predicted that within the next year many more of these structures will be built in Oakland.

NATIVE SONS TO GIVE MASQUERADE TONIGHT

Prizes for the Handsomest and Most Original Costumes at Ball for Which Castro Parlor Stands Sponsor Harlequin and Columbine, Pierrot and Pierrette will flirt and phander even as his unmentionable majesty flaunts his power over Marguerite, at the masquerade ball to be given tonight by Castro parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West.

ASYLUM CASE IS INVESTIGATED

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 22.—Dr. F. W. Hatch, general superintendent of state hospitals, returned this afternoon from Woodland, where he investigated the case of Mrs. Estman of Yolo county, a former inmate of Napa asylum, who, it was charged, had been neglected by asylum attendants and sent home in a filthy condition.

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ASSISTANT TO U. S. TREASURER IS FORCED OUT

G. C. Bantz Resigns His Office When Successor to Lee McClung Is Sworn In

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Gideon C. Bantz, connected with the treasury department for 40 years, resigned as assistant treasurer of the United States today at the request of Secretary MacVeagh. He will be succeeded tomorrow by Christian S. Pearce, chief in the division of banks, loans and postal savings.

NOTED AUTHOR TALKS OF NEW WORLD ORDER

Dr. W. Gladden in Address at Stanford Makes a Plea for Peace Special Dispatch to The Call. STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Nov. 22.—Dr. Washington Gladden, the author and divine of Columbus, O., gave an address before the undergraduates today on "Planetary Politics."

NEW SUITOR IN RACE FOR ELEONORA SEARS

Young Vanderbilt Reported to Be Pressing Suit With Heiress Who Does Real Woman's Garb Special Dispatch to The Call. NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The fact that Miss Eleonora Sears of Boston, well known in the amateur sporting world, and Harold Vanderbilt, youngest of the Vanderbilt boys, were so continuously in each other's company at the horse show in Madison Square garden, today gave new zest to the persistent rumors of their engagement.

NOTED SINGER AIDS FUND

Alice Nielsen Is Heard at Benefit for Sisters of St. Joseph The beautiful voice of Miss Alice Nielsen was heard in the cause of charity last evening when she came to the aid of her early teachers, the sisters of St. Joseph. The world famous singer appeared at the benefit at the Scottish Rite auditorium and sang an aria of songs and the "Butterfly Duet."

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CALIFORNIA MAY FAIL TO RECORD ELECTORAL VOTE

Suits Pending and Threatened May Postpone Determination of the State Result

Determination of California result may be postponed until after electoral college has voted, if Meyer Lissner, progressive leader, carries out threat to attack returns in every Wilson county on allegations set up by democrats in Los Angeles.

ROOSEVELT LEADERS DEMAND A RECOUNT

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 22.—A complaint in equity will be filed in the superior court early tomorrow morning by the law committee of the progressive party asking for a recount in two precincts involved in yesterday's decision of the appellate court in the election controversy, and by which the progressives say they lost 115 votes.

NOTED EDITOR TALKS BEFORE CLUB GUESTS

McClure Says United States Is Politically Corrupt and Offers Remedy to Cure Conditions Why the United States is, as he asserts, politically corrupt and the remedy for it was explained last night by S. S. McClure, the New York magazine publisher, before the civic center dinner guests.

San Francisco has an independent paper—The Call.

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