

HIGH SEA SWEEPS WOMAN OFF DECK

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WIND IS 60-MILE GALE

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VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 15.—Swept away by a great sea which washed the decks of the Canadian-Australian liner Marama, which arrived here at noon, M. T. Sampson, of Brisbane, was drowned before her husband's eyes during a strong gale in which the wind blew at a velocity of 60 miles an hour, when the liner was an hour out from Sydney.

Many others on board the vessel had narrow escapes. Steward Noble was swept against the rail, clinging to two little girls rescued by him. Fireman Anderson suffered fractures of both legs, and from 15 to 20 passengers and seamen were swept into a maststrom of broken deck fittings, but only one life was lost.

Mrs. Sampson was swept against the rail with such force that it broke and she was carried into the sea. Life buoys were thrown out and a boat made ready for lowering, but it would have been madness to lower it, even had the unfortunate woman been sighted after the vessel hove to, as soon as the warning cries were heard on the bridge.

Mrs. Sampson was 27 years old. Her husband is engaged in a fruit business at Brisbane.

NEGRESS SERVANTS FALL

Colored Woman Educator Warns Girls Not to Go North.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 13.—"Our daughters cannot enter the homes of whites as servants or house girls. When they finish their work at night they are allowed to roam the streets to be subjected to temptation and they are lost. They may return to their homes less pure and a disgrace to their families."

This was the report of Ellen Young, colored, matron of the Paine Annex Home for negro girls at Augusta, Ga., to the Woman's Board of Missions of the Methodist Church at today's session of its convention here.

She declared that in seven years she had known of 600 negro girls who went to the North, and that she had belief that in five years 550 of them will be dead or will return South in broken health.

FASTER TRAIN PROMISED

Southern Pacific to Use Motor Cars to Silverton.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—As the result of the promise of the Southern Pacific Railway Company to put on a motorcar between Portland and Silverton, the State Railroad Commission has consented to delay for 30 days the issuance of an order following its hearing of the complaint of inadequate train service on the Silverton branch.

The hearing was held yesterday at Aurora and considerable testimony was introduced. The railroad company is expected to have its gasoline car in operation within 30 days.

Launch Upsets, Two Men Die.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Oct. 19.—C. L. Cudaly and James Smith, employees of the steel company at Irondele, on the east side of Port Townsend Bay, were drowned today by the capsizing of a launch in which they were crossing the bay. A launch went to pick up the men, who swam after their boat capsized, passed Smith at his request to rescue Cudaly, who was 50 feet farther out. Cudaly sank before he could be reached, and when the launch put back for Smith he had become exhausted and disappeared.

Harrisburg May Get Creamery.

HARRISBURG, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Harrisburg now has a good chance to secure a creamery. Both the Ironwood and Townsend creameries, of Portland, and also the big Corvallis creamery are interested in the project of establishing a plant here and the industry is assured if farmers residing near here will guarantee the butter fat from 500 cows for six months. It is believed this condition can be met and the guarantee made.

Bailiff Voter for 49 Years.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—A. Collins, veteran bailiff of the Superior Court of this district, will celebrate his 49th birthday by casting a ballot for Judge McCredie, Republican nominee for Congress, from the Second Congressional District. He cast his first ballot on his birthday for Abraham Lincoln.

Albany May Get Gas Plant.

ALBANY, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—L. P. Lowe, of San Francisco, president of the California Light & Fuel Company, has written the Albany Commercial Club that he will be in Albany next month to investigate the proposition of establishing a big gas plant in this city. This company is said to be considering the project favorably.

Struble Talks at Brownsville.

ALBANY, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Tom Richardson, manager of the Portland Commercial Club, and Wallace R. Struble, manager of the Albany Commercial Club, went to Brownsville today and in that city this evening addressed an enthusiastic meeting of the Commercial Club of the leading city of the Catawpa Valley.

Grandson of Joe Lane Dies.

COLVILLE, Wash., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Word was received here today of the sudden death of R. E. Lane at his home in Orient this morning. Deceased was about 7 years old and was a pioneer resident of Stevens County. He has a son residing in Seattle. Mr. Lane was a grandson of the late General Joseph Lane, of Oregon.

Evans Drops Out of Race.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Milton E. Evans, Republican candidate for Councilman-at-Large, in this city, today withdrew his declaration of candidacy. Nearly 1700 voters have registered.

son, who was a candidate for Vice-President, with General Breckenridge, of Kentucky, during the Civil War.

Grant Fair to Be Larger.

PRAIRIE CITY, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The first annual district fair, the Grant County Fair, has just closed its gates. It was a success in every way. A movement has already been begun to make the fair a bigger and better success next year. The great variety of crops and the wonderful extent of territory embraced in Grant County, if represented properly at a fair, would look very much like a state exposition.

Albany to Provide for Crows.

ALBANY, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—With assurances of a tremendous crowd at the third annual Albany Apple Fair to be held next week, the Albany Commercial Club last evening named a committee to secure rooms in private residences in addition to hotels and rooming-houses, so that all visitors can secure accommodations without trouble. This committee consists of A. W. Bowersox, F. P. Nutting and William Foriniller.

Pasco Enters Third Class.

PASCO, Wash., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—In the election held here today on the question of advancing the city from

LEBANON WOMAN CLAIMED BY DEATH.



Mrs. John Wither, Deceased. LEBANON, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. John Wither died at the Wither Summer home at Newport, Or., October 12, 1909. She deceased was born in Prescott, England, March 4, 1845, and 20 years ago came to Lebanon, where the family has since made its home. Her death was unexpected, and was due to apoplexy.

Mrs. Wither was a lovable character, and an accomplished musician. Their country home, a mile from the business center of Lebanon, was an open house to their friends.

Her husband, John Wither, is one of Linn County's wealthy citizens, and is one of the directors of the Hanford Irrigation & Power Company, which owns \$3,000,000 worth of property in Eastern Washington, including the Priest Rapids water power and the townsite of Hanford has bought a controlling interest in the company, thus defeating the effort of the North Coast Railway to acquire the property. The report of Earles' success is confirmed by officials of the company.

Wheeler's Values \$4,013,500.

FOSSIL, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—County Assessor P. Hartman today finished the work on the assessment roll. The total shows \$4,013,500 assessable property in Wheeler County. It has been the idea to get a cash valuation and when the County Board of Equalization adjourned today there had been only two complaints, and these were rejected.

North Coast Plan Defeated.

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OTHER CONVICTS MAY FORFEIT LIFE

District Attorney Discusses Prosecution Under Old Statute.

SIMILAR CASE WAS LOST

Supreme Court Reversed Conviction of W. H. Smith Because of Errors in Trial Court—Wounded Men Are Recovering.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Superintendent C. W. James today held a consultation with District Attorney John H. McNary, with a view to prosecuting Mike Nichatch, Albert Ferris and Albert Murray, the convicts who escaped on Friday last with George Carter and George Duncan, under an old Oregon statute which makes an attack upon a prison officer by a convict armed with a deadly weapon a capital offense.

If, in the opinion of the District Attorney there is a chance to convict, the prosecution will be commenced as soon as Nichatch and Ferris have sufficiently recovered from their wounds to stand trial. There has been only one case of a similar nature in the history of the state. In 1881 William H. Smith, a convict, was prosecuted under this law (section 1286, Billingsley's Code), and in the trial court was found guilty and sentenced to die. The case was reversed in the Supreme Court by Justice Waldo, on errors in the trial court.

The errors consisted of the refusal of the trial Judge R. P. Boise, to allow the shackles to be removed from the prisoner while the trial was in progress, and a flaw in the indictment, which was held to be insufficient, inasmuch as it did not allege that the defendant knew that George C. Collins, superintendent of the penitentiary at that time and the complainant in the case, was an officer. The attorneys in the case were William H. Holmes, District Attorney, and Bonham & Ramsey, W. G. Piper and S. P. Chadwick for the defense.

Dr. Smith, of the prison medical staff, reports that Nichatch and Ferris, the wounded convicts, although seriously injured, will recover unless complications ensue.

PRISON FOR BOOTLEGGERS

Three Violators of Roseburg Liquor Law Are Serving Time.

ROSEBURG, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Six years in the penitentiary was the sentence imposed today in the Circuit Court upon G. H. Botsford, convicted of a statutory charge, the complaining witness being a six-year-old girl. Two bootleggers also were placed where they will do no harm for a month. They were Frank Verrellman, of Gardiner, and W. D. Strange, of this city. Both pleaded guilty to selling liquor. Verrellman, received a fine of \$500 and 30 days in jail. Strange received a jail sentence of 30 days.

This makes a total of three men now serving time in the Douglas County Jail for bootlegging, the third party being John Stancliff, who was convicted at this term of court.

COLORED TROOPS STARTLE

Presence of Soldier Guards in Vancouver Cause Uneasiness.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Upon the appearance of half a dozen colored soldiers in uniform on the streets of the city yesterday, the rumor started that a regiment of colored troops had been detailed to Vancouver Barracks. The rumor was strengthened by the fact that it had been rumored a number of times before, during the past year, that colored troops were to fill the garrison.

The story was short lived, however. The colored soldiers were guards in charge of 12 military convicts en route to the Government prison on Alcatraz Island.

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