VANDERBILT PARTY IN PERIL FOR HOURS

Lifeboats Smashed in Effort to Reach Those on Wrecked Pleasure Yacht.

FATE OF CREW NOT KNOWN

Owner of Vessel and Titled Guests Now on Way to New York-Two Steamers Called to Scene Before Party Escaped.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 .- Death faced the party aboard Frederick W. Vanderbilt's palatial yacht Warrior for hours after the craft with its distinguished passengers was wrecked on a reef off the coast of Colombia Monday, according to wireless messages picked up here tonight. The message told of heroic efforts made by the United Fruit Company's steamer Frutera to save those on board. Captain Henschaen finally was

forced to summon the steamer Almi-rante, which made a perllous rescue. All the Frutera's lifeboats either were smashed or capsized. Those on board the Almirante are Mr. and Mrs. Van-derbilt, the Duke and Duchess of Manchester and Lord Arthur George Keith-Falconer, son and heir of the Earl of

Soon after the Warrior struck the fruit steamer picked up her wireless appeal and steamed toward the wreck. Although the sea was running high, Captain Henschaen lowered boats. One of them capsized and the others were crushed. The Almirante, which was at

or them capsized and the others were crushed. The Almirante, which was at Santa Marta, about 40 miles distant, then was called and succeeded in taking off all the Warrior's passengers, although with peril.

The Almirante is due to arrive at Colon tomorrow.

It is understood the Vanderbilt party will proceed to New York. Nothing was learned tonight regarding the fate of the wrecked yacht and its crew, who remained on board, despite the advice of the owner and the captains of the Frutera and Almirante.

The coast at the scene of the mishap is dangerous and with adverse winds it is feared the Warrior will be seriously damaged. The crew probably could get aid easily from Santa Marta in case the yacht began to break up.

IDAHO PAPER IN TROUBLE MOTHER Receiver Is Named and Doors of

Office Are Boarded Up.

EOISE, Idaho, Jan. 28.—The Black-feet Evening Courier was today placed under a receivership upon application of District Judge Stevens, the order being issued by District Judge Eudge. Clyde Idol was named as receiver. In company with Sheriff Jones, Idol appeared at the office of the Courier just before the paper went to press and ordered an article setting forth the relations between Judge Stevens and Managing Editor Cooke killed and in its place substituted an announce-

Idol tonight had the doors boarded and new locks put on to keep Cooke Cooke asserted the trouble is the re-

sult of an effort on the part of Judge Stevens to dominate the politics of the publication.

PROGRAMME IS IN MAKING

Harrisburg Schools and Poultry Association Unite.

HARRISBURG, Or., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The public school and local poultry association are working together on a programme for Friday, February 13, which is intended to be of general interest to the community. The Oregon Agricultural College hog and dairy special is scheduled to be here and the afternoon will be dehere and the afternoon will be de-voted to poultry interests. Professor Lunn, of Oregon Agricultural College, has been engaged to give an illustrated ture. The annual election of of-

follow.

This association is doing much to awaken more interest in poultry raising and the poultry show has become one of the big features of the annual

CHECK ON CLUBS LIKELY

City May Demand Number of Per-

the strength behind communications on Portland Heights, who was shot sent to the City Commission by improvement clubs, the Commission is when stopped before the residence of provement clubs, the Commission is formulating a plan to require the secretary of the club writing the communication to indicate in the letter the number of persons who attended the meeting of the organization at which the communication was authorized. Communications are received daily from clubs making suggestions regarding street improvements, carlines and other municipal affairs. Upon many occasions it has been found that the communications have been prepared by one or two members of the club having one or two members of the club having of the man's recovery. Stros admitted yesterday he was a member of occasions it has been found that the communications have been prepared by one or two members of the club having particular interest in the pro-

CARS WILL CHANGE ROUTE back. Work on Oregon Street Will Cause Shift in Schedule.

As soon as improvements now in As soon as improvements now in progress on Oregon street, leading to the east approach of the Harriman bridge, are completed, it is probable that the Alberta and Woodlawn cars, which now cross the Burnside bridge, will be routed over the Harriman bridge.

This probably will necessitate a re-arrangement of routes and loops of other carlines on the West Side streets. Traffic officials of the Portland Rail-way, Light & Power Company are working out this problem.

Genesce Valley Pioneer Buried. GENESEE, Idaho, Jan. 28.—(Special.)
—The funeral of Frank Lawen was held here from St. Mary's Catholic Church and was one of the largest funerals ever held. Mr. Lawen was one of the first settlers in the Genesee Valley. He leaved a wife and seven collider.

SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER OF LATE MAYOR GAYNOR BRIDE OF WESTERN MAN.



MRS. RALPH H. ISHAM, FORMERLY MISS MARION GAYNOR.

Bridegroom, Who Is 23, Has Trav-

and Managing Editor Cooke killed and in its place substituted an announcement of the receivership.

Mr. Cooke consulted his attorneys and refused to give up his keys, contending that the order was invalid because it was not obtained in this judicial district.

Acting upon the advice of Attorney Clute, representing Judge Stevens,

of the engagement had been made because of the recent death of Mr. Gay- bany, Or., are at the Cornelius. Owing to the youth of the bride, the license was obtained by her mother,

whose consent to the marriage was necessary. Mrs. Gaynor motored to the Brocklyn Borough Hall and took the Brooklyn Borough Hall and took the license to the Gaynor family home. Where Miss Gaynor and Mr. Isham Regina, S. D., are at the Nortonia. Mr. Isham, who is 23 years old, spent a year at Yale and then traveled abroad. He returned recently to man-

age some of his father's interests. He is a descendent of Jonathan Trumbull, first Governor of Connecticut.

As Miss Gaynor, Mrs. Isham drove an automobile, and several times was a winner of blue ribbons at horse shows at Belmont Park and Madison Square Garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Isham will leave to-morrow for Santa Barbara, Cal., where the elder Isham is recovering from ill-

BULLETS ARE LOCATED

WATCHMAN AND HOLDUP MAN IN CRITICAL CONDITION STILL.

Wounded Assailant of Portland Heights

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Mr. Healey was shot twice, one builet entering the right shoulder, becoming imbedded in the muscles of the back. The second bullet entered his abdomen, piercing the smaller intest times in nine places. Doctors operating on Healey located the position of both bullets, but decided to delay further operation until Mr. Healey regained etrength. Fear of peritonitis is the danger now, say the hospital authorities.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Jan. 28,—(Special.)—Residents of Coal Creek Valley, adjoining Chehalis to the east, have decided to build this year haif a mile of crushed rock roadway, beginning near the city limits. A well-drained grade with crushed rock from the Meskill quarry. At a well-attended meeting held Saturday night the sentiment for better roads up Coal Creek Valley was unanimous.

Walla Walla Club Loses Two. ties.

Stros received Mr. Healey's bullet in the right side. The bullet passed through his abdomen, leaving the back, its course perforating the larger intestines in five places. The same fear of peritonitis is felt for Stros.

Stros refused yesterday to make any statement to detectives or representatives from the District Atomocive of tives from the District Atorney's of-fice other than to admit that he and his escaped companion were on the Heights fer the purpose of "getting the money." He refused to say who was with him.

Dredge Requirement Report Asked. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 28.—Major McKinstry has been asked by the War Department for a report on the most effective plan for dredging operations at the mouth gation in Congress.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The Rose Theater property has been sold by E. S. Wheeler to Edward for dredging operations at the mouth gation in Congress.

of the Columbia River, to determine what enlargement the dredge Chinook will require or whether it will be necessary to construct a new dredge as requested by the Portland Chamber of Commerce.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. E. Russell, of Tacoma, is at the

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Byron, of George Miller, a business man of Pendleton, Or., is at the Oregon, Rev. Father A. Bronsgeest, of The Dalles, Or., is at the Multnomah.

John C. White, a capitalist from Mr. and Mrs. Leo Irving, of Mont-pelier, Idaho, are at the Washington. L. S. Kenworthy, of Walla Walla, Wash, is registered at the Perkins.

Frank E. Post, a Milwaukee, Wis, wholesale milliner, is at the Oregon.
A. M. Boiter, of Brooks, Or., a large Camas, Wash, are at the Washington. just before the death
J. P. Corbett and C. C. Stanley are with him in California. registered at the Carlton from Seattle F. L. Meyers, a banker from La Grande, Or., is registered at the Ore-

C. A. Hall and wife are staying at the Nortonia while in Portland, from R. M. Rau, with his wife and son, has taken permanent quarters at the

R. M. Hutchins and Mrs. Hutchin are registered at the Perkins from Al-

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chambers and Reed Chambers, of Newberg, Or., are

Chehalis to Have Better Roads. CHEHALIS, Wash., Jan. 28 .- (Spe-

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Jan. 28.— (Special.)—L. M. Brown, secretary and publicity manager, and M. A. Power,

Lafferty Food Bill Protested. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 28.—A protest from the Oregon Wholesale Grocers' Association

Man Held for Wife-Murder Spurns Fellow-Prisoners.

BROKEN NECK EXPLAINED

Undertaker and Coroner Handled Body Roughly, He Says-Finger prints on Body Caused by Effort to Resuscitate.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 .- (Special.)-Charles E. Potts, arrested here Monday charged with the murder of his wife in Canyon City, Or., explained in detail today the charges which are brought against him as a result of a Coroner's inquiry in Oregon.

According to advices received from Oregon an autorsy revealed that the

Oregon, an autopsy revealed that the neck of Mrs. Potts had been broken in two places and that there were finger imprints on her neck and body which seemed to be the result of violence.

"I have no doubt that Mrs. Potts," neck was broken," said Potts, in the neck was broken," said Potts in the county jail today. "When she was removed from the botel where we were staying the undertaker and the Coroner handled her so roughly that this night enally have happened. The finger might easily have happened. The finger prints on her body may have been caused by me in my efforts to resuscitate her after fainting spells. For all of this, however, I don't care. If I thought that I could be reunited with Lennie I would be willing to suffer the death penalty. I have no fear of hanging, because I know that I am not guilty of murder.

"If Lennie were here she could ex-"If Lennie were here she could ex-plain everything that happened before she died."

Potts refused to associate with his fellow prisoners in what is known as the boarders' tank in the jail. He was locked up in the cell that was occupied by the McNamara brothers, Bostick, the Southern Pacific bandit, and other notorious criminals. He lay on the floor and read a Bible which he has curried since his arrest.

Under-Sheriff Brain has posted a special guard around the cell occupied

Potts Coroner's Jury Based Verdict on Broken Neck.

W. E. Russell, of Tacoma, is at the Benson.

Jacob Crone, of Astoria, is at the Carlton,

H. H. Hewett, of Albany, Or., is at the Cornelius.

Walter S. Link, of McMinnville, Or., is at the Cornelius.

M. P. McGrath, of Worcester, Mass., is at the Benson.

Mrs. D. Roesnbaum, of Spokane, is at the Washington.

Mrs. L. J. Harper, of Waitsburg, Wash., is at the Carlton.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Webster, of Seattle, are at the Washington.

Dr. F. W Tebbe, of Weed, Or., is registered at the Nortonia.

Dr. C. L. Pierson, of Sutherland, Or., is registered at the Imperial.

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bone in the throat was broken. On this fact and on the testimony that marks had been noticed on the throat of the woman at the funeral, the ver-dict was based.

"Concerning the report that strych-nine was found in the stomach, the jury knows nothing positive. The stomach was sent to the state chemist for ex-

amination and no report has been re "The men on the Coroner's jur myself, Mr. Kuhl, N. Nivend, H. Hunter, John Muldrick, C. E. Lyon, L. O. Peone." District Attorney Cozad ordered the investigation last week at the instance of the people of the neighborhood in which the woman died and at the request of the woman's parents. Efforts had been made to have a post mortem held immediately after her death, but the parents objected at that time. Later

count of statements said to have been made by Potts, and because of his de-parture from the state immediately after the funeral, the disposal of the dead woman's estate, which amounted to several thousand dollars, and by the rumor that another woman with whom hopgrower, is staying at the Imperial. rumer that another woman with whom Mr. and Mrs. William McMinn, of Potts was alleged to have been intimate

LABOR COMMISSIONER HOFF SAYS HE DID NOT ORGANIZE.

Trips to Eugene Made for Purpose of Bringing Employers and Employes Together, He Declares.

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Dundee, Or., people registered at the Multnomah are Thomas Prince, known as "the Walnut King." and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hayward.

to the belief that he was assisting in organizing unions.

"I have occasionally sought to bring capital and labor together to bring about a settlement of difficulties, and U. S. Morris, advance agent of "The Rosary" Company, which will play at the Heilig next week, is registered at the Multnomah from Chicago.

about a settlement of difficulties, and that was what I did at Eugene early in January," continued Mr. Hoff. "I had the Heilig next week, is registered at received letters and complaints from the Multnomah from Chicago. men who had been working in the con-struction of a mile of logging read. The contractors were under bond of \$16,000 to a lumber company, and they \$16,000 to a lumber company, and they became involved in a dispute with the company. The work stopped and 147 men were waiting at Eugene for their pay, while the lumber company, the contractors and the bonding company each held some one else responsible.

"I went to Eugene to secure a settlement. I was there several days and brought the parties together, insisting that they agree on something, so the that they agree on something, so the men could get their money. They fi-nally did settle, and the men received their money. "Unionism was not involved in the

Kalama Power Plant Rushed.

publicity manager, and M. A. Power, assistant secretary of the Commercial Club, will quit Saturday night. The club directors have chosen no successors yot, though there are now a score of applications on file from points as far away as New York. Most of the applicants ask a good sum for their services, the average being \$2500 to \$4000 a year.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Jan 28.—(Special.)—Rebuilding of the Kalama River water power electric plant of the Washington-Oregon Corporation will be rushed as fast as possible. The Chehalis steam plant is supplying the electric juice for the systems in this section at this time, but during the terrific wind storm of Sunday night.

All Medford Women to Report All Youths They See Smoking.

MEDFORD, Or., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Boys less than 15 years old who atterific wind storm of Sunday night terrific wind storm of Sunday night to smoke tobacco, and particulary to smoke tobacco.

But 3 More Days

January White and Clearance Sales

Sipman Wolfe & Ca.
Merchandise of Merit Only

On Thursday We Will Offer The Following Special Sales on Ready-to-Wear Apparel

Suits Selling to \$35.00, Clearance \$17.25 Coats Selling to \$30.00, Clearance \$14.85 Superior in Materials and Workmanship

_THE SUITS are of serge, velvet, corduroy and mixtures in gray effects, plain navy blue, black and gray. They are plain tailored in style, built on the latest midwinter lines—the jackets being lined with silks—the skirts plain

_THE COATS of serge, broadcloth and mixtures in straight cutaway models and belted Norfolk styles-in green, brown, navy blue and black. serviceable, practical coats that you can wear through the Spring and Sum-

Waists of Crepe, Voile and Lingerie, Clearance \$2.73

-New models but lately received-in a variety of styles made with the butterfly sleeves and deep yoke in front and back. Other models are trimmed with dainty embroidery and lace insertion, combined with clusters of pin tucking. Fancy and plain turned-down collar styles and large pearl buttons. Long sleeves with plain cuffs and others with pleated frills.

IMPORTANT

\$3.50 W. B. Nuform Corsets, Clearance \$2.49

-W. B. Corsets will give you the correct and fashionable figurethis model on sale is suitable for medium and small figures, in sizes from 19 to 38. Made of fine coutil and trimmed with embroidery. Has elastic gores which gives ease in sitting, long over the hips and back, and medium bust. Three pairs hose supporters attached.

\$1.00 Brassieres 79c

-Here you have your choice of Warners, the H. W. or the De-Bevoise brassieres in various styles -made of fine cambric, trimmed with embroidery or lace. In sizes from 32 to 46. Open front or cross-in-the-back models.

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Fashion

Sheets

for March

Now Ready

\$2.50 and \$2.75 Crepe Kimonos Clearance \$1.89

-Long, loose flowing styles-of serpentine crepe in plain colors and fancy flowered designs. Shirred at the neck and sleeves and down the front. The plain crepe models are ribbon trimmed and belted in the back. In lavender, pink, blue, black and other light

\$1.75 Long Flannelette Kimonos Clearance \$1.35

-These kimonos are made of a fine, soft quality flannelette in fancy stripes or figured designs-empire style with turndown collars and scalloped edge finish, set-in sleeves.

\$2.25 and \$2.75 House Dresses Clearance \$1.59

-Attractive as well as serviceable dresses to wear around the house-made of fine chambray, nurse's striped ginghams and percales or checked patterns. -Made with round collars and some with vokesothers have collar and cuffs of embroidery or trimming of bias bands. The skirts have plain or panel backs and piped at the waist line.

> Final Reductions on All Fur Coats, Sets and Muffs

-Including caracul, Hudson seal, civet, Arctic fox, mink, mole, pointed fox, skunk, kitt fox, ermine, mink, moline. In sets, separate muffs and stoles. Guaranteed furs-in the latest stylesbeautifully lined and finished.

-Sets from \$6.50 up to \$265.00 -were originally \$10.00 to \$375.00 -Separate Muffs \$9.50 to \$47.50 -were originally \$15.00 to \$75.00. -Coats from \$30.00 up to \$130.00 -were originally \$50.00 to \$250.00.

The Most Fashionable of Sweater Coats

-At \$4.95 - new coat sweaters, the popular Angora finish stylemade V-neck-the right weight to wear under a coat-soft and warm, without being cumbersome—in the much wanted pastel shades—Nell rose, emerald, reseda, fawn, Copenhagen, snow gray and Harvard.

-At \$8.50—newly arrived coat sweaters in the popular staple shades of light gray, pretty cardinal or pure white. These are of the heavy stitch ruff neck collar sort and the self-colored belt in back gives an added touch of novelty to an already smart-looking coat.

-At \$10.00 Sweater coats of pure Australian worsted yarn—the celebrated Dr. Jaeger brand-found here only in Portland-in the angora finish and in the much-wanted pastel and other new shades, solid or two-colored effects, where the changing color finish makes a pleasing contrast. -Fourth Floor.



some time and follows numerous small-or deals of the past few weeks. The The women approved the idea, and Project Engineer Laurgaard was property is located in the heart of the hereafter youths seen smoking will be authorized to take out liability insurbusiness district and it is believed that Mr. Prescott intends to tear down the old theater building and erect a modern business block.

made in the local realty market for Club and urged an anti-cigarette cam- solved the contractor and all others

Land Board Would Avoid Suit Over

The State Desert Land Board has de- Silvers, L. Porter and E. Luce. electric juice for the systems in this section at this time, but during the terrific wind storm of Sunday night terrific wind the Legislature make an appropriation of Sunday night terrific wind the Legislature make an appropriation of Sunday night terrific wind the Legislature make an appropriation for terrific wind

STATE AID OFFERED WIDOW

ance to continue until July 1.

Stockholders Organize in John Day. JOHN DAY, Or., Jan. 28 .- (Special.) The stockholders of the new hall to Killing of Workman.

SALEM. Or., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—
The State Desert Land Board has de-