

was torn completely off. A portion of the roof of the New Hippodrome theatre was ripped off.

When the wind was at its greatest fury, pieces of the roof of the Taft branch of Security Trust company were torn loose and sent flying through the business disown baseball bat. trict.

Practically every tree in Taft not protected by buildings has been uprooted as well as practically all radio aerials and flagstaffs on buildings.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15. (AP)-An earthquake of varying (Continued on page 2.)

2 DEAD, 6 HURT IN TRAIN CRASH

LOS ANGELES LIMITED BUNS INTO CALIFORNIA CREEK

Locomotive, Tender and Two Cars Leave Track; Relief **Train Sent**

WHITTIER, Cal., Feb. 15 (AP)-Two persons are known to have been killed and six others injured tonight when the locomotive, tender, baggage car, and one coach of the Los Angeles limited, crack passenger train of the Union Pacific, plunged into Puente creek

five miles north of here. The injured were brought to Whittier for medical treatment Two relief trains were despatched to the scene with first aid supplies. Rescue crews tonight were searching the wreckage for pos-

sible further victims. When the bridge gave way the locomotive plunged into the creek, rushing waters. The first coach, a dining car, overturned when it toppled into the water. Rescuers recovered only parts of Engineer Ireland's body, which have been removed to a mortuary here.

Barkdoll, one of the cooks, who was trapped in the diner, escaped from the car by breaking a window glass with his fist. The other entrapped employes climbed out to safety after him.

Reports received here state that steel bridge spanning the creek uckled under the weight of the The bridge is believed to Tains. been weakened by heavy

The dead: Charles Ireland, engineer, Los

Angeles, An unidentified man.

The injured: F. L. Frazier, fireman, Los Angeles, badly scalded and internally injured.

Paul W. Boe, cook, Los Angeles burned about face and, body, Claude Hartzheim, cook, Los Angeles, scalded.

W. H. Bolden, negro waiter feet crushed.

James Barkdoll, cook, Glendale scalded and cut about hands. C. H. Waters, passenger, Salt gary and Hugh Wilson to be min-Lake City, slightly injured

her as Hewitt pursued her about the house, the boy said. After the mother was slain, Hewitt said he

turned on the boy, who fled to the basement. There for several seconds they dodged about in the dim light until, trapped behind a fur-(Continued on page 6.) nace, the lad was killed with his

AIMEE TALK CANCELLED

Directors of New York Radio Station Cut Out Evangelist

A warrant charging first degree murder was issued and Hewitt was taken to Jefferson, the county seat where he was placed in jail to

await the action of the county grand jury. Shelton said that a button torn from the boy's coat in the struggle with Mrs. Brown broke his

nerve and brought the confession.

MABEL NORMAND UNWELL

Screen Actress Has Pneumonia Case; Removed to Hospital

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Feb. 15 -(AP)-Mabel Normand, screen actress, was removed to a hospital

here today from her home in Beverly Hills, where she has been suffering from an attack of bronchial pneumonia.

"Miss Normand is very ill, but doing nicely," Dr. H. Clifford the star's physician, an-Loos. nounced tonight. A second physician, Dr. George K. Dazey, was called into consultation today.

STORM DELAYS VESSELS

Heavy Seas in San Pedro Road-stead Stop All Small Craft

SAN PEDRO, Cal., Feb. 15 .--(AP)-Heavy seas in the roadstead today stopped small craft traffic and kept many off shore swollen with flood waters, and vessels at anchor, while a steady landed upside down. The baggage downpour of rain cut discharge car fell crosswise against the on- and loading of freight cargoes to 25 per cent.

> YESTERDAY IN WASHINGTON The Lenroot-Taber milk bill was signed by President Coolidge. The house substituted the senate McNary-Haugen bill for its

The senate voted to limit debate on the McFadden branch banking bill.

The government continued pre-sentation of its case in the Ford tax suit.

The navy department considered augumenting its forces in the Ni caraguan zone.

Bloom of New York and Blanton of Texas fought a no-decision round in a house committee room.

Leland Harrison was nominated to be minister to Sweden; J. Butler Wright to be minister to Hun-

The vote today to substitute the senate bill was not construed by High Wind Spreads Flames; Praceither supporters or opponents as tically Everything Lost constituting a test of strength, as

a number of members supporting SILVERTON, Feb. 15- (Spethe motion have announced they

morning about eleven o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Satter had been tice and interests in Portland, Dr.

away from home for several days Coe had banking and real estate and just returned this morning. holdings in eastern Oregon. He

They started a fire in the stove was the donor of several statues NEW YORK, Feb. 15 .- (AP)and some time later they noticed to parks of the city of Portland. Because the directors of radio the attic was practically a mass of WRNY at Hotel Roosevelt decided flames. The fire spread rapidly

it would be "bad policy" to allow owing to a high wind and all that Mrs. Aimee Semple McPherson, could be saved of the contents Los Angeles evangelist to speak were a trunk, rug and some fruit was noted throught the west over their station, her scheduled jars. There was no insurance on aside from his medical work, for

addresses Friday, Saturday and the house or contents, it is under- his interest in statuary and for his Sunday of this week have been stood. cancelled, it was announced today. The house was a frame building of art. Among the statues present-The directors of the station said constructed a few years ago and ed to the city by Dr. Coe, the

Mrs. McPherson had been asked was in excellents condition. The Roosevelt Rough Rider bronze by to seek elsewhere for a place to exact cause of the fire is not A. Phimister Proctor is perhaps deliver her radio talks. known.



hospital at Portland, Ore., died at a sanitarium here tonight after a brief illness.

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the most noted.

Dr. Coe had been spending the winter in California and had a cial)-The Lew Satter house, lo- heart attack three weeks ago. He cated about four miles south of was taken to the Glendale saniant problem." here in the Waldo hills, was com- tarium and until today had seemed

pletely destroyed by fire this to be improving. In addition to his medical prac-

MCNARY CERTAIN OF JOB

Make Nomination Sure

Dr. Henry Waldo Coe, whose death occurred in Glendale, Cal., today PORTLAND, Feb. 15-(AP)-Washington dispatch to the Morning Oregonian states that the nomination of John McNary, Samany gifts to Portland of works lem attorney and brother of Senator McNary, as United States.

judge for the district of Oregon, became a certainty today when beautiful gifts. Senators McNary and Stanfield

signed a joint recommendation in his behalf and forwarded it to the department of justice for the guidance of Attorney General Sargent.

ready has signified that the selection of Mr. McNary meets with his approval, the nomination is ex-pected to go forward to the senate incorrding to the records of the city, shocks were, or how extensive the tomorrow or Thursday," the dis-laccording to the records of the city patch states,

"Prompt confirmation is assured as senatorial courtesy will day, city officials declared today give the nomination a preferential that they believed only about onestatus."

DUAL DEBATE SCHEDULED

Salem and Albany High School Teams to Meet Monday

Salem high announces. evening will be Dr. R. M. Locke- some other illness. nour, head of the political science department; R. H. Ewing, political BRITAIN AWAITS WORD science instructor, and F. H. Butt, English instructor, all of OAC.

This will be the second debate for each of the schools participating. Salem high tied with Staytor in the first dual contest.

PONZI READY FOR PRISON

Former "Wizard" Ready to Take **Medicine After Dodging**

BOSTON, Feb. $15 - (\Lambda P) -$ Charles Ponzi, the "postal coupon wizard" of 1920, today declared he would "take my medicine," which was in the form of a seven to nine year imprisonment as a common and notorious thief. The sentence had been waiting for him for seven months, while he engaged in real estate business in Florida, worked as waiter on an Italian steamship in an effort to reach his native land, was arrest-ed in New Orleans by a Texas sheriff, and while he fought by every conceivable appeal to Texas his broken a second world's record courts and governors to prevent for her age and breed in the pro-his return to Massachusetts. duction of milk and butter fat.

authority of the league and at the of his work as speaker, the memsame time violate the principle of bers of the house presented equality of all nations. Speaker Carkin with a gold watch "It is to be the interest of all yesterday, and as a symbol of fur-

the navies of the world," the note ther esteem gave Mrs. Carkin a asserts, "to be associated in the beautiful silver tea set. The presentation was cleverly deliberations on such an importcarried out by Representatives M. Briand takes several occa-Lonerganand Hamilton. In the

sions to hammer home the point midst of the afternoon work Speaker Carkin was informed by

(Continued on page 2.) Mr. Hamilton that the House was very dissatisfied with his actions

as speakers and demanded that he retire in favor of the "real" speaker, Representative Gordon and

Joint Recommendation of Scnators

mittee to conduct the "real" speaker to the chair. They retired into the speaker's room and shortly returned with Mrs. Carkin, who was introduced as the "real speaker of the house

of Carkin.' Mr. and Mrs. Carkin expressed their sincere appreciation for the

PORTLAND HAS MUCH FLU 100. Cases Reported to Officers; hundred lives.

Many Others Suspected "Since President Coolidge alhealth office, with additional cases

being reported in numbers each third of the cases are being reported, many of them being classified

as colds or grippe. Eleven new cases were reported. today. With the increase in the number of cases Dr. J. Hunter

Wells, assistant health officer said that people should be more care-Judges for the Salem - Albany ful with severe colds, stay in bed, high school debate in the local keep warm and take a teaspoonhigh school auditorium next Mon- ful of soda in a glass of water day evening will be three members every two or three hours for the of the Monmouth normal school first two days of the attack. He faculty, Principal J. C. Nelson of pointed out that the danger from the disease lies in the fact that The judges at Albany the same it may develop into pneumonia or

Nation Still in Doubt About Break ing Off China Parley

LONDON, Feb. 15.-(AP)-Great Britain tonight was still without confirmation or denial of the rivers, carrying with in the sleeping occupants. newspaper dispatches of yesterday which said the negotiations at Hankow between the Cantonese Foreign Minister Eugene Chen and British Charge D'Affaires Owen

Malley had broken down. As if perhaps preparing for unfavorable news, official circles maintain that whatever the immediate fate fo the Hankow parley, the British government has for-mulated and proclaimed to the world a conclliatory policy toward China, which will stand the test

of time.

COW BREAKS RECORD

The seismological OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 15-(AP) e tonight attri The senior two year old Jersey belfer, Farleigh St. Mawesretta. as to a rupu the Adriatic, which dan nt of the three great strata der the surface of Herz

orrow money from the industri accident fund or the state way fund to carry on the affair of the state. . It is reported that a majority of the members senate are unfavorable to the tith ing bill and so its sponsors are holding it back until a more auspicious occasion. In the mean-

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SERBIAN QUAKE **KILLS HUNDREDS**

Graham were appointed as a com-JUGO-SLAVIA ROCKED ALONG COAST AND INTERIOR

> Accurate Details of Shock-Unavailable Due to Poor Communications

> > BELGRADE, Feb. 15,-(AP)ugo Slavia, along the Adriatic coast and far into the interior, was dealt deadly damage by a great earthquake Sunday, which took toll of probably several

Communications are such in the tricken territory that it is im possible to obtain an accurate loss of lives and property. Expeditions have started out from the capital and other centers of population to the afflicted regions, which include parts of Dalmatia, Bosnia and Herzgovina.

The earth shocks were felt severally as far inland as Sarajevo, but the most widespread damage occurred apparently along the

hilly territory paralleling the coast for several score miles. The shocks, which numbered 19, or 20, occurred within less than an hour during the period of darkness preceding Sunday's dawn. They rocked the land on both sides of the river Narenta, which cleaves Jugo-Slavia on the way to the sea, and both nor and south of the mouth of t

Narenta, From each village thus far has come a different story-either a to the nature of the shocks the damage done or regarding t loss of life. Some tell of the opening and swallowing up hu ings; others of houses

others relate that individuals wer buried alive by the sudden o ing and closing of the surface.

Many persons are reporte

have perished at Ragusa, Link

escaped were forced from

homes in the darkness into

Happily most of the stri

snow filled streets without

quate covering or hope of a

gions are sparsely in vertheless, it is feared

and Perkovitch.

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than first reported,