

TWO DIE WHEN BOILER OF ENGINE EXPLODES

DENVER, Dec. 22.—(U. P.)—Two men were killed and another seriously injured near Monument, Colo., yesterday when a boiler of a Santa Fe locomotive exploded, according to a report received here. J. E. Clayton, a fireman, and K. K. Hartman, head brakeman, were instantly killed and Engineer Pearson, who was perhaps fatally injured when the boiler of a Santa Fe freight locomotive exploded near Monument,

Colorado. Clayton's body was blown three car lengths from the engine, which was demolished by the explosion. The engineer had stopped the train to replace the water glass on the boiler head when the explosion occurred.

OLD BROKERAGE FIRM FAILS
NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—(A. P.)—Failure of the brokerage firm of Foster and Lounsbury was announced from the rostrum of the stock exchange yesterday. It has done business on the exchange for nearly 70 years. It is understood the firm has been an active trader in Vanadium steel, which is one of the stocks that led in the recent heavy reaction on the stock market.

WORLD'S MOST BEAUTIFUL BACK



NEW YORK—If you haven't seen Delysia's back (left), "you ain't seen nothin' yet!" Kitty Gordon (right) used to have the world's most beautiful back. But the artists here and in France and England now hand the honor to the French girl, who has come to New York with "Algar"—the colorful spectacle imported from London.

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CRUISE INTO FAR NORTH YIELDS STRANGE RELICS

NOME, Alaska, Dec. 22.—(A. P.)—Relics of an early Arctic expedition, possibly the fatal British venture of Sir John Franklin of 1845 were found by Captain Joe Bernard, Nome trader

and explorer during a recent four-year trip to strange lands far to the north. Bernard returned to Nome not long ago on his schooner the Teddy Bear.

Rare curios of many kinds, as well as the expedition relics were brought back to Nome by Bernard. The collection is believed the most extensive of its kind ever coming out of the Arctic regions and is thought to be of considerable value.

On the schooner was what Bernard described as a "human curio," Apukwana, a male member of the strange tribe of "blind Eskimo" discovered several years ago on the shores of Coronation Gulf by Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Canadian explorer. Bernard said he intended to take Apukwana to the outside world so people could see what the queer "blind Eskimo" are like.

Bernard attempted to press through the Northwest Passage and reach the Atlantic Ocean but was halted by adverse ice conditions. When he turned back from his voyage eastward, he had progressed over two-thirds of the way along the narrow body of ice-blocked water lying along the northern coast of North America between the Atlantic and the Pacific.

Much of Bernard's time while away was spent in the region between Adelaide Peninsula and the southeastern corner of Victoria Land. He left Nome on a trading expedition in the summer of 1914 and, after wintering on the way, arrived the following summer at Taylor Island, located in Victoria Strait, off Victoria Land.

He did not intend to stop at Taylor Island but was compelled to make it his headquarters when his boat became frozen in and was not cleared of the ice for two years. When he finally cleared the boat, in 1919 he proceeded on his way but got only to the Kagrook River on Coronation Gulf when he was frozen in again. During the winter of 1919-20 he visited King William Land and adjacent sections.

Last summer Bernard decided to return to the outside world and turned about and headed for Herschel Island, Cape Barrow and Nome. Weather conditions were good and he made the run before the ice closed in for the winter.

Aboard the Teddy Bear was a large collection of furs for which Bernard had traded while in the north.

DISCOVERER OF RICH CLAIM NOW IN NEED

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Dec. 22.—(A. P.)—Winfield Oler, who in the stampede days of '98 discovered claim No. 29 on Eldorado Creek, one of the richest strikes made in the Dawson country, left here recently for the Alaska Pioneer's Home at Sitka, Alaska, broken in health and being helped by friends.

Soon after his discovery, Oler, not guessing the value of his claim, sold it to a man named Charlie Anderson. Oler believed he was getting the best of Anderson on the deal. Anderson thought so, too, and tried but failed to get his money back from Oler after the deal was closed. Later Anderson took a fortune from the claim.

CONSTRUCTION OF LEGION SHRINE CENTRALIA PLAN

CENTRALIA, Wash., Dec. 22.—(A. P.)—Plans are being made for construction here of what is expected to become an American Legion Shrine—a building dedicated to the memory of four Legion men killed by allied industrial workers of the World during an Armistice Day parade last year. American Legion posts in various parts of the country have asked that they be allowed to help in raising the \$500,000 needed to erect the structure, officers of the local post have announced.

The building, according to plans decided upon, will contain a memorial hall, a museum for war relics, Legion club rooms and an auditorium.

TWO STATES ORDERED TO INCREASE RATES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(A. P.)—State railway commissions of Arkansas and Minnesota have been ordered by the interstate commerce commission to increase state passenger rates and excess luggage charges to the level now prevailing in interstate commerce. The commission held that the present charges in the two states amounted to a discrimination against interstate traffic.

Both Arkansas and Minnesota are numbered among the 17 states who refused to grant a 20 per cent increase in passenger fares last August to conform with the increase in interstate traffic, and the decisions today mark the first action to be taken by the commission since hearings were given seven states here recently. The commission previously ruled against the state commissions of New York and Wisconsin and those cases are now pending.

FURNITURE PRICES LOWER

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Dec. 22.—(U. P.)—Furniture prices throughout the country should range a third lower than they were six months ago, Edward Showers, reputed to be the nation's largest manufacturer of household furniture, said.

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