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CALIFORNIA LETS HIGHWAY CONTRACTS FOR EIGHTY MILES

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 28.—Bids for the construction of approximately 77.9 miles of roadway, the estimated cost of which is \$970,000, were opened by the state highway commission late yesterday afternoon.

The bids call for road building in Santa Clara, Solano, Kern, Marin, Tulare, Colusa, Los Angeles and Humboldt counties, and the lowest submitted were as follows: Santa Clara county, Gilroy to Sargent, six miles of Portland cement concrete—H. L. Peterson and A. J. Grier, San Francisco, \$40,887.50; state engineer's estimate \$40,223 plus \$27,833.50 in materials furnished by the state, Fred Leffler, San Francisco, \$57,865.

Solano Work Figured Solano county, Benicia toward Cordelia, nine miles, cement concrete—Commercy-Peterson company, San Francisco, \$56,410; state engineer's estimate on construction cost, \$62,215 plus \$45,668.21 in materials furnished by state.

Solano county, Fairfield to Vacaville, 8.8 miles, cement concrete—Commercy-Peterson company, San Francisco \$49,571.70; state engineer's estimate, \$61,702.12 plus \$39,292.60 cost of material to be furnished by state.

Kern county, Bakersfield north for 13 miles, cement concrete—John D. Marsh, Los Angeles, \$72,282.70; state engineer's estimate, \$76,796.25 plus \$76,912.50 in materials to be furnished by the state.

Marin county, Larkspur to Sausalito, six miles graded gravel—O'Brien Brothers, Oakland, \$53,395; state engineer's estimate, \$60,775.25 plus \$11,368.10, cost of materials to be furnished by state.

Tulare county, Tulare to Tagus Siding, 4.3 miles, cement concrete—Parlieu-Higdon company, Tulare, \$21,861.90; state engineer's estimate, \$19,549.43 plus \$21,006.90 cost of material to be furnished by state.

Colusa Bids Colusa county, Hirschspr to Berlin, 10.8 miles, cement concrete—C. L. Schaad, Williams, \$54,905.50.

Los Angeles county, Liebre Mountain to northerly county boundary, 12.7 miles, cement concrete—Lee Moore, Caliente, \$153,019.10; state engineer's estimate, \$202,366.81 plus \$44,306.90 cost of materials to be furnished by state.

Humboldt county, Dyerville to Shively, 7.3 miles—William Crowley and Thomas E. Conley, Eureka, \$66,611.40.

VACATION. Vacation is here. And what shall I do. Through the long summer days, With skies of blue.

I shall wander down by the little brook, And take my fishing pole and hook And fish for the trout as they scamper by. But alas! alas! not one to fry. I'll tell you boys when it comes to fun, There's nothing like taking your trusty gun For a hunt in the woods or a stroll by the brook This will make you forget all your troubles and books. By Eugene Thomas, age ten years, grade 4-A, Washington school, teacher, Miss Clayville.

Notice D. of P. Members of Weatouka Council No. 29, are requested to be present Friday evening, the 29th, for initiation and nominations of new officers. MARGARET GARDNER, K. of R.

FIRST BIG PICTURE IN LONDON'S ROYAL ACADEMY



A VERY GALLANT GENTLEMAN—THE HEROIC END OF CAPTAIN OATES MADE THE SUBJECT OF AN ACADEMY PICTURE.

One of the big pictures in this year's Royal Academy (London) is that by Mr. J. C. Dolman representing the most heroic act in the tragic story of the Scott expedition. The title is amplified as follows:—"Captain I. E. G. Oates, Inniskilling Dragoons, who willingly walked to his death in a blizzard, to try to save his comrades, beset by hardship." Captain Oates, it will be remembered, left the others during the return from the South Pole, in the hope that they would be able to reach safety when no longer hampered by a disabled man.

POPE CONFERS RED HATS UPON NEW CARDINALS

ROME, May 28.—The public consistory at the vatican at which the red hat was conferred on those now in Rome of the thirteen new cardinals created on Monday, was held today and was attended by several thousand persons, most of whom were Americans and other foreigners. A special mission will be sent to take the berettas to the absent cardinals, as was done in the case of Cardinal Gibbons.

The ceremony attracted much attention outside the vatican, the public watching the departure of each cardinal from his residence to go to the Apostolic palace.

The papal procession and the ceremony were conducted with great pomp. The passage of the pontiff, surrounded and followed by many ecclesiastic, military and civil dignitaries, was most spectacular.

After the consistory the cardinals, both old and new, gathered in the Sistine chapel to return thanks and then met in the consistory hall, where Pius X bestowed the cardinal's ring, granted them the privileges of their position and named their titular churches.

5000 MEN BUILDING CANADIAN RAILROAD

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 28.—Five thousand five hundred men are engaged in construction work along the different sections of the Pacific Great Eastern railway route between Vancouver and Fort George, it was stated at the local office of the Pacific Great Eastern today. Of these, 2100 are between Squamish and Lillooet, 1100 on the section between Lillooet and Kelly Lake, 500 on the next division to Horse Lake summit, and 1500 on the succeeding section to Fort George. On the north shore a force of 300 men is engaged in the Horseshoe Bay extension from Dundarave.

Recent progress reports show that the Squamish-Lillooet section has been vastly improved.

The railway builders are concentrating their forces on the rough portion of the line so that the rails may be laid north to Lillooet.

RAYMOND FISH WINS TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

The local high school tennis tournament was held yesterday after being postponed three different times on account of the rain. Raymond Fish, who last year won first honors in the boy's singles, again won first place with Pelouze second.

Helen Lydiard won first place in the girl's singles with Lorraine Cowgill second.

Fish and Seely won from Ray and Pelouze in the doubles and Helen Lydiard and Lorraine Cowgill defeated Gladys Wilson and Louise Daddysman in the girl's doubles.

In the mixed doubles Helen Lydiard and Charles Ray took with first honors winning from Lorraine Cowgill and Robert Pelouze by a slim margin.

Prizes were given by different hands of the city. The most throughout was close and exciting.

MILITIA OFFICER ADMITS CONSULTING WITH ROCKEFELLER

NEW YORK, May 28.—The federal troops could now be withdrawn from Colorado without danger, according to testimony given today by Major Edward J. Boughton, judge advocate of the Colorado military district, before the federal commission on industrial relations in session here.

Major Boughton said he had been sent by Governor Ammons and by his own commanding officer of the Colorado National Guard to enlighten public opinion, "which had been inflamed by press reports."

He was chairman of the military committee appointed by Governor Ammons to investigate the conduct of the National Guard at Ludlow. The witness said it was his opinion the mine owners had yielded to the strikers in every demand except the recognition of the union; that the mine-workers had received fair treatment at the hands of the employers.

Major Boughton admitted that since he has been in New York he had been in conference at 26 Broadway, Standard Oil headquarters, and that he had not seen any representative of the mine-workers in this city. Attempts were made by A. B. Garretson, of the commission, to show that the major favored the mining interests and had not concerned himself sufficiently with the other elements in the dispute.

Major Boughton had hardly left the stand when Judge Lindsey, who came to New York in the hope of discussing the strike situation with John D. Rockefeller, Jr., jumped to his feet and declared that a great many statements of the witness were entirely false. The judge was thereupon asked to take the stand.

"The situation in Colorado is now bigger than a strike," he said. "The outbreak there is merely a local symptom of wider disorder."

Judge Lindsey said that 500 children in Colorado mines had been made orphans by explosion that result from carelessness and failure to install ordinary safety appliances.

The witness then recited a number of incidents, which, he said, had led inevitably to the final protest of the mine workers.

"There are no more lawless public corporations in the country than in Colorado," he said.

"E. A. Colburn, president of the Mine-Owners' association, is also president of Children's Aid society," continued judge Lindsey dryly. "He has been one of the most bitter opponents of the passage of child labor laws."

"Colorado," said judge Lindsey, "has perfected the science of corrupting men. Its judges, its supreme court judges, are owned like office boys. Its lawyers, its business men, all are owned. There are, of course, fearless men, but they have paid a heavy sacrifice for their fearlessness."

SUFFRAGETTES GET BLAME FOR BOMB

LONDON, May 28.—A bomb filled with gunpowder, gelatine and iron bolts was found today in the freight car of a train at Wellingborough. The missile is believed by the authorities to have been placed there by suffragettes.

DAMAGE CASE AGAINST EX-SHERIFF TRIED NEXT WEEK

Echoes of the Nathan Rogoway murder mystery, partially solved by the confession of Fred Parker, alias Seymour, hanged last winter with Mike Spanos for the murder of Geo. Dedaskalous in this city September 22, 1912, will be revived, when the suit of L. H. Wheeler of Marshfield against former Sheriff Wilbur Jones for \$10,000 for alleged false imprisonment, is called next week in the circuit court. Wheeler was arrested as a suspect. The routine in connection with the suit has been finished.

Wheeler bases his action upon the allegation that his arrest was unjust and caused great humiliation and damage to character. After being held for a day he was released. The action of the sheriff's office was taken upon instructions and a warrant from then Prosecutor R. F. Mulkey, who will appear as attorney for Wilbur Jones, and also as a witness. The suit has been hanging fire in the court for over a year.

In one of his confessions while at the state prison, Parker admitted he deceived Rogoway, who was an Albany hide buyer, to a lonely spot near Kingsbury Springs, and killed him. This was in October, and the body was discovered the next spring. The exact story of the crime was never unearthed, several suspects being under surveillance for weeks.

The confession of Parker will form part of the evidence introduced, and many local and Ashland citizens will be called as witnesses.

PANAMA SHAKEN BY SEVERE EARTHQUAKE

COLON, Panama, May 28.—No damage is reported from the severe earthquake which occurred last evening at about half past ten. Virtually the entire city is composed of wooden frame houses, which rocked during the quake. The shock lasted about 25 seconds. Thousands of the terrified inhabitants fled from their houses into the open air. The duration of the earthquake was unprecedented.

SCHOOL EXERCISES FOR YEAR TO BE HELD FRIDAY

The schools of the city will close Friday. Exercises will be given in the grammar grades and the graduating exercises of the senior class will be held at the Page theatre. Fifty-six pupils graduate from the grammar schools. From the Washington school there will be thirty-four. From the Lincoln school two will graduate out of a class of twenty-three.

For three consecutive years not one has failed in the Washington school thus establishing a record for grammar schools. Prof. Daily has charge of the school.

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HUERTA'S NIECE TO RETURN TO MEXICO

PASADENA, Cal., May 28.—In spite of the troubles that beset their uncle, General Victoriano Huerta, Misses Virginia and Dolores Huerta, attending school here, are preparing to return to their home at San Luis de la Puy, near Mexico City. The presence of the Mexican dictator's nieces here was unknown outside of the school until Miss Virginia published a story in the school paper. The two girls received a letter from their father recently which said he would arrive soon to take them home.

SIX PROSTRATIONS FROM HEAT IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 28.—The weather in New York today was hot but not as hot as yesterday. Up to noon no deaths attributable to the heat had been reported. At 1 p. m. the mercury stood at 83 degrees, compared with 90 at the same time yesterday. There were half a dozen prostrations.

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WINSTON CHURCHILL STEERS AN AEROPLANE

SALISBURY, England, May 28.—The first lord of the British admiralty, Winston S. Churchill, accomplished today the first series of tests required in order to obtain an air pilot's certificate. Mr. Churchill, at the steering apparatus of a naval aeroplane, rose at Netheravon, and after a flight over Salisbury Plain, landed with ease in the Yeomanry camp.

NO WOMAN SHOT SAYS JUDGE ADVOCATE

NEW YORK, May 28.—Edward J. Boughton, judge advocate of the

STAR THEATRE

TODAY THE REFRIGERATOR CAR'S CAPTIVE Two reel Kalem railroad story. MRS. ROMANA'S SCENARIO Edison Comedy WHEN THIEVES FALL OUT Drama MISSING TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS Edison Farce Comedy WINKLEY & HENSELMAN Music Coming Friday and Saturday—DUSTIN FARNUM in THE SQUAW MAN Admission 10 cents

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military district of Colorado, testifying today before the federal commission on industrial relations, said that "statements to the effect that women and children were shot in Ludlow are not true."

There was no such thing as the Ludlow massacre," he continued. "Nobody was killed or burned except a small child, who was shot, it appeared, not by the troops of the state, but as a result of his own carelessness."

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