

1-HOUR COUNT SHOWS DANGER TO PEDESTRIAN

63 Deliberate Violations of Traffic Laws Noted in Sixty Minutes

BUSY CORNER CHECKED

Irresponsible Drivers to Be Weeded Out by S. F. Police; War Is On

Thirteen machines cut the corner of Grant avenue and Sutter street and fifty turned without signaling, between 12:45 and 2 o'clock yesterday. With these figures, which were taken on the spot, as an average, it multiplies out that over 100 automobiles cut one of the busiest downtown corners every day.

The traffic squad of the San Francisco Police Department has declared war on these drivers, who, in a supposed effort to gain time or distance, neglect their responsibilities so much as to cut or turn a corner without signaling or blowing their horn.

COPS AT A LOSS

When a member of the traffic squad was asked by a reporter from The Chronicle for a good location to watch and take down the numbers of cars cutting corners he was unable to make any suggestions, for, he said, every corner in San Francisco where there was no visible officer was cut equally as much as any other.

There was no distinction between machines that "cut" and others. "Cutters" included a United States army machine, a great number of chauffeur-driven machines, Fords, trucks and a wagon belonging to the Merchants Express Company. Machines that turned without blowing their horns or signaling included a public service car, 10121, a machine with a star before its number, 255, an exempt number, 748, and another public service, 8191. Exactly forty-six others failed to blow their horn or signal in turning. Peculiarly, these machines that endangered pedestrians and themselves in the way of turning, were also violating the law in another matter—speeding. The greater number of them crossed the street at speeds different from those they would have driven within sight of a browncoat.

MANY ACCIDENTS

Buffalo Bill, veteran newsdealer with a stand at the corner, was much interested in the census. He is there every day and had many stories of accidents and traffic jams which resulted from cutting corners to tell of. One incident that happened scarce a week ago was where a machine, cut inside of a car, careened and sidestepped into a fruit wagon, and knocked a little baby of three or four over by the impact, cutting her lip and chin. The driver backed his car out of the curb and drove on.


The license numbers of the cars that cut the corner of Grant avenue and Sutter between 1:15 and 2:45 yesterday afternoon are:

- 75,047, 101,103, 112,297 U. S. A.
 - 510,070, 547,949, 550,088, 554,673,
 - 570,225, 570,351, 584,295, 605,044,
 - 609,051, 675,833, Merchants Express wagon.
- The license numbers of machines cutting the same corner within the same hour and not signaling or blowing their horn follow. The majority were exceeding the speed limit.
- 608236C, 10121P, 578857, 580563,
 - 244, 582362, 592761, 1218, 544923, 69,
 - 54221, 590641, 743E, 522302, 590514,
 - 61241, 607158, Bulletin, 549087, 543-
 - 225, 54126, 594282, 6195, 571523,
 - 27542, 502225C, 597093, 535393, 543
 - 600, 591190, 590072, 572398, 551617, 564
 - 768, 610582, 609507, 594019, 11236, 613-
 - 015, 583201, 50790, 546641, 600080,
 - 607853, 607117, 594024, 546212.

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Quartet of Chinese Girls Here to Take Course at U. C.



Four Chinese misses arrived in San Francisco yesterday from the Orient to perfect their education as teachers. They are (left to right): The Misses K. Y. Kiang, M. L. How, Y. F. Wu and Y. T. Zue.

American Standards of Education Lauded by Young Oriental Students of U. S. Teaching Methods

The advancement in China has concerned the women as well as the men, say the four Chinese education seekers, Misses K. Y. Kiang, M. L. How, Y. F. Wu and Y. T. Zue, who arrived here yesterday on the steamer President Wilson, from the Orient. All four of the young women are Chinese-born, but American educated, and come from families prominent in educational circles of the Republic of China.

California Knights To Initiate Sixty

Sixty candidates will be initiated into the second and third degrees by California Council, Knights of Columbus, tonight, in Santa Maria hall, K. of C. building. Supreme Warden David F. Suplee of this city will confer the third degree, assisted by the state degrees team. Another class will be initiated into the second and third degrees by California Council, Sunday afternoon, August 27.

S. F. Crowds Plan to Attend Big Confab

Thousands of San Franciscans, members of the Young Men's Institute and of the Young Ladies' Institute, will leave for Stockton this afternoon by the Western Pacific for the annual convention of both organizations. The Western Pacific will run as many sections of the two big special trains provided for as are necessary to handle the crowd.

SHUN WORLD'S LABOR LEAGUE, URGES EXPERT

Commonwealth Club Told U. S. and European View-Points Are Incompatible

"Economic circumstances in America are so different from those of European countries, and our philosophies are so incompatible with those of the Old World, that this country should hesitate a long time before joining any world industrial association, such as the International Labor Organization of the League of Nations," said Magnus W. Alexander, managing director of the National Industrial Conference Board of New York, addressing the Commonwealth Club at its luncheon in the Palace Hotel yesterday. He continued:

"Through an inaccurate impression that European countries have of the United States, propagandists have been sent over here to preach the doctrines of this organization, which is a survival of the Internationalism, and to make an effort to interest the working people of this country toward making the United States a member of the International Labor Organization, even if this country never intends to join the League of Nations. The reason for this biased impression is that they are unable to comprehend our philosophy of individual exaltation, as contrasted to their own ideal of exaltation of state. Because of this mistaken idea, I have read in newspapers of many of the Continental nations criticisms of our culture and statements that our economic situation is much the same as in the period of feudalism."

Bernard P. Lamb New Park Body Secretary

Captain Bernard P. Lamb was appointed yesterday by the Park Commissioners to serve as secretary to the board, succeeding James de Specca, who retired after twenty years' service in the position. Captain Lamb has achieved success as a member of the Junior R. O. T. C. staff in San Francisco, and particularly for his work among the students of the Polytechnic High School. He graduated from West Point with the class of 1913, had charge of the quartermaster's department at the Presidio during the latter part of the late war and is prominent in American Legion circles.

Woman Found Dead On Floor by Husband

Returning from a trip yesterday morning Captain George Goodell, master of the river steamer Port Sutter, found his wife lying dead on the floor in the front room of their home at 1254 Third avenue. The dead woman is Mrs. Elizabeth Goodell, 57 years of age. The cause of her death was attributed to heart trouble and it is believed that she probably was stricken while alone in the house the night before. The body was taken to the Morgue where an autopsy will be held to determine the exact cause of death. Captain Goodell is grief-stricken over his bereavement.

RUM SALESMEN PAY U. S. \$7750 IN 47 MINUTES

More Than \$100,000 in Fines Collected During 10 Days' Volstead Cleanup

Forty-seven minutes of the court's time consumed; thirty-seven liquor handlers consuming it; \$7750 in fines collected by the United States, the consummation.

That was the unequaled record made yesterday by Federal Judge Frank H. Rudkin when, closing the cleanup that he had been conducting for ten days, he had before him a class of Volstead violators that were given the fastest examination and graduation of any similar class experienced since Volstead's famous amendment to the constitution became "effective" within the confines of the commonwealth of California.

TOTAL \$100,000 The fine collection, with yesterday's added, amounted to \$77,255, according to figures given out by Lyle S. Morris, deputy United States District Court clerk for the ten days, with a total of 318 cases disposed of. With bond forfeitures, according to Morris, the total for the ten days undoubtedly will exceed \$100,000.

Assistant United States Attorney Kenneth M. Green, in charge of Volstead prosecutions, heaved a sigh of relief at court adjournment yesterday. Green stated that during the visit here of Judge Rudkin every old case on the calendar was cleaned up. Many of the cases had been pending since the advent of national prohibition, January 16, 1920.

Aside from the 818 cases cleaned up with yesterday's procedure, more than 450 cases were dismissed for want of evidence. Most of those were commissioners' cases.

RECORD CALENDAR

Had the defendants in liquor cases elected to go to trial, according to Green, it would have taken more than five years to have heard the calendar disposed of by Judge Rudkin during the last ten days. Of all the defendants who appeared before Judge Rudkin only one went to jail. He was Edward Martin, 485 Moscow street, indicted on a charge of operating two 50-gallon stills and possessing 400 gallons of mash, together with huge quantities of bootleg paraphernalia, including many gallons of imitation liquors, coloring, extracts and the like. Martin was yesterday given a ten days' stay of execution.

Tubercular Kiddies Class Established

A class for the tubercular children in San Francisco Hospital has been established by the Board of Education, it was announced yesterday, with Miss Jane Seymour Klink in charge. The instruction will be the same as that provided in the public schools, and the work will be under the jurisdiction of the Board of Education. In making the announcement regarding the class yesterday, the Board of Education said it considers the hospital class a most important step forward in education.

Three additional teachers were appointed and signed yesterday, as follows: Miss Leila Haisell, to teach in the Ethan Allen school; George Mitchell, industrial education department; and Miss Helen Bean, Daniel Webster, Evening school.

Japanese Dolls Used to Smuggle Liquor, Says Woman



Mrs. A. H. Douglas, in from the Orient, who tells how Japanese toys serve to quench throats parched for alcoholic stimulants.

Little Playthings Capable of Carrying From Pint to Quart, Asserts Traveler

Travelers from the Far East landing in United States Pacific ports are using Japanese "dolls" in smuggling whisky, according to Mrs. A. H. Douglas, wife of Commander Douglas of the U. S. S. Huron, who arrived here yesterday from Shanghai on the Pacific Mail liner President Wilson. The "dolls" are dressed in the many colors of the Orient and the manufacturers of the toys place an inside receptacle in them, capable of holding from a pint to a quart.

Under the very nose of the custom sleuths passengers have been stepping lightly down the gangways of transpacific liners for many months, clutching in fond embrace a "doll" with the unmistakable stamp of the Orient. How was the poor, unsuspecting custom sleuth to know that while he was on the lookout for transgressors of the

eighteenth amendment, innocent-looking female travelers with "dolls" were passing port regulations "well heeled." Until the exposure of Mrs. Douglas yesterday many "dolls" have been carried ashore by fair passengers.

Mrs. Douglas has been in the Orient for the last six months with her husband, who is detailed with Admiral Strauss' Asiatic fleet. Accompanying Mrs. Douglas was her 3-year-old son, James. Mrs. Douglas plans to remain here until October. She will make her home with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Russell, 19625 Pontiac street, San Leandro.

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HOTEL HEADS PLAN TO SHIFT TRAVEL ROUTES

Pacific Northwest to Seek Diversion of Tourists This Fall

Plans for a regularly established "auto hotel tour" of the wonder spots in the Pacific Northwest and Northern California, were outlined yesterday by Thomas J. Coleman, manager of the Hotel St. Francis, who has just returned from a flying trip through the Yellowstone, Glacier and Yosemite National parks.

Coleman stated that it is the intention of hotel men whom he visited to establish a co-operative plan by which railroads and tourist agencies will route tourists through the parks and scenic spots of the North, instead of selling round-trip tickets to Southern California.

"By this method," he declared, "tourists who heretofore have only seen one part of the great West will be enabled to visit the scenic grandeur of the Northwest."

Harry W. Child, manager of the Yellowstone National Park, Coleman said, proposes the following tentative itinerary: Glacier National Park, Yellowstone National Park, Banff, Lake Louise, Spokane, Seattle, Portland, Sacramento, Lake Tahoe, the Yosemite, Del Monte, Santa Barbara, San Francisco, Los Angeles and the Grand Canyon.

Before the season closes, Coleman predicts that at least 250,000 tourists will leave the Eastern cities for the Pacific Coast and plans are under way, he said, to assist them in seeing the natural wonders of the whole region.

NARCOTIC PEDDLER SENTENCED

William Reagan, alleged narcotic peddler, convicted by a jury before Superior Judge Louis H. Ward several days ago, yesterday was given an indeterminate sentence in San Quentin. Judge Ward spurned the defendant's plea for probation, declaring that he would show no leniency to narcotic peddlers. Reagan pleaded that his wife was an addict and that he had purchased the contraband for her.

LONDON AMAZED

William Couze, the famous French psychologist, has stirred London. His lecture on "Self Mastery" is the talk of the hour. Dr. Gordon will tell about it on Sunday at 11 a. m. when he speaks on "THE MIND OF THE SUBCONSCIOUS." 2000 copies of his book on "Nerve Control" will be distributed. Famous vocalists will sing. See Church Column for evening program. First Congregational Church, Post and Mason.—Advertisement.

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