

Corps Area, and the judges.  
A committee in charge of arrangements includes Col. C. A. Lawrence, instructor of military science and strategy at the high school; Sgt. Dale Frazier, his assistant; Chester H. Miller, in charge of physical training; John Kafka, musical director; Earl Shriver, statistical officer.

### Double Slayer Suicides

LOS ANGELES, May 11.—(AP)—scheduled to go to trial Thursday for murder, Frederick Ferguson, 39, musician, died yesterday of self-inflicted bullet wounds. He was hanged with slaying his wife, Anna, 30, and her mother, Mrs. Catherine Conklin, March 20.

Hours, 9:50 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.



"The bride and groom departed from the church in an Army jeep." At least that's the way the society page notice should read in the case of Corp. Howard Schlerach, 20, and his bride, the former Miss Doris Hatten, 19, of 2656 Webster Street. After the marriage at St. Vincent de Paul's Church yesterday, they were whisked away in an Army jeep which trailed the traditional throng. —Tribune photo.

### S.F. Strives to Avert Streekar Strike

San Francisco city officials, fighting against time as a threatened strike was postponed for 24 hours, today sought means with which to provide wage increases for 900 employees of the Municipal Railway System.

Meetings of the Public Utilities and Civil Service Commissions were scheduled to consider methods of raising the pay of conductors and motormen from \$6 to \$7 a day and speeding these proposals on to the Board of Supervisors.

The board must take preliminary action today if the wage boosts are to be made a part of the 1942-43 budget.

The carmen, members of a local of the A.F.L. Antagonized Association of Street Railway and Motor Coach Employees, first had planned to strike last night if their demands were not granted by then.

However, at a conference called by Federal Labor Conciliator Andrew Gallagher, they received assurances from the city that their request was felt to be justified and they agreed to postpone the strike call for 24 hours.

The principal problem confronting the city government as it delved into the wage question today was whether the increases could be allowed without running counter to provisions of the municipal charter or without raising objections from unions representing other branches of the city service.

City Atty. John J. O'Toole was understood to be preparing alternate proposals, each designed to overcome at least one of the difficulties.

### 3 Mothers Speak On Radio Program

A Protestant, a Catholic and a Jewish mother with sons in the armed forces, spoke last night in a Mothers Day broadcast sponsored by the Eastbay Interfaith Fellowship.

Mrs. Henry Metcalf of the First Methodist Church, Mrs. Charles Carroll of St. Elizabeth's and Mrs. Sam Hillman of Temple Beth Abraham discussed "Mothers In Wartime." Mrs. Metcalf stressed the need for sending "our boys away with encouragement and a smile. We expect them to be brave," she added, "and they can expect us to be brave, too." She said that in letters to their boys "the mothers should send them good cheer and the warmth they expect."

Mrs. Carroll warned that prejudices will weaken the Nation from within and appealed for unity in the total war against the Axis. Mrs. Hillman stressed that a total war must be won at home as well as on the battlefield and expressed determination of American women to work harder and prepare themselves and their children to face whatever may come. "We want this partnership and unity to go on when peace comes, too, so that our sons may return from war to find a finer democracy for all men," she concluded.

Ward B. Kammerer, president of the Interfaith group, said the broadcast gave the answer of the mothers of America to the Axis voices of discord.

### Oaklander Elected Head of Fuel Dealers

H. S. Slung of Oakland was elected president of the California Retail Fuel Dealers' Association as a two-day convention concluded in San Jose yesterday. He succeeds Otto E. Asman of Berkeley. Other officers are H. B. Richey of Santa Cruz, Cliff Horrell of Sacramento and T. J. Woodworth of Los Altos, vice-presidents, and J. B. Muir of Oakland, secretary.

### F.B.I. HUNTS MAN WHO SHOT GUARD

Federal Bureau of Investigation agents aided other authorities today in a search for a possible saboteur who wounded Wilbur H. Martin, 35, special guard at the Moore Drydock Company, and then fled in a hail of gunfire.

Martin, who lives at 1419 Sunshine Court, suffered a superficial gunshot wound in the left leg. He was taken to Providence Hospital and then released.

He told his superiors that he fired two shots at the man, who was skulking near a lumber pile at the foot of Fallon Street, but was not certain whether they took effect.

Martin was guarding the freighter Golden Eagle early yesterday when he saw the dim outline of a man near the lumber pile. His challenge went unanswered.

Martin left the ship and approached the man. As he did, the man opened fire. The first shot missed. The second grazed Martin's leg.

As the intruder began to run, Martin opened fire. This was about 5:15 a.m., he said.

Oakland police and U.S. Customs and Coast guardsmen aided in surrounding the area but the man slipped through the cordon.

Martin said he was a former guard at Alcatraz and McNeil Island Federal penitentiaries.

### Defense Council Called

Governor Olson today called the State Defense Council into meeting at San Francisco Monday and Tuesday, May 18-19. He said reports from each of the council's committees and subcommittees would be received at that time.

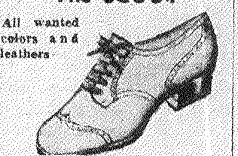
### Key Seeks 40-Minute Headway on 'F' Line

Permission to operate trains on a 40-minute headway at night and on Sundays over the P-Shuttuck Avenue line in Berkeley was sought today by the Key System in an application filed with the State Railroad Commission.

Trains have been operating on a 20-minute headway since replacing busses on the line at night and on Sundays. When permission was granted last month to run only trains on the line, the commission ruled that the 20-minute headway must be maintained.

With the application the Key System filed a traffic count showing the passengers carried at night and on Sundays. The company said it could handle all the passengers, providing seats for each, if operating on a 40-minute headway.

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...the democratic is at least an attempt, even to live in justice and good hand of God is upon us. I escape Him. We have tried ways than His and failed."

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Although men succeed in the fundamental claim of good will as the way of concept, the speaker said, it is the rule of justice. "Men try to escape it or 'learning' of knowledge, the spirit as the way of concept, the speaker said, it is the rule of justice. In the devotion of sacrifice, the world goes forward to reach a decent life. The saint alike must give. Today is being saved only twice. It is no plus-phrasing fact. Life, death have their sacrifice. The Christian, the saving power of Christ lies on Calvary is only the of an eternal process in the We try to escape to find our way. God lays his hand on us and we fall."

Bishop Parsons told graduates "we never succeed fully in free of the glowing, prodigious demand of the high, if noble."

"We try," he admitted. "We rather be a Caesar than a We flee to all sorts of money, pleasure, power, but that insistent and inescapable is upon us. We may say, 'I cannot escape. God lays his upon us. He is ultimately capable.'"

**GLADE CEREMONIES**

Yesterday's Faculty Glade monies were presided over by N. Slaughter, graduating senior president of the California while Rev. Fred S. Stripp, a fo A.S.U.C. president, gave invocation. The University Chorus was in selections.

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