

THE MARCO MAINA ESTATE.

HOW JUDGE JOHNSON DIRECTS ITS DISTRIBUTION.

Legacies Intended for Churches Set Aside to Two of His Relatives.

Judge Johnson yesterday rendered his decision on the application for the distribution of the estate of Marco Maina, deceased, which upsets some of the calculations of the testator at the time he made the will.

After disposing of the questions relating to the portions of the estate from which the debts, etc., should be paid, the court takes up the matter of the death of Tonina Grubeshich, deceased's sister, which occurred subsequent to the execution of the will and prior to the death of the testator. It was contended by another sister that the bequest to Tonina Grubeshich did not extend to her four children, but Judge Johnson holds that it does.

Maina's will provided for the distribution of \$4,000 equally between "the Catholic Church of Sacramento" and St. Joseph's Convent, but these bequests the court declares to be void, as also one of \$1,000 to "the Catholic Church of Budua, Austria," and \$500 to the Greek Church of that place.

"There is no evidence before me," says the court, "that the two churches in Austria have any existence whatever, and the bequests to them are void, because of uncertainty."

The legacy to "the Catholic Church of Sacramento" is declared void because there is no such corporation, whereas there was but one when the will was executed. "Donations of this kind must specify," says the court, "where the church is unincorporated, some particular person as a donee—that is, the Bishop, the Board of Trustees, or to the members thereof—that is, to some one that is definite and certain."

As to the legacy of \$2,000 to St. Joseph's Convent, the court finds it void because there is no such corporation. "There is a convent in Sacramento by that name," Judge Johnson says. "It is conducted by a society of the Sisters of Mercy, but unfortunately they have incorporated themselves under an entirely different name—the Sisters of Mercy of Sacramento. There is nothing in the will by which we can infer that they were intended by the testator. The bequest must fall for the same reasons that apply to the churches."

The court decides, therefore, that whatever is left of the proceeds of the property at Third and J streets must go to the sister and sister-in-law of the deceased, share and share alike. The decision concludes: "The I-street property should go to Mary Rippon and Jennie Souther, as indicated by the will. They will be entitled to the rents from the date of testator's death, the property, however, to bear the burden of taxes, assessments, repairs, and insurance from that time."

"The property designated in this opinion as the Third and J street property should go—an undivided one-half to Angelina Manicovich, an undivided one-half to the children of Tonina Grubeshich, together with the rents from testator's death, subject, however, to the sums paid for taxes, assessments, repairs and insurance on it."

COMING OF BRYAN.

The Populist-Democratic Idol to Arrive This Morning. It was expected that W. J. Bryan, who is touring the continent in his training for the next Presidential campaign, would reach Sacramento at 5:40 o'clock this morning, but the trains are all more or less delayed in consequence of the pressure of travel caused by the thousands of Christian Endeavor delegates who are crossing the continent.

At Superintendent Wright's office it was stated last night that the regular train by which Mr. Bryan is traveling would probably not reach this city before 8 o'clock this morning.

Committees from the Iroquois Clubs of this city and Stockton and from the Democratic State Central Committee will meet Mr. Bryan on his arrival and escort him to the Golden Eagle Hotel, where he will rest for a short time and then depart for Stockton.

The Pullman car "Roseburg," which has been reserved by the local Iroquois Club for his use and in which he will travel southward from here, was in the Southern Pacific Company's yards all day yesterday and was visited by many persons who desired to see the artistic floral decorations arranged by the ladies who had the matter in hand.

The car, which is of the latest improved pattern, is a veritable mass of rare exotics, and many of the combinations show genuine artistic skill.

Articles of Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation were yesterday filed in the office of the Secretary of State as follows:

Pickwick Club. Formed to promote social interest among its members. Principal place of business, San Diego. Directors—H. Timm, D. A. Kendall, E. V. Woodruff, J. Timm and H. A. Jones, all of San Diego. No capital stock.

Del Norte Mining Company. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—D. W. Perley, S. E. Starrett, H. G. Richmond and C. H. Fairchild, San Francisco, and J. M. Martin, Fresno. Capital stock, \$250,000, all subscribed.

Riverside County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Principal place of business, Riverside. Directors—Pauline Schermerhorn, Sarah E. Maloy, A. C. Christern, J. P. Baumgartner, S. H. Herrick, all of Riverside. No capital stock.

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Ah Gow Taken In.

Officer Wilson had been carrying about for eight months a warrant for the arrest of a Chinaman named Ah Gow for robbery. He met his man yesterday and took him in.

Ah Gow is accused of having robbed a man last fall.

McMorry sells groceries. Agent for Coronado water and Stockton sarsaparilla and iron. 531 M street. Shirt waist sets, handsomely enamelled, at Steinman's, 612 J street.

WEINSTOCK, LUBIN & CO.

Monday, July 5th, our stores will remain closed all day.

SPECIAL SALE MILLINERY TO-DAY.

We have made special preparations in our extensive Millinery Department for Saturday's business, and the following low prices on items most in demand will no doubt interest you:

ITEM 1—About 500 bunches of this season's favorite Violet Bouquet, with foliage, 5c.

ITEM 2—Violets in half gross bunches, 20c.

ITEM 3—Large Violet Bouquets, 25c each.

ITEM 4—Bunches of Roses, a very pretty hat trimming, in natural colors, such as red, yellow and pink, 18c.

ITEM 5—Large American Beauty Roses in deep natural shades of red and pink. Nothing more stylish for Leghorns and fancy dress shapes. Special price, 63c.

ITEM 6—Rose Leaf Foliage, with buds, 35c.

ITEM 7—White Sailor Hats, with ribbon band. A very pretty shape. Excellent value, 35c.

Special Displays of

Moire Ribbons in all the new colors, 25c.

All our Fine Trimmed Dress Hats at reduced prices.

Satin Lilac Sprays for children's hats at 25c.

Wide Satin Ribbons, for sashes, dress trimmings and millinery use, 15c yard.

All colors in our Plain Satin Ribbons for neckwear and hat trimmings, 12c yard.

We Offer To-day:

To-day we shall place on sale our entire line of Fancy Scrim, Snowflake and Novelty Window Curtains. They are mostly cream grounds, with beautiful colored stripes, and intended originally to sell at much higher price. We have in all about six styles at different prices. All are finished with fringes to match, and can be used for hallways, doors and window draperies. A uniform price has been made on the lot.

Sale Price, \$1 43.

Fancy New Lappet and Persian Lawns.

A new wash fabric in fancy figured Lappet Lawns ready for your inspection. White and tinted grounds printed in handsome floral designs and figures. Also white polka dots on blue or black grounds.

This is by far the prettiest line of wash goods for the price we have had this season, and to secure the best patterns make your selections at once. Price 15c yard.

Japanese Silks.

An excellent quality Japanese Silk, 20 inches wide, in red, white and blue, also in pink, green, rose, black, orange, yellow or heliotrope. Price 25c yard.

Colored Embroideries.

We have taken from stock all of our Colored Embroideries, including delicate insertions suitable for summer dresses, and reduced them to prices that we think will sell them at once, viz., 4c, 6c and 8c yard.

The colorings are choice, patterns neat, and are chiefly on white grounds.

Shirt Waists for Independence Day.

Our stock of Shirt Waists is full of interesting things in Lawns, Percalés, Dimities, Sheer Organzies, in light and dark colorings. All latest styles for summer of 1897. Prices 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1 25 to \$2.

White Skirts in duck and pique at 87c, \$1 25 and \$1 75.

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Shopping in a Department Store.

Quoted From an Article on Department Stores.

"The woman of to-day, instead of finding shopping a terror and a trial as her grandmother did under the old order of things, through the agency of the department store finds it a pleasure and a pastime, besides saving her time and trouble. She can go into one of our modern department stores and find practically anything she wants to buy. She goes from department to department, selecting what she wants. If she gets fatigued she can rest herself in the ladies' reception room, arrange her toilet in the dressing room. The use of a simple transfer card on which is noted by the different salespeople what she buys as she flits from one counter to another, economizes her time and saves her from any possible trouble or annoyance. If she finds on the arrival of the goods (and they are delivered with the utmost promptitude) that she has made any mistake in her selection, or is in any way dissatisfied with any of them, she finds no difficulty in getting them exchanged, or even getting her money back if she wants it. Everything is marked in plain figures; two prices are unknown; stocks are in abundant variety and always fresh and fashionable."

Stools for Evenings of July 4th and 5th.

Folding Canvas Camp Stools 15c, 23c and 45c each.

Men's Blue Flannel Suits for Independence Day.

All Wool Blue Flannel Suits, will not fade, made with eyelet holes so that gilt buttons may be used when desired. Coats \$4, Trousers \$2 50, Vests \$1 50. Suit complete, \$8 50.

Men's White Drilling Coats, black separable buttons, light and cool. Price 75c.

Special sale of Men's Crash Bicycle Trousers, well made. Price 80c.

Boys' Wash Coats of calicoes and seersuckers, for 12 to 16 years. To close we make the price of 5c each.

Sailor Suits for 3 to 10 Years.

Galatea Wash Sailor Suits in the most attractive patterns and colorings. Cool, comfortable and inexpensive. Prices 49c, 75c and \$1 50.

Disciples of Isaak Walton

Will find much to please and delight the enthusiast in our 1897 stock of Anglers' Supplies. The success of last year's business has encouraged us to offer still better assortments for this season.

Reels in brass and nickel plate in perhaps a dozen styles. 15c to \$5.

Fly Hooks, something extra for the money at 25c dozen. Various sizes and styles.

Superior quality Trout Flies, 35c dozen.

Carlisle Snell Hooks, 15c dozen.

Jointed Poles, 15c, 25c and 50c. The Lance Wood Poles, 90c and \$1 50. Split Bamboo Poles, \$1 50, \$2 50 and \$4 50.

Silk Fishing Lines, oiled or dressed, 25 yards for 30c. Waterproof Fishing Lines, 25 yards for 15c.

Gut Leaders, one yard, 5c; two yards, 10c.

Many, many other items in stock that we have no room to speak of here.

Souvenirs of Sacramento.

Those who visit our city and wish to carry away some souvenir of it, will be interested in the little China Plates or Trays, with colored pictures of the State Capitol, Sutter's Fort, the Cathedral and Postoffice. Edges finished with gold. Price 25c.

Colored Henriettas at 75c Yard.

Silk Finished Colored Henriettas in all the new shades, including black. These goods are very much in demand now for plaited skirts, also for house costumes. They are imported direct by us, and are very much better quality than 75c brings ordinarily. Width 46 inches.

Misses' Shoes.

Something new in Children's and Misses' Lace Shoes, made of fine soft kid with black cloth tops. Coin (or narrow rounding) toes with patent leather tips and spring heels.

Sizes 1 1/2 to 2, price \$1 50. Sizes 8 1/2 to 11, price \$1 25.

Two "Specials" in Writing Tablets.

NO. 1—The "Phantom" Tablet containing about 100 sheets of cream ruled paper, commercial note size with blotter. Special 5c.

NO. 2—The "Lily of the Lake," a beautifully decorated tablet, containing about 100 sheets of cream ruled note paper, commercial note size. Exceptionally good quality. Price 10c.

Band Concert.

Concert in our stores Saturday night by Second Infantry Band, C. A. Neale, Director.

March, "General Sheridan," Apelles Overture, "Night Wanderers," Moskau Waltz, "Sounds From Erin," Bennett Selection, "American War Songs," Bostwick Waltz, "Elsie From Chelsea," Boettger Two step, "The Merry American," Wheeler Selection, "The Cavalier," Rollinson Idyll, "The Ducky's Dream," Reeves The Latest Song, "They All Look Alike," Beyer Galop, "Windemere," Allen

Weinstock, Lubin & Co., 400-412 K Street, Sacramento.

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