

LOCAL EVENTS.

The Sudden Death of an Ailing Visitor.

He Arrives too Late to Be Benefited.

An Inquest on His Remains by the Coroner.

San Fernando Road to be Placed in Good Repair—Other Items of Considerable Interest.

Coroner Meredith held an inquest at 7 o'clock last evening at the parlors of Nicholson & Chase, on Second street, upon the body of W. F. Bemis, an elderly man who was found dead in bed yesterday morning.

Coroner Meredith telegraphed to Chief of Police T. J. Robinson, of Walla Walla, asking him to notify Bemis's friends of his death, and received the following reply, which would indicate that he had no relatives living: "Bury Bemis if he has money. All effects left, forward to Jack Daniels, Walla Walla. Signed, T. J. Robinson, Chief of Police."

SAN FERNANDO ROAD.

A Proposition to Place It in Good Repair.

The Board of Public Works took a trip yesterday to that part of Mission road that lies inside of the city limits. The Supervisors have recently repaired the road outside of the city, and it is the expressed desire of the numerous people who reside north of the city that the road inside the city be repaired, so as to give them a pleasant way into the city.

A FAMILY DIFFICULTY.

A Husband Procures the Arrest of His Wife.

Mrs. Mary Joly, wife of an Italian resident of Elmina street, was yesterday afternoon arrested by Officer Farmer on a warrant charging her with battery, but on depositing bail in the sum of \$25 for her appearance in court, she was released from custody. The complaint upon which she was arrested was sworn to by her husband, who alleges that Mrs. Joly not infrequently imbibes too freely, upon which occasions she is not averse to showing her affection for him in a boisterous and rather unpleasant manner.

A NEW PARISH.

Another Episcopal Congregation to be Formed.

A new parish of the Episcopal Church has just been organized and incorporated at the west end of the city. The boundaries of the parish are those of the Sixth ward, extending west from Washington street to Agricultural park. A lot is to be secured and a place of worship erected without delay. In the meantime the people of the parish will assemble for worship at the Baptist Memorial church, on Twenty-first street.

HELD TO ANSWER.

T. R. Long Charged with Attempted Robbery.

T. R. Long was yesterday held to answer by Justice Austin to the charge of assaulting a milkman named Archibald M. Nelms, on Central avenue, about a week ago, with intent to commit robbery, by holding him up as he was driving home, and shooting at him. Chas. Curlew, whom Long charges with complicity in the affair, also appeared before the Justice for examination, but on motion of his attorney the case was continued until this morning.

Try "Pride of the Family" soap.

Use Siddall's Yeast Cakes.

THE ELECTRIC ROAD.

What the Secretary Says About Its Plan of Work.

W. W. Manspacher, the secretary and treasurer of the Electric Rapid Transit Company of Los Angeles, says that the work of repairing and rebuilding the old line will begin at once. By June 15th it is expected that a part of the road will be in operation. By December 1st the company expects to have the whole system, twelve and a half miles in length, in operation. Sixteen new cars have been ordered from the Pullman Company, and a five-minute service will be given over the main line. Mr. Manspacher expresses the opinion that in a few years all the railway systems of the city will be operated by electricity, as it is replacing all other forms of motive power in the Eastern cities.

Baseball.

There will be a game of baseball today at 2 p. m., between the Evangeline Company and Grand opera house nine. The Evangeline Company have a good nine and a good game will be played. George K. Fortesque will play shortstop for the Evangeline Company, and Mr. James Maffett, the "Lone Fisherman," will umpire the game. Admission free.

PHYSICAL TRAINING.

OPINIONS AS TO ITS USE IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Superintendent Friesner is in Favor of Systematic Instruction—Mr. Bessing Thinks it Would be Advantageous.

Superintendent Friesner, in a conversation a day or two ago, remarked that he believed in systematic physical training in the public schools, and he thought that when the new schools are finished and the classes are running on full time, more attention should be paid to this branch of education than at present.

In order to obtain some points on physical education in the schools, a reporter yesterday visited Mr. Bessing, the master at the Los Angeles Athletic Club, and asked him what he thought of the subject.

Mr. Bessing stated that Los Angeles certainly should pay more attention to physical culture in the schools than at present. It had been tried in other cities, and had been found to be a great success. He said a system should be adopted which aims to unfold the natural and symmetrical beauty of the human body, making it fit and capable in every phase of moral to obey and carry out the will of its supreme master, the mind.

"The basic fact of education is that a child has a body as well as a mind to be developed symmetrically. This was clearly apprehended by the ancient Greeks, and until quite recently appears to have been lost sight of by those who have charge of children. Modern researchers in physiology and the laws of right living, prove that the child's body, under external and internal influences, will grow into almost any kind of shape. A glance at the people on Main and Spring streets any day, will convince anyone how poorly a large majority of the people have grown. In fact a well-formed symmetrical body is a rare exception, while one-sidedly misshapen ones are the general rule.

"There is no reason why the human body should not grow into a beautiful form except in the rarest instances. But the system of education has been confined chiefly to the intellectual faculties, and the body was neglected or left largely to chance. Distorted shapes are made by the nurture, culture imposed. To give the child a healthy, natural, well-formed, educated body, subservient to his will, is an additional step toward the complete education of the whole being. Many occupations, as well as the sedentary habits of student life, are of such a character as to distort the human body and cause a system of abnormal forms; but under a system of physical training rationally apprehended, the individual having discovered the reasons for physical perfection, forms the habit of caring for his body as a part of his life-work.

"This is an incentive which is unheeded by the person who has not been specially trained in calisthenics. This habit must come from patient and careful practice at first. To secure proper and directed by a competent instructor who employs a system that calls into exercise every group of muscles that are essential for securing graceful and elastic movements of the body.

"Girls probably, more than boys, whose opportunities for healthful play are greatly restricted in cities and towns, need calisthenic drill regularly. Bending over their lessons or music has a tendency to produce contraction of the muscles, round shoulders and narrow chests. To counteract these injurious habits formed at home and in school, the only safe remedy is physical training practiced at regular intervals.

"In most of the cities of the East a superintendent of calisthenics has been appointed. The plan there is to train the principals and teachers how to conduct the exercises, and then at convenient times to visit the school rooms and inspect the work of the teachers and pupils.

"Calisthenics are by no means as simple in their effect upon the muscular and nervous system as is generally supposed. The easy, graceful, but vigorous movement of the head, arms, trunk and legs, simple as they seem to the observer, nevertheless cause, internally, on the countless microscopic veins through which the life blood flows, and on which the good condition of health depends, shocks relatively of the severest nature. While these exercises do afford quite an amount of healthful exercise, it is not claimed that they alone fulfill all the ends of physical education. They are particularly useful for cultivating attention and forming those habits which lead to strict obedience.

"If my opinion is asked I certainly shall speak in favor of systematic physical training in the public schools."

Marriage License.

The following marriage license was issued yesterday: H. C. Hall, a native of West Virginia, of the city, aged 31, to Emma L. Behn, a native of California, of the city, aged 21.

Hellman, Waldeck & Co. have presented the HERALD with a fine map of the Western addition of Los Angeles. This map until lately sold for \$3 a copy. They are now offering it for fifty cents.

ON THE STREETS.

The Restaurant Keepers Become Indignant.

They Object to Church Lunches Down Town.

Business Transacted at the Board of Health Meeting.

The Barley Crop Reported to be Short—A Dredger Being Built for Work at San Pedro.

The restaurant men and coffee-house keepers of the city are up in arms at the action of the church members in giving cheap dinners down town, and a notice has been given that a meeting of all the proprietors interested will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, in Turn Verein hall, to take action in the matter. A restaurant-keeper on Spring street, who did not wish his name mentioned, said last night that he would not object to dinners being given in the churches if reasonable prices were charged, but of late it had become the habit of the churches to rent stores down town in the business part of the city and furnish food for a ridiculously low price, which could not be done if the market price had to be paid for everything. On the days when church lunches were being given, he said his receipts had often fallen off so as to make them less than enough to pay the rent and other running expenses. If the business of giving church lunches was continued, he would have to close up and try some other line.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Action on the Removal of Bodies from the Old Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

The Board of Health met last evening at the Mayor's office in the city hall. There were present Doctors Davidson, Wright and Hagan and the Health Officer, Dr. MacGowan.

A communication from the City Clerk with regard to the sprinkling of Wilmington and Requesena streets was received, and the Health Officer reported that there was no cause for complaint.

The Health Officer reported that there had been a good deal of complaint with regard to the removal of bodies from the Old Fellows' cemetery on Sand and Castelar streets. On March 17th the board gave permission, under certain conditions, for the removal of the bodies from the cemetery. The complaint was made that these conditions were not being observed and that bodies were being taken out in daytime and left exhumed all night. The Health Officer reported that the complaints were just, and he had ordered those who were removing the bodies to stop work. The board then passed the following resolution: It is the sense of this board that the parties removing the bodies from the Old Fellows' cemetery on Castelar and Sand streets to the new Odd Fellows' cemetery on Stevenson avenue did it in open violation of the conditions of the permission granted to them on March 11, 1890, by the Health Officer, by order of the Board of Health.

The Health Officer reported with regard to the filthy Chinese dens which had been condemned as dangerous to public health, that they were still occupied, the placards ordering their evacuation having been torn down. He also reported that there was need of a sewer in the section back of the city cemetery, at the corner of Philadelphia and Bellevue avenues. A resolution recommending that the Council take action in the matter was passed. The board then adjourned.

THE BARLEY CROP.

Returns from the County Continue to Show a Shortage.

The grain dealers and growers of this section appear to unite in the statement that the barley crop for the season is to be unusually small. It is variously stated at from one-half to two-thirds of the ordinary crop. The price has been steadily going up, and is now about 35 cents higher than it was a year ago. The shortage was primarily caused by the decrease of acreage, the farmers failing to plant by reason of the continuous heavy rains in the midst of the season. It has of late, moreover, become evident that the later sowings, which were for the most part made in the midst of the rainiest season, will probably fail to mature grain, and only the earlier sowings go to make the crop. Within about thirty days it will be possible to know just about how the case stands. The reports from the north show a similar falling off to that in the southern part of the State. The most considerable reduction is in Los Angeles county, the crop of which is said not to be large enough to supply the demand for home consumption. Mr. Newark, of Newark & Edwards, showed the reporter a number of letters yesterday from farmers of this and San Diego and San Bernardino counties. The most encouraging reports appeared to come from San Bernardino county. It was noticeable, however, that most of the writers declared their own crops to be in good shape, while they admitted that their districts had suffered severely. From this fact it may be argued that the falling-off may be over-estimated.

WORK AT SAN PEDRO.

The Dredger is Now Being Built at San Diego.

The dredger which is to do the work at San Pedro this summer is now in process of construction at San Diego. The contract for the excavation at San Pedro was awarded to Axman, Geddes & Osborn, and the dredger is being built for them. It is of the chain and bucket pattern, the same that was used with the best success at Panama. It will cost \$40,000, and the company for whom it is built, have contracted for work all along the coast as far north as San Francisco. Three months will be required to finish the dredger and work will then begin immediately at San Pedro.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

N. Y. CENTRAL MEN.

A Half Score Veterans of the Throttle Valve on a Jaunt.

For some days past there has been at the Southern Pacific depot in this city a special Pullman palace car which has attracted attention because of the party it carries. This party consists of ten gentlemen and their wives, all of them being locomotive engineers from the western division of the New York Central railway. They have all been thirty years or more in continuous service on the road, some of them having been on the road a good deal more time. The management decided that these men were entitled to a vacation because of faithful services, so arrangements were made for them to take a trip to California. Accordingly a fine Wagner palace car was placed at their disposal and transportation secured to Los Angeles and return. The party left Buffalo April 9 by way of the Michigan Central to Chicago, thence by the Northwestern, Union Pacific and Central Pacific to San Francisco and Los Angeles. At Ogden they were furnished a Pullman car by the Southern Pacific Company, who also provided transportation to San Francisco, Monterey and Los Angeles. The Southern Pacific people have been particularly kind to these veterans of the throttle-valve, who enjoyed the trip to Monterey and drives around the grounds. Here in Los Angeles Colonel Hewitt has taken pleasure in showing them Santa Monica, and other points of interest. Yesterday they spent driving about the San Gabriel valley, the objective point being the Santa Anita ranch, where E. J. Baldwin's people showed them all sorts of attentions. They are all highly delighted with Los Angeles, and their environs, and speak with enthusiasm of the San Gabriel valley and Santa Monica, and of Mr. Baldwin's wines. These gentlemen come from a notably picturesque and prosperous part of the Union, but they all say even Batavia and Avon must yield the palm to Los Angeles, Alhambra, Pasadena, and other points they have seen. One of them said: "There is more waste land in your county here than there is of the cream of the land with us, and your waste territory is better than our best." The party will leave here Sunday to return to their homes by the same route they came, carrying back pleasant memories, and to give a good report of California to all they see. The names and residences are: E. P. Shaffer, Andrew Ehardt, Matthew Ehardt, Joseph Harrison, George Colborn, Rochester, N. Y.; George Acker, Batavia, N. Y.; Harvey Chapman, Atica, N. Y.; Jeff Clark, Joseph Scott, Niagara Falls, N. Y. The gentlemen are all but one accompanied by their wives.



Citizen—So you think of locating here? Physician—Yes, I thought some of practicing among you.

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