

LEAGUE MEETING

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PASADENA WILL ENTERTAIN

Programme of the Meeting as Now Arranged
Pasadena Wheelmen Moving Energetically for a New Track—School Flatters at La Canada

PASADENA, Sept. 19.—The various branches of the Epworth league in Southern California will hold an anniversary meeting here during conference week, Saturday, September 28th, being chosen as the day for the meeting.

At 11:30 a. m.—Election of officers of conference association.
At 12:30 p. m.—Address, Our High Calling as Epworth Leaguers in Christ

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Mr. Koeler, at his residence on Peach place. The ceremony will be private.
Mr. Painter of the Hotel Painter says that he has had the room which has four times as many inquiries for rooms for the winter as were received up to this time last season. A straw that points in the right direction.

A waste pipe has been attached to the water main at the corner of Colorado and Water and the big reservoir is now drained of that source, as well as down Villa street.

Mr. Waller, the canner, has packed so far this season about 100,000 cans of fruit, and expects to run a few days longer. He has shipped to Chicago, Des Moines, St. Louis and other places.

LONG BEACH
The Opening of the Schools—Personal Notes

LONG BEACH, Sept. 17.—The high school opened last Monday with quarters for this school term in the chapel at the taernacle of the Methodist resort association. Prof. W. S. Bailey, late principal of the Long Beach public school, is the instructor appointed by the board of school trustees. It will take \$1800 or \$2000 to cover the expenses the first year. It is hoped the present school will be enlarged or a building erected for high school purposes on a scale commensurate with the city's growing importance.

The school opened with thirty-four scholars Monday morning. A half dozen scholars were unable from varied causes to be present at the opening, who will be in attendance next week, the number of pupils already enrolled may be computed at forty.

There will be an entertainment given for the benefit of the Presbyterian church next Monday at the pastor's hall, the proceeds of which will be devoted to re-roofing, repainting, repairing and otherwise improving the edifice. Miss Jessie York of Pasadena has volunteered her services.

Rev. E. A. Healy of Ontario spent Monday night at the beach, the guest of his parents, who are the fore part of July, left for home Tuesday evening.

George Marsden of Whittier was here the fore part of the week visiting at Mrs. E. A. Healy's.

Al Curtis, who has been station agent on the Southern Pacific at Tustin for several months past, came home Monday.

Our people can thank City Trustee J. C. Dunn for having the district originally decided upon for the abatement of the N. B. street, so enlarged, that Long Beach will not be required to pay any more than her fair proportion of charges for such abatement.

For a New Track
PASADENA, Sept. 19.—The wheelmen of Pasadena are moving energetically in the matter of securing a track, as the project are very favorable, a first-class track will soon be ready for the use of the cyclists of this vicinity, and no doubt it will attract to Pasadena many of the crack riders of the country, both to the race meets that will take place and also for the purpose of training, particularly during the winter months, when the eastern tracks are frozen up and snowed under.

Articles of incorporation of the Crown City Cycle club of Pasadena were filed with the county clerk yesterday. There are five directors as follows: E. E. Burnham, E. S. Crump and George H. Frost. The capital stock of the corporation is \$5000, of which amount \$500 has been actually subscribed as follows: E. E. Burnham, \$500; George H. Frost, \$100; E. W. Lincoln, \$50; W. Koebel, \$50; G. Gates, \$50; G. H. Smith, \$50; J. S. Evans, \$50 each. The corporation is to exist for fifty years and the object is stated to be for the general good of the members and for the purpose of constructing a race track upon their grounds.

Still Stirred Up
PASADENA, Sept. 19.—La Canada valley is still stirred up over school matters, the controversy being upon the same subject that caused the differences of some months ago, when the election for school trustees occurred. It will be remembered that at that time matters were taken out of the hands of the real patrons of the school, and the younger element of the place, under the leadership of a young man who had recently returned from the schoolman, by the use of all the Mexican votes they could secure up, managed to put in their candidate for trustee and retained the schoolman as one of the real patrons of the school did not want.

All the men who sent children to the school, with one or two exceptions, voted for the candidate of the schoolman, and the Mexican votes, and they were highly indignant at the course things had taken. During the summer the young lady has been applied for by a young man, one of the schoolman's friends, who had been a pupil of the school, and she was very much pleased to see him, and she was very much pleased to see him, and she was very much pleased to see him.

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MATTERS

TRIAL OF JOHN CUMMINGS

Ten Jurymen Secured in the Case Yesterday

INTEREST IS VERY GREAT
Most Brutal Crime Ever Known in Riverside County

The Men Accused of the Murder of Narramore Will Be Tried Separately—A Riverside Celestial's Story

RIVERSIDE, Sept. 19.—The trial of John Cummings, charged with the murder of T. C. Narramore, last August, began this morning. Ten jurymen were secured, but the regular venire of one hundred was exhausted before the other two could be secured. The jurors are M. J. Craig, A. M. Adrich, J. M. Cree, Wm. McBean, G. F. Herriek, John E. Todd, J. K. Miller, B. F. Allen, W. A. Chase and A. L. Creider.

Cesari Cummings, the other defendant, will have a separate trial. An appeal was ordered for tomorrow.

Interest in the trial is great, as the crime was the most brutal one committed in this section in many years.

A Celestial With a Story
RIVERSIDE, Sept. 19.—Behind the arrest of Wong Fong, charged with illegal residence in America, lies an interesting story.

The Celestial is wealthy and was the first Chinese resident of Riverside. Some ago he came to Riverside with a sum of money for Chamen charged with illegal residence in this country. Wong Fong and Wong Hong, who had been lodged in jail, but the third Chinaman, left town to avoid arrest. The two prisoners remained in jail several days, when they were taken before a deputy United States marshal. They were arraigned for trial Tuesday, but the case was continued until September 20th.

Wong Fong came to Riverside a quarter of a century ago, and was the first Celestial to take up his residence in this city. About the time Wong Fong's arrival, the building of the R. and S. canal was begun, he was employed as a cook by the company. Being a frugal man, he saved his wages and little by little amassed a small fortune. He purchased land enough to lay out a small garden and by the sale of vegetables further increased his stock of this world's goods.

About two years ago he decided to visit his native country, and although the Flowsy Kingdom still held charms for him, he returned to his business interests in this country. But it was a sorry state of affairs he found upon his return. During his absence he had visited the local Chinatown and seen the many Chinese citizens of this city. Messrs. W. A. Hay, P. T. Evans, J. H. D. Cox and S. Masters, have started a petition, setting forth the above facts, and have secured over fifty names of business men.

Wong Fong is a member of the Ducey Lee company, owns a half interest in the garden of the R. and S. company, and has a garden of 125 acres with \$5000 worth of improvements on it, including the best pumping plants in West Riverside.

Two Daring Robberies
Two of the most daring robberies on Second street in this city were committed yesterday afternoon. Mrs. William Miller, who resides on Market street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, left her home for a little while yesterday afternoon. About 4 o'clock someone entered the house and, after ransacking the pantry, presumably in search of food, ordered her to get into a small room. When Mrs. Miller returned to her home, she discovered her loss and immediately reported it to the police.

Frank Fuller is reported quite sick with a fever.

The A.P.A.'s held a jubilee last night, at which a number from abroad were in attendance. Redlands, Orange, Los Angeles and other cities were represented.

Mr. R. Y. Williams and Miss Lizzie D. Carson were married at Oakland last night. The bride is the daughter of an attorney of this city. They will reside in Orange.

The Southern Pacific will run another of its popular excursion trains on the 21st and Sunday, the 22d to San Pedro, Long Beach and Santa Monica. Miss Anna Hoff has returned from an extended visit in the northern part of the state.

W. W. Crozier, agent of the Santa Fe at this place, is out again after a week's absence.

The "Will" affair at Garden Grove has again been stirred up.

Marco Forster and J. Cobb will ship a team of horses to Los Angeles tomorrow. Among them are Nachul and Olin, Richmond. These horses are flyers and will win laurels at the Ventura fair.

Chris Miller went to Los Angeles today on business.

Now Pomona Wants a Park
Needs a Place Where Her Athletes Can Exhibit

A Citizen Favors the Plan Proposed for Redlands—Pictures That Resemble the Originals

POMONA, Sept. 19.—J. D. H. Browne today, in a communication to the Pomona Progress, asks why it is that Pomona does not form an association to secure and fit up grounds for an athletic park, and quotes the proposed plan of the Redlands people to secure athletic grounds in that city.

His plan is, Mr. Browne says, to incorporate with a capital stock of \$5000, divided into 200 shares of \$25 each. These shares will be sold on the following terms: Ten shares for \$250, a month or thirty days and the balance of 60 per cent in ninety days. The property can be purchased for something like \$3000. A grand stand will be erected to seat in the neighborhood of 3000 people, beneath which are to be the city's tennis courts, and the interior there will be football, baseball and tennis grounds, and the whole tract will be enclosed with an eight-foot board fence.

The Amilar countenances of Messrs. John Watson and Willard L. Goodwin, editor of the Pomona Times, adorn the columns of the First Methodist church, Rev. C. A. Westenberg officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Strobidge went immediately to Los Angeles via the Southern Pacific, and will return to spend a month at coast resorts they will return to spend the winter in San Bernardino.

Mr. Samuel M. Butler of Arrowhead and Mrs. Alice Schmitz of San Bernardino were married yesterday afternoon by Rev. C. A. Westenberg.

California's Triumph
Syracuse, N. Y., Courier: The visiting Californian Knights Templar in Boston this week were the stars of the occasion. They held the progress of one of their commanderies through the streets of Boston was a howling success, and there were more reasons than one which contributed to their success. The formation in the first place were mounted on coal black chargers and sat their fiery steeds like true knights of old amid the plaudits of the crowds which witnessed the procession. The Californians brought their horses from San Francisco and the scenes in which, like true Christian knights, the Templars rode alone with their flashing swords held before them, would undoubtedly have cheered the heart of Coeur de Lion himself, as they cheered the hearts of the Bostonians and matrons and won the unqualified praise of "the million."

But it was not the appearance of the

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MATTERS

LEGAL BATTLE FOR A MINE

George Meyers Claims an Interest in the Desert Queen

HE BEGAN SUIT YESTERDAY
The Mine Has Recently Been Sold to Outside Parties

Only One of the Original Owners Will Contest the Claim—Aftermath of San Bernardino's Fiets

SAN BERNARDINO, Sept. 19.—George Meyers brought suit today in the superior court against McHoney Bros. for one-third interest in the Desert Queen mine or a portion of the proceeds of the mine. In the complaint he alleges that he was a partner of McHoney Bros. at the time the original location was made and his name was wrongfully left out of the locators' notice. It is understood James McHoney admits this to be a fact and that the other brother will contest the claim. The mine was sold a few days since for \$250,000, of which sum \$25,000 was paid down. There are numerous witnesses who are ready to swear to a state of facts in accordance with Meyers' claim.

Fight for a Position
The annual fight for the position of county physician is on. The first gun fired is the petition of Dr. W. Thompson, ex-ocroner, which has been filed with the board of supervisors, and others are on the way.

It is just a year ago that the board of supervisors occasioned a shake-up at the hospital. Without any preliminaries they suddenly gave things a twist October 1, and when matters settled down once more it found Dr. A. Thompson of Colton in charge, with W. M. Tibbot as assistant.

The first of the month brings the close of Dr. Thompson's year of service, and whether he will control votes enough to be elected is a question in which not only he, but sundry other candidates are interested.

But the position held by Assistant W. M. Tibbot is one which is being closely watched. Two months ago Dr. Thompson recommended that the place be discontinued, on the score of economy, which was assented to by the board of supervisors, but by the time Tibbot became extravagant and decided to continue the place for two months, and tossed economy to the winds.

The situation which made it possible for Dr. Thompson to recommend the discontinuance of the place was this: A few months ago a graduate of the Los Angeles Medical school came to the hospital to act as an interne, serving without pay, and he assumed a large part of the work formerly done by the assistant.

This matter will also come up at the first meeting in October, and all in all enough is in sight to make that occasion interesting.

A Benefit for the Band
A big benefit is to be tendered the Mexican band Saturday afternoon at the amphitheater. New sports, new bulls, a new company of toradors, and a completely new programme of entertainment is to be rendered.

The band has been here from Tucson since last Friday furnishing music every day, and they have received only their expenses in the way of remuneration. They are grateful for the new benefit which shall be worthy of the splendid organization.

The toradors will be captained by T. C. Lorrain, who as captain in the arena has made a reputation here. But his assistants will be the toradors who were seen in the ring for the first time last evening dressed as cowboys, but who easily demonstrated their superiority.

Among the sports will be that of pulling a cork out of a hole in the ground by men on horseback and a number of other new features.

The Fire Dancers
The captain of the Coahuilla Indians, Vicente Trujillo de La Jolla, new livarez of Rincon and Juan Calera of Pichancho, along with the Indians who have been a feature of the fiesta, left for the reservation this morning, but before going expressed themselves very strongly about the way in which they have been entertained. They state that this is the first time in their lives when they have been away from the reservation on any similar occasion, that all promises and agreements have been kept with them, and they are so well pleased that they hope to be called upon again. Especially are they grateful for the new benefit, a consideration with which their families have been treated and their comfort considered in the arrangements made for them and protection afforded them.

Several of the large Massachusetts cities have increased, according to the recently published returns of the state census, more rapidly since 1890 than either Minneapolis or St. Paul.

A Supervisor's Loss
MODESTO, Sept. 19.—A barn containing seven mules, six horses and farming implements and a quantity of hay was destroyed by fire, five miles north of Modesto this morning. The property belonged to Supervisor J. J. Carmichael, who is absent from home. The amount of loss and cause of the fire are unknown.

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