

LOS ANGELES COUNTY AND NEAR-BY TOWNS

THE DRIVING AT PASADENA

Street Straightening Must Come First

COUNCIL CHAMBER ECHOES

The Rev. Clark Crawford's Statement of the Case

An Unfortunate Admission by Trustee Hamilton That the City Has Employed Private Detectives

PASADENA, Oct. 22.—The meeting of the property owners of East Colorado street to consider the matter of paving the street was held last evening, according to announcement.

The report of the committee of five consisting of Colin Stewart, G. E. Meberry, R. T. Vandervort and R. K. James, appointed for that purpose, was submitted as follows:

We, the committee appointed by the chairman of the meeting of property owners on East Colorado street for the purpose of street improvement, held October 7th, would hereby submit to the meeting the following report:

First—That the aforesaid street be properly graded and its grade established before contemplated improvements be commenced; and, further, your committee are not able to say what kind of pavement or roadbed would be best suited to all purposes and at the same time suit all parties interested, but after making an examination of various kinds of material that might be used for macadam purposes think that a foundation of coarse granite, properly rolled and topped off with some of the best material as a filler, would be a good road.

A motion was made that the above report be adopted and City Engineer W. B. Clapp was called upon to give his opinion based upon recent observations in the east, as to the merits of different kinds of paving, which he gave as follows:

The motion to adopt the report was lost and a motion was made by Mr. James that a committee be appointed to investigate the straightening of the street, doing away with the projections made into the street by the Methodist church and all other preliminary matters with regard to the improvement of the street.

This was carried and the following committee appointed: Justice Brockway, G. E. Meberry, Dr. T. S. Green, Dr. R. K. James and E. E. Spalding. An adjournment was made until Monday evening, November 1st.

COUNCIL MEETING ECHOES.

At the late meeting of the council the following statement was presented by the Rev. Clark Crawford:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of Pasadena—Gentlemen: Our presence here will raise in your minds the questions: "Who are you?" "What do you hither?" "What is your wish?" We answer these supposed questions as follows:

We are the representatives of a large number of your fellow citizens and ours. We do not appear before you honorable body as agitators, but to make a respectful statement concerning matters that involve the welfare of our common municipality. You are aware that for many months it has been generally believed that the ordinance respecting the sale of intoxicating liquors was being violated. There seems to be no doubt now in the minds of either the friends or the enemies of the ordinance that it has been broken with impunity. Indeed, one of the prominent officers confessed recently that he and others had trafficked in strong drink contrary to the city's laws. Our police have seemed unable to secure sufficient evidence to convict those suspected of this crime, except in a few instances. In about three-fourths of the cases made the evidence has been secured by private citizens at their own expense. The officers say that because they are so well known it is very difficult for them to discover violations of the law. Furthermore, they have made the reasonable demand that if anybody knew the law was being violated, he should either furnish the evidence of that fact or be quiet.

Now, many citizens, believing that the numerous reports of the illegal sale of intoxicants had a foundation in fact, and believing that the city officers would be tied to the cordial support of the moral forces of the community in the effort to enforce the wholesome laws which have made Pasadena, to the best of our knowledge, the most attractive residence city on the continent, began to ask, "What can we do?" They thoughtfully and dispassionately pondered the situation. They did nothing in haste. They felt that no small matter, church, society or individual should, alone, attempt to supply the needed assistance, but that all the churches, societies and individuals whose aim is the conservation of the city's moral interest should unite and act together. In this union there would be not only strength, but wisdom and discretion. Questions and methods that should come up for consideration would thus be viewed from various standpoints and the ultimate policy would be of a conservative and aggressive. Accordingly a convention was held whose membership was composed of two delegates from each of the nineteen churches and societies represented. This convention resulted in the formation of a permanent council, in which the moral forces of the city might, when necessary, focus themselves. This council, consisting of over 3000 and 400 members, represents the sentiments of the vast majority of the people.

A few persons whose ideal of the rights and duties of the citizen we cannot understand contend that we are not justified in thus combining for the purpose of calling the attention of officers to the violations of the law. We do not believe that you share in their feelings. We submit that they who, in the interest of sobriety and good order, seek to aid the constituted authorities in the enforcement of law, have a better right to do that work than has the offender to continue his lawlessness un molested. We stand for the majestic and inviolability of the people's law. "With malice toward none, and with charity for all," we hold that when a man is unwilling to obey the laws of the community in which he lives, if he cannot change them he should move out to a community whose laws are in harmony with his practices. Any other course is stark anarchy, and that is no better in a native American than in Herr Most.

Some pretend to think that we should not employ detectives in compassing the object of our council. If they were clandestinely robbed of their money, they would make use of detectives in hunting down the culprit, and no one would for a moment question their right to do it. If the public funds were being stolen by some unknown person, and anybody should discover the thief by secret service, he would be universally applauded. We fancy that in that case the emphasis would be placed not upon the question whether the detective was entirely discreet, but upon the fact that he found his man. Only when the offense is that of selling intoxicants is objection raised to secret service detection. We do not speak thus because we feel that our city council looks upon our methods of

work as illegitimate, but because a few who want to see the lawless sale of liquor continue to have sought to cast odium upon those whose aim is the best good of the community. Gentlemen of the council, we want to assure you of the fidelity of the law-abiding council to all that will augment and perpetuate the prosperity of Pasadena and her reputation for sobriety and intelligence.

Among the many remarks omitted in the necessarily condensed report of the proceedings of the council chamber yesterday was that of Trustee Hamilton, wherein he incautiously divulged the interesting bit of information that the city council in secret session had in the past resorted to detective work to obtain evidence in liquor cases. In Baldwin, Carpenter and Hobson, against which method of getting evidence the trustees had just been emphatically condemning.

This unfortunate lapsus lingue was uttered with the best of intentions, in defense of the city marshal, being stated to be the result of that officer calling the attention of the council to the violations of the law, which in his judgment required just such means for detection as the eminent committee had just been assailed for having adopted. There appeared to be no satisfactory answer to the observation of the Rev. Mr. Crawford, who said: "The members of the city council evidently had no objection to this method of procuring evidence in liquor cases, just because they said that they had adopted it themselves."

The omission of City Attorney Arthur's speech in yesterday's report was not intentional. It came at the end and was crowded out of the report. He made a forcible talk, devoted entirely, however, to the point that he had never failed to prosecute criminals who came to trial, especially the liquor cases, and to the question which has become one of veracity as to whether Mr. Gibbs had pronounced the evidence insufficient in the Lang case. As to the first point, there is no one to dispute it, but what attorney could be found that would do otherwise than sustain his reputation by fighting each and every case entrusted to him with all the force and ability he could command? Would any body ever give him another case if he did not do so? But that was not the point at issue at all. Sometimes merely to get a case up for trial is half the battle, and it is not an unheard-of thing that the result may be a "foregone conclusion"; in which case it is plain that to succeed in bringing to trial a case considerably more than half the battle.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Messrs. H. E. Huntington, assistant to his namesake, the president of the Southern Pacific company; William Hood, the company's chief engineer; and J. A. Mait, its superintendent, paid Pasadena a visit of inspection this morning. They concluded that everything is far advanced towards completion that they authorized the announcement that the road will be open for business on the 30th inst. A regular passenger and freight service will be put on between this city and Los Angeles. The passenger service will comprise nine trains daily, each way for the present, extending into the evening, and so arranged as to accommodate business travel. The running of the road will be in the hands of twenty minutes, and while no announcement has yet been made as to the fare it is believed that it will be 25 cents the round trip.

BREVITIES.

The Marengo Avenue Chautauque circle met last evening at the residence of J. W. Sedwick on North Euclid avenue, with a good attendance. The program embraced the following: Growth of the American Nation by Prof. Parker, the Monroe Doctrine by Mr. Korman, the Industrial Revolution by Mr. Van Nuss, piano solo by Mrs. Sedwick, roll call, coming events.

The property owners on Molina avenue from Colorado to California streets are aroused to the importance of improving that thoroughfare and will meet at Mr. Polley's this evening, as has been announced in another column. The meeting will be held at 7 o'clock.

The case of Dr. Williams, alias T. L. Tondro, set for trial today, was continued by Justice Merriam and will be reset at the discretion of Judge Smith in the habeas corpus proceedings.

Bailey, the man accused of the assault upon the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Bailey, was yesterday examined in Recorder Rossiter's court today, but that officer had a case in the superior court and the case was therefore continued until tomorrow.

Application was made to the council yesterday by a large number of property owners for an electric light on the corner of St. John avenue and Congress street. It was taken under advisement.

Invitations for the institution of Corona No. 1, E. and M. next Thursday evening have been sent out to the brethren in various parts of the county and an interesting time is expected.

Mrs. Mary Harwin, daughter of Governor and Mrs. Markham, has been elected to the position of vice-president of the freeman class at Stanford.

The ladies of the Maccabees will give a crazy social, which will be strictly an invitation affair on Monday evening of next week and a prize will be awarded the lady who appears in the most variegated costume.

Plans have been completed by Governor Markham for a complete overhauling of the East San Gabriel hotel and at George Webster will soon begin work on it.

The date for the reception to the new teachers of the public schools, to be tendered by the other teachers, has been fixed for next Friday evening. It will take place in the Lincoln school building, and there will be an attendance of forty or fifty teachers and friends.

Rev. Anna Shaw lectured this evening to a good audience on Woman Suffrage in the United States Republic, and was very heartily received.

POMONA

An Interesting Croquet Tournament—Revival Services—Social Notes

POMONA, Oct. 22.—The Southern California Croquet association began a three-days' tournament on the grounds of E. M. Makey on Atlantic street today, clubs of Los Angeles, Santa Ana, Ontario and Pomona being represented by the following players: J. N. Rafferty, C. R. Smith and Robert Fink of Santa Ana; Langford and I. C. Wood of Ontario; F. L. Baynham, S. S. Strong and Frasier Nesbit, Pomona.

In the game played today the following hits were scored: Baynham, Pomona, 12; hits, 23 misses, against I. C. Wood of Ontario, 13 hits, 34 misses.

Rafferty and Smith, Santa Ana, against Strong and Nesbit, Pomona—Nesbit, 35 hits; Strong, 39 hits; Rafferty, 4 hits; Smith, 4 hits.

Baynham, Pomona, against Fink, Santa Ana—Baynham, 45 hits; Fink, 94 hits; won by Fink.

Rev. E. R. Bennett of this place is officiating as umpire, and the association secretary, C. F. Pierce of Los Angeles, is official scorer.

There is a large number of interested spectators present.

Mr. McCon of Santa Ana and Mrs. Ella Fryer of Pomona are booked to play against each other in the opening game of the morning.

Services resulting in the Christian church Rev. Love, the pastor, began a series of revival meetings which will be continued through two weeks.

E. A. Belden, a commercial traveler and a former Pomonaite, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Rogers, a merchant of Bakersfield, formerly of Pomona, is visiting friends in this city.

Gold hunters say that a speck of gold weighing less than the one-hundredth part of a grain can be seen with the naked eye.

VENTURA'S WATERWORKS

Will Continue to Be Run by Private Parties

ORDINANCES ARE REPEALED

Rev. Anna Shaw Lectures to a Pleased Audience

A Town Election Imminent—A Co-operative Meat Market Proposed—Shipments of Agricultural Products

VENTURA, Oct. 22.—At the meeting of the town board of trustees last evening E. M. Jones was appointed to act as president of the board during the absence of Mr. J. S. Collins. The clerk reported \$31.20 personal property tax paid to the treasurer. The town attorney was directed to draw an ordinance repealing all ordinances pertaining to the purchase of the water and light plants. The matter of the officers' salaries was taken up and after due consideration the board decided to reduce the salary of the marshal from \$100 to \$75 per month, and allow him \$150 per year for collecting taxes. The other salaries were left as they were.

Rev. Anna Shaw delivered the most address last night in the Methodist church Ventura people have listened to in a long while. Her subject was "The Fate of the Republic, and her discourse was humorous, pathetic, eloquent and logical. The building was crowded to the doors and her remarks were frequently interrupted by prolonged applause. The people enjoyed a rare treat and will be ready to greet Miss Shaw with enthusiasm should she ever appear here again.

The town election will be held on December 2d. All political parties are notified that if they wish to nominate a party ticket it must be done thirty days before the election. This will give a very short time in which to add conventions. It is not likely there will be any party fights, however.

Mr. Fessler of the enterprising firm of Bracken & Fessler is in Los Angeles this week looking for the best bicycle made. He intends to have the agency for it next year.

Station Agent Shillingsburg and wife went to San Francisco yesterday to the 30th inst. Mr. Shillingsburg is a newspaper writer. He says it will beat his writing all hollow.

A new people's meat market is one of the possibilities of the future. An effort is being made to organize a company for the purpose of establishing a factory. The stock is to be divided into 100 shares at \$10 per share. When \$5000 is subscribed the company will incorporate and begin business.

Sunday the steamer Eureka took on board at our wharf, bound for San Francisco, sixty-nine boxes of lemons, twenty-six cases of oranges, 118 sacks of dried prunes, 850 sacks of beans and 184 sacks of walnuts, besides other merchandise.

Mr. D. Edward Collins of Oakland is taking his family to Los Angeles. Mr. Collins is absent at the Atlanta, Ga., exposition. Mr. Collins is an orator and in the absence of Rev. C. B. Rogers he occupied the pulpit last Sunday, delivering an eloquent address. He also spoke at the Y. M. C. A. meeting in the afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Rippey and Mrs. Edward Grannis of Los Angeles are visiting with Mrs. Dr. Bard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Edwards of Crockett, Contra Costa county, are in Ventura. Mr. J. B. Beardsley, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., has been under the weather the past few days.

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STREET CARS AT SANTA ANA

Are Badly Wanted Since They Ceased to Run

The Question of Paving Still Complicates Matters and There is No Settlement Now in Sight

SANTA ANA, Oct. 22.—The city board of trustees met last night and it was pretty generally understood that the question of paving the street car track would come up, and a lively time was expected. Many property owners along the street now being paved were out and made remarks on the question. It seems that the only thing left for the council to do is to issue the bonds and have the paving of the tracks done, providing the bonds can be sold for enough to defray the expenses of paving. Several property owners along the line said they would be willing to take bonds in amount equal to the extra expense of paving to the center of the street. It is thought the street car company is running a bluff, but if the council will accept the company's offer to surrender the franchise, there can be no bluff about it. The people are tired of this wrangling and don't want to walk any longer, and are anxious to see the cars start again.

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The sealed bids for fuel oil were opened last night at the council meeting. Los Angeles Exchange, \$1.15 per barrel, delivered on the track at Santa Ana; J. F. Rogers, 95 cents; Fuel Oil Producing and Supply company, 87 cents; Smith & Richardson, 75 cents per barrel for 1000 barrels. The bids were, on motion, referred to a committee with power to act.

The written opinion of City Attorney Z. B. West was read concerning the different street car lines to be paved and who would have to pay for the same under the present plan. The city attorney stated that should the track be taken up the property owners would have to pay for paving to the center of the street. The city attorney stated that should the track be taken up the property owners would have to pay for paving to the center of the street.

C. M. Potter of Colorado Springs, Col., is in the city visiting his wife's uncle, J. T. Wilson of this city. Mr. Potter is perhaps buying some property and make his home in this city. His family is expected to arrive later on.

J. J. Wilson departed this morning for San Francisco, where he is consolidating two or more electric power companies on the new street railway system.

Charles A. Wilson has gone east to manufacture a bicycle motor that he thinks will revolutionize the wheel business.

Mr. Paul Seager of this city, who had purchased a lot in Long Beach on which he intended to build a bank building, has concluded that he don't want to go into business there.

SANTA BARBARA

A Suit for Heavy Damages—An Alleged Embezzler

SANTA BARBARA, Oct. 22.—Margaret Burch et al. have brought suit against the California Petroleum and Gas company, asking \$30,000 damages for the death of Edward Burch, who received severe burns in an explosion at Los Pinos mines last April, and from the effects of the same.

Burch was one of the two miners who received injuries from the explosion at La Patera mine last April and died. He left a family which has been dependent on his earnings. The complaint alleges that the shaft was not provided with the necessary and proper means of ventilation or appliances for carrying off gases generated.

Thomas Leonard Mack was arrested last night by Sheriff Hicks, charged with embezzlement in Los Angeles. The sheriff started for Los Angeles with him this afternoon, and met a deputy sheriff at Carpinteria, who took the prisoner the rest of the way.

SAN BERNARDINO

Preparations for Extensive Planting of Cacti—More Land Wanted

SAN BERNARDINO, Oct. 22.—Representatives of the Chicago Cactus company, which is putting in 4000 acres of land to that plant in Rialto, will be in this city in a few days. John H. Caruthers and others left Chicago yesterday and it is understood the object of the trip is to decide on the purchase of 4000 acres of land of the San Francisco Savings Union. A large area of this land has already been plowed, but at present work has ceased awaiting the arrival of the managers of the enterprise.

Today L. Van Dorin, city marshal, filed a suit in the superior court of this county charging the Times-Mirror Publishing company with libel and laying damages in \$10,000.

Her Will Made on Envelopes

Annie J. Owen will be consisted of four large envelopes bearing superscriptions and constituting one of the most unique documents on file. The endorsement on the face of each envelope showed the desire of the testatrix as clearly as a formally drawn up paper could have done. As they were found, envelopes contained \$3000 in 6 per cent bonds, and was indorsed, "Bessie, Minnie, Carrie, one each when I am gone." Envelope B had contained \$1000 Pennsylvania and New York Canal company bonds, and the same indorsement. Envelope C had contained a mortgage on the property of the testatrix and was indorsed: "For the three girls when I am gone."

Envelope D had contained \$3000 Central National bank, made: "One for each of the girls."

The entire estate consisted of personal property valued at \$30,000 and real estate amounting to \$10,000.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Economy is Wealth

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AN ANAHEIM SNEAKTHIEF

Acts the Old Tale of Short Coat and Long Fish

He Loses His Plunder, but Gets Away—Fell From a Train and Was Not Killed

ANAHEIM, Oct. 22.—This morning two tramps went into Rimpau Bros.' store, and while one of them engaged the attention of the proprietor by purchasing a spool of thread, the other, who had his coat thrown carelessly over one shoulder, slipped two pairs of pants from a table and chucked them under his concealed arm. His theft would have been noticed, but for the buttons on the garments having struck against an adjoining cable, which attracted Mr. Rimpau's attention, who stepped around the counter and lifted the stolen goods. The fellow begged to be let off and the two made for the door, with the merchant close behind them.

J. J. Argoubert, a resident of New Orleans, while on his way to this place to pay his sister, Mrs. Bittner, a visit, was pushed or fell from a Santa Fe train Thursday morning at the crossing of the San Joaquin river. He was running at a speed of about forty miles an hour. He was missed and the train was backed up some distance, but it was about 3 o'clock in the morning, and very dark, he could not be found.

The overland which leaves Los Angeles Friday morning discovered the unfortunate man and picked him up. He was brought to Anaheim Sunday morning and has been cared for ever since by his sister. The doctor said that his bones were broken, the shock was a severe one, but the injured man is slowly recovering.

Monday morning, of consumption, Arthur Weisser, aged 3 years and 8 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rowan Weisser, the funeral took place this morning.

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