

CRIPPLE SEEKS RELIEF DEATH THOUGHT LIFE WAS BURDEN TO HIS PARENTS

Suicide of Friend Influences Ralph Macey of San Dimas to Take His Own Life by Shooting

Despondent over the thought that he was a burden to his family and led on by the example of a former friend, Ralph W. Macey, son of W. H. Macey, manager of the Boston store at San Dimas, yesterday morning ended his life by shooting himself in the head with a revolver.

Young Macey was only 20 years of age and had been injured some time ago in a railroad accident at Stockton. His injuries were so severe that an amputation of his right leg and right arm was found necessary.

Since the loss of his leg and arm the young man has been in a constant state of despondency because of the thought that he was a burden upon his family. Macey is said to have gone to the home of a friend yesterday morning and borrowed a revolver, telling his friend that he intended to kill a troublesome cat with the weapon.

After lending Macey the revolver his friend became alarmed and went to the young man's father and explained his fears.

The two men then hurried to young Macey's room, but when within a few yards of the door a shot was heard and the young man was found on the floor of his room dead.

He had gone to his room after borrowing the revolver and locked the door before putting the revolver to his right temple and pulling the trigger.

Macey is said to have been led to his fate by the example of a former resident of San Dimas who committed suicide at Redlands several days ago.

CLAIM RAILROAD IS NOT FAIR ON BRICK RATES

Contest for the Sewer Brick Contract Grows Bitter—Simons Charges Discrimination in Rates

Yesterday passed without bringing a solution of the sewer problem that is confronting the council. Vain efforts continued throughout the day to reach an agreement. The council was to have met at 10 o'clock in the morning, but the meeting was postponed until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. At that hour nothing had been accomplished and the councilmen gave up the idea of holding a meeting before the regular hour Monday.

A new element was injected into the fight yesterday. It is asserted that the Los Angeles Pacific railway has entered the competition for the transportation of the brick and that the company has quoted two prices for the same service.

The charge against the railroad people is that they quoted city Engineer Stafford a rate of 25 cents per 1000 and gave a quotation of 40 cents per 1000 to the Simons Brick company for the same service.

In both cases the quotation was upon transportation from Santa Monica to Inglewood or Playa del Rey. Joe Simons says the letters of the railroad people are a clear indication of discrimination against him. He says he will take the case into the courts in case he does not secure the contract. Other bidders are equally sure the contract ought to be awarded to them.

NUNNALLEY TRIAL TO TAKE PLACE TODAY

Charges are Filed Against Every Deputy in Office of the City Assessor

The civil service commission has decided that James A. Noel is not entitled to the protection of the merit law, Noel is a deputy in the office of the city assessor and the decision will cost him his position.

The case is the conclusion of the charges against three deputies who were alleged to have begun work in the assessor's office too late to get the benefit of the civil service law without taking an examination.

It was stated yesterday that charges have been filed with the commission against nearly every deputy in the city assessor's office. Members of the commission refused to discuss the case, but did not deny that charges had been filed.

These cases will probably be called up today in connection with the charges against Oscar Nunnalley, chief deputy in the assessor's office.

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"In my opinion Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best made for colds," says Mrs. Cora Walker, of Porterville, California. "There is no doubt about its being the best. No other will cure a cold so quickly. No other is so sure a preventive of pneumonia. No other is so pleasant and safe to take. These are good reasons why it should be preferred to any other. The fact is that few people are satisfied with any other after having once used this remedy."

Rates to San Joaquin Valley

The Southern Pacific will have on sale every Tuesday, until further notice, round trip tickets to various points in the San Joaquin valley. The rates are from Los Angeles and are as follows: Stockton, Modesto or Newman, \$12; Turlock, \$14.50; Merced, \$14.50; Madera, \$12; Fresno or Hanford, \$14.50; Hanford, Visalia or Porterville, \$16.50; Yuba City, \$16; Bakersfield, \$18. Stopovers are allowed in either direction. These exceptionally low rates should be taken advantage of by all who wish to see one of the great producing valleys of California, the home of all California fruits and other products of the soil. Full information at Southern Pacific ticket office, 41 South Spring street.

Free Music

"In the Orange Groves of Sunny California," the latest hit, given away at the City Ticket Office of the Salt Lake Road, 259 S. Spring street. Have you heard it?

PEOPLE ASK FOR ANOTHER FRANCHISE

Board of Public Works Takes Favorable Action—Urge Extension of Conduit System

The board of public works yesterday decided to report favorably to the council upon an application from a large number of property owners for the advertisement and sale of a street railway franchise on Seventh street. J. W. Botsford, J. W. McKinley and other citizens presented the application to the board and spoke in favor of granting the franchise.

It was stated that business along Seventh street is increasing enormously and there is urgent need of better transportation facilities. The committee representing the petition told the board that more than three-fourths of the property owners along the line of the proposed improvement had signed the petition.

The names of about seventy prominent people appear upon the application. The route asked for is from the intersection of Boyle and Stevenson avenues, south on Boyle avenue to Seventh street, thence west on Seventh to Spring. The life of the franchise of the connecting line is thirty-one years.

A petition was presented from R. W. Poindexter and others, asking that the ordinance providing for the extension of the conduit system be enforced. The district referred to lies between Washington and Jefferson on Figueroa and on Adams between Main and Hoover. There is a provision in the ordinance, however, that gives the companies owning poles and wires six months from the passage of the ordinance in which to begin work. As only three months has elapsed since the ordinance was signed the council cannot interfere.

Bids were awarded as follows: Seventh street sewer, J. M. Eads, \$1005.66; Improving Berendo street, J. Hein, \$1983.52; Improvements on Boston street, F. W. Whittier, \$388.53; Improving Eighth street, C. W. Shafer, \$1067.35; Improving Bay street, H. J. McGuire, \$3349; Improving Thirty-ninth street, S. McCray, \$1802.45; Improving Santa Fe avenue, Tryon & Brain, \$15,099.70.

LETTER IS SENT TO THE POSTAL AUTHORITIES

One of Mayor McAleer's Correspondents May Be Called Upon to Explain His Writing

Mayor McAleer yesterday received a very peculiar communication from an individual in Minneapolis, who signed the name of J. M. Marks. In his communication Marks attacks the character of Rev. John A. Biedent, who, according to the writer, lives at 1057 Jasmine street, Los Angeles.

Evidently Marks is in the business of making clear, from his standpoint, the unworth of Biedent, for he has adopted a system of numbering the communications calling them "circular letter No. 10," etc. There were four enclosures in the letter to Mayor McAleer, and such words as "murderer" and "traitor" occurred frequently.

Mayor McAleer decided that the letter was just the sort of material that United States postal inspectors are looking for, and the communication was accordingly sent to Postmaster M. H. Flint, with the request that he take such action as he deemed proper.

CITY HALL NOTES

Want Ordinance Amended

The city council received a great many protests against the enforcement of several sections of the new building ordinance. Protests have been received from people in a great many different lines of business. In order to straighten out the tangle the building committee of the council will meet this morning and hear the complaints. These will be sifted and a report will be prepared which will cover the points of contention. The report will then be submitted to the council.

FOR BETTER STREETS

The board of public works yesterday adopted a new rule. This is to the effect that hereafter no street shall be improved with natural soil unless the same has been approved by the board, the street superintendent and the city engineer. It is believed that a more careful supervision of this contract will lead to the construction of much better streets.

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BALDWIN WILL INVADE EUROPE

TO ENTER ARROW IN CONTEST AT BRUSSELS

Owner and Navigator of the Trim Airship Believe That They Will Carry Off Honors Abroad

Captain Thomas S. Baldwin, the Columbus of the air, has decided to invade boldly the domain of Santos-Dumont and other "knights of the air" who are known to fame and take his trim little aerial wonder, the California Arrow to the Belgian exhibition at Brussels next summer and enter the lists for the world's championship.

France has probably been the scene of more experimenting in aerial navigation than any other country, and yet at the exposition just closed at St. Louis Captain Baldwin's sky yacht proved itself to be the veritable queen of the air and was the only airship out of the great number entered at the fair the judges considered worthy of a prize. Another interesting feature is that the Arrow was the smallest and simplest machine exhibited at the fair.

When Dumont made his memorable air voyage, in which he used the Eiffel tower as a turning post, he was heralded throughout Europe as the "king of the air." He furnished thrills for even blasé Paris and was received as a hero.

Arrow May Prove Best

There is little room for hero talk in the practical way in which Captain Baldwin and Roy Knabenshue go about the task of building and flying airships, and there are many who say that the huge foreign airships will not be able to compete in the same class with the little aerial yacht from California.

Captain Baldwin expects to attend the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland early in the summer, and when the trials are finished there to pack his machine and hurry to New York. In the east several exhibition flights will be given, the course being up and down the Hudson river, going under Brooklyn bridge on the downward trip and over it on the return passage. From New York the Arrow will be taken immediately to Brussels and there will meet and compete with the crack machines of Europe.

Captain Baldwin is confident of success on his invasion of Europe and enthusiastic over the prospects. He says:

"I believe we have the drop on all of them already and we intend to experiment in Los Angeles until time to start for the exhibitions and anything new is not likely to get by us. However, I am not trying to keep anything we have discovered from the rest of the world and have no use for the man who, judging others by himself, comes sneaking around trying to get your measurements while you are not looking. They are all welcome to them, but if they will only come to me I will give them to them and then they will be correct."

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Quite a lot of men's fall and winter overcoats, in round figures just 125 of them. Medium and long garments in the most popular styles; some with full box back, belted to the waist; also paddock coats with long skirts, as well as the regular cuts like the illustration. A good assortment of colors, including black, gray and fancy mixtures. The materials are medium and heavy weight kerseys, beavers and chevots. First-class linings. Sizes from 34 to 44. The original prices range as high as \$18.00. There are coats made by Hart, Schaffner & Marx and B. Kuppenheimer of Chicago in the lot, as well as garments from other well-known makers. First picking will be best, so come early. Today, while they last, choice, \$5.00.



Men's Felt Hats \$1.00
Values Up to \$2.50

Men's fur felt hats, all the new and popular shapes and colors; plenty of blacks; short lines, not more than a dozen of a kind, but a complete range of sizes and a good representation of popular styles. Regular prices up to \$2.50. Choice, today, \$1.00.

Men's Fancy Shirts 50c
Both Soft and Stiff Values Up to \$1.75

Men's shirts of all sorts and kinds. The best shirt makers in America are represented; shirts of oxford cloth, chevot, madras and high-grade percales; golf styles with soft bosoms; others with plaited bosoms; some semi-dress shirts with stiff bosoms; not a shirt in the collection worth less than \$1.00; many of them worth \$1.50 and quite a number of them actual \$1.75 values. Not all sizes of any one kind, but all sizes in the collection. Choose, today, at 50c each.

Men's Work Shirts 50c
and Negligees . . . 50c
Some Worth \$2.50

Men's heavy workshirts, made from all-wool materials and wool mixtures; others of heavy cotton fabrics. A large assortment of colors and styles. Some fine negligee shirts in the lot. Original prices \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50. The best ones will be sorted out first, so you'd better hurry. Choice, today, 50c each.

Boys' Winter Suits and Overcoats \$1.00
Values Up to \$5.00

A miscellaneous collection of boys' suits and overcoats at considerably less than half their values for Saturday. Good style suits for boys of nearly all ages. Originally priced up to \$3.00; also a collection of odd styles and odd sizes in boys' overcoats priced regularly up to \$5.00. There are a few sizes missing, but the size that you want is likely here. Come early before all the best things are picked out. Choice, today, \$1.00.

Men's Shoes \$1.25
For Dress or Work Values \$1.75 and \$2 Values

An assorted lot of men's shoes, some of vic kid, others of box calf and still others of satin calf; congress, blucher and lace styles; single and half double soles; some calf lined throughout; plain and tipped toes; neat, comfortable shapes. Styles suitable for dress or everyday wear. All sizes. Many excellent \$1.75 and \$2.00 values. Today, the pair, \$1.25.

Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes \$2.69

Men's dress shoes of bright patent coltskin, made in lace, button and blucher styles, with dull calf tops; hand-welted oak tan soles; all the popular shapes and styles; \$3.50 and \$4.00 values and a few worth \$5.00. Plenty of sizes. Today, the pair, \$2.69.

Men's \$3.50 Shoes \$2.48
Some Made by W. L. Douglas

Men's Goodyear welted shoes of box calf, velour and vic kid; single and half double soles; comfortable, stylish lasts; quite a number of the well-known W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes; made from bright patent kid; plenty of sizes. Today, the pair, \$2.48.

An assorted lot of men's shoes, vic kid, box calf, patent leather and tan Russia calf. Lace, blucher and congress styles. Goodyear welted soles. Plenty of sizes in the lot. Values up to \$3.00. Today, the pair, \$1.98.

Banner Bargains for Women Folks Today

\$5.00 Shirt Waists \$3.48

Of Scotch Flannel

Women's waists, made from fine wool materials and Scotch flannels; plain colors, checks and plaids; numerous good styles to choose from. Best of colors. Plenty of whites. All sizes. Values up to \$5.00. Today, each, \$3.48.

\$30.00 Tailor-Made Suits \$18.50

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A nice little lot of handsomely tailored suits for women. Venetian cloths, chevots, mixtures and fancy suitings. Stylishly cut and prettily trimmed. Perfect hanging skirts of popular design. All colors in the lot. Good range of sizes. Suits worth up to \$30.00. Today, \$18.50.

\$6.50 Silk Waists \$2.50

An assortment of silk waists, peau de soles, foulards and China silks; both plain and figured. New style sleeves. Some finished with tucks and plaits, others handsomely trimmed with laces. Plenty of sizes. Values up to \$6.50. Today, each, \$2.50.

Misses' \$18.50 Suits \$10

Misses' suits of various sorts and kinds; broken lots in odd sizes only. Made from fine materials. Both coat and eton jacket style. Values up to \$18.50. Choice, today, each, \$10.00.

\$1.25 Wool Waists 75c

All-wool shirt waists, several good styles in the lot. Well cut and neatly finished. All sizes. Our regular \$1.25 quality. Today, each, 75c.

Women's Shirt Waist Suits \$2.48

Women's shirt waist suits, made from pretty Shepherd checks; skirts plaited; waists made with tucks and plaits; neat collars and good belts; fair assortment of sizes. Actual \$5.00 values. Today, \$2.48.

\$7.50 Walking Skirts \$4.98

Women's walking skirts, made from all-wool materials, newest colors and most popular patterns; plaited and tucked styles. Values up to \$7.50. Today, \$4.98.

Women's Silk Coats \$12.48
Original Prices to \$20

Women's silk coats, made from excellent quality peau de sole and taffeta; medium and three-quarter length garments, lined with satin. Both tight and loose-back styles. Good assortment of sizes. Genteel appearing garments; originally priced up to \$20.00. Today, each, \$12.48.

Women's \$20 Coats \$10

Women's coats, made from covert cloths, cravenettes, broadcloths and rough mixtures; most wanted colors; three-quarter length garments with loose backs and belts, lined to the waist; values up to \$20.00. Today, each, \$10.00.

Women's \$7.50 Coats \$4.98

Women's coats of zibeline and melton, in both tan and black; tight-fitting styles; double breasted and collarless effects; tailored sleeves, finished with straps and buttons; satin-lined garments worth up to \$7.50. Today, each, \$4.98.

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