

AROUND THE TOWN

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AMUSEMENTS MASON OPERA HOUSE—"Mother Goose." BELMONT—"Are You a Mason?" BURBANK—"Held by the Enemy." GRAND—Black Patrol Troubadours. GIPHEUM—Yandeville. CASINO—Yandeville. BROADWAY—Yandeville. CHUTE—"Eller's" Band. Zoo. ASCOT PARK—Races.

Lecture on Napoleon Fred E. Seeper will deliver a lecture on Napoleon tonight at Elks' hall at 8 o'clock.

Oil Stock Sold On the Los Angeles stock exchange yesterday 1000 shares of Continental Oil company stock were sold at 24 1/2 cents a share.

Banquet for Flint Members of the Society of the Colonial Wars and of the Sons of the Revolution will tender Senator-elect Flint a banquet Saturday evening, February 18.

Burglars Secure Purse Mrs. Leroy Holt of 1602 South Union avenue notified the police last evening that while she was out in the back yard just before dark someone entered her home and took a purse containing \$25 from a bureau drawer.

Plans New Settlement House The El Hogar Feliz society has secured the approval of Bishop Conaty regarding the erection of a building on the grounds of the Church of Our Lady of Angels for settlement work among the children of the parish.

Not Pinkerton Agency H. D. Bailey, superintendent of the Pinkerton detective agency in Los Angeles, says that the report that one of his officers was called on to investigate the alleged theft of \$72 in a South Figueroa street home is without foundation. The agency has no record of such an occurrence.

Lodging House Keeper Dismissed W. A. Cooper, the lodging house keeper who was arrested three weeks ago on a charge of attacking Gus Camrath in a South Los Angeles lodging house and beating Camrath over the head with a monkey wrench, was discharged yesterday in a jury case in Justice Austin's court.

Plenty of Garden Seeds Congressman McLachlan has sent to the Los Angeles chamber of commerce a large and varied supply of garden seeds from Washington. Secretary Wiggins says the chamber is now prepared to supply the people of the city and county with seeds with the compliments of the agricultural department of the government.

Charged With Assault Robert Harper, the negro who was arrested several days ago on a charge of committing assault with a deadly weapon upon J. E. McCormick, a white man, was held to the superior court in Justice Chambers' court yesterday morning under bail of \$1500. McCormick has recovered only recently from the knife wound said to have been inflicted by the negro.

More Charges Filed Robert Dominguez has filed a report with the civil service commission against W. C. Melvin, a deputy city assessor. Dominguez alleges Melvin is employed in the city assessor's office illegally, having been transferred there from the office of the city tax collector and not having passed a civil service examination. The charges will be heard at the next meeting of the commission.

Tyndall Lecture Dr. Alexander J. McIvor-Tyndall has selected the subject of "Can the Future Be Foretold?" for his psychic science lecture at Blanchard hall Sunday afternoon. Dr. McIvor-Tyndall will deal with the apparent contradiction in the idea that man determines his own destiny and at the same time that prophecy is a scientific fact. Interesting phenomena will follow the lecture.

Heavy Postal Business The monthly report of the sale of stamps in Los Angeles was issued yesterday by the postoffice department and shows a great increase over the sales of any previous month. In addition to the report of the sales a list of the changes of addresses ordered at the local office for the month was made and is far in advance of any other month in the history of Los Angeles, showing the presence of thousands of tourists in the city who intend to make Southern California their home.

Fire in Ship Building Plant By Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 2.—Fire today in the chart department of Cramps ship building plant destroyed valuable blue prints, models and charts. Work on the battleships Idaho and Mississippi and the armored cruiser Tennessee, the plans for which were destroyed, will not be seriously impeded.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF A big mass meeting to discuss race track gambling will be held in Temple auditorium Saturday afternoon, February 4, at 1 o'clock. Prominent speakers have been secured for the occasion.

Present Your Photograph Coupons Before February 7 All readers of the Los Angeles Herald holding photograph coupons are requested to present them at Marcuse's Studio, 227 South Spring street, before February 7, as the coupons will expire on that date.

The Angelus Hotel Grill The select dining place of the city. Loomis Brothers, proprietors.

LOVES ART MORE THAN HUSBAND

LOUIS B. COLLETTE SUES WIFE FOR DIVORCE

Says That He Gave Her a Musical Education and Now She Has Ceased to Love Him

To have his spouse educated against him by means of his own generosity is the fate befallen by Louis B. Collette, formerly a druggist of East Los Angeles, and yesterday he asked Judge York in the superior court to free him from the marriage existing between himself and Mrs. Catherine Collette, widely known as a singer.

Collette, through his attorney, Judge James, filed suit for a divorce several months ago, and in the meantime Mrs. Collette has interposed no objection to the legal action taken by her spouse.

According to Collette's story it appears his wife is so engrossed in her study of music that she has forgotten to love her husband, and she even now, it is asserted, declares herself to be opposed to men generally.

Mrs. Collette failed to put in an appearance yesterday. Collette says his wife told him that if she lived with any man she would live with Collette, but that was out of the question, for she had scratched the name "man" from her vocabulary.

It was a hard blow for Collette, however, for he says he sent his wife to Europe to study music. In her own mind Mrs. Collette concluded that she must decide between music and husband. The husband lost.

Mrs. Collette is well known in Southern California. She is not only rich in family name, but is reputed to be wealthy.

Each Sunday Mrs. Collette sings in a Pasadena church. Judge York couldn't understand how a woman could leave her husband, even for her art, and the case was taken under advisement.

SAYS HE THREATENED HER LIFE

Wife Objects to Being Hurling Through Window

Rather than to be thrown out of the third story window at 3 a. m. by her husband, Mrs. Lulu E. Baker deserted him, and yesterday she was granted a divorce in Judge Trask's court on the ground of cruelty.

Mrs. Baker owned some valuable property at Bakersfield and when her husband's funds became low, it is alleged, he urged his wife to sign away her rights in the property.

Upon the advice of her counsel Mrs. Baker objected to the demands of her husband. According to Mrs. Baker's story he threatened to kill her by throwing her out of the third story window.

This conduct on the part of her husband grated upon her nerves and she indignantly said to her husband, "Too much sir, is enough," and with this she left him.

WINKS BREAK UP HOME

Wife Accuses Spouse of Making Love to Another Woman

Because her husband winked at a young woman named "Eva" Mrs. Ollie D. Hill was released from her life's contract with James D. Hill, on the grounds of desertion and failure to provide.

Mrs. Hill says her husband informed her he was about to take a long journey in search of work. Mrs. Hill congratulated her spouse upon his worthy plan, never dreaming that he was in the north making love.

All changed, however, in the Hill home at Chatworth Park when she received a letter from her spouse saying: "You will never see me again."

Soon after having received the note Mrs. Hill proceeded to investigate, whereupon Hill became morose and said to his wife in a letter: "Don't trouble me—I have troubles of my own."

Mrs. Hill says her husband winked so hard and fast in the presence of "Eva" that the girl fell in love with him and in order to prove her devotion offered to commit suicide.

All of this was communicated to Mrs. Hill by letter and yesterday she put in a plea for freedom.

Sue for Decree

Divorce proceedings were filed in the superior court yesterday by Mrs. Ella G. Magoon against her husband, Orr C. Magoon, and Mrs. Maud Bettmer against her husband, Louis Bettmer.

GAS TRUST NOW HAS RIVAL

Independent Company Ready to Lay Mains

The Independent Gas company has announced that it will open downtown offices in a short time. In connection with the offices a store, supplied with a great variety of gas consuming appliances, will be fitted up.

The company makes the statement that all obstructions, legal and otherwise, have been removed and that it now proposes to begin the systematic and extensive laying of gas mains to all parts of the city.

An officer of the company said yesterday: "We propose to give the citizens of Los Angeles such a quality of gas and service as cannot possibly be obtained from any other source, controlling as we do patent appliances and methods of gas delivery, as well as the most superior process of manufacturing gas and solid smokeless fuel."

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POLICE START CRUSADE AGAINST RESORTS OF VICE

Many Are Arrested and Only One Able to Furnish Amount of Bail Demanded

As a result of the first steps in a crusade inaugurated by the police against houses of ill repute and against the persons who live from the revenue thus derived, twenty-six men and women appeared in Justice Chamber's court yesterday morning and answered to the charge of vagrancy. Two of the men and two women pleaded guilty but the others demanded jury trials.

The trials were set for the latter part of April and the bail in each case was fixed at \$500. Heretofore the bail has been fixed at only \$50, and as a result the bail was generally forfeited and the accused failed to appear to face the charge.

Although several representatives of the red light district appeared with money, to go on the bonds of the accused, they had not reckoned upon the new order of the court and only one man was able to secure funds in sufficient amount to obtain his release.

The police are holding as evidence a sack of opium pipes which were taken from the rooms in which the men and women were arrested.

More arrests are expected and the men of the class wanted are said to be departing from the city. Late yesterday afternoon May Davenport, the keeper of the Arlington house, was arrested on the charge of keeping a disorderly house and taken to jail. She was released on bail.

The chief of police said yesterday that all men and women of this class are to be prosecuted to the full extent of the law regardless of any political influence brought to bear in their favor.

CASTILIANS CELEBRATE CONQUEST OF GRANADA

Society of Our Lady of Covadonga Commemorates Spain's Great Victory

The Society of Our Lady of Covadonga gave a velada literaria and merienda last evening in the historical hall of the Church of Our Lady of Angels in honor of the anniversary of the conquest of Granada. The rooms, with their interesting relics of pueblo days, presented a pretty appearance, being decorated with Spanish and American flags, carnations and evergreens. The rooms were lighted by old-fashioned candelabra and candles.

Covers were laid for seventy-two persons, the tables being elaborately decorated in the prevailing color scheme. The menu was composed of typical Spanish dishes of the old regime.

Rev. J. Caballeria, pastor of the church, made an address, saying in part: "There is nothing that gives me so much pleasure as to see this gathering of people, who have the same ideals of God, the Father, and the country. The sacrifices of our religion imposes much upon us. For our country we have noble sentiments of patriotism, with the desire to strengthen the relations between America and the Spanish world."

An interesting program was rendered, entirely in Spanish. One feature of the evening was the reception of Miss Reynolds, a prominent young American girl of Los Angeles, as the first honorary member of the society. Miss Reynolds is an accomplished Spanish scholar. She read a paper last evening on the Spanish language.

BURGLAR'S PRESENCE IS DISCOVERED BY BOY

Robber Succeeds in Escaping After Man of the House is Aroused

A burglar entered the residence of A. M. Thatcher, 1123 Lakeshore avenue, early Thursday morning and secured \$38 from a purse before being frightened away by the owner.

The robbery occurred shortly after midnight and to the fact that Mr. Thatcher's twelve-year-old son sleeps lightly the father probably owes the safety of the contents of the home.

The boy was awakened by a slight noise in his room. He listened and thought that he could distinguish the sound of some one breathing and he called softly, "Papa, is that you?" There was no answer and the boy shouted to his father and mother, who occupied an adjoining room: "Papa, have you or mama been in my room?" The father became suspicious and went to the boy's room.

As he entered, a man dashed past him and ran down the front steps and out the door. The purse with the \$38 was the only article missing, although a quantity of clothing had been prepared for removal.

INCORPORATIONS

Western Fish and Oyster company. Directors: A. H. Seebold, Laura Seebold, Theodore W. Hill, J. F. Burns and William Faber. Capital stock \$25,000, paid in \$10,000.

The Mechanics' club. Directors: G. J. Schott, Charles Monroe, Barney Henderson, N. Salvatori and G. Sarina of Los Angeles. No capital stock.

Cured of a Stomach Trouble Henry L. Shattuck of Shellburg, Iowa, was cured of a stomach trouble with which he had been afflicted for years, by four boxes of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He had previously tried many other remedies and a number of physicians without any permanent relief.

The Lands of Tables. The Grand Canyon country is the biggest and most varied and instructive example on earth of erosion. It is the Mesa country—the land of tables. Nowhere else on the foot of the table is there such an example of deep-gnawing water or of water high-carrying, with thin lava tablelands on tables 100 feet high.

See it on the Santa Fe excursions, February 11th and 22nd, to Grand Canyon; \$5.00 round trip from Southern California and \$3.00 from north of Bakersfield. Full information at Santa Fe offices.

F. E.—New hotel "El Tovar" is open.

ASSERT JUROR WAS PREJUDICED

ATTORNEY TO ASK NEW TRIAL FOR CARPENTER

Another Member of the Jury Accused of Being Asleep While the Case Was Being Tried

Charging certain jurors with improper conduct, C. M. Carpenter, the officer formerly connected with the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, who was recently convicted by a jury in Judge Smith's court of the crime of manslaughter for having killed Christian David Frey at a cocking main May 1, hopes to secure a new trial.

Affidavits containing charges were filed yesterday by Attorneys Earl Rogers and Luther Brown, and Monday they will present arguments on their motion for a new trial.

The first affidavit is sworn to by N. W. Zimmer, chief officer of the society, who says that January 31, while at Sunland in this county, at which place L. T. Rowley, the foreman of the jury which convicted Carpenter, lives, he was informed it was the common talk of that vicinity that Rowley had on numerous occasions after the trial of the case boasted of what he had done in Los Angeles as a juror in the Carpenter case.

Zimmer asserts it was common talk at Sunland that Rowley had boasted he had more to do with the conviction of Carpenter than had any other person.

Zimmer Makes Affidavit

In another affidavit, sworn to by the chief humane officer, he declares that on November 23, in company with A. J. Little, Mrs. N. W. Zimmer and Miss Elizabeth Muller, he went to Sunland for the purpose of investigating certain complaints that had been made to the society concerning the stock owned by Rowley.

In his affidavit Zimmer says the party investigated the stock owned by the foreman of the Carpenter jury and found ten cattle, in a poor and emaciated condition.

Zimmer says he informed Rowley of the result of his investigation, and at that time he says Rowley admitted he was working a maimed horse.

On this occasion it appears the officers told Rowley to give the lame horse a vacation, besides ordering him to feed his stock.

The officer also says Rowley testified in the court room that he was unacquainted with any officers of the Humane society, which statement Zimmer characterizes as false.

According to Zimmer's affidavit it appears he again visited Rowley's place at Sunland January 31, at which time the officer claims Rowley acted in defiance of his request to provide sustenance for his cattle.

The affiant asserts that Rowley has at all times since the investigation of the alleged starving condition of his cattle borne an ill will and ill feeling against the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Says Juror Slept

William M. Appel has sworn to an affidavit in which he says he was present during the trial of Carpenter, and that during the examination of one of the witnesses in the last part of the trial his attention was called to a juror named Kilburn, who, according to the statement made by Appel, was asleep.

Appel says that Kilburn was aroused by Deputy Sheriff Bert Franklin, who stepped to the judge's bench and spoke to Judge Smith, and immediately afterwards walked over toward the jurors' box, got a glass of water, and stepping around Kilburn's seat, touched him on the arm.

Appel says the other jurors noticed this movement on the part of the deputy sheriff and smiled.

Mrs. Elizabeth Muller, the secretary of the society, also swears to an affidavit in which she relates an investigation of Rowley's cattle in the month of November last.

Officer A. J. Little, one of the party conducting the investigation of Rowley's stock, also swears to an affidavit, in which he charges Rowley with undue defiance to the dictates of the officers touching the proper care of his stock.

Ex-Governor Gage, as special counsel for the prosecution, was served with copies of the affidavits yesterday. Unless Judge Smith grants Carpenter a new trial, the convicted man will be sentenced Monday at the conclusion of the arguments on the affidavits filed yesterday.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS PRESENT CLASS PLAY

Clever Entertainment by Members of Senior B at the Grand Opera House

Rip—rap—rive—'8 '95! Chick—chek, Kni—knie, Ki—yi—yi!

The auditorium of the Grand opera house was bright with gay colors and waving pennants yesterday afternoon in honor of senior B class of the Los Angeles high school, which presented a clever farce written by two of its members, Miss Leslie Stose and Mowatt Mitchell.

The play was called "A Catalina Complication" and was a burlesque on several of the members of the senior A class. The students who took part in it went through with their lines in a manner almost professional and showed the results of careful drill. Miss Leslie Stose, who played the

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leading woman's part, was the life of the farce, and Mowatt Mitchell as Don Carrington was enthusiastically applauded. The class sang a number of songs, all written by the members. The "Wish We Were the Faculty" song was a great success.

RUNAWAY CAUSES PANIC IN BUSINESS DISTRICT

Lives of Pedestrians Endangered by the Wild Flight of a Bucking Bronco

A bucking bronco, with a delivery wagon attached, descended upon the business section of Los Angeles yesterday morning shortly before noon and caused a general panic among carriages, automobiles and bicycles, while pedestrians deserted the streets and turned over the business district to the frisky animal.

The horse and wagon belonged to the Crescent Cream company, and in its wild flight the animal carried a ten-pound iron weight attached to the bit. The horse dashed down the grade from West Second and Hill streets, narrowly missing an express team which was passing south on Broadway.

The animal continued east on Second street to South Spring street. At the corner a southbound car had stopped and a number of women were alighting. The animal dashed straight toward the car and the women fled in panic. Instead of dashing into the car the bronco reared on its hind legs and turned south on Spring, swinging a semi-circle and narrowly escaping several pedestrians.

As the horse recovered from the turn and stretched out for a long run on South Spring, a young man dashed from the crowd, and without even dropping an umbrella which he carried in his hand, he reached out and jerked the animal from its feet.

The young man gave his name as J. G. Slatter and turned the horse and wagon over to the police.

MAY FIND ROOM FOR THREE NEW COURTS

The absorbing topic of the day in legal circles is the location of the three additional departments of the superior court, which were authorized recently by an act of the legislature.

The establishment of the new courts in rented buildings, as suggested by a number of attorneys several days ago, meets with little, if any, favor among members of the Los Angeles bar association, and the judges of the superior court, district attorney, county clerk, sheriff and other officers yesterday declared that the courts should be located under the roof of the county court house.

The district attorney says he will give up his office on the fourth floor of the court house in order to make way for the new court rooms.

It is also suggested that the offices of the county superintendent of schools and the county surveyor be moved to other quarters.

Then again, it is suggested that the township courts be moved to another building in close proximity to the court house.

Judge Allen insists that departments five and six should be remodeled, in which event two court rooms could easily be added to the third floor quota of courts.

Newspaper Man Drowned

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—The body of Horace Briggs, at one time president of the Empire club and a well-known newspaper man of this city, has been found in the San Joaquin river, near Sherman Island. Briggs, who had been missing since January 3, is supposed to have met with an accident on a hunting trip, as the skiff in which he was last seen was found empty and adrift on the river. The deceased was a native of San Francisco, 50 years of age.

Earthquake in Central Asia

By Associated Press. ST PETERSBURG, Feb. 2.—Two severe earthquake shocks were felt at 10:15 this morning at Andijan, province of Ferghana, Central Asia.

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