

LOOK ASKANCE AT GARBAGE BURNERS

COUNCIL COMMITTEE HEARS TECHNICALITIES

Good Points of Incinerators, Creamatories, Destructors, Etc., Discussed but No Action Taken

Garbage and how to get rid of it is the question with which the committee appointed by the council to investigate ways and means for disposing of the refuse have been wrestling, and they met yesterday to adjourn several hours later without deciding on any definite action.

The city clerk advertised for bids for the construction of a garbage consumer or destroyer, with a capacity of 200 tons a day, on the 1st of March, bids to be in by the 12th. The claim has been made that this did not give eastern contractors sufficient time in which to consider the subject, and several pleas for delay have been made.

At the meeting yesterday the committee wrestled with "destructors," "incinerators," "creamatories" and other things, all the time wondering what the difference between them was.

A. Benham, representing P. F. Dundon of the San Francisco Iron works in the interest of the "Meldrom Destructor," explained the workings of his machine, showing how it burned the garbage by using the gases which the garbage itself contained, and with the heat thus generated developed steam at the ratio of 75 horsepower per ton of garbage burned. He requested time in which to submit a proposition, and also offered to pay the expenses of anyone the committee should name to England and return, in order that the "destructor" might be seen in actual operation, some 200 of them having been installed there. He also stated that in a few months one would be installed on the coast, and it would be open to investigation. Benham offered to build a destructor of sufficient size to burn the garbage of Los Angeles at the present time for approximately \$30,000, while the big plant would cost about \$70,000.

The Decarey incinerator was represented. This company had filed its bid of \$70,864 and the required certificate check on the 12th, and the agent appeared to think that the contract should be given to him. His proposition was to build a plant capable of burning 200 tons of garbage a day practically without fuel at an expense of 35 cents a ton.

Attorney S. A. Simons appeared before the committee as the representative of C. Leonard, and urged the committee to go slow until more firms could be heard from. He did not divulge the name of the machine he wanted to install, but hinted that it was something in the nature of a soap factory, which should make use of the by-products of the garbage which was being destroyed and which would be lost in the other methods.

D. T. Donegan wanted a chance to build an old-style crematory for the city.

The committee took the subject under consideration, and action may be taken at the next meeting.

BALLERINO IS SUED FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES

Ex-Crib King Defendant in Action for \$6000 Fees Brought by E. L. Hutchison

The legal troubles of Bartolo Ballerino, the ex-crib king, were renewed yesterday in Judge Trask's department of the superior court, when he was called upon to defend a civil action for \$6000 attorney's fees, brought against him by Attorney "Eli" Hutchison.

Attorneys Homer Millsap and W. A. Martin are looking after the interests of Attorney Hutchison, while Ballerino is represented by Attorney George S. Hupp.

The plaintiff asks the jury to award him \$5930 for professional services alleged to have been rendered during the past two years, and in a bill of particulars filed in connection with the suit the services alleged to have been rendered are specified with exactness.

Hutchison was one of Ballerino's attorneys at the time of the campaign against the red light district, when Ballerino was arrested and punished.

The services alleged to have been rendered also embrace a number of consultations relative to the title to a strip of land in the old crib district.

In the bill of particulars it is also noted that Hutchison defended a number of women, who occupied the cribs on Los Angeles and Alameda streets.

Attorney Hutchison testified at great length yesterday in relation to the services. The case is being tried before a jury and it is expected that the trial will consume several days.

A CROWN OF GLORY

As Well as a Mark of Beauty Is Luxurious Hair

It has been truly said that the crowning glory of our race is a luxuriant head of hair.

It used to be thought that this was one of the blessings which the gods bestow capriciously, and it is only recently that scientists have discovered that its beauty is dependent upon the absence of a minute germ which flourishes in the hair follicles, where it destroys the life of the hair.

To restore this life and kill the germs which cause the mischief is the mission of Newbro's Herpicide.

Herpicide surely kills the germs, and is the best hair dressing on the market.

It contains no grease or oil, neither will it stain or dye.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

Observation Parlor Cars

Basement Bargains

- Crystala, a substitute for soap. Bargain-Friday, 6 cakes for..... 25c
- Black satin stove polish; a superior polish for all kinds of iron ware; regular price 25c. Bargain-Friday..... 19c
- Wire egg or cream whips; regular price 3c. Bargain-Friday, each..... 1c
- Decorated German china breakfast plates; large assortment to choose from; regular price 35c. On sale from 1 to 3 o'clock Friday; no telephone or mail orders, each..... 10c
- Hard wood clothes pins; good size; well finished. Bargain-Friday, the dozen..... 1c

Remnant Bulletin

- 6c Apron Gingham, yard..... 35c
- 7 1/2c Outing Flannel, yard..... 3c
- 10c Outing Flannel, yard..... 7c
- 12 1/2c Heavy Fleece Outing, yard..... 8 1-3c
- 8 1-3c Bookfold Percale, yard..... 5 1/2c
- 12 1/2c Camble Muslin, yard..... 6c
- 10c Spring Gingham, yard..... 7c
- 12 1/2c Colored Organdy, yard..... 7 1/2c
- 12 1/2c Corled Percale, yard..... 8 1-3c
- 12 1/2c Bates Seersucker, yard..... 9c
- 15c Basket Weave Outing, yard..... 9c
- 20c Kimono Flannel, yard..... 12 1/2c
- 25c Tissue Gingham, yard..... 12 1/2c
- 35c Cotton Sating, yard..... 31 1/2c
- 30c Wool Mixed Flannel, yard..... 15c

Linens

- Cream table damask with openwork border; worth 60c; wanted lengths. Bargain-Friday, the yard..... 50c
- Pure white table damask; worth 35c; lengths 1 1/2 to 3 yds. Bargain-Friday, yd..... 29c
- Turkey red table damask; short lengths; worth 35c. Bargain-Friday, the yard..... 25c
- All-linen crash; worth 3c a yard; Bargain-Friday, lengths of 5 yards for..... 40c
- Checked glass toweling; good quality; Bargain-Friday, lengths of 3 yards..... 22c

Men's Suits \$4.49

Worth \$8.50 and \$10. Men's suits, made from good wool tweeds and chevots; excellent colors; neat patterns; well tailored suits in a good assortment of sizes; odds and ends from our regular \$8.50 and \$10 lines. Bargain-Friday, \$4.49.

Coat and Vest for \$2.48. Odd coats and vests, of all-wool materials; sizes for men of nearly all builds; these are remnants from \$10 and \$12.50 suits. Bargain-Friday, coat and vest for \$2.48.

Men's Khaki Suits 75c. Men's khaki suits, made from good grade cloth; small sizes only; coat and pants; worth \$2.00. Bargain-Friday, 75c.

Men's \$2.00 Vests \$1.00. Men's odd vests, of all-wool worsteds and tweeds; neat patterns; all sizes; vests actually worth \$2.00. Friday, each, \$1.00.

Men's Felt Hats 98c. Men's hats, of good fur felt; best of shapes; silk bands and bindings; good colors; plenty of sizes; values up to \$2.00. Bargain-Friday, each, 98c.

25c Cloth Caps 11c. Cloth caps, in golf, yacht and Bob Roy shapes; sizes and styles for both men and boys; made from good wool materials; neat colors and excellent patterns; regular 25c value. Bargain-Friday, 11c each.

WIDOW UPHOLDS HUSBAND'S HONOR

MRS. BELL TAKES STAND IN HER OWN BEHALF

Says She First Saw Ella Bell Goldenrod at the Trial—Marriage Once Delayed, She Testifies

Determined to raise the cloud of discredit which has been thrust on the name of Nathaniel Bell, who died in Los Angeles May 22, 1899, Mrs. Susan W. Bell, the widow of the deceased, opened her fight yesterday in the superior court to preserve the honor of the deceased and to win the big prize which is involved in the case.

In this connection the judge of the court which tried the murderer will come to Los Angeles for the purpose of testifying to the facts alleged by the defendant.

It is alleged that one of Librado Valencia Bell's admirers shot down in cold blood a rival for her affections, and a history of his alleged duel will be brought to the attention of the court.

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Continuing in his examination the attorney said: "If Mr. Bell did have any family before he married you, you don't know whether the plaintiff in this case was a member of that family, do you?"

"I don't know of any such family," nervously replied Mrs. Bell.

She told the court that she had seen the name of "Ella Bell" signed to a letter written to her deceased husband, and she even ventured to answer on cross-examination that she once heard that her husband had lived with a Mexican woman prior to their marriage.

The deposition of Juan Amador, a member of a well-known law firm at Ciudad Juarez, Mex., and formerly assistant attorney general of Mexico, was read before the court and made a part of the record in the case.

By the depositions which have been taken in the case the defense expects to prove that the petitioner's mother led a double life, and in this connection a story of murder will be injected into the proceedings.

Bargain-Friday No. 275



25c Hair Ornaments 15c

Side combs, back combs, hair retainers and pompadour combs; both shell and amber effects; some of them gold mounted; special 25c values. Bargain-Friday, 2 for 25c, or each 15c.

98c Fruit Knives 69c Set

Triple silver-plated fruit knives; fancy designs; set of six, packed in silk-lined box; worth regularly 98c. Bargain-Friday, the set, 69c.

\$1.00 Hand Bags 69c

10-inch leather bags; black or brown; riveted frames and braided leather handles; patent clasps; fitted inside with coin purse; bags well worth \$1.00. Friday, each, 69c.

Fancy Dress Gingham 10c

About 50 pieces of fine dress gingham; good styles; most of them extra width; actual values from 15c to 25c. Bargain-Friday, the yard, 10c.

6c Apron Gingham 3 1/2c

Good quality apron gingham, small, medium and broken checks; blue, brown and green; worth regularly 6c. Bargain-Friday, the yard, 3 1/2c.

Drug Department

- Powdered alum, full pound package; worth 7c regularly 10c. Bargain-Friday..... 7c
- Celluloid dressing combs; black, white and colors; good size; worth 25c. Bargain-Friday..... 17c
- Celluloid hand mirrors to match above combs; good size; nicely finished; worth regularly 23c each..... 17c
- Hair brushes with good bristles and celluloid backs of various colors; worth regularly \$1.00. Bargain-Friday, each..... 73c
- Dickenson's best double distilled witch hazel; 16 ounce bottles; regular price 25c. Bargain-Friday..... 17c
- Heat quality pure glycerine; 2-oz. bottles; regular price 10c. Bargain-Friday..... 7c
- Pure sulphur; pound package; regular price 10c. Bargain-Friday..... 7c

10c Cambric Muslin 6 1/2c

Good quality cambric muslin; 36 inches wide; lengths from 1 to 10 yards; a bargain at 10c. Not more than 10 yards to a customer. Bargain-Friday, the yard, 6 1/2c.

Checked Nainsook 4 1/2c

Good quality white checked nainsook; excellent for children's dresses; worth regularly 6 1/2c. Bargain-Friday, the yard, 4 1/2c.

Notions for Friday

- White or black tape; three assorted widths; 3-yard bolts Friday for..... 1c
- Marshall's linen thread; black or unbleached; all numbers; 100 yds. to spool. Bargain-Friday..... 2c
- Toilet pins; assorted sizes; jet heads and perfect points; Friday, the box..... 1c
- Hat pins, black or white heads; all lengths; Friday, the dozen..... 3c
- White basting thread; all numbers; 600 yard spools; Friday for..... 3c
- Costs' darning cotton; black, white and all colors; Friday, the spool..... 1 1/2c
- White pearl buttons; six different sizes; Bargain-Friday, the dozen..... 1c

Wool Dress Goods 25c Yd.

Lengths 1 1/2 to 8 Yards Values Up to \$1.50. 500 remnants of wool dress goods; crepe de Paris, all-wool albatross, etamine, Scotch mixtures, homespun, henrietas, cashmeres, mohairs and other wanted weaves; widths from 36 to 54 inches; good assortment of colors and patterns; lengths from 1 1/2 to 8 yards; values up to \$1.50 the yard; choice Bargain-Friday, 25c the yard.

Black mohair Steellian; silk finish; alike on both sides; for skirts, waists and full suits; 63c 52 inches wide; worth 95c. Friday, yard..... 63c

Silk Remnants 37c

Good Values at \$1.50. 800 remnants of plain and fancy silks; Louisines, taffetas, foulards, satins, brocaded silks, poplins, Japanese wash silks, etc. Both colors and black; widths from 19 to 27 inches wide; lengths from 1 1/2 to 12 yards; silks worth regularly from 69c to \$1.50. Bargain-Friday, the yard, 37c.

Odd Lace Curtains 49c Ea.

Worth Up to \$3.00 a Pair. Odd lace curtains, 45 to 50 inches wide; 3 to 3 1/2 yards long; these are single curtains only; some of them would be worth in pairs \$3.00. Bargain-Friday, while they last, 49c each.

Good white Nottingham lace curtains, 45 inches wide and 3 yards long; floral and scroll border; curtains worth regularly \$1.25. Bargain-Friday, the pair..... 98c

Fancy rope portieres for openings of from 3 to 6 feet wide and up to 8 feet high; two-tone effects and combinations in the very best 98c of colors; portieres worth \$2.00. Friday, each..... 98c

10c Brass Curtain Rods 5c

Brass extension curtain rods; with ball ends; made to extend to 44 inches; complete with fixtures; worth regularly 10c. Bargain-Friday, each, 5c.

Fancy white curtain swiss in stripes and dots; yard wide; just the thing for making sash curtains, etc.; worth 12 1/2c. Bargain-Friday, the yard..... 7 1/2c

Japanese Floor Matting 18c

Carpet Patterns—Worth 30c. Linen warp Japanese floor matting in fancy carpet patterns of red, blue and green; fine straw; closely woven; mattings worth regularly 25c and 30c. Bargain-Friday, 18c a yard.

Carpet Samples, 1 Yard Square, 25c

Manufacturers' samples of pretty union ingrain carpets; these are one yard square; just the right size for rugs and door mats; new patterns; good colors; carpeting worth regularly 50c a yard. Bargain-Friday, each, 25c.

Women's Shoes \$1.48

And Oxfords \$2.50 Values. Women's shoes and oxfords; good styles and plenty of sizes; bright patent coltskin; fine glaze kid and other wanted leathers; light, flexible soles or heavy extension soles; Cuban and military heels; all sizes in the lot; excellent \$2.50 values. Friday, the pair, \$1.48.

\$1.50 Sandals 98c. Women's strap sandals; fine glaze kid or patent leather; hand-turned soles; plain dress toes; leather and French heels; 1 and 2-strap effects; suitable for house or street wear; fair assortment of sizes; \$1.50 values. Friday, the pair, 98c.

Children's \$1.50 Shoes 75c. An assorted lot of children's shoes, vic kid, bright patent coltskin and box calf; both lace and button styles; some with light flexible soles, others with heavy extension soles; stylish, comfortable lasts; sizes 5 to 8; \$1.50 values. Friday morning, the pair, 75c.

\$2.50 Shoes and Oxfords \$1.48

Sizes 1 to 5 1-2, for Boys. Boys' shoes and oxfords of vic kid, patent coltskin and tan Russia calf; both lace and blucher styles with welled extension soles; sizes 1 to 5 1/2; these are mostly manufacturers' samples; excellent values up to \$2.50. Bargain-Friday, \$1.48.

8 1/3c Dress Gingham 5c. Fine quality dress gingham in neat stripes; absolutely fast color; regular 8 1-3c quality. Bargain-Friday, the yard, 5c.



CONTRACTOR CRUSHED TO DEATH BY CAR

Struck and Thrown Under Wheels of Griffin Avenue Coach

S. T. Bremner, a contractor, aged 60 years, was killed last evening at 6:45 at the intersection of Main and Seventh streets, by a Griffith avenue car.

Two witnesses of the fatality say Bremner, who appeared to be intoxicated, walked into the street evidently for the purpose of boarding the approaching car. He stood too near the track and was struck on the back of the head and partly thrown under the wheels. One leg was severed. Death was almost instantaneous. The body was removed to the Breeze Bros' undertaking rooms where Coroner Trout took charge of the remains and arranged for the holding of the inquest at 11 o'clock today.

From papers found on the body it was ascertained that Bremner had lived in Los Angeles for several months and had a room at 729 Wall street. His home was believed to have been at Knoblock, St. Francis county, Mo., or at 3255 Manchester avenue, St. Louis, Mo., at both of which places he was the owner of property. Telegrams were forwarded last night to ascertain what disposition should be made of the body. The deceased was a member of the A. O. U. W. Receipts for dues show that the last monthly payment for \$1000 life insurance was fifty cents, paid in February. There was also found on the body a bank book showing that Bremner had \$100 on deposit in a Los Angeles bank.

BRISTOW HAS PRAISE FOR SAN PEDRO HARBOR

Government Commissioner Declares the Port Has Brilliant Future in Business Way

Joseph L. Bristow, special commissioner for the president, will leave this morning for San Diego accompanied by his private secretary. Thence he will take a steamer for San Francisco.

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While attempting to cross in front of a rapidly moving car of the Sixteenth street line yesterday morning, Henry Renard, a laundry teamster, was thrown to the ground and painfully injured. He was sent to the receiving hospital where he was found to be suffering from concussion of the brain.

TO INVESTIGATE CHARITIES

M. & M. Association Will Make Inquiries

Adam Fridham, C. H. Plummer and H. W. Frank were named as a special committee to act on the report of Secretary Zeehandelaar submitted at the meeting of the directors of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association held yesterday. While in the northern part of the state recently the secretary investigated the manner of dispensing public charities in San Francisco and other cities. The method as reported seemed to meet the approval of the directors. The committee will submit a revised plan for endorsement.

The board endorsed the plan of the Temple Auditorium association arranged for erection of the proposed building.

The resolution passed by the Outdoor Art and Civic federation in relation to the collection of garbage was endorsed.

It was voted to arrange for an informal banquet to be given by the members of the association during the month of April, and acting president, M. H. Newmark, appointed L. J. Christopher, P. W. Weidner, J. L. Matheson, M. A. Hamburger and F. A. Hines as members of the permanent banquet committee.

The following were elected members of the association: Ralston Realty company, Alpine Farm and Dairy company, R. A. Rowan & Co., Broadway Drapery and Furniture company, Del Monte Milling company and Albert Cohen.

BURGLARS BREAK OPEN CASH BOX WITH HATCHET

Thieves, Unable to Open Register, Smash It—Get Nothing for Their Trouble

A novel burglary was reported at police headquarters yesterday morning by A. C. Winters, proprietor of the Denver meat market and a leading member of the Central Avenue Improvement association.

According to the assertion of Winters, burglars entered his place of business, located on the corner of Adams street and Central avenue, late Wednesday night by breaking two padlocks off the back door of the place. They then went to the cash register and attempted to rifle it. The machine was of modern make and could not be opened, whereupon the intruders took the register out in the back yard of the shop and opened it with a hatchet. The register was empty and the burglars were uncompensated for their trouble.

SHOPLIFTER PLEADS GUILTY

Mrs. Mary McAllister, who was arrested by Officers Walsh and McNamara Wednesday night on a charge of taking a hat from a South Broadway millinery store, pleaded guilty to a petty larceny charge yesterday in Justice Chambers court. This prisoner will be sentenced this morning.

ARBOR DAY POSTPONED

On account of the continued storm Arbor day exercises have been postponed indefinitely by the committee in charge. Announcement of the date will be made next week.

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CHASED "SPOOKS" AT NIGHT

Insane Patient at County Hospital Arouses Fellow Inmates

Laboring under the delusion that he owned a controlling interest in the Salt Lake Railroad company, George W. Hart was examined yesterday in the superior court on the charge of insanity.

While actuated by his visionary ideas of wealth Hart disturbed the peace and quiet of the railroad officials, many of whom he ordered from the premises of the company.

Among his peculiar delusions was the imaginary visit to his bedside of queer shaped "spooks," which he told the court he generally chased away with a broom.

It appears from the testimony that "spooks" have appeared before Hart in his dreams while confined in the insane ward at the county hospital, and to show his utter disgust for the alleged supernatural beings he has aroused the inmates of the ward by his wild antics in pursuit of the visions.

After a brief examination Judge Wilbur committed Hart to an asylum.

Verse by an Indian

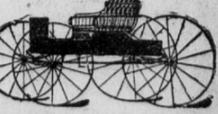
Richard C. Adams of Dewey, I. T., hereditary chief of the Delaware Indians and a member of the Sons of the American Revolution by virtue of his descent from Chief White Eyes, who aided Washington, has published a volume of poems on the ancient religion of the Delaware. In some verses entitled "Views of the Life Hereafter" the writer gives his conception of the white man's heaven as follows:

"The white man has a heaven For those who heed the laws, And threaten with due vengeance All who deny his cause; But, to make heaven enticing, His fellow-men are told The very streets of heaven Are paved with bricks of gold."

\$3.00 HATS Reduced to \$2.50

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