

SCOTT SCOOT'S OFF BUT HUSTLES BACK

GOES FOR BREATH OF DESERT AIR

CHARTERS A SPECIAL TRAIN

Rewards Members of the Train Crew With Gold Pieces—Plenty of Money, He Says

Special to The Herald. SAN BERNARDINO, June 26.—Walter Scott, the Death Valley miner suddenly appeared at Barstow tonight and wanted a special train to Los Angeles. He had the cash to pay for the trip and was accommodated, after he had refused to allow his car to be coupled to the rear end of a special train of officials. He said he had the cash to pay for a special and he wanted it, and he got it. A short stop was made here, when he presented every member of the crew handling his train with gold coins. The train made the run from here to Los Angeles in less than one and one-half hours.

Scott faded away some time early Sunday morning, after a period of enjoyment in which one of his boon companions of the last roundup in Los Angeles tried to convince him that every light on Broadway was a comet.

Yesterday the Lankershim received a telegram from him which was filed at Colton and gave instructions to "keep baggage and hold mail" for him.

The last command they are attempting to fulfill with gunny sacks. There was a tremendous amount of mail Sunday for the cowboy millionaire and yesterday saw no diminution.

Callers and telephone queries have almost disgusted the desk clerk with his position and it was with a sigh of relief yesterday that he announced the departure of the spender.

Incidentally a number of those who have been drinking champagne during the past six days, and smoking cigars at a dollar apiece, will now go back again to just plain beer and Bull Durham with papers gratis.

CITY ATTORNEY REPORTS ON TIMES PRINTING

Councilmen Ask for More Information Before Deciding the Question

The city attorney reported to the council yesterday his findings in the investigation of the charges regarding the city printing in the Times which had been referred to him. The council sent the report back for a more explicit one.

The attorney explained the legal status of the case in phrases which some of the councilmen declared were not clear to one not a lawyer. The question of possibility of setting fourteen line agate to the inch was taken into consideration and it was stated that if this was impossible the charges were false. Experts have held that agate type cannot be set fourteen lines to the inch and that if the type is trimmed it ceases to be agate.

Mutual misunderstanding was also discussed and according to the report if both parties to the contract believed that thirteen lines were called for the charges were not good. An investigation of the advertised specifications shows that thirteen lines to the inch were what the bid was submitted upon.

RAIDS ALLEGED LOTTERY, ARRESTING TWO PERSONS

Police Surprise Inhabitants of Headquarters of Shang Hai Company on Second Street

The supposed proprietors of the Shang Hai Lottery company, with headquarters at Second and San Pedro streets, were surprised and arrested last night by Officers Ingram and Boyd. The time for the raid was fixed a few moments before the drawing and, as several dozens of interested Chinese stood around, their gazes wandering from the minute hand of a large clock to the numbers on their tickets, the blow fell.

There was a sudden scattering of Chinese and a flutter of discarded lottery tickets. Wo Ching, said to be the president of the company, was placed under arrest, and Ed. Cunningham, who explained to Officer Boyd how he would surely draw a "ten spot," fared likewise.

SUFFERS BROKEN LEG IN SANTA MONICA PLUNGE

Los Angeles Painter Contractor Falls on Springboard and Meets With Serious Accident

Special to The Herald. SANTA MONICA, June 26.—Eugene Lantman, 32 years of age, a painting contractor who has charge of some work at Venice, met with a serious accident while bathing with a party of friends at the Santa Monica bath house.

Mr. Lantman started to dive from the springboard and in some unknown manner slipped and fell. His left thigh was broken and his brother and friends experienced considerable difficulty in getting the injured man out of the plunge.

Dr. Hamilton attended Mr. Lantman who was subsequently sent to his home in Los Angeles.

MEMBERS OF GRADUATING CLASS OF NORMAL SCHOOL WILL PRESENT "THE RIVALS"



MISS ZORAYDA TIMMONS, WHO WILL TAKE THE PART OF "JULIA," AND WILLIAM T. ROOT, WHO WILL PLAY "FAULKLAND"

"The Rivals" will be given by the graduating class of the State Normal school at the school auditorium this evening.

The proceeds will be added to the students' loan fund. The class has carefully prepared for this production.

The scenery will be loaned by one of the local theaters and the costumes also will be furnished free.

The cast of characters is as follows: Sir Anthony Absolute...Wm. A. Schwindt Capt. Jack Absolute...Edgar H. Duke Faulkland...William T. Root Bob Acres...John W. Nevius Sir Lucius O'Trigger...Otis A. Sharpe Fag...John R. Doyle

David...George L. Sandoz Boy...Edward Norton Thomas...R. Cary Groton Mrs. Malaprop...Vilia Augur Lydia Languish...B. Miriam Phillips Julia...Zorayda Timmons Lucy...Gertrude Burkhalter

The play will be preceded by a prologue of local hits, in which a large number of the students will take part.

DELAY IN PLANS FOR LIGHTING SPRING STREET

COUNCIL ORDERS ENTIRE ACTION RECONSIDERED

Disagreement Among Property Owners Over Connections Results in Postponement of All Proceedings. Kaspare Cohn One of Objectors

Despite the petition of the Spring Street Improvement association, representing nine-tenths of the property owners on that street, the city council yesterday ordered that all proceedings regarding the lighting of Spring street be reconsidered and a new system substituted.

Oscar Lawler appeared for Kaspare Cohn and two others to ask that the proceedings be abandoned and begun anew under a plan like the one used on Broadway.

The executive committee of the Spring Street Improvement association protested against this action, but the council by a vote of 5 to 4 decided to abandon the present proceedings and commence anew.

The three property owners represented by Lawler were objecting because the property owners on the street were being assessed for the connections as well as the lights. It was asserted by the other side that the majority of the property owners wanted their own connections.

The city attorney said the law under which the work was being done contemplated an assessment for connections as well as poles. Councilman Smith spoke in favor of continuing the proceedings, but five of his colleagues voted against him and now the city at large will be forced to pay for the connections through the medium of the corporation furnishing the light.

HEALY WINS PARTIAL VICTORY FOR LABORERS

Councilman Makes Hard Fight to Secure Increase in Pay of Employes

Councilman Barney Healy won a partial victory yesterday in his fight for higher pay for laborers in the employ of the city. The council voted to increase the pay of sewer flushers and gutter layers in the street department to \$3 per day.

Last week he secured the adoption of an ordinance granting the employes in the city parks an increase from \$2 to \$2.25 a day. He made a strong fight for the laborers in the street department to secure the same increase for them, but owing to the fact that the fiscal year ends July 1, at which time a new appropriation will be made for the street department, this increase has been held up until that appropriation is made.

RAILROAD MEN TO STUDY RAVAGES OF SALTON SEA

Local Officials of the Southern Pacific Leave on a Tour of Inspection

Superintendent H. V. Platt of the Southern Pacific, Assistant Superintendent T. C. McCaffery, Master Mechanic J. W. Small and Master Car Repairer J. B. Finley left Los Angeles yesterday morning by special train on a tour of inspection of the road south of here. Resident Engineer C. H. Ellison will meet the company at some point near Yuma and an inspection will then be made of the ravages of the new Salton sea.

The Salt Lake road will run two special tourist cars to Chicago tonight via their own line, the Union Pacific and the Northwestern.

FIRE DESTROYS WASHINGTON LUMBER COMPANY'S MILLS

By Associated Press. BELLINGHAM, Wash., June 26.—Fire today destroyed the mill of the Bellingham Lumber company at Geneva on Lake Whatcom, causing a loss of \$20,000. The insurance is small.

DETENTION HOSPITAL BIDS ARE CONSIDERED

Nine Buildings for the Care of Contagious Diseases Will Be Erected

Bids for the construction of the proposed detention hospital on the site of the present pest house were opened by the council yesterday.

Olaf Johnson offered to construct the nine buildings for \$53,330; John Nelson bid \$51,817; Child, Halten & Field \$53,400; Murphy & Cook, \$50,998; C. Anderson & Son, \$52,771; W. E. Thornton, \$51,875, and F. O. Engstrom, the same being the lowest, \$48,776.

E. D. Hough offered to install the heating plant for \$8200, while Thos. Hoverty's bid was \$10,750.

CHARGES EMBEZZLEMENT BY A TRUSTED EMPLOYE

Lewis C. Sheets Alleged to Be Short in His Accounts With Railroad

A complaint was sworn to by the representative of a surety company yesterday charging Lewis C. Sheets with being short in his accounts with the freight department of the Santa Fe railroad to the extent of \$2000.

Sheets has not been arrested and it is believed that he has left Los Angeles. His mother, who resides in Michigan, is wealthy, and it is believed that she will make good any shortage found in her son's accounts. He had been employed by the Santa Fe for many years.

OTHER CRIMES MAY BE CHARGED AGAINST WILLET

Police Endeavor to Locate Goods Believed to Have Been Stolen by Him

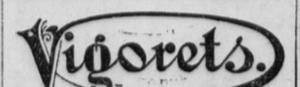
Since the arrest of Felix Willet, recently sentenced by Judge Smith to serve five years' imprisonment in Folsom prison, local detectives have searched several small towns and villages between Los Angeles and San Diego in the hopes of locating several articles supposed to have been stolen by him.

It was announced last night that they have met with considerable success and Detective Smith will start today to gather the stolen goods and bring them to Los Angeles.

SHIPMENTS ARE LIGHTER

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—One thousand cars less of deciduous fruit will be shipped this season from California to eastern points than last year, in the opinion of J. S. Leeds, manager of the Santa Fe refrigerator despatch.

"The Bartlett pear crop," said Mr. Leeds, "is about one-half what was expected. There is a good crop of peaches and the fruit is of an excellent quality. As for the plums, the crop is large and the fruit is exceedingly good. I should judge that there will in all be sent out of this state something like 5000 cars of green fruit against 6000 last year and 7500 the year before, but there is reason to believe that the prices in the east will be higher this year."



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THROWS DIAMOND AWAY IN FIT OF ABSTRACTION

UNCONSCIOUSLY TOSSES PIN INTO GUTTER

Cleveland Business Man Uses Expensive Ornament for Toothpick, Afterward Casting It Into Street Without Realizing What He's Doing

H. S. Munro, a business man of Cleveland, Ohio, staying at the Van Nuys, pulled a \$150 diamond scarf-pin from his tie last night and, when he had finished using it in lieu of a toothpick, absent-mindedly cast the sparkler into the gutter.

Munro, after spending the evening with a friend at the Belasco theater, preceding an hour at the Bristol grill, was on the way to his hotel when he unwittingly played the part of the moneyed prince.

At the south entrance to the Van Nuys he placed his hand to his cravat and instantly it came to him that five minutes before he had withdrawn the pin. He immediately retraced his steps to the place where he threw the pin in the gutter, but no diamond turned up after the hour's search.

Munro will advertise for the jewel today but has small hopes of its recovery.



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Heavy iron beds, handsome scroll designs; solid and substantial; several different designs from which to choose; best bed ever offered for the price; these come in blue and green. Today, on the third floor, drapery department, each, \$5.48.

\$3.00 Enameled Iron Beds \$1.98
Substantial iron beds, white or cream; neat and attractive; high scroll head and foot; a snap at \$3.00. Specially priced for today only, on the third floor, each, \$1.98.

\$2.50 Smyrna Rugs \$1.98
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Today we offer a line of heavy Smyrna rugs; reversible; 30 in. wide and 64 in. long; floral and oriental patterns in pretty color combinations; rugs of similar quality are priced about town at \$2.50 and \$3.00. Today, choice, \$1.98.

Tapestry Table Covers 25c
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Handsome table covers, 6-4 size, 48 inches square; pretty desirable colors; just the thing for beach cottages or rooming houses; a good 50c value. Priced for today only, each, 25c.

Heavy China Matting 15c
Always Sold for 25c

Good, heavy quality China matting; light or dark colors; good patterns; strong selvedge; a regular 25c matting. Find this on the third floor, drapery department, today only, the yard, 15c.

25c Japanese Matting 19c
Japanese matting, closely woven; extra good quality; all desirable colors; grade priced about town at 25c. Special, on the third floor, today, the yard, 19c.

30c and 40c Japanese Matting 25c
Closely woven Japanese matting, in both light and dark colors; in pretty floral designs; regular carpet patterns; you can't duplicate this matting about town under 30c and 40c. Here, today, on the third floor, the yard, 25c.

\$2.48 Arabian Curtains \$1.98
Just About 150 of These

Today we offer about 150 fine Arabian lace curtains; 45 to 50 inches wide and from 3 to 3 1/2 yards long; some with plain centers and corded borders, others in floral designs; curtains that sell ordinarily at \$3.00 a pair. Special today, on the third floor, drapery department, the pair, \$1.98.

Pretty Irish Point Curtains \$2.48
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Irish Point curtains in white or Arabian shades; fancy border effects with plain centers; 45 inches wide; 3 yards long; good, strong materials; well corded edges; never sold for less than \$4.50. Today, on the third floor, drapery department, the pair, \$2.48.

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