

CHASES BURGLAR OFF PREMISES

PASADENA CITIZEN AROUSED BY INTRUDER

KEY IS TURNED ON PURSUER

Holiday Makers Try Short Cut When Descending Mount Wilson, and Two of the Party Are Nearly Killed

Pasadena Agency, 114 East Colorado Street.

PASADENA, July 24.—F. B. Ogle, residing at Delacey and Valley streets, chased a burglar out of his house late last night, the intruder decamping without taking anything of value. Mr. Ogle was awakened by some one walking about in the room adjoining. He arose and proceeded to investigate. By the time he reached the room the burglar had run into the kitchen, where he was almost overtaken. From the fact that the door was locked, the key being in the lock, the intruder deftly turned, withdrew it and locked the door after him, thus preventing further pursuit. Entrance had been gained by removing a screen and raising a window.

By taking a cut-off in descending Mount Wilson last evening a party of Pasadena people met with a thrilling experience that almost proved disastrous to Dr. J. H. Steinman, who led the way. He missed his footing and fell fifteen feet before he was able to stay his progress by clinging to a projected rock. He was then on the edge of a trail blasted on the side of an abyss. Others in the party were J. R. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker, Mrs. Hastings and daughter, Mr. Simpson and Miss Nutt. One of the ladies also started on a sliding expedition down the mountain side, but managed to hold to a bush until rescued.

The annual report of E. A. Walker, retiring secretary of the school board, shows that the cost of maintaining Pasadena's public schools last year was more than \$150,000. There is now a cash balance of \$45,826.63 on hand.

A tree warden to look after and protect shade trees as well as other shrubs is advocated by the board of trade and an effort will be made to interest the city council in the matter. Dr. M. O. Randall, chairman of the board of trade committee on roads, is behind the movement and he will appear before the council tomorrow to ask the passage of a measure. Similar requests of the council have been made heretofore, but they have never been acted upon. Dr. Randall says one of his objects is to encourage tree planting and to provide for protection for those now in the community. Councilman Ashby is said to be in favor of city legislation along that line.

T. J. Hampton has taken out a permit to build an eight-room residence at 269 North Madison street to cost \$200.

Adolpho Prescidero fell from the second floor of the Goodrich building and landed on the joists below, sustaining severe bruises which will keep him from work for a few days.

Herman R. Hertel and Miss Anna Hertel have returned from Sulphur Mountain Springs. During his stay there Mr. Hertel gained the distinction of being one of the champion fishermen of the season.

Prof. George Hale went up to the observatory on Mount Wilson Sunday, going by way of the old trail.

Rev. Henry Staats of the North Congregational church today entered upon a two weeks' vacation. During his absence the pulpit will be filled by Rev. William Didge.

Pasadena Brevities

Frank J. Anderson's resignation as an engineer of the fire department was accepted by the board of commissioners at today's session. Theodore Skallerind, driver of the Dayton street chemical engine, also tendered his resignation, which was accepted. The board employed F. C. Carr as an extra driver.

Dr. E. B. Hoag will probably be appointed milk, food and sanitary inspector by the city council tomorrow. The office was recently created, and Dr. Hoag will combine with it his duties as city bacteriologist.

Burglars robbed the home of C. W. Hammond, 167 Delacey street, in broad daylight Saturday, carrying away a lady's gold watch and two small savings banks containing \$13. The thief pried open the window while the family was away.

Pete Noguir figures as the defendant in another liquor case from San Gabriel to be settled in Justice Congdon's court. It was set for today, but was postponed at the request of attorneys. Noguir's brother pleaded guilty and was fined last week.

Manuel Mendoza was sent to jail by Judge Klamroth upon a plea of guilty to stealing a bicycle from Pete Morales. Mendoza will spend two months in the county bastle.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cawston of the ostrich farm have returned to their home in South Pasadena from an extended European trip.

A movement is on foot to purchase the lower valley of the Arroyo Seco for park purposes. A meeting of the improvement societies of South Pasadena, Highland Park and Garvanza is suggested for the purpose of considering the possibility of the movement. The meeting will be held about August 1 at Mineral Park.

SANTA MONICA AND OCEAN PARK EXPECT A BOOM

Rumor of Purchase by Huntington Causes Excitement in Those Towns

Special to The Herald. OCEAN PARK, July 24.—The rumor that Huntington has bought the Santa Fe tracks and right-of-way into Ocean Park and Santa Monica, bids fair to result in a state of excitement so as that which preceded the Redondo boom.

Wild rumors of Clarke purchases and Huntington combinations have kept the realty market in a state of ferment for the last few days. In Santa Monica the excitement is greater than at Ocean Park, but combined with the rumor that a new hotel is going up on the beach between Kinney and Ashland avenues, the name of Huntington has conjured so that while as yet there is no rush to buy, many of the properties now on the market are being withdrawn and prices have stiffened materially.

Woodmen of the World have about decided to hold their annual convention at Ocean Park during the week of September 9, and in preparation for the encampment a committee of twelve visited the beach yesterday. At Venice the members of the committee were entertained with luncheon at the Ship hotel and the auditorium was opened for their inspection.

Charles Koontz, a carpenter employed at Venice, was struck by an electric car at 11 o'clock last night while en route for Santa Monica. He alighted from a Playa del Rey car at the pavilion and started to cross the tracks, but was struck by a southbound car. He suffered a severe shaking up as well as cuts about the head and hips. His condition is not serious.

James Jeffries, the prize fighter, visited Ocean Park yesterday, rode on the roller coaster and pleased both himself and the crowd in his enjoyment of the plunge at the new bathhouse.

Mrs. George A. Cressey, accompanied by Miss Katharine Cressey of Modesto, is visiting T. O. Evans and wife of the Decatur.

BANNINGS' MANAGER DENIES SALE OF ISLAND

G. J. Smart Says He Has No Knowledge of the Transfer of Catalina

"The Bannings have not sold Catalina island to Mr. Huntington, the Southern Pacific, any other person or any other corporation, so far as I know. If such should happen I would certainly be cognizant of the transaction. If the island should be sold there would be nothing gained by keeping the transaction secret."

This is the way that G. J. Smart, general manager of the Banning company, yesterday refuted the report which has prevailed for the last three days to the effect that Mr. Huntington has become tired of the commonplace experience of buying up most of Southern California and had gone into the business of acquiring the islands of the Pacific.

"If the island has not already been sold is there any deal now on which will mean a change of ownership?" was the next question asked Mr. Smart. "None that I know of," he replied. "After years of large improvements and big sums paid out in the way of advertising we are just commencing to reap the harvest."

"Rumors are in constant circulation to the effect that the island has or will become the property of the Southern Pacific or Mr. Huntington. There is no basis for fact in any one of them. The Banning company is on the best of terms with Mr. Huntington and with the Southern Pacific railroad, because we have many interests in common. As a resort Catalina largely increases the traffic over the steam and electric railroads. On the other hand, if it were not for the excellent railroad facilities the visitors to the island would not be present in such large numbers. The game works both ways."

SANTA MONICA NOTES

Ned Tunison Believed to Have Perished in Bennington Disaster

Special to The Herald. SANTA MONICA, July 24.—Ned Tunison of Santa Monica is reported to be among those dead from the explosion of the boilers on the gunboat Bennington in San Diego harbor. Tunison recently enlisted in the naval service and stated that he was ordered to join from since the explosion, and all efforts to locate him have proved fruitless. Five men of a new draft are known to have been in the flooded compartment of the ill-fated gunboat, and four unidentified bodies have been recovered, while an undetermined number of the new draft are still missing.

Mrs. Susan C. Thomas, for many years a resident of Santa Monica, died yesterday of heart failure. She was in her seventy-seventh year. The Leonards won from the Los Angeles-Pacific baseball team yesterday with a score of 10 to 4. The only feature of the game, aside from the large number of runs and the poor batting of both teams, was a triple play by Tupper, with the bases full.

F. E. Bundy has sold his fifty-foot frontage on Third street, just north of Oregon avenue, to C. J. Cox of Los Angeles for \$6000. Thirteen months ago Mr. Bundy bought the property for \$2100.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Templar Allen are now on their way to England, having sailed for the orient from San Francisco. They will return by the way of New York in order to make a complete circuit of the globe.

Argentina in 1904 imported 129 automobiles. The postal department, the fire department and the ambulance service are using these vehicles, and the demand for them in other lines of transportation is increasing.

JOURNALIST DIES AT SAN DIEGO

CHARLES S. AYERS PASSES AWAY

WAS ON NEW YORK WORLD

Funeral of Mrs. Catherine Puterbaugh Is Held at Her Former Residence—W. H. Butler Found Dead

Special to The Herald. SAN DIEGO, July 24.—The death of Charles S. Ayers, a newspaper man of New York city, occurred yesterday at Agnew sanitarium and it is expected that the remains will be sent to New York for interment, as his son, Harry F. Ayers, holds a responsible position with a New York bank. The deceased came here on February 14 last, for his health, being afflicted with paralysis and has been very sick almost ever since coming here.

Mr. Ayers was for more than twenty years connected with the New York World. He was 55 years of age, and a native of Cincinnati. Two sisters, residing at Newport, N. Y., are, with the son mentioned, the only relatives.

The season for the shipment of oranges at Escondido is now closed, and the output is found to be considerably larger than in previous years.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Puterbaugh, wife of Judge George Puterbaugh, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence. The Episcopal service was spoken and Rev. J. M. Richey officiated. The pall bearers were Maj. Maize, Gen. A. W. Vogdes, R. H. Dalton, John M. Ballou, C. P. Douglass and W. S. Earle. Interment was at Mount Hope cemetery.

W. H. Butler, aged 69 and living alone, was found dead yesterday at his ranch at South San Diego. The body was discovered by Clyde Olmstead, a 14-year-old boy, who quickly notified his father, E. C. Olmstead and others living near. The body was still warm, and it was apparent from the condition of the house that he had not been dead many hours when found. The wife of the deceased died in much the same manner something over a year ago. A sister, Mrs. C. H. Quinn, resides at 1813 East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, New York city. Mr. Butler was very well known in the head-of-the-bay region, having resided there for the past eighteen years—since boom days.

The grain crop of the Ramona valley will amount to from 100,000 to 150,000 sacks. The hay crop is unusually large and of excellent quality.

CAPITALIST IN AVALON PUTS UP SPITE FENCE

Claims That Adjoining "Shack" Owners Will Neither Sell Out Reasonably Nor Improve

Special to The Herald. AVALON, July 24.—"Uncle" John Nestell, a retired capitalist, whose residence is considered the finest here, is having a spite fence erected around the rear of his property that will effectually shut off the ocean view from two "shacks," the owners of which will neither improve their holdings nor sell out at a reasonable figure. "Uncle" John claims that he has offered double the value for the offensive property, but that his proposals have amounted to naught, that an exorbitant figure is named, and that in justice to himself he has resorted to his present action.

R. A. Heffner of Los Angeles caught a pair of jewfish today weighing 230 and 260 pounds respectively, and constituting the only catch of special interest recorded. Mr. Heffner fished from the launch Rival and vanquished his victims in twenty-five minutes total time.

H. L. Harris of Los Angeles spent several hours at the jewfish banks today, with Boatman Chapple as an escort, and caught one of the big fish weighing 240 pounds. Mr. Harris was one hour and twenty-five minutes reeling in his prize.

Dan Murphy, vice president of the First National bank of Los Angeles, and wife, are enjoying a short stay at the Hotel Metropole.

VENTURA BASEBALL TO BE DISCONTINUED

Harvest Activity in Country Districts Regarded as Responsible for Paucity of Attendance

Special to The Herald. VENTURA, July 24.—The Ventura baseball nine gained a victory over the Hoegoe Flags yesterday by a score of 5 to 1. It was one of the fastest and best games played here this season. The home team were all present and in good trim. As it was announced that this game would decide whether the Sunday games would be continued through the season it was expected that a large crowd would be in attendance, but as usual the number was small and Manager Daly decided to discontinue the games, for a time at least. Many are out of town working in the fruit and threshing and if any more games are called it will be after the rush of work is over.

C. T. Steele got one hand severely injured Saturday while engaged in joining two lengths of well casing. He will be laid up for some time.

With something over twenty-five fraternal orders in this city, all holding regular meetings, the facilities for lodge rooms have been found to be inadequate. Charles Allyn, who recently erected a one-story brick block at the corner of Palm and Main streets, is considering the addition of another

story, to be fitted up for modern lodge rooms.

A city band of fifteen pieces has been organized under the leadership of Charles G. Bartlett. One of the upper rooms of Armory hall has been rented and regular weekly rehearsals are being held.

VENICE GETTING READY FOR "TENNIS WEEK"

Pasadena Board of Trade and Merchants' Association Committee Plan for a Picnic

Special to The Herald. VENICE, July 24.—The entries for "Tennis week" are coming in, and many of the players are now busily engaged in practicing for the big tournament at the Venice Country club. It is announced that Alphonso Bell will appear in the doubles, and there is hope that Art Bumiller and Mrs. Farquhar will enter the mixed doubles. In fact a tentative promise to this effect has already been extracted. It will be impossible for May Sutton to arrive for the tournament, as was expected, but the rest of the Sutton family will be on hand. Everything is bustle and preparation about the courts and club house in arranging for the advent of the players, who are to be quartered at the club instead of being subjected to the worry of hunting rooms as in former years.

The annual picnic held on Pasadena day by the board of trade and merchants' association of the Crown of the Valley will doubtless be held at Venice on August 15. Acting President Bertonneau of the board of trade and President Hall of the merchants' association visited Venice, together with the other beaches, and it is certain that their recommendation of Venice will be accepted by the general committee on arrangements.

The graduating class of the Cumnock School of Expression will stage "Nance Oldfield," a female edition of "David Garrick," in the Venetian auditorium during the coming week. The staging of the play will be under the direction of Miss Jane Butt, late of the Otis Skinner company.

A small blaze occurred on the wharf at Venice late last evening as the result of a cigar stub being thrown into a pile of shavings. Prompt work on the part of the fire department saved the pier from serious damage.

SANTA ANA RIVER TO BE HELD IN CHECK

County Surveyor Submits Estimate of \$78,000 for Construction of Levee and Channel

Special to The Herald. SANTA ANA, July 24.—The county surveyor has submitted an estimate of \$78,000 as the necessary expenditure in the construction of the proposed levee and channel for restraining the waters of the Santa Ana river from the Fifth street bridge to the ocean. The distance covered is about ten miles, and the channel will be 400 feet wide. This provides for a main ditch of 150 feet wide, overflow ditches on either side, each 100 feet wide, and two levees each twenty-five feet wide. The expense is almost equally divided between grading, levee building and purchasing of right of way concessions. The upper end of the river in the Anaheim and Olive districts will be similarly incorporated into a second levee and protection district, and a new channel built there for the river waters. The sixty-seventh birthday of Mrs. Fred Conn was celebrated by her friends Saturday evening. A large company called upon her as a surprise, and passed the evening pleasantly with cards and music.

Local realty men have formed themselves into the Santa Ana realty board, with C. W. Sheats, president; O. M. Robins, vice president; J. C. Nichols, treasurer. The organization will regulate the real estate business locally.

SOLDIERS' HOME NOTES

Memory of Late Chaplain Beck Observed With Exercises

Special to The Herald. SOLDIERS' HOME, July 24.—Chaplain Beck's memory was duly observed in the chapel yesterday, an appropriate eulogy being delivered by Rev. Bodkin of Los Angeles, and the choir rendering the favorite hymns of the deceased. Daniel Keating is dead. He was a native of Ireland and 62 years of age. He served in Company H, First United States artillery.

Col. J. L. Chamberlain of the United States army will inspect the Pacific branch soon, and the boys are all ready for him.

The Los Angeles-Pacific Electric company lined up three coaches at the Sawtelle depot at 1 p. m., today, and about 200 veterans went to Rosedale cemetery to attend the funeral of our late local manager, Maj. William H. Bonsall. They were under the command of Quartermaster Reber and Capt. Jack Hozela of the naval squadron.

ALAMITOS ANNEXATION ORDINANCE IS PASSED

Long Beach Citizens Petition for an Election on Subject of Hotels Selling Liquor

Special to The Herald. LONG BEACH, July 24.—It was expected that a committee of Alamitos and Long Beach citizens would go before the Long Beach trustees this afternoon and ask that the plans for annexing Alamitos be modified, but the committee did not make its appearance and the old ordinance, fixing the boundary line of the annexed territory on the north at Hill street, was read and given final passage, the date for the special election, August 23, remaining unchanged. The Alamitos committee wants a later date set and the boundary changed to Seventh street. This request will probably be presented next week.

The trustees today awarded to J. G. Van Houten of this city the contract for erecting new fire department headquarters. Van Houten's bid was \$8185. The Gamewell Fire Alarm company was given the contract for putting in one of its systems, consisting of twenty-four boxes and wiring, for \$7200.

A petition has been drawn and will be circulated among voters asking the trustees to call a special election to ascertain the feeling of the voters of the city as to whether or not hotels of forty rooms or upwards should be permitted to serve spirits, malt and vinous liquors to guests in dining rooms with regular meals. This petition differs from the one prepared three weeks ago in that the former included restaurants. If the present petition is successful there will be only three hotels in the place that can serve liquor.

Last week the trustees granted permission to William Johns to erect a livery stable on the west side of American avenue, just north of Second street. There was no remonstrance filed by adjacent property owners, and Johns is now engaged in removing a cottage from the lot preparatory to beginning the construction of the stable. The property owners now realize, however, what is coming and are kicking hard, but appeals to the trustees have been met with the response that, as permission has been granted, there is no way of stopping the construction of the stable.

Wharfinger Beattie wants the trustees to make the boat companies stop carrying drunken passengers back from San Pedro. The late boats generally bring a good-sized cargo of these individuals back from the harbor city, and the wharf policemen have their hands full with them. The boat owners are not inclined to interfere, because some of their best customers are those who like to escape Long Beach dryness for the evening and overdo the matter in San Pedro.

Fishing was seriously interfered with this morning by a sea lion, which prowled about the pier and stole the bait from all the lines he could find. The price of bait went away up while the lion was in the neighborhood, and all attempts to catch him were futile. The local eyrie of Eagles held its first anniversary to night. The first event was a promenade in the sun parlor, over 2000 taking part. A banquet to members of the order was given in the Bixby building. Guests were present from Los Angeles, Pasadena, Colton, San Bernardino, San Pedro and other cities.

Rev. Mr. Murphy has been granted a two months' leave of absence, and, accompanied by Mrs. Murphy, will leave shortly for Maine, to spend his vacation. His pulpit will be filled by Rev. Charles E. Perkins of Salt Lake City and Rev. Dr. Van Deerlin of Lompoc.

REDLANDS NEWS

Special to The Herald. REDLANDS, July 24.—Word has been received here that company G of this city ranks third in the state, having an average for the entire marking of 87.4. Three excursions will visit Redlands this week. The first arrived here today and was composed of eighty-three physicians. Tomorrow will bring the Cleveland, O., school teachers, and Wednesday a party of thirty or forty will arrive over the Salt Lake route.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO

Date	High	Low
	A. M.	P. M.
July 25	3:46	4:38
July 26	3:19	5:24
July 27	2:52	6:06
July 28	2:25	6:46
July 29	1:58	7:24
July 30	1:31	8:00
July 31	1:04	8:34

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75c Vests 3 for \$1.00

Light, gauzy vests of very fine Paris lisle with shield arms run with silk ribbons and crocheted tops. Few stores have their equals at 75c each. Buyable tomorrow only at three for a dollar, or 35c each.

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