

AROUND THE TOWN

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Printing Trades Banquet The Allied Printing Trades council of Los Angeles will give a banquet Thursday evening in the Pacific Electric grill room.

Alabama Picnic The second annual reunion and picnic of the Alabama society will be held tomorrow at Eastlake park. A special car will leave Fifth and Main streets at 9:30 o'clock in the morning.

Divorce for Cruelty Alleging extreme cruelty, Mrs. Martha Webb was granted a divorce from Thomas Webb by Judge Trask yesterday morning. The woman alleges her husband spent the greater part of his time swearing at her and once tried to choke her.

Suspect is Released George Haugh, the man taken into custody early yesterday morning suspected of being the person who held up and robbed V. E. Robertson near angels' flight stairway, was able to give a satisfactory account of himself and has been released.

St. Louis Detective Here John J. Kelly, assistant chief detective of the St. Louis police force, on a tour of the Pacific coast, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday and made an inspection of the local department during the afternoon. From here he will go to San Francisco and Portland.

Peacemaker Arrested John Harrington, a stalwart tiller of the soil, who witnessed a fight last Saturday night at Eighth and San Pedro streets and could not resist the temptation to play the part of peacemaker, received the usual deserts of the arbiter by being arrested yesterday on a charge of assault and battery.

Incorrigible Captured Charles Willoughby, a 16-year-old boy from San Bernardino who a week ago was sentenced to a term at Whittier by Judge Bledsoe, and made his escape, was captured at San Pedro yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Charles F. Ward. Young Willoughby was put in a cell at the Los Angeles police station and last night was taken back to San Bernardino.

Grandmother Sues Relative Suit to quiet title was brought yesterday by Mrs. Mary E. Decker against her grand daughter, Ella Contreras, in department three of the superior court. The suit is to restore the title of the estate to the woman who claims her relative gained the deed to the property through unfair means. The girl denies the allegation, and insists her grandmother gave her the property.

Woman Pays His Fine "Ah sure am fortunate to have a beautiful damsel as an acquaintance," remarked George K. Ford yesterday, as he walked out of the police station through the fact that a woman had paid a fine of \$30 marked up against him. Ford has an unsavory record, and when he was found Monday carrying a loaded revolver the size of a small gatling gun, he was promptly disarmed and placed in a cell at the police station.

LEAGUE WANTS FEWER SALOONS

COMPLAINS OF DRAM SHOPS ON FIRST STREET

URGE WEEDING OUT PROCESS

Downtown District is Offensive, Say Members, Because of Throngs of Loafers on Street Corners

"There are but eighteen men now on the day watch above Pico street and ten below that point. It is impossible for me to detail more officers for special beats down town until we have a larger force." This statement was made to the police commission by Chief Hammel yesterday, after the board had referred a communication from the Municipal league to him. "Eighteen men to guard the business and half the residence district of a city of 200,000," echoed a commissioner. The communication from the Municipal league was in some measure a bomb, inasmuch as it suggested the revoking of ten saloon licenses, stating that the necessary evidence could be obtained in one night to warrant the action. The communication, signed by President Witmer and Secretary Willard, was finally filed. It is as follows:

Want Fewer Saloons The executive committee of the Municipal league would respectfully urge that the region between First and Second on Main street, and on First, between Main and Los Angeles, be given some relief from the nuisance entailed by the great number of saloons in these streets. There are nine saloons on Main street in the block from First to Second, and seven saloons on First street in the block from Main to Los Angeles, making sixteen in two blocks. Several of these are clean, well kept and well regulated establishments, but the majority are offensive to look upon and they are crowded with toughs and hobs, drunken men are frequently to be seen in and about them and they lower and demoralize the entire neighborhood in which they are located.

"We beg to call your attention to this important fact with respect to this particular region. A number of important lines of street cars reach the suburban lines at these three corners, Second and Main, First and Main, and First and Los Angeles. These corners are used by citizens changing from city cars to suburban and this is particularly true of First and Los Angeles, where visitors to the city may be seen almost any hour of the day, including women and children. "There is a saloon at each of the four corners here, and each saloon is surrounded by ill-looking loafers. We do not believe that any kind of police supervision will keep these corners permanently cleared. The policy we would urge is that you institute the most rigid scrutiny into the behavior of each of these sixteen saloons, and on any provocation, such as is now afforded every day in the year, you take away the license of at least half of them. The remainder might then be depended upon to keep good order at those important corners. We could suggest, moreover, that when these licenses are withdrawn, they be not reissued."

PETITION TRANSFER OF PALACE CAFE LICENSE

Police Commission Files Application From Would-Be Successors Until After Next Week

Are the big cafes, on whose trail Police Commissioners Mason and Johnson have camped, becoming frightened? This is a question which came before the police commission yesterday, when a petition was presented to the board praying for a transfer of ownership of the Palace cafe.

Adolph Jahnke and Bruno Enderlein asked that the restaurant and saloon license held by Schneider & Fleber be transferred to them. The application was laid over by the commission for one week, when the motion to revoke the licenses of the Palace, Bristol and Imperial cafes will come up for consideration. G. A. Thurner's application for a permit to install a saloon at East Ninth and San Julian streets was denied, because the location is in a residence district.

Thurner sought to put a saloon next to a church and within a short block of another saloon. City Assessor Evan Lewis made a strong protest against granting the permit, and finally made it plain to Commissioner Gates that he meant business, and Gates seconded Commissioner Johnson's motion to deny.

Remedy for Dierhoe. Never Known to Fail

"I want to say a few words for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used this preparation in my family for the past five years and have recommended it to a number of people in York county and have never known it to fail to effect a cure in any instance. I feel that I can not say too much for the best remedy of the kind in the world." -S. Jemison, Spring Grove, York county, Pa. This remedy is for sale by all leading druggists.

Rates to Imperial and Coachella Valleys Special Round Trip tickets at reduced rates from Los Angeles and other points in Southern California to Brawley, Imperial, Calexico, Indio, Coachella, Thermal and Mecca are on sale every Tuesday until September 26, 1905. Inquire at Southern Pacific ticket office, 261 S. Spring st. J. C. Cunningham's Trunk Factory, 529 South Spring street, Phones 518.

SONS OF MONTEZUMA WILL CELEBRATE FEAST DAY



MISS JOSEFA CHAVES AND YGNACIO VARELA, WHO WILL TAKE PART IN ENTERTAINMENT

In honor of the feast day of Los Angeles, Tuesday, August 15, the Society of La Reina de Los Angeles and the Sons of Montezuma will give an entertainment in the patio of the old Plaza church. In the afternoon the children of El Hogar Feliz classes will render songs and will be served with refreshments. In the evening a benefit entertainment will be given, at which the band of the Independent Order of Catholic Foresters will take part. The following program will be rendered: Overture, violins, Misses E. J. and A. Fleur; address, Rev. J. Caballera; comedy, "La Mosca Meurta," Sons of Montezuma; vocal solo, "La Paloma," Miss Grace Larieux; hymn, "Españole;" El Hogar Feliz children; "Las Ratas;" J. Gusman, T. Herrera and I. Valera; Mexican national hymn, El Hogar Feliz children; song, "Los Patos;" Miss Josephine Chavis; song, Miss May Le Grand; American national hymn. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the classes conducted by the Sons of Montezuma.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF BANK AMALGAMATION

PRESIDENTS ISSUE STATEMENT TO STOCKHOLDERS

Directory of Greater First National is to Contain Names of All Members of Boards of Merging Institutions. Employees to be Retained

Terms and conditions of the consolidation of the Los Angeles and Southwestern National banks with the First National bank were formally announced yesterday by the presidents of the various institutions affected. In the amalgamation, thirty-one directors are elected for the consolidated First National bank as follows:

The present directors of the First National bank—J. M. Elliott, J. C. Drake, F. Q. Story, C. W. Gates, J. O. Koepfl, Walter J. Trask, H. Jevne, Stoddard Jess, W. T. S. Hammond. The present directors of the Los Angeles National bank—Dan Murphy, William M. Van Dyke, W. C. Patterson H. F. Vollmer, W. E. Hampton, A. H. Natzger, Frank P. Flint, L. C. McKeey, C. C. Desmond, G. E. Bittinger, H. C. Witmer. The present directors of the Southwestern National bank—John S. Cravens, E. J. Marshall, George J. Denis, Harry Gray, Gail B. Johnson, John B. Miller, W. M. Garland, Burton E. Green, N. B. Blackstone. Additional—H. E. Huntington, Epes Randolph.

New Officers

The officers of the First National bank as agreed upon will be: J. M. Elliott, president; Stoddard Jess, first vice president; W. C. Patterson, second vice president; George E. Bittinger, third vice president; J. S. Cravens, fourth vice president; W. T. S. Hammond, cashier. The number and personnel of the assistant cashiers have not been determined.

From the board of directors an executive committee will be appointed to have immediate control and direction of the affairs of the bank, a majority of the executive committee to be members of the present board of directors of the First National bank. A finance committee, comprising the president and vice-presidents of the bank, will pass upon all loans.

It is contemplated that all the banks to form the combination will continue to conduct their respective businesses in all respects the same as though no merger was to take place, until such time as the present quarters of the First National bank are arranged to receive the additional business, when the officers and employees of the Los Angeles National and the Southwestern National banks will move with the assets of their respective institutions to the banking house of the First National bank, where the customers of both banks will find the officers and employees to greet them on their coming to the Greater First National bank.

After the increase in stock has been disposed of it will leave the new institution with a capital of \$1,250,000, and the surplus and undivided profits of nearly \$3,000,000.

SOLICITOR OF CHARITY REFUSES ACCOUNTING

Merchants and Manufacturers' Association Takes Up Case Against Miss Frances Hale Miss Frances Hale, who is charged by the Merchants and Manufacturers' association with receiving money for a benefit to be given in aid of the Door of Hope, a charitable organization, which she refuses to account for, may be prosecuted for obtaining money by misrepresentations, says Secretary Zeelandelaar. Mr. Zeelandelaar said yesterday that the association had taken up the case and unless a satisfactory settlement was forthcoming criminal proceedings would be instituted. He says he has evidence that Miss Hale realized between \$2000 and \$3000 in subscriptions from merchants and other business

BLACK SILK SALE Added Attractions Today The Annual Black Silk Sale is proving an unequalled success—just as we predicted it would. The variety—and the values—are such that any woman who has present or prospective needs to supply in the Black Silk line cannot well afford to overlook. While the sale will continue the balance of the week, we would impress the fact that assortments are more complete today than they will be later. Black Taffetas We mention a few of the particularly strong numbers—silks that you cannot possibly hope to match after this sale is over. 27-inch Chiffon Taffeta, deep raven black, quality commonly sold at \$1.25—in the sale at 87 1-2c a yard. 21-inch black Swiss Chiffon Taffeta, high luster, quality usually sold at \$1.25, sale price \$1.00 a yard. 21-inch Italian Taffeta, rich and lustrous, quality regularly priced at \$1.00; on sale at 82 1-2c. 23-inch Chiffon Taffeta, very soft and mellow finish, quality regularly priced at \$1.25 a yard—in the sale at 97 1-2c. 35c Wash Goods at 12 1/2c a Yard Final clearance of certain broken lines—choice styles and colorings; some of the choicest things of the season: Novelty Mohair Suitings Grecian Voile Suitings—goods particularly well adapted for Shirt Waist Suits; regular 35c quality, on sale at 12 1/2c a yard. TEA ROOM Tempting luncheon (special bill) served from 11:30 to 2:30. Dainty dishes, such as tea and wafers, etc., up to 5:30. Faultless service; moderate prices. 225-227-229 South Broadway 224-226-228 South Hill Street

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Hotels and Beach Resorts Change in Time Steamers Leave San Pedro Wharf: Sunday, 10:00 a. m. Saturday, 8:45 a. m. Other Days, 8:45 a. m. Santa Catalina Island STEAMERS HERMOSA AND CARRILLO Daily Concerts by Our FAMOUS MARINE BAND. ISLAND VILLA HOTEL—European Plan. HOTEL METROPOLE—American Plan. BANNING CO., Huntington Building Both Phones 36 Cawston Ostrich Farm 159 Gigantic Birds Beautiful Semi-Tropical Grounds, and the largest stock of Ostrich Feather Goods in America for sale at producer's prices. Warm Plunge North Beach, Santa Monica Filled fresh every day and heated to a temperature of 85 degrees. Unrivaled and absolutely safe surf bathing. Now is the most beautiful season of the year at the beach. RESTAURANTS Del Monte Tavern Up-to-Date Restaurant 219-221 W. Third St. Cate Bristol Business Lunches Dinners Complete After-Theater Refreshments - Room for 1200 Under H. W. Hellman Building, 4th and Spring

Venice Canals That will soon be the waterway from VENICE OF AMERICA TO PLAYA DEL REY. The work of excavating is progressing rapidly under the personal and constant supervision of Chester B. Loomis, an expert mechanical engineer. The plans are completed for the improvements and work will be continuous until finished. Improvements to Be Made A 40-foot boulevard encircling the lake that covers 30 acres. Main street will be graded from the Grand Canal clear across the tract, making a fine speedway. An island will be built in the center of the lake. A Few Lots at \$1250 Each Strong & Dickinson - Robt. Marsh & Co. 135 South Broadway, Phone 1273 303 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Phone 2363 F. O. HELTON, Tract Agent, cor. Trolleyway and Center Street, Venice