

JUDGE CONGDON RESIGNS OFFICE

FIRES HOT SHOT AT MAYOR WATERHOUSE

NEGRO FALLS FROM GRACE

Engineer Luce Benefit Performance a Success—Old Man Lost in Pasadena Wilds—Other News

Pasadena Agency, 114 East Colorado Street.

PASADENA, Aug. 15.—The Crown city is without a police judge this evening and Mayor Waterhouse has another resignation chalked up against him. As indicated in this correspondence last night, the breach between the mayor and the police judge has been gradually widening until the resignation of today seemed the only way out. So when the city council assembled this forenoon the written resignation of Judge Congdon was on the clerk's table. About the middle of the afternoon the innocent looking bit of paper was opened and read. It was a very warm document and caused a decided sensation. It follows:

"It has come to my knowledge that certain of my judicial acts in ruling upon matters of law have been criticised by the head of the present administration, and it would seem that such criticism, especially when made during the course of pending proceedings, cannot be construed otherwise than as an attempt to influence my judicial actions, and as I have too high regard for my oath of office and for my integrity in the execution of a judicial trust to overlook readily any seeming attempt to influence my court in the performance of judicial duties, even though, as I hope, such act might have been done without full consideration or insidious intent, I would prefer rather to place myself beyond the possible recurrence of such a situation. Accordingly I herewith tender my resignation as judge of the police court of the city of Pasadena, to take effect at once."

Judge Klamroth, whom rumor has slated for the vacant position, is out of the city, but his friends say he is not likely to take the office even if it is tendered him. In some quarters Assistant City Attorney McDonald is looked upon as a probable successor to Judge Congdon. It is not likely that a vacancy will be allowed long to exist in so responsible and important a position. Mayor Waterhouse does not care to discuss the situation and is not ready to announce whom he will appoint to the office.

Falls From Grace

William Strawders, a well known negro teamster and at one time messenger to State Senator Hahn, was locked up at the city bastille today by Policeman Copping on the charge of larceny. Strawders was helping to move the household goods of Mrs. Josephine Williams, when that lady missed a purse containing \$12.80. Officer Copping was sent for and when the big negro was searched the missing property, purse and money was found. Strawders made the best of a bad situation by making a frank confession. He restored the money to its owner and was then given the choice of twenty-five days in jail or the paying of \$25 fine. He paid the fine and was dismissed by Judge Congdon.

As a result of the benefit performance held for him tonight at the Family theater, Engineer George Luce will receive about \$130. Citizens responded nobly tonight and scores had to be turned away from the theater, every available space within being occupied. Manager Lubeck put on a first class vaudeville performance, donated the use of his theater and is directly responsible for the tidy little sum which goes to help out the brave engineer who thought of others before himself. M. Towne, an old gentleman nearly at his eighty-fifth milestone, has been visiting in this city for some days, his home being at La Canada, some three miles west of Pasadena. This morning he went out for a walk. This evening Officer Beasley found him sitting on a curbstone on North Lake avenue. He had been lost all day and was so exhausted by fatigue that he was entirely helpless. Through the patient help of the officer he was restored to his family tonight.

A. C. Shaver, building and plumbing inspector, dropped into line today with his resignation, which was promptly accepted by the city council. But the mayor broke the record by immediately tendering Mr. Shaver a reappointment. Under the old regime, Mr. Shaver has been receiving a salary of \$1000 a year. The new appointment brings him \$1200. The ordinance increasing the salary was passed recently, but under the ruling of City Attorney Fitzgerald it became necessary for Mr. Shaver to resign and be reappointed before he could draw the increased salary. The arrangement went through today without a hitch.

Mayor Waterhouse caused his stenographer, Miss Anna McGrew, to be given an increase in salary amounting to \$15 a month today. Miss McGrew was appointed by Mayor Vedder at a salary of \$50 a month. Under the appointment today confirmed by the council she will receive \$65.

Secretary Coolidge of the board of trade told the council that August 24 had been chosen as Pasadena picnic day and asked that the day be declared a holiday, which was accordingly done.

An ordinance was introduced which

will require the deputy auditors, deputy clerk, plumbing and building inspector, city electrician, chief of police, superintendent and deputy superintendent of streets and judge of the police court to make an accounting to the city auditor every Monday under oath of all funds handled during the week.

The city council was requested by the board of supervisors to attend a meeting of the board at Los Angeles August 28, to consider the purchase of voting machines. Mayor Waterhouse has appointed Councilmen Crandall and Braley to represent the council at this meeting.

MONROVIA TO DECIDE ON NEW BOND ISSUE

\$26,000 Proposed for Purchase of Park Site and Erection of a City Hall

Special to The Herald. MONROVIA, Aug. 15.—The board of trustees has called a bond election for October 10 to decide if the city shall issue \$26,000 for the purchase of a park site and for a city hall. The ordinance provides for two series, both bearing 5 per cent interest.

If carried, this bond issue will buy for the city an entire block, containing about five acres, bounded by Lime, Myrtle, Palm and Primrose avenues, and located only three blocks from the Pacific Electric line. Two lots will be purchased for a site for the Carnegie library and the granite building is on the northeast corner. The movement originated with the women of the board of library trustees and was taken up and endorsed by the board of trade. It is popular and there is no outright opposition to it expressed up to this time.

The assessed value of the property in this city has been set by Clerk Ed Hotchkiss, the assessor, at \$1,242,000, an increase over last year of \$137,760. The advance has been evenly distributed and there are no complaints.

SAN PEDRO BREVITIES

Much Interest Displayed Over Election on Proposed Annexation

Special to The Herald. SAN PEDRO, Aug. 15.—Little has been doing at East San Pedro and Terminal today, except politics. There have been a number of boosters on hand from Long Beach, and the friends of San Pedro have not been inactive. From all appearances Long Beach will lose the election by about thirty votes. The Morgan Oyster company's wharf near the lower depot has been undermined to such an extent that it has gradually sloped to the wharf's edge, and the scales, hoisting gear and fixtures had to be moved to the rear. The cause of the trouble is the operations of the dredger which is in close proximity to the wharf and unless measures are quickly adopted to strengthen the foundations of the other buildings in the vicinity further damage will be recorded.

The Alsop Construction company began work this morning on the large contract for sewer work lately secured by them. The company proposes to rush the work through in just as speedy a manner as possible. Some talk was indulged in today to the effect that there might be trouble for the company ahead, owing to the fact that a number of Russians who have no union labor affiliations are employed, but inquiry failed to establish any source of trouble thus far. The frequent visits of the officials of the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railway company to Terminal and East San Pedro of late days have resulted in some good to the residents and business men. Fences that were erected by the company's officials at a time when the railroad didn't want anything from the people have been removed during the last twenty-four hours or so.

SAWTELLE VOTERS DECIDE AGAINST INCORPORATION

Proposition Is Defeated by a Vote of 130 as Against 79 in Its Favor

Special to The Herald. SAWTELLE, Aug. 15.—The election to decide upon the question of incorporation of Sawtelle as a city of the sixth class took place today and the proposition was defeated by 130 to 79.

For several weeks both sides have been active and a lively interest was the result. Meetings were held last night for and against incorporation. A meeting for those favorable to becoming a city of the sixth class was held in Gillis' park. Addresses by Attorney Baker of Long Beach and Judge Knox of Los Angeles were made. The anti-incorporationists held a meeting in Laird's hall.

A number of veterans who were desirous of voting for or against and who were known as residents of the Soldiers' Home, attempted to run in on a ten-day or more colonization proposition, but found themselves up against an affidavit and weakened. The question of the legality of these would-be voters will be determined upon submission to the higher authorities. Fourteen votes were rejected.

A Warning to Mothers

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. Give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of any bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale by all leading druggists.

'BORAX' SMITH CHANGES PLANS

ABANDONS IDEA OF RAILROAD FROM LAS VEGAS

MAY BUILD FROM LUDLOW

Highland People Divided in Opinion as to Desirability of Southern Pacific Entering District Over Traction Lines

Special to The Herald. SAN BERNARDINO, Aug. 15. Another break between "Borax" Smith and the Salt Lake railroad interests is said to have come, with the result that the line of road out of Las Vegas to Bullfrog, Goldfield and Death Valley has been entirely abandoned by Smith. However, Smith has not given up the idea of building a road to his Death Valley borax properties and is already preparing to commence the construction of a line north from Ludlow over a survey that was made some time ago. The grade is said to be almost perfect and the cost of building will be the minimum. Civil engineers and grading outfits are already being gathered together at Ludlow, and it is said the work will be commenced very soon.

It is not believed that the protest of the Highland people against the carrying of freight over the lines of the Traction company will avail much, as there is nothing in the franchise to prevent the same. The matter has been referred to the district attorney's office for a report. The Highland people have at times in the past been very short of cars for orange shipments and the prospect of the advent of the Southern Pacific in that district over the Traction lines is hailed with delight by some. The property owners along the line of the Traction company are the ones who are up in arms against the proposition.

H. E. Morris, J. J. Urmsion and Thomas Van Slyke have started for the Medicine Bow range of mountains, where they will spend some time in prospecting and making a special hunt for a valuable copper ledge that was discovered some years ago by Urmsion. This he never located, as he did not know the true value of the property at the time.

County Horticultural Commissioner Pease is preparing for a long campaign against the black and red scale in the fruit districts of the county. About four months will be devoted to the black scale, while ten months will be required in the hunt for the red scale, which is more scattered and difficult to treat.

A large trainload of delegates to the national convention of the Christian church arrived here this morning over the Salt Lake road, en route to San Francisco. They were given a trolley ride and afterward entertained at Urbita Hot springs. Two hours were spent in this city.

A picnic of the Independent Order of Foresters will be held at Urbita springs in this city on Labor day, the lodges of this city, Riverside, Redlands and other surrounding towns taking part. An athletic program, basket dinner and dancing will be the features.

Startling reports have been brought to this city as to the conditions at the Salton sea by J. M. Cardiff, a well known rancher of this valley, who is the owner of extensive properties in the Imperial valley. Mr. Cardiff states that practically all of the flow of the Colorado river is now going into the Salton sea, and that the body of water is now rising at the rate of one inch per day. He states that all business interests throughout the district below sea level are thoroughly alarmed as they cannot foretell what the result of the now threatening conditions may be.

The Shoo-fly track, which was originally intended to cover but six miles, is being extended as rapidly as possible to a length of thirty-one miles and will extend from Mortemere to Volcano Springs. The old track for this entire distance will be abandoned.

LONG BEACH AND TERMINAL TO VOTE ON ANNEXATION

Residents of Both Cities Reported as Indifferent but San Pedro Opposed to Project

Special to The Herald. LONG BEACH, Aug. 15.—An election will be held tomorrow in this city and Terminal Island to decide whether the two places shall be united. Little interest is exhibited in either place, but it is probable that San Pedro workers will be at hand at the Terminal Island poll to try to defeat annexation there. Long Beach city officials today frankly confessed they did not believe annexation would carry.

The politicians here have not troubled themselves so far as to get a polling list of Terminal Island citizens with which to make their canvas tomorrow. While it is likely that a few Terminal Island people will try to carry the project, San Pedro sentiment will probably prove too strong to be resisted.

The departmental work of the Baptist assembly was carried on this morning in the church by the different leaders, and tonight Rev. J. Lewis Smith, pastor of the local church, delivered an address on "The Catacombs, or Why I Believe the Bible."

The movement for a new hotel here received a healthy impetus today in the shape of a stock subscription of \$5000 from Mrs. John Bixby of Long Beach.

Health Inspector W. Harriman Jones is trying to secure the passage of an ordinance prohibiting the harboring of

cows on lots within the city limits. The present ordinance permits one cow to a lot, but as there are a good many 25-foot lots with houses on each side there is continual complaint of the animals.

The case against W. M. Mooney, charged with having obtained money by false representations, has been dismissed. The warrant for his arrest declared he was not the authorized representative of the company for which he collected \$20 from Charles W. Stewart of this city. Mooney proved he was the representative and the case was stricken from the lists.

The Long Beach fire department went to Mayor Eno's house in a body last night to congratulate his honor on his decision to remain at the head of the city government. The Sons of Veterans, of which the mayor is a member, has adopted resolutions commending his stand in the matter.

REDLANDS COMMENTS

Wyatt May Take the Opera House Off the Circuit

Special to The Herald. REDLANDS, Aug. 15.—Some excitement has been caused by the announcement that the Redlands opera house may be taken off the circuit by Mr. Wyatt. Although nothing definite has been done as yet the fact that Mr. Wyatt has booked his shows for next season with the understanding that they may or may not be played here signifies his attitude. The trouble is due to several causes, but is chiefly over the question of rentals. The matter is now in the hands of attorneys.

Another secret marriage has come to light, the parties concerned being Miss Nellie Lawrence and William R. Means, both of this city. The young couple were married on the tenth of last March in San Bernardino. After the wedding they returned to their respective homes.

The truth leaked out when Mr. Means rented a cottage recently. Mr. Berry Roberts of San Mateo canyon was the victim of a hold-up this morning. The man gave his name as Kennon when arrested by Constable Revira. He will be taken to Riverside tonight.

VENTURA HAPPENINGS

Burglars Make Futile Attempt to Open Plumber's Safe

Special to The Herald. VENTURA, Aug. 15.—Burglars entered the plumbing establishment of B. A. Leach on the corner of California and Santa Clara streets last night and attempted to rob the safe, which they carried from the small office into the large warehouse. They attempted to break it open with a large sledge hammer. It is supposed that the thieves were frightened away while at work. No clues have been obtained.

An attempt is being made to recover a large anchor which was lost in the ocean near the wharf some time ago. Two floats have been built and fastened over the anchor, but the attempts have been unsuccessful.

In the baseball game here last Sunday between the merchants and firemen, the former won by a score of 10 to 9. The proceeds of the game are to go to assist in paying the indebtedness of the Ventura team. About \$14 was realized.

SANTA ANA NOTES

Irvine Ranch Returns Figures Showing Large Grain Crop

Special to The Herald. SANTA ANA, Aug. 15.—The management of the Irvine ranch gives the estimate of this year's grain yield as 175,000 sacks. Of this amount only 2000 is wheat, the remainder being barley. The grain commands a price of about \$1 per sack.

Mrs. C. S. Crookshank and Miss Lida Crookshank are spending a week at Newport Beach with a party of guests.

Miss Lillian Ware, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ware of Garden Grove, will be wedded on August 24 at the home of her parents to Arthur Claudius Stanley. They will make their home at Jacksonville, Fla.

PETITIONS FOR DIVORCE

Mrs. Greenwell of Santa Barbara Charges Non-Support

Special to The Herald. SANTA BARBARA, Aug. 15.—Mrs. Daisy M. Greenwell has asked that a divorce be granted her from her husband, Arthur C. Greenwell, brother of State Senator Charles B. Greenwell. In her petition Mrs. Greenwell states that her husband failed to provide for her, depending on his wealthy mother, Mrs. Anna C. Greenwell, for support of his family. Mrs. Daisy Greenwell is now in San Francisco, where she went several months ago to take an agency for a life insurance company.

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HEARS ARGUMENT IN GUARDIANSHIP CASE

Riverside Justice Hears Evidence in the Harold King Contest

Special to The Herald. RIVERSIDE, Aug. 15.—Hearing of the guardianship contest over little Harold King was completed this afternoon before Judge Noyes. King went on the stand in his own behalf and was vigorously handled by the attorney for the other contestants, the Lindenbergers. Finally the court took a hand and elicited from the witness an acknowledgment of desertion and failure to provide for the family. Arguments will be heard and the matter submitted tomorrow morning.

Citrus fruit shipments to date are 5495 cars of oranges and 873 cars of lemons. This is a grand total of 5873 cars.

Mrs. Jennie Benson has filed a petition asking the guardianship of her five nieces and nephews—Ruth, Bessie and William Cook and Christena and Dorothy Fear. The petition cites that while James Fear was appointed executor of the will of Mrs. Christena Fear he has taken no steps to be appointed guardian of these minor children, although he has taken possession of their estate. Mrs. Benson is a sister of the deceased.

Riverside delegates to the National Irrigation congress, which meets in Portland August 21, will leave for the north in a special car on Friday. Those who will represent Riverside are Francis Cuttle, president of the Riverside Water company; James Boyd, D. D. Gage, P. T. Evans, W. W. Wilson, Harry B. Chase and M. W. Finley of Corona.

M. L. Short, superior judge of Kern county and grand vice chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, participated last night in the regular exercises of Sunnyside lodge No. 112.

Members of the Prohibition alliance held an open social meeting tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Waldman on Pine street. As the evening was the anniversary of the birth of Myrl Waldman, the little daughter of the host, a special program was arranged by the children, which included several musical selections.

A telegram has been received announcing the death in Warrensburg, Mo., of Mrs. Mattie E. Asbury, sister of Mrs. F. G. Hall and daughter of Mrs. A. E. Doran of this city.

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