

CATHOLICS PLAN ANNUAL PICNIC

GREAT REUNION WILL BE HELD

TO SPEND ENTIRE DAY AT THE SEASIDE

FINE PROGRAM IS ARRANGED

Outing for 1905 to Be Given at Playa del Rey and Is Expected to Eclipse All Former Affairs

The Catholic reunion and picnic of 1905, which will be held next Wednesday at Playa del Rey, is expected to eclipse all previous events of the kind in the history of the diocese of Monterey and Los Angeles. Final arrangements have been made for the outing by the executive committee, which is composed of popular Catholics of the city.

One of the special features will be the baby contest, for which three judges will pass upon the comparative beauty of the little tots. The names of the judges will not be made known until the day of the picnic. The contest will be for girls under one year, girls between one and two years and boys in like classes. Handsome prizes will be awarded to winners. All prizes for the different events are on exhibition in Desmond's window, Third and Spring streets.

Of special interest will be the address of Bishop Conaty at the morning exercises, as it will be his last address before his departure next Sunday evening for a visit ad limina to the pontiff at Rome.

Special Car Service
A special parlor car will leave at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning with the bishop, clergy and executive committee. Special car service has been promised by the Pacific Electric company as follows: cars will leave Fourth street station every eight minutes until 9 o'clock, every five minutes from 9 to 10 o'clock and every ten minutes until 11 o'clock. Returning, the cars will run every twenty minutes, commencing at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon. A special round trip rate of forty cents has been made for adults and twenty-five cents for children. Special rates have also been secured for boating and bathing privileges for the excursionists.

Francis Haggerty, coach of St. Vincent's college, will have charge of the athletic sports in the afternoon, which will be given on the lagoon before the pavilion. The sports will cover a varied program.

Program for Today
Following is the morning and afternoon programs: Morning exercises, 10 o'clock; overture, Willey's Playa del Rey marine band; opening remarks by the president; Edward Tynan; address of welcome, Rt. Rev. Bishop Conaty, D. D. Afternoon sports, 3:30 o'clock; 100 yard dash, open to all; 50 yard dash, for boys under 15 years; fat man's race, weight 225 pounds; girls' running race, under 15 years; swimming race, 50 yards; swimming race, 100 yards; tub race; barge race, contestants St. Vincent's college, Sherman and Frazier crews; shell race; ladies' boat race; yacht race. Dancing in the afternoon.

Following are the officers and executive committee: President, Edward Tynan; secretary, Dr. A. J. Scholl; treasurer, J. R. Dwyer; executive committee, M. T. Collins, chairman; Joseph Mesmer, Joseph Scott, M. J. McGarry, T. J. Cunningham, J. P. Coyne, Joseph Smith and Francis Haggerty.

GRAIN TRANSPORTATION RATES ARE REDUCED

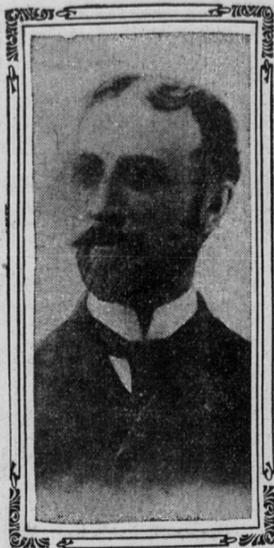
Sweeping Cut Is Made by the Great Northern Railroad in Eastern Territory

By Associated Press.
ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 19.—Just as the movement of the grain crop is about to begin the Great Northern railroad today announced a sweeping reduction in grain rates throughout its eastern territory, extending to the boundary of Montana. Three years ago the road made important reductions in the western section. The new rates, it is claimed, will add millions to the potential resources of the farmers of the northwest. The reduction is not made, it is claimed, in pursuance of any pressure, but as a voluntary act in the words of an official "a profit-sharing policy of the road between the railroad and the tillers of the soil of the northwest that has been fundamental in the management of the Great Northern."

"The meaning of these reductions to the farmers of the northwest is something more than the winning of a battle or the signing of some advantageous commercial treaty," said a prominent railroad official. "It effects the entire grain product of the northwest, for the same rates have been met by the Northern Pacific and must be met by every other line doing business in the same territory and tributary thereto. You cannot tell how far a movement like this will reach. It will mean a saving of more than 200,000,000 bushels to the ordinary markets. This foots up from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000 that will remain in the pockets of the farmers, of which the Great Northern will contribute at least one-half."

Mrs. George Keppel of England wears a pendant of emeralds, the most beautiful in the world.

M. J. McGARRY AT THE LEFT AND J. R. DYER. BELOW IS M. T. COLLINS, CHAIRMAN OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE



J. P. COYNE

COURT DRESS AT DIVORCE TRIALS

Man Needs No Advice, Because He Is "Wise" and Studies Effects, Never Forgetting Salient Features

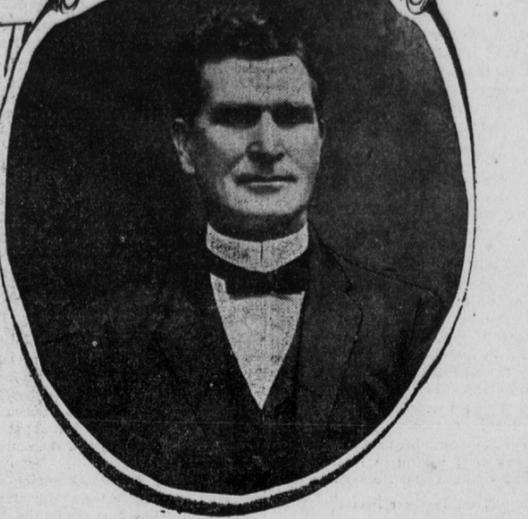
In what garments shall a woman array herself when she appears before a superior court in quest of legal separation from her husband?
Those who follow divorce courts closely find that no two women ever observe the same style of dress when they apply for their divorces, and this fact is laid to the door of the attorneys to whom women appeal for advice when they want to know even the slightest detail about divorce proceedings.

"A woman seeking a divorce is one of the most peculiar clients we have to handle," said a prominent divorce attorney yesterday. "In the first place, either through modesty or because they fear disclosing some peculiar actions of their own, most women hold back a portion of the details which the husband, who enters cross complaint, is sure to remember and then we are met with the proposition in open court, taken by surprise and are unable to offer defense."

"When a woman enters our offices now she enters into an agreement to tell every detail concerning the ground upon which she is to bring the divorce. Various Types of Sobs
"Of course some of the women cry during the recital of their troubles to us, but we always attempt to eliminate this feature when the case comes to court, because some of the women's attempts to cry in a ladylike manner creates the impression of shamming. In other cases many of the women have it all arranged how they shall cry and as a result that which was intended for the sorrowing tears of a troubled woman sound to the court like the last howls of a dying tabby."

"But the height of woe and sorrow with which a lawyer has to contend is the consideration of their dresses for the court scene. Some of their questions are positively shocking. For instance, a young woman came to me the other day and immediately started on the dress question. 'I am having a perfectly lovely dress made for the occasion,' she said. 'It is black tulle with muslin du swig on the shoulders and a pousse cafe flounce.' At least that was what it sounded like and I told her to go ahead and wear the affair, especially because it was brown and that color always goes well with the court."

"When that dress showed up at my



JOSEPH SCOTT



EDWARD TYNAN

office on the day of the trial I could have died of mortification. The side attractions were there with a vengeance and if I had allowed that woman to appear in court in that rig she would have never received her divorce, let alone the alimony. It took a great deal of persuading and some crying before she went home and changed that dress, but we won our case.

"If I had the giving of advice I would tell all women to wear plain clothes to the hearing of a divorce case, but many other attorneys would advise clothing suitable to the evidence of the case. Sporty cases are almost always attended by sporty clothing."

"But nothing will go further with a judge than a bright, intelligent woman who tells a straightforward story of her trouble, eliminating all the unnecessary details and one who is quietly, but well dressed."

"There is nothing to say about the men, because only one out of a hundred who will forget anything his wife has ever done to him and the more facts about her private life he can bring forth and embarrass her with in court the greater he seems to enjoy it."

WOMEN ARE VICTIMS OF ROOMING HOUSE THIEVES

Sneak thieves operated successfully at the Crocker mansion, Third and Olive streets, Friday afternoon, securing jewelry and small amounts of money



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FOUR INJURED IN EXPLOSIONS

FIRE CHIEF LIPS PAINFULLY BURNED

GAS IGNITED IN BASEMENT

Small Blaze in Music Store Starts a Series of Accidents—Manholes Blown Off, Causing Great Excitement

Defective electric light wiring and escaping gas played havoc in the vicinity of First and Spring streets yesterday afternoon. Two fires and numerous accidents following two explosions resulted and great excitement prevailed for a few minutes. Four persons, including Fire Chief Lips, were injured. They are: FIRE CHIEF LIPS, I. H. HOLMES, manager music store.

FRANK COX, lineman. CHRIS WUERTZ, lineman. An alarm of fire was sent in from Fitzgerald's music store at 113 South Spring street shortly before 1 o'clock. Chief Lips hurried to the fire and undertook the direction of the firemen. In descending the stairway to the basement, where the fire was raging, an unidentified and greatly excited man rushed by the chief and as he passed, struck a match to light a cigar. An explosion followed and Chief Lips and I. H. Holmes, manager of the music store, sustained painful burns about the face. The excited person who caused the explosion escaped without injury.

The force of the explosion ripped baseboards from the walls of the building, but no considerable damage resulted. The blaze was extinguished before much damage was done and investigation revealed the cause of the fire as due to defective electric wiring.

Second Explosion Occurs
Chief Lips notified the electric light and gas companies that their apparatus in the building was defective and required immediate attention. A crew of workmen was sent to investigate and remedy the defect and while investigating Frank Cox and Chris Wuertz, underground linemen, lifted one of the manholes on First street near Broadway and as they peered into the hole another explosion occurred, blowing off the lids of manholes within a radius of two blocks.

Cox was severely burned about the face and body and Wuertz sustained painful burns. The men were sent to the receiving hospital for treatment. Cox was later sent to his home, 2224 Romeo street, and Wuertz was sent to his room at 227 East First street. Their injuries are more painful than serious.

Four hours later another alarm was sent in from the vicinity, the blaze starting from defective wiring in the basement of the Houser meat market at 129 South Main street. This blaze was extinguished after causing \$20 damage.

Undelivered Telegrams
There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph company for Mr. L. P. Ellis, Mr. C. C. Campbell, Mrs. D. B. Thurman, A. D. Heur, Miss Helen St. Claire, Harold Miller, Katharine Jackson, J. A. Schenck, Fred Munroe, A. Welton, Roy R. Taylor, Hon. R. A. Burch, Eugene D. Wood, Warren Dried Fruit Co., Mrs. Julia Briggs, Louis Baldwin, Mr. Henry J. Coger.

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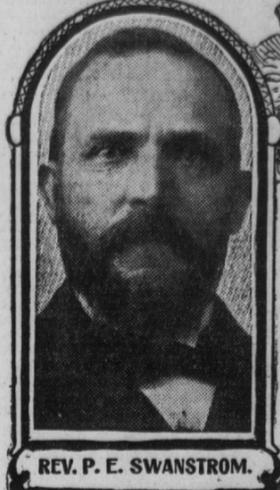
Information 250 S. Spring Street. Phones, Home 352-490; Main 352-495.

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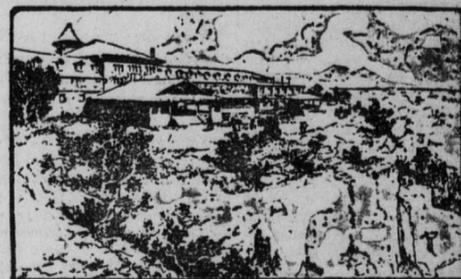
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