

# ALARMED AT HIS DISAPPEARANCE

## J. STEVE EHRET MISSING AT PASADENA

### BURNELL FUNERAL SUNDAY

Coroner's Jury Exonerates Railway Employees—Hotel Man Breaks His Leg—Silver Tea Set for Miss Sutton

Pasadena Agency, 114 East Colorado Street.

PASADENA, Sept. 29.—J. Steve Ehret, a young man from Dale, Pa., who has been staying at No. 27 Holly street, is missing and his acquaintances are anxious to know his whereabouts. Ehret was brought to Pasadena three months ago in the last stages of consumption and has been growing weaker until he could not walk more than a block at a time. At 5 p. m. yesterday the young man wandered from the house. He has not yet returned, and, knowing his almost helpless condition, his landlady is greatly alarmed. When Ehret came to Pasadena one of the roomers at 27 Holly street, Charles Foster, was told if anything happened to Ehret to telegraph to his brother, George Ehret, at Oil City, Pa. This has not yet been done. When Ehret left his rooms he had about \$25 on his person and went toward Fair Oaks avenue, as if to take a car. He had been taking treatment of Dr. J. A. Munk, at 355 South Broadway, Los Angeles, but it is not thought that the young man could have made the trip to see his physician in his enfeebled condition. Foul play is not feared, but it is thought that he may be lying helpless in some out of the way spot and in need of assistance.

**Exonerates Employees**  
Coroner Trout held an inquest this forenoon over the body of the late Rev. Kingsley A. Burnell, who was struck and killed by a Pacific Electric car on Thursday night in South Pasadena. The motorman, conductor and a number of passengers were examined, but no new light was thrown on the accident, and the verdict therefore entirely exonerated the employees of the company. One of the jury held out upon this last point for some time in the belief that such a verdict would interfere with a possible suit for damages against the company, but when Coroner Trout explained that exoneration from criminal negligence would have no bearing on a civil suit he agreed to sign the verdict. The funeral services for the deceased clergyman will be held tomorrow.

**Opposes New Ordinance**  
The plan to give physicians answering hury calls the right of way through the city's streets, as indicated by an ordinance in the city council, does not meet with instant approval from the medical fraternity itself. One of them, Dr. F. F. Rowland, surgeon for the Pacific Electric company, voices the opposition. He says that any ordinance which gives any driver of an automobile the right to run his machine at an unusual speed is vicious in principle. As the doctor is responding every day to calls of this character what he says is of considerable interest. Other physicians are as much in favor of the ordinance as Dr. Rowland is against it.

**Broke His Leg**  
George W. Lane, a hotel man, 55 years old, living at 292 West Colorado street, stepped from a Pacific Electric car at 5 p. m. today while the car was entering the barns in this city and broke his leg. He was cared for by Dr. Rowland, the Pacific Electric surgeon, and removed to his home, where he is resting easily tonight.

**Pasadena Brevities**  
Dr. Edwin R. Chadbourne and daughter, of South Orange Grove avenue, leave tomorrow for a month's stay at Santa Barbara.

Rev. R. R. Meredith, pastor of the First Congregational church, has returned from an extended eastern trip, and will tomorrow resume his pulpit. The Adventists will put \$8000 in a new church building to stand on North Marengo avenue, near Pearl street. It will be of the mission type and the plans are now being drawn by Architect W. B. Edwards.

Dr. J. E. Janes, who is now on a trip in the northern part of the state, will bring back a bride when he returns. He will marry an old schoolmate, Miss M. M. Marvin of Monticello, Iowa, and after a visit to the Portland exposition, will be at home in this city.

Policeman Schultz stopped a runaway horse this morning on Orange Grove avenue, but not until he had been severely bruised by the frightened animal. It appears that the horse belonged to Francis E. Neer of Eureka street and becoming frightened threw his driver into the arroyo and made for the city. When Officer Schultz had succeeded in quieting the horse Neer came up, himself not much hurt. It was a close call for both men.

James Carpenter, 80 years old, was arraigned in the police court this morning on the charge of begging. The old man is one of the earliest residents of Pasadena and was for a time an inmate of the county farm. But he had some difficulty with the keeper of the farm and came to Pasadena where he has been making a poor living from charity. He has no relatives here and is well-nigh helpless so Judge Wood let him go on his promise to return to the county farm.

The committee which has in charge arrangements for the approaching reception to Miss May Sutton has decided that a handsome silver tea set will be

the most appropriate memorial for the city's gift on that occasion and has accordingly telegraphed east for the same. Other arrangements are progressing finely. The local lodge of Elks have asked to be given some place in the committee's plans, being desirous of showing their respect and admiration for the doughty little champion. A suitable badge is being prepared for the occasion and elaborate decorations.

## VETERANS' DRESS PARADE FEATURE AT ENCAMPMENT

### HEROES PROUDLY MARCH WITH DRUM AND FIFE

Huntington Beach Accommodations Taxed to Entertain Throngs of Visitors Yesterday—Program of Musical and Literary Numbers Given

Special to The Herald.  
HUNTINGTON BEACH, Sept. 29.—The town was thronged today with the veterans and their friends, and the people of Orange county, who took the entertainment of the veterans in hand today, seemed determined to make it the banner day of the encampment, not only from a point of interest but attendance as well.

Santa Ana, Anaheim, Orange and every hamlet in the county sent a large delegation and tonight the hotels, restaurants, lodging houses and tents are taxed to their utmost.

There was no cessation in the program of entertainment at the camp ground. Rev. Dr. Pitner, W. B. Johnson of Riverside and several other speakers addressed the veterans during the forenoon, and the speeches were interspersed with vocal and instrumental music of a high order.

After the meeting in the big tent there was an old-fashioned campfire, and the stories told by the veterans were tinged with humor and pathos. This afternoon the center of attraction was Prof. Scott's orchestra, which rendered patriotic airs at the pavilion. At 5:30 o'clock Commander Paul lined up the veterans in dress parade and the sight of the "old boys" marching to music of fife and drum was one long to be remembered.

**Inadequate Accommodations**  
Tonight there was a general hustle for mattresses, quilts and blankets at the camp grounds to provide beds for numerous friends who came to remain over Sunday.

The crowd was so large that a number found it necessary to return to the city, not being able to secure accommodations. The assemblage in the big tent was called to order at 7:30 o'clock and the following program was rendered: Instrumental duet, Mrs. and Miss Moesser; recitation, "Now I'm a G. A. R., My Brother," Mrs. Ellen Reed Rise; male quartet, Taylor, Ramsey, Murle Ramsey, Prior; recitation in costume, "Getting Ready for the Fourth of July," Miss Cora Huntington; recitation, "God Knows," Mrs. Alice Yount; vocal solo, Burt Taylor; dialogue, "Carpenter Rags," Mesdames Wood and Huntington; piano solo, Miss Ada Moesser; recitation, "Night of Shiloh," Miss Hazel Bemis; vocal solo, in costume, "When I Goes to Fight Mit Sigel," Jasper Martin; recitation, "A Wounded Soldier," E. T. Langley; Sedgwick Callithumplings, "Martin's Pig," W. R. C.; recitation, "The Girls at Home," Mrs. Roseltha Martin; vocal solo, Jas. Wilson; recitation, Mrs. Clark; vocal solo, "For His Mother's Sake," Miss Freda Moesser; recitation, "How Betty Killed the Bar," Mrs. Nellie King; vocal solo, Mrs. Cora Bell; vocal solo, Mrs. Nellie McCoombs; piano solo, Mrs. Grace Moesser.

A chorus of Relief Corps women, to the number of about twenty, serenaded numerous business houses about town tonight, and the office of the Huntington News.

## VENTURESOME YOUTH IS INJURED ON TOBOGGAN

### Ocean Park Visitor Claims to be a Brother of "Scotty" and Makes a Big Splurge

Special to The Herald.  
OCEAN PARK, Sept. 29.—Wayne French, an adventuresome youth who, with his parents, has been spending the summer season here, met with a serious accident while sliding down the toboggan in the new bathhouse last evening. In company with several other lads young French had been furnishing amusement for a large number of onlookers by going down the incline in various positions and, while attempting a particularly hazardous feat, slipped forward on his face, dislocating his nose, bruising his features and finally landing in the tank unconscious. Fellow bathers went to the boy's assistance at once and carried him bleeding profusely to a nearby room. He remained insensible until revived by a local physician, and was then removed to his home.

A jewelry bedecked individual, who appeared well supplied with money and claimed to be a brother of "Scotty," the Death valley Croesus, materialized in town last evening and, after getting acquainted with the boys and proving himself a bold spender, just as quickly faded mysteriously from view. During his sojourn the stranger claimed to be interested in a fabulously rich mine in Arizona and displayed a quantity of nuggets to substantiate his story.

Dr. C. M. Beebe of Los Angeles will conduct the ceremonies at the dedication of the new Woodmen's temple, formerly Kinney hall, to be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Dr. W. H. Kiger left for Toledo, Ohio, today, where he will meet his wife, who has been absent for several months, and will accompany her on the return journey.

# FORTUNA RANCH HAS BEEN SOLD

## LARGE PROPERTY NEAR SAN DIEGO CHANGES HANDS

### CELEBRATION AT ESCONDIDO

Admission Day is Observed by Burning the Bonds of the Old Irrigation District—Colonel Dodge Honored

Special to The Herald.  
SAN DIEGO, Sept. 29.—The Southwestern Investment company has purchased the Fortuna ranch on the north side of the San Diego river just outside the city limits. It is a portion of the ex-Mission grant and contains 7300 acres. It is understood to be the intention of the investment company to subdivide the tract and place it on the market in villa lots.

T. J. Fitzsimmons, with a force of 40 men, is completing the work of relaying the Santa Fe track through the city with heavy rails, taking up those of 55 pounds and putting in others of 67 pounds. The work was started several weeks ago, and was finished from the D street depot northward, but the force was called away to do other work at other stations. Now the relaying is to be continued as far as Twenty-second street. Mr. Fitzsimmons is in charge of the force in the absence of Road Master Hall, who is attending the road masters' convention in Buffalo.

Fishermen report that barracuda are still running well outside, in fact the season is holding on unusually well this year and the fisher boats are coming in with 700 and 1000 pounds daily.

**Delegates to Mining Congress**  
President Akerman of the chamber of commerce has been empowered to appoint three delegates to the American Mining congress which meets in El Paso in November, and one representative to attend the banquet to be tendered Luther Burbank next Thursday at the Palace hotel in San Francisco.

A special train with between 125 and 150 San Diegans left this morning to assist the people of Escondido in celebrating Admission day by burning the bonds of the old Escondido irrigation district. The Escondido people did everything possible to entertain the visitors and started the train home again at 6 o'clock. It arrived here at a little after 8, the excursionists having put in a full day of enjoyment.

Col. R. V. Dodge has just received his appointment as district deputy grand sachem of district No. 60, Improved Order of Red Men. The appointment was made by Great Sachem Cummings.

Mrs. Isabelle V. Wilber was yesterday granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from William Wilber of Escondido. She is permitted to assume her maiden name, Isabelle V. Bailey.

**To Inspect Water Properties**  
U. S. Engineer David W. Murphy of the reclamation service left this afternoon for an inspection of the works of the Southern California Mountain Water company, taking in the Sweetwater dam and San Diego Flume companies' works on his return trip to this city.

This trip will consume several days and constitutes the first section of the preliminary investigation of the possibilities of conserving the waters of all of the water sheds of the western slope.

Engineer Murphy came to San Diego for the purpose of making such an investigation, and he will report his findings to Supervising Engineer J. P. Lippincott.

Upon his return from this first trip he will take an extensive trip through the Warner ranch and San Luis Rey country.

## CORONER'S JURY FINDS THAT MURDER WAS DONE

### Verdict Returned That John William Mears Was Shot Down by Some Unknown Person

Special to The Herald.  
VENTURA, Sept. 29.—The death of John Mears at Santa Paula last Thursday becomes more and more a mystery. The coroner's inquest was held yesterday and the verdict of the jury was that "John William Mears came to his death from a shot fired from a shot gun in the hands of some person unknown to the jury."

Dr. T. E. Cunnane, acting county physician, was present and made an examination of the wound and testified that he had found a jagged hole about an inch and a half in diameter in the back of the head. The shot had taken a horizontal course, a little downward if anything; it had severed the brain from the spinal cord and the bones of the head were fractured. The shot had lodged in the face. There were no powder burns, nor was the hair burned, showing that the gun must have been some distance away when fired.

to sit in the chair with the gun and fire it in such a manner as Mears must have fired to have killed himself. This could not be done to the satisfaction of the jury.

Frank Mears' testimony was about the same in substance as that of Mr. Foster.

Mr. Grijalva, a Mexican who lives near the Mears home, was called. It had been reported that he and the deceased had quarreled, but this was not proved.

No one is suspected of the crime. Admission day was pretty generally observed here this afternoon; all business houses were closed and a game of base ball between the married and single men of the Native Sons was played.

## SAWTELLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL OPEN MONDAY

Corps of Teachers Has Been Selected. Notes and Personal Mention

Special to The Herald.  
SAWTELLE, Sept. 29.—The public schools of Sawtelle will begin Monday with the following corps of teachers: Principal, T. V. Masterson; Miss Vina O. Finney, Miss Minnie Hockenoy, Miss Williamette Johnson and Miss Lillian M. Svenson. John Russell was elected janitor.

The young people of the M. E. church held an ice cream social on Mrs. Gallagher's lawn today. The proceeds are to be applied on the new Methodist church now in process of construction on Seventh street.

Mrs. William Clark of Sawtelle and her guest, Miss Kate Gallagher of Idaho, visited friends in Pasadena this week.

Miss Alice Wilson and R. Gray were united in marriage at the Wilson residence on Thirteenth and Minnesota streets Thursday evening.

A pleasant surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Peters, who have just removed here.

Postmaster Walter Metcalf has made public the postoffice receipts for the months of June, July and August. The receipts for the month of June, 1905, were \$178.66; for the month of July, 1905, \$176.94, and for August of the same year \$238.34. Postmaster Metcalf has kept a record of the monthly business of his office and this records the gradual increase of Sawtelle.

Recent deaths at the Soldiers' home are as follows: Charles B. Spencer, Company H, Forty-seventh Massachusetts Infantry, died September 5, aged 71, John Riley, Company G, First Nebraska cavalry, died September 6, aged 81, Patrick M. Kehoe, Company A, First California Infantry, died September 7, aged 68.

Major Cochrane, treasurer of the Soldiers' home, has opened bids for all supplies for the quarter ending December 31.

## REDLANDS MISCELLANIES

Miss J. M. Morrison and Floyd G. Dessery Married

Special to The Herald.  
REDLANDS, Sept. 29.—Miss Julia M. Morrison, formerly of this city, and Floyd G. Dessery of Los Angeles were quietly married at 1046 Mitchell place on Wednesday, Sept. 26, at 11 o'clock. The rooms had been artistically decorated with a profusion of greenery and hundreds of white asters.

The bride, who is a pretty blonde, wore a rich gown of white organdie over white silk and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Dessery left in the afternoon for San Francisco. They will return to Los Angeles in a few weeks, where they will make their home.

The annual gathering of the synod of the Presbyterian churches of California and Nevada will be held in this city beginning October 18. The event will bring over two hundred ministerial delegates to this city.

## SANTA ANA BREVITIES

Special to The Herald.  
SANTA ANA, Sept. 29.—There was no celebration of Admission day here today beyond the usual closing of public offices.

Bert Liscomb of Huntington Beach was thrown from a horse yesterday and badly injured in the back and internally. He is under treatment at the Santa Ana hospital here.

Rev. M. M. Kilpatrick of the United Presbyterian church is home from a month's vacation, and will hold services as usual in the church tomorrow.

James Williams, a lineman working for the Sunset company, fell from a pole at Orange and sustained severe injuries to his foot. He was removed to Los Angeles for treatment.

P. W. Ehlen of Orange has returned from a trip to the Portland fair.

F. H. L. Willis of Battle Creek is visiting with A. L. Kiesel and family of this place.

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## BIG BEN WREAKS REVENGE ON HATED ANIMAL TAMER

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#### Trainer Who Will Subdue Big African Lion on the Vaudeville Stage Ventures Too Close to the Cage and Nearly Loses an Eye

Lobengula, the big blackmaned lion, who has been the principal attraction of the Eastlake park zoo, nearly succeeded in wiping out a long standing grudge he has cherished against W. M. Caldwell, the English animal trainer, yesterday afternoon.

Caldwell ventured too close to Big Ben's cage, and with an angry snarl the lion thrust his huge paw between the bars of his cage, bringing it down with immense force on Caldwell's head. Fortunately the animal trainer wore a stiff straw hat and this is all that prevented Lobengula from scratching out his left eye. The lion's claws ripped through the stiff straw as if it had been so much paper and a slight abrasion on Caldwell's forehead is the mark left by one sharp claw.

Big Ben hates Caldwell with all the fervor of which his untamed heart is capable, and this is not the first time he has tried to wreak vengeance on the animal tamer. About two weeks ago the lion made a desperate attempt to kill Caldwell at Eastlake park and this suggested to the daring trainer the plan of putting on a vaudeville sketch at one of the local theaters, in which he would enter the lion's cage and subdue him in spite of his hatred. The idea was well received in local theatrical circles and a play written around Caldwell and Lobengula. This play will be produced for the first time at the Casino theater Monday evening.

The scene of the play is laid in South Africa, where some diamonds are stolen and hidden in the lion's cage. It is the duty of Caldwell to go into the cage and secure the jewels, at the same time shooting blank cartridges at the lion. Lobengula hates firearms almost as much as he does Caldwell and the combination is likely to produce some interesting results.

## ELSINORE NOTES AND PERSONAL MENTION

Special to The Herald.  
ELSINORE, Sept. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. William McClintock left today for Los Angeles, where they will spend their vacation of a week or two.

Mrs. B. F. Elcheibecker and daughter Grace of Sioux City, Iowa, who have been visiting Mrs. Elcheibecker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Prince, for a couple of months, left today for home, via Portland. Mr. Prince accompanied them to Los Angeles.

Miss Jean McIntire returned today from her outing at Laguna. Mrs. McIntire and Miss Katherine McIntire remain at the coast.

Miss Elizabeth Chamberlin returned today from a month's visit in Los Angeles with her brother Clint Chamberlin and wife.

Miss Helen Ramsdale is visiting with relatives in Los Angeles this week.

Mrs. Margaret Hazzard left today for Los Angeles and San Diego, where she will spend three weeks with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Clayton and baby and Donald Clayton, who have been visiting relatives in Elsinore, left for Los Angeles today.

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