THE CITY

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The Herald will pay $10 in cash to anyone furnishing evidence that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person caught stealing copies of The Herald from the premises of our patrons. THE HERALD.

Cathedral Choir Reception

The choir of the Cathedral of St. Vibiana will give a reception on the evening of October 26 at the cathedral hall. A short musical program will be rendered.

Rob Toy Bank

Burglars entered the home of Ernest Stocker at 536 Commercial street while the family were absent yesterday and took $4 from a toy bank. The burglars gained entrance through a window. The house was ransacked.

Elect Officers

At a meeting of Camp Roosevelt, No. 9, Department of California, United Spanish War Veterans, at their hall, 220 South Main street, Thursday night Adjt. G. A. Horn was elected commander to succeed T. L. Syvertson, Sergt. Maj. E. L. Gibbs was appointed adjutant to succeed G. A. Horn and Clifford Nix was appointed sergeant major to succeed E. L. Gibbs.

Sodality Meeting

The Young Ladies' sodality of the Cathedral of St. Vibiana held a meeting at the cathedral yesterday afternoon. Right Rev. Mgr. Harnett made an address. A number of new members have been received into the society. Several social events have been planned for the winter season. Rev. T. F. Fahey is the director. Mrs. D. M. Reardon will entertain the sodality with a musicale in the first part of November.

HE YIELDS TO TEMPTATION

Letter Containing Check Payable to Another Bearing Same Name Excites Cupidity of J. M. Jamison

While attempting to pass a check on a Spring street merchant Saturday afternoon J. M. Jamison, said to be an ex-convict, was arrested by Special Officer Hirsch, and yesterday when confronted with the evidence that the police had gathered against him is said to have confessed.

Jamison says he ascertained that there was a letter at the general delivery addressed to Mrs. J. M. Jamison, and when he called for it it was given to him. When he opened the letter he says he found the check for $105 issued by P. Lewis Mark, treasurer of the board of stewards of the Methodist church of Fultonham, O., and made payable to Mrs. J. M. Jamison.

Jamison says he erased the "s" of the abbreviation Mrs., and expected to secure the money by being identified. He attempted to pass the check at several stores, but none would receive it. In the store where he was arrested the clerk became suspicious, and while holding Jamison on various pretexts called the officer.

Telegraphic advices from Fultonham are that Mrs. Jamison came to Los Angeles some years ago with her husband, who was a minister and who died here. Since then Mrs. Jamison has made her home in Los Angeles.

The police are attempting to locate Mrs. Jamison to restore the check to her.

ENDANGERS MATINEE CROWDS

Trolley and Roof of Street Car Fall Among Pedestrians Without Inflicting Injury

Twenty or more persons experienced a narrow escape from death yesterday afternoon when a trolley pole, carrying with it the top of a dinky Chutes street car, fell into the street at First and Spring streets.

The street was thronged with the usual Sunday matinee crowds and the trolley fell in their midst without inflicting any injury.

The weight of the heavy trolley pole overbalanced the light wooden top of the car and it fell into the street with a crash that was heard a block away. It required the services of four men to place the iron pole and wooden base inside the car to be sent to the barn.

A team attached to a carriage containing a woman and three children passed along the street immediately before the crash.

BLESSINGS OF AFFLICTION

Francis Murphy Asserts That Troubles Are Essential to the Perfection of Character

Francis Murphy conducted the second of his winter series of gospel temperance meetings last night in Blanchard hall. He addressed an audience which filled the hall and overflowed into the corridors. He spoke on "The Blessings of Affliction."

Mr. Murphy pointed out that the great blessing of afflictions is that they exert a purifying influence upon characters, wearing away from the soul all that is unworthy and slowly shaping the life into form that is fair and beautiful. He dwelt upon the necessity of this purifying process in the proper development of character.

Judge H. A. Pierce presided at the meeting. Short addresses were made by W. A. Harris, S. A. Faroat and others after Mr. Murphy spoke.

THIEVES SAW HOLE IN FLOOR

Effect Entrance to K. Kondo's Room and Steal $140 While Owner Is Absent

Daylight robbers sawed a hole through the floor of the home of K. Kondo, 214 Bellevue avenue, yesterday afternoon in the absence of the family, and after gaining entrance to the house stole $140.

From appearances, it is believed by the police that the burglars knew the location of the money and were aware of the absence of the family.

Kondo lives above his pool hall with other Japanese, who knew of the hiding place of the money.

SOCIETY'S HOPE IN THE CROSS

PRINCIPLES MUST APPEAL TO THE HEART

Rev. Alfred Inwood Tells Boyle Heights Congregation of the Great and Wonderful Philosophy of the Atonement

"Jesus Christ and Him Crucified" was the topic of the initial sermon of Rev. Alfred Inwood yesterday morning as pastor of the Boyle Heights Methodist church. The speaker outlined his attitude as pastor of the church for the coming year, urging the people to be lovers and followers of the cross.

Following the sermon W. M. Atwood, a trustee of the church, made a short address, in which he asked that the recent unpleasantness over the removal of Rev. W. M. Sterling, the former pastor, be forgotten and urged that the church be united and try to keep a pastor for five years and not to change every years. This sentiment was met by hearty applause.

Mr. Inwood took his text from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians, 2:2. He said in part:

"The strength of our lives is determined by the purpose that masters them. There can be no strength if there is no strong purpose; no definiteness if not a single aim; no result if not an all-commanding, masterful determination. The words of Paul give you the secret of his success. He put Jesus first and proclaimed that above all else.

"No ministry has ever been successful that has not put Christ first. It has no power only as Christ has stood first. In the day of Paul the cross was the symbol of shame, not the glory it has been in your day and in mine. The burden of my message in this church is that I have determined not to know anything among you except Jesus Christ and Him crucified.

Cross of Christ Only Hope

"There are charming things about the life of Christ; wonderful lessons of life and character. But those have no power to save, for if they had, Jesus never would have been crucified.

"Men are proposing all sorts of things for the betterment of society. But they are turning from the one power that can save. There is no hope for the salvation of society but through the cross of Jesus Christ, and as the principles of the cross come to affect the hearts of men. The secret is that there has been but one power—Jesus Christ and Him crucified.

"You never can save man only as you save men. Jesus seemed almost blind to society, but always put his mind on men. He came to save the sinner. You may change a man's surroundings, but you do nothing for him unless you change him.

"There is a great and wonderful philosophy in the atonement of Jesus Christ. I do not think we need care for the philosophy of it. It is that Jesus Christ, the crucified, came to be the Savior of every man. When Jesus went to the cross it was the expression of the love of God. Jesus as our substitute. There is not a man or woman for whom He did not die. Blessed be His name; He sets the prisoners free.

"Jesus went to the cross to be the master of death. He conquered it on the cross and proved himself master of life and death. Jesus Christ has put that same hope into our hearts by your cross and my cross. God help us to be lovers and livers of the cross."

TO CELEBRATE LANDING DAY

Knights of Columbus Will Observe Anniversary of Discovery of America

The anniversary of the landing of Columbus will be observed by the local lodge of the Knights of Columbus next Thursday evening at the Cathedral of St. Vibiana with a solemn vesper service. Rt. Rev. Mgr. Harnett, V. G., will be celebrant. Rev. Father Stark, one of the Paulist fathers of San Francisco, will preach the sermon. The collection will be for the benefit of the Convent of the Good Shepherd.

Rev. T. F. Fahey, a prominent member of the order, has charge of the musical program. "March of the Priests" by Mendelssohn will be rendered, followed by congregational singing of the hymn "Jesus My Lord and My God."

The vesper service of the day will be celebrated, consisting of five psalms and the hymn "Iste Confessor." Miss Scanlon will sing "Salve Regina." Following the sermon, Miss Scanlon will sing "Adore Te," with 'cello obligato by G. Allan Hancock and organ accompaniment by A. J. Stamm. The benediction service will conclude with the singing of the benediction numbers by the congregation, and "Holy God, We Praise Thy Name." Admission will be by card.

ASSOCIATION GIVES BANQUET

Engineers and Architects Listen to and Discuss Paper on San Pedro Breakwater

The Engineers and Architects' association gave a banquet at the Cafe Bristol Saturday evening, at which thirty persons sat down.

President Donald W. Campbell of the association presided, and after the banquet, Langdon C. Easton read a paper prepared by C. H. McKinstry, government engineer in charge of the work at San Pedro harbor, entitled "The New Delaware, Sandy Bay and San Pedro breakwater."

The paper dealt with a history of the government works at San Pedro and a general discussion followed the reading.

PREDICTS FUTURE OF LOS ANGELES

EASTERN JOURNALIST SEES GREAT DESTINY

Asserts That Angel City Is Mouth of Funnel, Through Which Thousands Are Attracted by Various Magnets

An old-time newspaper man from the east was in the city yesterday for the first time. He is a close observer and has the progress of Los Angeles "down fine."

"I have been wanting to see Los Angeles for a dozen years or more," he remarked. "It stood alone among American cities during the racking times from 1892 to 1897. It went forward all the time and I believe it would do the same again in case of a period of panic and depression."

"How could you know just how Los Angeles was growing during those years of financial reaction?" he was asked.

"By studying the bank clearings as reported weekly by the mercantile agencies. In that way you can become informed as to what any large town is doing. The clearings of every important city in America experienced a big slump from 1892 to 1897, some of them shrinking nearly 50 per cent. The average daily clearings of New York city, for instance, fell from $118,561,782 in 1892 to $79,704,426 in 1894, a decrease of nearly $39,000,000 a day, or over 32 per cent.

"This loss was general and continued up to 1897. New York's clearings averaged over $10,000,000 less per day even in 1897 than in 1892. Los Angeles showed the jolt in some degree only in 1893 and 1894, then began to climb up and has never stopped since.

Reads Growth in Figures

"I have looked up this town's clearings since 1892 and any thoughtful person can read the growth of the community in them. Here are the official figures:

Years.	Clearings.
1892	$ 39,529,902
1893	45,240,725
1894	44,669,150
1895	57,046,832
1896	61,356,141
1897	59,323,916
1898	72,229,036
1899	86,341,616
1900	113,766,378
1901	161,466,671
1902	245,516,112
1903	307,316,830
1904	345,343,956

"Then, from your standpoint, do you figure that Los Angeles will continue to enjoy steady progress in the future?"

"I can't see it any other way. You have a commodity which will never fail to be in demand—your everlasting mountain and sea summertime. The people of all the cold states want it—must have it.

"You are the small end of the geographic funnel of which most of North America is the big end. The funnel will continue to work in the future, as in the past, even more decidedly as the years go on.

"Then you get people from the very hot sections in summer—that's the summer funnel.

"Your bank clearings this year are running at a gait of $460,000,000, against $345,343,956 last year, an increase of about $115,000,000 for 1905. It doesn't take a very wise man to see that the town is going ahead more rapidly than ever before."

"Have you noticed any other indications favorable to Los Angeles?"

Money Is Plentiful

"Yes, several. You've got money here. Tacoma is one of the most prosperous of the northern coast cities, and has about one-third your population. Yet the bank deposits there amount to scarcely $8,000,000, while your town has over $40,000,000.

"The people here have extraordinary faith and courage to undertake any reasonable enterprise. That spirit made Chicago. Then you are beginning to manufacture a great deal, have good payrolls, which put new life blood into any community.

"Your local authorities estimate the factory employes at 12,000, which alone would justify a population of at least 75,000.

"You have a splendid domain of productive land tributary to this city destined to be one of the richest garden spots of the world, not to mention the growing wealth to be derived from the mines of Southern California, Nevada, Arizona and even Old Mexico, much of which will flow into this city. It looks to me as if Los Angeles is bound to keep going."

BEGINS ADORATION SERVICE

Rev. C. Gregoire Celebrates Solemn High Mass at Church of St. Thomas

The first forty hours' adoration in the new Church of St. Thomas the Apostle opened yesterday morning with solemn high mass at 10:30 a. m., Rev. C. Gregorie, celebrant; Rev. E. Lunney, deacon; Father Cavanaugh, sub-deacon; Rev. C. Molony, master of ceremonies, and Leo McLaughlin, assistant master of ceremonies. Rev. Edward Lunney, O. F. M., preached the sermon on the significance of the devotion.

The altars were elaborately decorated with white cosmos and ferns.

Last evening the service consisted of rosary, sermon and benediction. Father Lunney preached on "The Good Shepherd." He was also celebrant of the solemn benediction; Rev. C. Gregoire, deacon, and Rev. J. W. Collins, subdeacon.

Mass will be celebrated this morning at 9 o'clock, Father Cavanaugh celebrant. Rev. C. Molony will preach this evening at the service, which will be followed by solemn benediction, Rev. J. A. Reardon, celebrant.

THOUSANDS OF GERMANS IN LINE

COMMEMORATE HISTORICAL EVENT

Great Throng Celebrates Anniversary of First Teutonic Settlement in America—Day's Festivities at Chutes Park

Five thousand German-Americans paraded the streets of Los Angeles yesterday morning in honor of the first settlement of the German people in America, October 8, 1683.

It had been announced that the procession would form at Seventh and Main streets at 9 o'clock and long before that time families began to line the streets. The spectators were disappointed by delays which prevented the procession from starting until 11 o'clock. When a start was made, however, everything moved like clockwork.

The procession was formed as previously outlined in the The Herald, but owing to the lateness of the hour the line of march was curtailed. The start was made and the line moved north on Main street to Court; west to Spring street; south on Spring to the junction of Main, where a countermarch was made to Fifth street, returning to the junction of Spring and Main streets, where the procession disbanded.

The parade was emblematic of the sturdy, industrious German-American people and there were no pains spared to make it a successful commemoration of the anniversary.

The police squad, under Captain Auble, followed by Grand Marshal Otto Steinen and the aids, were out in their full glory, and the procession that followed seemed to catch up the leading features of the occasion.

"Uncle Sam," with his characteristic attire, was quite conspicuous as he trudged along with his "wise" demeanor. The different societies came in for their share of attention as they rode and marched along the streets. The mascot, Leo, the dog petted by the Maennerchor Fidelia society, was in evidence, led along the streets with a miniature keg of beer tied to his neck.

Twenty thousand members of the German-American alliance took possession of the city yesterday and from the time the parade disbanded at Ninth and Main streets until the last warble of the Teutonic ballads echoed into the night, the crowd made merry within the festal grounds at Chutes park.

The speakers of the day were Dr. Joseph Kurtz, Mayor McAleer and Isidore Dockweiler, who addressed the gathering from the band stand during the morning.

The affair was the first of its kind held under the auspices of the German-American alliance, which represents seventeen distinct German societies and lodges in Southern California, and the outlying towns sent their quota for yesterday's celebration, which commemorated the 222d anniversary of the landing of "der Dutch" at Germantown, Pa. A special car brought the Anaheim delegation, and others came from San Diego and Riverside.

At the conclusion of the addresses a typical German luncheon was served, following which came the dancing that occupied a good part of the afternoon.

The Mannerchors furnished the German music of the day and the genuine melody of the folk song was perhaps the most striking feature of the anniversary services.

The Turnvereins, with their feats of strength and gymnastic skill, an indispensable factor of a German fest, entertained the crowd for an athletic two hours, the remainder of the day and evening being given up to a general merry-making.

The officers of the league are: Joseph Blust, president; W. E. Oder, vice president; Frau J. Smith, second vice president; N. Schwegal, secretary; C. Falkenstein, corresponding secretary; R. E. Kaestner, financial secretary; Louis Roeder, treasurer.

The committee on general arrangements for yesterday's celebration was composed of F. Heizman, A. G. Mayer, C. Entenmann, W. Morlock, Frau J. Smith, R. Matthias, H. Bartholowsky, A. Heymer, Fritz Bacham, F. Huber, M. Schaaf, Frau E. Pfirrmann, H. Heissand, A. Frese.

FALLS FROM STREET CAR

In alighting from a westbound University car at Fifteenth and Georgia streets last evening Gustav Wiemer, sr., of 1414 Georgia street was thrown to the ground and severely bruised. Wiemer attempted to alight before the car stopped. He was severely bruised about the hands and face, but sustained no serious injury, although losing consciousness for several minutes.