

EXTREME CRUELTY CHARGED ON WIFE

MRS. CAMERON ASSERTS HUSBAND CHOKED SON

Mother's Interference All That Saved Life of Boy Is Allegation Made in Plea for Divorce

"I was locked out of my home, I stayed near the house until nearly midnight and then I went to the side door and looked through. My husband was stealthily approaching the bedside of my son. He threw himself upon the boy and choked him and then I forced the lock in the front door and joined in the struggle."

"On the evening I left him, nearly a year ago, I had been to the drug store and had arrived home a short time after my husband. He was in a great rage and swore at me and called my husband names. He was always jealous of our two boys and on that occasion he told me to take my d- kids and get out of the house and stay out."

"My oldest son, Harold, 21 years of age, left the house and took me with him, as he feared my husband might injure me. We returned a short time later, but my husband had locked up the house and was sitting on the front porch. He laughed at our efforts to get in. We went away and returned at midnight. My younger son had retired and after repeated efforts to get in, I went to the side door. As I glanced through the glass I saw my husband drop on the bed beside my son and start to choke the lad. I ran around to the front door and with an entrance and dragged my husband away. I locked myself in my room and stayed there that night and left him the next day."

"At the advice of my attorney I returned to him, but I had not been with him more than three days when he swore at me and the trouble began all over."

"He once called my father a bad name and when I remonstrated he struck me in the face and cut my lip."

The divorce was granted.

SEEK POSITIONS IN LIBRARY

Eighteen Young Women Will Undergo Mental and Physical Examination Provided by Board

Eighteen young women have applied for positions on the library staff and they will be examined next Saturday afternoon. During the early part of the afternoon the examinations will be written and later the library board will conduct an oral examination.

Those who pass the written and oral examinations will be turned over to Dr. Leonard, city bacteriologist, who is also a practicing physician, for a physical examination. Leonard will receive a fee of \$3 for each examination, which will be paid by the applicant. The physical examination is an entirely new departure and is the result of a careful investigation which the board of directors has recently been making.

INJURED WOMAN MAY RECOVER

Mrs. Thomas Langheim, Because of Whose Accident Lynching Was Threatened, Is Improving

Mrs. Thomas Langheim, who was severely injured by being thrown from a car at the corner of Washington and Hoover streets Tuesday evening, is recovering from her injury and is pronounced out of serious danger. It was found on examination that her injuries consisted of a bad bruise on the left elbow and contusion of the brain. She became conscious for a time yesterday and was resting so well that it is believed she will recover. Mrs. Langheim, who lives at 1915 1/2 Darien place, stepped from the car to the ground. Her arm was filled with pack- ages and she grasped the rear rail of the car in alighting instead of the front rail, so that she was thrown violently to the ground. W. S. Reuss of the Motor Car company was passing in an auto at the time, and some bystanders under the impression that he had run over the woman, threatened to lynch him, but when the situation was made clear Reuss took the woman to her home in his auto.

GOLD HIS OWN POLICEMAN

Proprietor of Pawnshop Mounts Wheel and Captures Man Who Stole Fishing Rod

Frank Johnson attempted to steal a fishing rod from M. Gold, proprietor of the Uncle Sam's pawnshop at 108 North Main street yesterday. Johnson was in the store pricing fishing rods and while Gold's attention was occupied in another part of the store walked out with one of the rods. A few minutes later Johnson was seen sitting on the curb farther down Main street, apparently laboring under the delusion that he was fishing. Gold was notified and mounting a wheel made after the thief. Patrolman Aiken joined the chase and Johnson was taken to jail. Judge Austin sentenced him to fifteen days.

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SHOWER BALLOTS ON FAVORITES

THOUSANDS NOW COMING INTO CONTEST

Popular Salesladies Backed by Strenuous Supporters and Every Candidate Has Many Enthusiastic Boomers

Hundreds of votes were cast yesterday in The Herald's salesladies contest. It was the banner record of a day's polling up to date. This week the extra ballot for 2000 votes is being issued and a number of candidates have taken advantage of it and have secured five new three months' subscriptions, which entitles them to the coupon. The contest is fully under way now, but not enough time has elapsed for any one candidate to take a very great lead. This may not occur at all, but even if one aspirant does get a few thousand in the lead it must not be taken for granted the race is won. There are reserves to be figured on and perhaps the ladies who are apparently reposing in quiet near the bottom of the list will be the ones to creep up unawares and carry off the prizes. Such things have been done and many a race has been lost by overconfidence. Don't let rumors influence you one way or the other.

It is often the case that a candidate or her friends will hear that such or such one has secured a few five or ten years' subscription. These rumors are usually false, as the secrets of the office are not aired to inquirers, and reports are therefore started in hopes that the other ladies will become disheartened and stop their efforts—such rumors should only be the goal to greater things. Every mail brings in a large number of votes and there is a steady stream of voters who go in and out casting ballots for their favorites in the race. The contest is certainly gaining ground day by day and no one can anticipate what height this good-natured tug-of-war will attain. Certain it is that a large per cent of the people of Los Angeles are directly interested in the outcome of the contest, as deeply as the candidates and their friends are today.

Not a day goes by but what someone enlarges her total by several thousand, and yesterday a large number of candidates fell in line and polled a thousand or more—Miss Hagan of the New York Suit House polled the largest number, her total 4515; Miss Dewey of the Fifth Street Store the next largest number, placing her name third on the list, displacing Miss Catherine Backs of N. E. Blackstone & Co.; Miss Mabel Gordon takes fourth place on the list, while Miss Guggenheim assumes fifth position in the race.

- LANE & CO'S STORE
Miss Edith House 3,620
Miss Omar Beal 4,164
Miss Helen Rich 3,796
Miss J. Dunlap 3,402
Miss Dolly McIntee 3,176

Los Angeles Herald Popular Salesladies Contest

Fill in the name of the lady whom you wish to vote for and her business address. Bring or mail to the manager of the Contest Department care of Los Angeles Herald. This coupon counts for one vote.

Name
Address
Not good after November 2.

ATTEMPT TO END BAKER CASE

Beneficiaries of Estate Enter Contest to Settlement and Petition Will Be Heard

A petition of final settlement of the estate of Sarah E. Baker was filed yesterday by J. F. Prush, a Los Angeles contractor, before Judge Conroy in department five of the superior court but before the petition could be passed on the attorneys representing Oscar and Roy Radford, beneficiaries of the estate, entered a contest to the settlement of the accounting offered by Prush and the petition was taken up for trial.

The Baker estate has been one of the most unfortunate in the history of western litigation and before the final settlement is made the heirs may be in debt to attorneys, whereas they should have received about \$4000.

Mrs. Baker died in Los Angeles August 24, 1902. She had amassed some money through careful handling of her meager income and the entire estate amounted to a trifle over \$4000. An administrator was appointed to handle the estate. Soon after the estate was taken in charge by him, it is alleged by the heirs that an unfortunate investment or something of that nature was made and a big portion of the estate went with it.

SUES GOLD MINING COMPANY

"Ignorance of Business Usages and Extreme Gullibility" Plea of Complainants

Ignorance of business usages and extreme gullibility are the grounds given in a complaint filed in the federal courts by Nancy A. Holmes and Sinclair Anderson of Pasadena for an action against the American Gold Mining company of Los Angeles. It is stated in the complaint that the plaintiffs were the owners of the Lucky Blacksmith group of valuable mining claims situated in Yavapai county, Ariz. They further allege that last March the American Gold Mining company offered to buy their claims for the sum of \$25,000, and that the offer was accepted. The money was to be paid in three months, but the title to the claims was to pass to the defendant immediately. It is alleged the American Gold Mining company offered

NEW YORK SUIT HOUSE

- Miss T. Hagan 8,553
Miss Edythe Learned 4,404
Miss Carrie Hall 4,190
Mrs. A. J. West 1,701

FIFTH STREET STORE

- Miss Florence Dewey 6,870
Miss May Turk 4,964
Miss Lillian Smith 3,912
Miss Ethelda Cantwell 3,198
Miss Daisy McIntyre 3,001
Miss Emma Rennow 3,219

HAMBURGER'S STORE

- Miss Rose Guggenheim 5,340
Mrs. W. J. Lloyd 4,414
Miss Mabel Davis 4,101
Miss Margaret Fitzgerald 3,965
Miss L. Navin 1,621

N. B. BLACKSTONE CO.

- Miss Catherine Backs 5,333

MEHESY'S CURIO STORE

- Miss Grace Gray 5,240

THE BROADWAY

- Miss Edith Houston 4,801
Miss Saydee See 4,085
Miss Myra Cecil 3,627
Miss Maude Black 3,130
Miss Eva Snook 2,929

JACOBY BROS.' STORE

- Miss Mabel Schaeffe 4,502
Mrs. L. Hackett 3,999
Mrs. B. Lusby 3,528
Miss Daisy Vickers 3,954
Mrs. W. J. Workman 1,235

CHARLTON & CO.

- Miss Margaret McNiven 4,343
Mrs. G. C. Stoddard, 449 South Broadway 4,337

BOSTON STORE

- Miss Helen Harms 4,152

VILLE DE PARIS

- Miss Etta Schumacher 3,699
Miss Mabel Belrne 3,659
Miss R. Binder 2,622
Mrs. Shipman 1,208

H. M. MOSHER'S STORE

- Mrs. M. M. Lyon 4,400
Miss Mabel Beck 3,391

THE VIENNA EMPORIUM

- Miss W. Wires 2,899

HALE'S STORE

- Miss Sarah Hite 2,343

Votes Allowed on Subscriptions Paid in Advance.

Votes on subscriptions allowed as follows: 1 month's subscription to Daily Herald, 65 votes; 3 months' subscription to Daily Herald, 300 votes; 6 months' subscription to Daily Herald, 800 votes; 12 months' subscription to Daily Herald, 1700 votes.

PRICE OF DAILY HERALD

1 month's subscription to Daily Herald, 65c; 3 months' subscriptions to Daily Herald, \$1.95; 6 months' subscription to Daily Herald, \$3.90; 12 months' subscription to Daily Herald, \$7.80.

Those who are already subscribers to this paper may secure votes in this contest by paying in advance as long as desired. Payments in arrears count the same as payments in advance, provided there is a payment made for at least one month in advance.

Negro on Trial

Glenn Russell, a negro charged with grand larceny, was placed on trial before Judge Smith in department one of the superior court yesterday. Russell is alleged to have stolen a wheel. He had been tried twice before on charges of petty larceny and these did not help out in the establishment of a good reputation.

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Lodge, No. 278, F. & A. M., will convene at Masonic Temple Friday, Oct. 27, at 2:30 p. m., to conduct the funeral of Brother Calvin Clark, late a member of Elsinore Lodge, No. 289, F. & A. M.

W. E. ROWLEY, Secy.



Men's High-Grade \$9.50 \$15.00 Overcoats

A Manufacturer's Surplus Stock

An eastern manufacturer anxious to close out his surplus stock of overcoats made us an offer—a spot cash proposition—forced their already low price to a lower notch; that's the story in a nutshell. The coats are nobby top styles, also in medium and long lengths, made of beavers, meltons, tweeds and coverts; elegantly tailored and perfect fitting. There's also a number of cravenette coats in the lot. No better \$15.00 values to be found. On sale today, each, \$9.50.

Boys' Nobby Suits \$2.50 Men's New Fall Suits \$8.75

Boys' knee pants suits, of all-wool tweeds and chevrons; neat, stylish patterns; well tailored and trimmed; double breasted, Norfolk and juvenile styles; sizes for boys from 2 1/2 to 16; stylish suits, designed for service; splendid \$4.00 values. On sale today, \$2.50.

Boys' \$6.50 All-Wool \$4.75 Suits

Boys' knee pants suits, of all-wool materials in the newest patterns; double breasted and Norfolk styles; ages 8 to 16 years; Buster Brown and eton styles; \$6.50 values. Today, \$4.75.

Exceptional Shoe Values Today

Raw Hides Go Up. Our Prices Go Down

In the face of advancing prices on raw materials, shoes at regular prices are a good investment. We make it still more profitable for you by cutting regular prices deeply. These for example.

Women's High Grade Oxfords \$1.69 Women's House Slippers 98c

A number of women's high-grade dress oxfords; mostly manufacturers' samples; made of bright patent kid; hand-turned soles; plain dress toe shapes; French or Cuban heels; three-button, Gibson and wide ribbon tie styles; good range of sizes; worth \$3.50 and \$4.00. Today, the pair, \$1.69.

Women's House Slippers 49c

Women's comfortable house slippers, some of soft vicid kid, others of fine quality felt; all have hand-turned soles; common sense lasts with comfortable low heels; just the thing for morning wear; never sell for less than 75c. On sale today, the pair, 49c.



Brent's 530-532-534 Brent's South Spring Street

Free Souvenirs? Why, of Course

And Better Things Than That at the Opening

Naturally there is something to inspire interest when the biggest stores of a city make way for a NEW store, biggest of all.

There's also a feeling of fellowship existing between Brent's and the public that makes the opening of this new store an event of mutual satisfaction.

Every housekeeper who has ever purchased an article from Brent's has helped us defeat the Trust and equip this mammoth new store.

The opening will be a gala event—things to see, things to carry away free and things to buy at bargain prices.

Think of the joy in walking through a vast store where the light glitters from splendid furniture of the newest style, and in all the expanse of stock not one thing, not one price that isn't lower than Trust stores ask.

Here are things, oceans of things, that were never before brought to Los Angeles.

And, of course, everybody will be welcome to look and not until you signify the desire will a salesman bother you with his attentions.

Brent's will be your store as much as anyone's.

We take no special credit in having the latest fixtures, the best facilities, the most artistic arrangement of stock.

It's our business to study out these things and the public has a right to expect the best of such things that ready cash can buy.

Meanwhile the goods in our old store are being fairly tossed away. Some lines are badly broken. Some things are missing altogether. But its a chance one seldom has and you'd better look at the stock and see what fits your needs.

There's one great, central point, however, that we emphasize; one principle that will direct the movement of this store, one truth that must be imprinted on every brain in Southern California and that is:

Brent's prices shall be perpetually lower than the Trust.

We've taken this store for the definite purpose of waging a fierce, relentless warfare against the Trust, without truce or breathing places.

We shall expose the silly attempts of Trust stores to deny their association with the Trust. We shall prove so conclusively that the Trust exists for the purpose of getting bigger profits that no individual in the community will doubt it.

We recognize that the Trust is financially weak and that it has come to a point where big profits are more necessary than ever. However, we shall press the battle more hotly than ever until this combination is dissolved and the stores forming it become once more independent concerns.

If you have any doubts concerning the absurd profits demanded by Trust stores get their prices and compare them with Brent's.

We haven't told a hundredth part as yet—watch tomorrow's papers and wait for the "opening."

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