

COUNTY WEALTH IS MARVELOUS

FIRST PRODUCE REPORT MADE UNDER NEW LAW

Received by Board of Supervisors for Filing With Secretary of State. Lowe Wants Law Amended Soon as Possible

The first annual statistical report of the products of Los Angeles county was submitted yesterday to the county board of supervisors for inspection before being sent north to the secretary of state and the marvelous wealth of the county in all departments of manufacture, agriculture and produce of every sort was manifested by the statements of J. O. Lowe, who acted for the county supervisors in preparing the report.

The table of produce was prepared this year through an act of the legislature passed last session regarding the duties of the county supervisors, in which it ordered that a thorough report be made each year and filed with the secretary of state.

Los Angeles county received notice to prepare the statement sixty days ago and J. O. Lowe, former clerk of the board of county supervisors, was detailed to make up the table of produce.

The difficulties of obtaining statistics were so numerous that Inspector Lowe makes special mention of them and asks that certain amendments be made to the new law whereby the inspector will be given the power to demand statements from the producers.

"I find," reports the inspector in his statement to the secretary of state, "that there is considerable antagonism manifested by the producers toward giving out statements regarding the produce. Many of the countrymen and fruit growers have refused to go to the trouble of preparing a statement.

The manufacturers have refused point blank, asserting that if they give forth statements of the value of their produce they may be held for the same amount when assessed and that their competitors will know the exact amount of the output of the factory. This report is therefore to a certain degree incorrect, but the products in every instance have, if anything, been underestimated rather than overestimated."

As for the wonderful showing of berries, fruit, minerals, manufactures, cattle of all kinds and other products, the report regarding the poultry trade of Los Angeles county stands far in the lead of any other county in the state.

The report on poultry states that Los Angeles has two thousand poultry farms aside from the hundreds of backyard poultry producers. From these 20,000 dozen chickens are produced annually at a valuation of \$150,000. Four thousand dozen ducks at a valuation of \$20,000; 100 dozen geese at a valuation of \$500; 50,000 dozen turkeys at a valuation of \$30,000.

The report on eggs shows that 2,073,675 dozen of eggs are produced in Los Angeles county each year at a valuation of \$138,400. In spite of these products of poultry, the demand is greater than the supply and \$3,000,000 worth of poultry and eggs are imported from surrounding counties.

Three million barrels of oil are produced annually in Los Angeles county, 142,000 barrels of beer and 1,000,000 pounds of wool. The pear and peach crops of Los Angeles county show a decided decrease each year.

ANNEXATION IS DISCUSSED

Third Mass Meeting Held by Residents of Prospect Park—Streets to Be Widened

Annexation to Los Angeles was discussed by the residents of Prospect Park last evening at the third mass meeting which they have held. A committee was appointed to investigate the subject.

A committee met the supervisors yesterday afternoon and was granted their petition to have Sunset street, from Center street to the new Sunset boulevard, widened to 100 feet, and Edgemont street to sixty feet from Sunset boulevard to Franklin street. The supervisors have ordered the county surveyor to arrange the deeds. This committee asked for an extension of time in which to report, which it will do at the meeting next Monday evening. A petition, signed by the property owners, will be presented next Monday to the supervisors.

MEN TO GIVE CHICKEN FEAST

Women Not Allowed to Prepare the Viands, but They Can Eat and Be Happy

The men of the First Presbyterian church will give a chicken dinner at the church this evening from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock, their women friends being invited to partake of the feast and look on.

At 8 o'clock an entertainment will be given in which men only will take part. J. C. Richardson will act as chef, J. W. Tyler will assist, also Harry Ostrander, C. E. Howard, Walter Gibbs, Thomas Hudson, James Hallett and M. Winters. Dr. Smalley will be head waiter and Alexander B. Downe is looking after the entertainment. It is expected about 100 men will assist in serving the dinner; the proceeds will be applied to the church fund.

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MISSING GIRL RETURNS UPON LEARNING OF FRIEND'S ANXIETY

While the friend of her father, in whose care she had been left, was searching through the hospitals and undertaking establishments of Los Angeles for her body, Miss Mary Gallagher, a prominent young society woman of Canton, Ill., was bathing in the surf at Santa Monica.

Miss Gallagher left the house of Mrs. L. A. Higbie, at 1608 Pennsylvania avenue, last Tuesday afternoon immediately after lunch. She told Mrs. Higbie that she was going to visit the family of William Cramer at Monrovia, and said that she would be back the following day. But as the next day passed and the

next and the next, with no word from the young woman, Mrs. Higbie became so worried that she informed the police that the girl was missing and asked the help of the department in locating her.

When Miss Gallagher saw the account of her disappearance in the Sunday Herald she made immediate preparations to return to Los Angeles. She says she went to Monrovia to visit Mrs. Cramer, and on arriving in Monrovia found that the whole family was out of town for the day. So she came back to town, and at the Huntington depot, at Sixth and Spring, met acquaintances from Canton and they all went to Santa Monica.

TO PROTECT TIMBER LANDS

United States Marshal Arrests Two Prominent Residents of Hesperia

Robert L. Cook and W. R. Hughes, two of the most prominent residents of the village of Hesperia, near San Bernardino, were arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out by the special agent for the interior department on the charge of stealing wood from public lands.

The arrest was made by Deputy United States Marshal Traeger of Los Angeles, and the two men were brought to this city and confined in the county jail pending their hearing before United States Commissioner Van Dyke.

The charge against the men is committing a misdemeanor, the maximum penalty being a fine of \$500 or a year in the county jail.

If a conviction is secured by the government it is expected that many other arrests will follow in the vicinity of Hesperia, as it has become quite common among the residents of that section to cut timber from the government reserves.

LANDAU GETS DIVORCE DECREE BY DEFAULT

DAUGHTER OF ST. LOUIS RABBI LEAVES HOME

Lillian Messing Goes to Buenos Ayres to Join Former Friend of Wronged Husband—Family Had Hoped for Peace—Father Gets Children

Special to The Herald. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 30.—Joseph Landau was granted a decree of divorce today from Lillian Messing Landau by default. It was stated that Mrs. Landau is on her way to Buenos Ayres to rejoin Morton Rosenberg, and whom she intends to marry upon her arrival.

Mrs. Landau is the daughter of Rabbi Messing and eloped to Buenos Ayres in September, 1904, with Rosenberg. Her family induced her to return here a few months ago in the hope that a reconciliation could be effected, but Landau could not forgive her.

Rosenberg was a friend of Landau and he introduced him to his wife, Mrs. Landau soon learned to love Rosenberg better than she did her husband and an elopement followed. The couple have the two children of the couple to Landau.

CHINESE ATTACK AMERICANS

London Hears Story of Fight Between Admiral Train's Sailors and Mongolian Mob

By Associated Press. LONDON, Oct. 30.—A dispatch to the Evening Standard from Shanghai says that Rear Admiral Train, commander in chief of the American Asiatic squadron, and his son, Lieut. Train, have been victims of a savage attack by Chinese outside of Nanking.

The American officers were pheasant shooting when the admiral accidentally shot a Chinese woman, slightly injuring her. Hundreds of villagers thereupon surrounded the officers, took away their guns, knocked the admiral down in the mud and held Lieut. Train as a hostage.

Forty American marines landed as a rescue party were attacked by a mob of Chinese, who tried to pitchfork the officers.

The marines were obliged to fire twice. The Chinese officials refused to restore the officers' guns and support the villagers.

Nanking has been active in the movement for boycotting American goods and is the center of activity on the part of the Japanese students.

TOURIST COMMITS SUICIDE

Young Man Shoots Himself on Westbound Train at Bakersfield

By Associated Press. BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 30.—When the westbound Santa Fe Overland was moving into the depot here this evening a well-dressed young man entered the toilet and after locking the door fired three bullets into his body, dying instantly.

From papers found on his person the suicide was en route from Leadville, Colo., to San Francisco. His railroad ticket bore the name of John Miller and a receipt from Sheriff Thomas F. Mahoney of Lake county, Colo., found in his person indicated that John Miller had recently paid the Colorado official \$50.

His clothing had all been purchased in Leadville. The body was taken to Payne's morgue and when the clothing was searched carefully considerable money and a gold watch was found.

Telegrams have been sent to Leadville for information.

ANDRADE WILL IS FILED

Distinguished Mexican Bequeathed Half a Million Dollars for School Purposes

The will of the late Guillermo Andrade, former minister to Los Angeles from the Republic of Mexico, was admitted to probate yesterday by Judge Conroy of department two of the superior court.

The estate amounts to about \$1,000,000 which, according to the testament, will go to Andrade's children and grandchildren. The widow is also mentioned, with a bequest of \$1,000, beside all personal effects and jewelry.

Five hundred thousand dollars is left for the purpose of establishing a school to be known as the Andrade institute. This school is to be at Hermosillo, Gen. Andrade's birthplace and home.

SUIT CASE MYSTERY MAY BE CLEARED UP

MAN ARRESTED AT PITTSBURG TELLS STORY

Police Believe Admissions Made by Morris Nathan Will Lead to Arrest of Murderer of Susan Geary at Boston—Prisoner Fights Extradition

By Associated Press. PITTSBURG, Oct. 30.—The heads of the local police and detective bureaus are firmly of the opinion that they now have in their possession enough information to thoroughly clear up the celebrated Boston suit case mystery.

As the result of admissions made by the prisoner, Morris Nathan, when questioned this afternoon, they are most positive that the death of Susan Geary resulted from a criminal operation performed by a woman in Boston, and that the body of the girl was afterwards mutilated to hide the fact.

The name of the woman has been divulged by Nathan, and upon receiving this information the officials immediately dispatched word to the Boston authorities to apprehend her.

While Nathan does not appear to know enough to lead to positive conclusions, he gives sufficient information to settle the mystery in the minds of the Pittsburgh detectives. Nathan admitted under pressure that while the last time he saw the girl was on Sept. 9 he knew that the girl had contemplated and discussed with him the advisability of submitting to a criminal operation, and that during more than one of these conversations the name of the woman to whom she proposed to go had been mentioned, and the conclusion is that she finally carried out this plan, with a result fatal to herself.

Clarence Bureleigh, a local lawyer, has been engaged to defend Nathan. Attorney Bureleigh says he will fight extradition proceedings.

BOSTON POLICE ARE ACTIVE

Inspectors Seeking Male and Female Physicians

By Associated Press. BOSTON, Oct. 30.—Detective John W. McGarr, has been sent to Pittsburgh for the purpose of examining Nathan and other members of the "Shepherd King" company. Superintendent Pierce of the bureau of criminal investigation stated that Nathan knew as much as any one about the girl and her movements and also of her physical condition prior to her sudden disappearance. Nathan's engagement to the girl was opposed by the members of her family, he said.

This afternoon Inspector Armstrong, acting under orders from Chief Inspector Watts, given after a telephone talk with Pittsburgh, made a search of the office of a female physician in Tremont street. Later he began searching for the physician, who, it is understood, had been employed at the Tremont street establishment and who answers the description of the man who purchased the dress suit cases from two pawnbrokers.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 30.—Jack O'Connor, the most famous catcher in the baseball world, broke a life contract today when he secured a divorce from his wife.

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CATCHER GETS DIVORCE

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Deserters Escape From Cell

SAN RAFAEL, Oct. 30.—A military prisoner named Buckler, confined at Fort Baker, escaped from his cell there last Friday night by cutting his way through the bars with a small file. His escape was not discovered until several hours later, when a squad of soldiers was sent to locate him. They were unable to locate him. Buckler was a deserter from the Thirty-second infantry and had several years to serve.

Injured in Football Game. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—James McGregor, a carpenter who was held up and nearly beaten to death and robbed by four thugs in this city on August 6 last, received an injury in a game of football at Alameda yesterday afternoon which may prove fatal. McGregor now lies at the emergency hospital with a severe concussion of the brain and a possible fracture of the skull.

Bankers Call Japanese Loan. NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Kuhn, Loeb & Co., as syndicate managers of the several Japanese loans floated in this country, have called loans amounting to from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 for the account of the last Japanese loan, to be paid tomorrow. This money will be deposited to the credit of the Japanese fiscal agents in this country and will leave balances here for account of the Japanese government of about \$40,000,000.

Fire Destroys Stamp Mills. ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 30.—The Lightner Hoisting works and forty stamp mills were destroyed by fire early this morning. The loss is \$150,000, with insurance of \$50,000. The fire caught in the candle room. Sixteen workers were in the mine, escaped through the 600-foot shaft in an adjoining mine.

The Lightner plant is owned principally by Stockton capitalists.

GAS FOR FUEL

The mornings and evenings are cool. A little gas heat will take off the chill.

Broadway Department Store Semi-Annual Sale of Notions Continued Little Things at Big Reductions The fall sewing campaign is now in full swing—work baskets will need constant replenishing, and just when you want and appreciate notions most, comes this Semi-Annual event. Counters are heaped to overflowing with little every-day necessities, all surprisingly low priced. The Broadway defies all Trust Products, and sells the Standard Lines at Cut Prices, always. A further drop in prices during this sale makes it a bargain occasion to be appreciated. Come early and often.

The Time To Buy Your Furniture is Now The Place to Buy It Is Here Such Furniture Bargains were never before heard of in Southern California and it will probably be many moons before any other store will attempt to duplicate them. This week we are showing an entirely new line of cut prices, prices that are in many instances much lower than we have ever made before. Compare our prices with the so-called independent stores. Ask them to duplicate our prices.

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DRESS SHIELDS—Either stockinette or hainsook washable dress shields; 3 sizes; regular price 10c. Today, the pair..... 5c BASTING THREAD—White, warranted 3 yards; smooth and strong; all numbers; regular price 5c. Today, the spool..... 3c GIRLIE FOUNDATIONS—Various styles in white or black girly foundations; all sizes; regular 15c and 20c values. For this sale, each..... 10c WHITE TAPE—3 yards to the bolt, 3 widths; 2 1/2 grade. For this sale, the bolt..... 1c

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