

BREAKS RECORD FOR ARRIVALS

TRAINS BRING IN 25,000 PER WEEK

Colonists and Tourists Come in Unprecedented Numbers. Scores of Incoming Specials Unload Mountains of Baggage

With a record of from 12 to 15 trains of approximately 150 coaches and a score of baggage cars entering Los Angeles yesterday, the close of the week marks a great era in tourist and colonist travel to Southern California.

Railway officials and hotel men are sure that a conservative estimate of the number of people arriving in this city during the week is 25,000, and the influx for the winter months is scarcely begun.

Owing to breaks in eastern connections and other trivial causes nearly all the regular trains, which came in from one to three stations on all the lines, were several hours late yesterday.

The Santa Fe No. 1 regular arrived only 20 minutes late at 7 o'clock in the morning, and this broke the day's record for promptness on the several routes.

The Southern Pacific's No. 10, in two sections, due at 7:30, lumbered in at 11:20, and four specials which should have arrived at noon wandered into the Arcade all the way from 7 to midnight last night.

The Santa Fe No. 1 in two sections of 14 coaches each, due at 8 o'clock, arrived at 12:30, and the Eastern Express, No. 7, in three sections, due at 6:30 in the morning, rolled in at 4:30, 6 and 8 o'clock.

This kept things moving at the several depots during the entire day and almost the entire night.

Every Train Crowded

All the coaches on every train were loaded to the guards, and the scenes enacted as the tourists and colonists left the trains were but repetitions of what has been occurring daily at those points for several months.

Occasionally an entire family, with a congregation of nursing babies, grips and bundles would tumble from the coach steps, and instantly there would be a yell:

"Where's pa, or where's ma?"

And then a kid would dart after the dog which threatened to become a wanderer in the mass of humanity and baggage.

Then would suddenly heave into sight a large group of women and the question naturally arose among the spectators what had become of the men. Anxiety on this score would be relieved suddenly by the swarming of whole bunches of men from other coaches like bees, and another spectator would inquire:

"What has become of the women?"

An amusing incident occurred at the Arcade when the regular No. 10, of a dozen crowded coaches, hove into sight. A beautiful young lady who had jumped from an electric car just as the crowds were surging from the depot and caught sight of a manly looking fellow who had emerged from the train carrying a suitcase. The young lady fairly flew into the young man's arms with a smack that almost started the crowd, exclaiming:

"Oh, Charlie," as Charlie gave her an extra squeeze for the smack.

"Bet that couple's hunting a preacher," said the policeman at the Arcade entrance.

Baggage men are good natured

There were mountains of baggage at every depot and the baggage handlers worked steadily hour after hour without making the slightest showing. Many travelers remarked on the good-

natured manner in which the army of baggage men at the several depots went about their arduous duties.

"Oh, no, we are not swamped—we're getting used to this rush of things around here," said a transfer agent at the Salt Lake station. And the "rush of things" was a sight to be sure. The baggage men were just cleaning up the remnants of Friday's accumulation of baggage, which had been run down by the newspapers and in with three baggage cars attached.

The passengers were scarcely unloaded when the 100 pieces of baggage were loaded on trucks, holding a carload of trunks, and the line-up resembled a tier of the Sierra Madre range as the procession moved to the baggage department. This pile was barely stored away before the second section rumbled in, and the whole performance had to be repeated, as will continue to be the case for some time.

No End to Traffic

"There doesn't seem to be any end to this string," said a trainmaster at one of the stations, "and it's not over yet."

"We have been having our winter influx into Los Angeles all summer and no telling when it will stop. But we can take care of the world in Southern California, have no fear on that score," said the veteran with a distinct air of confidence.

The hotel men say that Los Angeles will be peculiarly fortunate this winter from several contributory causes.

Florida tourists, that is, northern people who spend their winters in that climate, are headed this way this season on account of the ravages of the yellow fever. Then the resources of Southern California have been well advertised through the newspapers and by the railroads and other mediums for several years and northern and eastern homeseekers are just beginning to come to their senses and are rushing to Los Angeles and other nearby localities.

Oh, yes," said the hotel man who gave expression to the foregoing, "the hotel people are getting their share of the business and can't complain, but the fact remains that the bulk of the newcomers are colonists who seek other quarters and have come to stay."

Many Parties Arrive

A strong feature of the tourist traffic this season, say the managers of Los Angeles hotels, is the coming of guests in parties to occupy adjoining suites. All agree that the capacity of the hotels will be taxed to the utmost. Heavy mails are received daily at the Lanker-shim, Angelus, Van Nuys and Westminster containing requests for accommodations, and many prominent people will be numbered among the arrivals.

Among those expected are Alfred Vanderbilt, head of the house of Vanderbilt, and Dr. Seward Webb. The latter will bring a party of friends with automobiles, expecting to tour Southern California.

COLONISTS BY THOUSANDS COME TO SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA



Colonists Arriving at the Railway Stations. Above is a Scene at the Santa Fe Station Yesterday Morning. Below at the Left is a Group Leaving the Arcade Station, and at the Right is Shown How the Baggage Trucks Look

SORROW AND JOY IN TWO PETRIE FAMILIES

ONE DIES, ANOTHER NARROWLY ESCAPES

Trueman S. Petrie, Former Special Policeman, Fatally Stricken With Paralysis—F. W. Petrie Run Down and Seriously Injured

Yesterday was a day of sorrow in one Petrie family over the death of a loved father and husband, and rejoicing in another household of the same name over the escape from death of the father and husband.

Trueman S. Petrie, a former special policeman of the Los Angeles force, was stricken with paralysis on Main street, near Temple, shortly before noon. He was taken to the receiving hospital, where upon examination by Police Surgeon Quint he was found to be dead, having presumably expired while being conveyed to the hospital in the ambulance.

Early yesterday morning F. W. Petrie, who is not related to the late Trueman S. Petrie, a collector, was run down while riding his bicycle at the corner of Fourth and Broadway by an unknown man driving in a car. He sustained a fractured left arm and lacerations of the body. He was taken to a nearby drug store, where his wounds were dressed. His wheel was totally demolished. The driver of the carriage drove rapidly away without determining the extent of the injuries of his victim or leaving any clue to his identity.

Trueman S. Petrie was formerly a police officer detailed on special duty. He was 52 years of age and resided with his family at 509 East Forty-seventh street. Recently he had been connected with a local monumental concern. He leaves a wife and son.

MAY RAIN, SAY FORECASTERS

Cloudy Weather and Possibly Showers, Is the Opinion of Weather Experts

"Slight showers today throughout Southern California and Arizona," says Mr. Franklin, weather prophet for Los Angeles.

"Low barometer in Southern California, indicative of rain and cloudy weather," is the statement put forth by the weather man in San Francisco.

In those cold official statements there are many things that do not appear to the tourist but which the true Angeleno hails with delight. The most important is that the rainy season will be about to begin. But as Hatfield is not at work the clouds may escape and the opening of the rainy season be postponed indefinitely.

Katsura to Take Komura's Place

By Associated Press. TOKIO, Nov. 4, 3 p. m.—Count Katsura, the premier of Japan, will assume the duties of Baron Komura as minister of foreign affairs during the absence of the latter at Peking, which he will visit as a special envoy from Japan. Baron Komura will leave for China on November 6. General Miyoshi, commander of the Japanese army on the Tumen river, arrived here today.

SPERRY WILL IS FILED

Flour Merchant's Estate Is Valued at About Two Hundred Thousand Dollars

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—The will of the late Mrs. Caroline E. Sperry, wife of Simon W. Sperry, the pioneer flour merchant, was filed for probate today.

Mrs. Sperry leaves a large estate, mostly to her children, there being but few bequests to charity. The children are George B. Sperry, Princess Poniatowski and Ethel W. Croker, wife of William B. Croker. The estate is valued at about \$200,000.

Part of the property left to Princess Poniatowski, consisting of 820 shares of the capital stock of the Sperry Flour company, is placed in the trust of George B. Sperry, William Croker and the daughter, and is to be divided among her children in the event of her death. She may not, however, transfer or assign her interest. In addition to this bequest, the titled daughter is to receive one-half of her mother's holdings in the Sperry addition to Stockton. The other portion of the tract goes to George B. Sperry, the son.

CHURCHES IN QUARREL

Unfrosted Priest Causes Row Between Episcopalians and Russians in New York

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The cordial relations between the Russian church and the Protestant Episcopal church in the United States are threatened, says the World, through the action of Archbishop Tikkon, Russian bishop resident in New York, in agreeing to admit to the priesthood Rev. Dr. Ingram N. W. Irvine, an unfrosted priest of the Episcopal church. Episcopalians declare that the union of American Anglicanism and the Russian church now seems further removed than ever before.

The Rev. I. N. W. Irvine, formerly rector of St. John's church, Huntington, Pa., was deposed from the ministry by Bishop Ethelbert Talbot, who charged him with practices not consistent with his calling. Appeal was taken twice by the deposed priest, but he never regained his standing in the Episcopal community.

When the Russian cathedral was visited yesterday it was learned that Bishop Nikkon was not at home. A young man said:

"Yes, Dr. Irvine will be made a priest on Sunday."

PERSONAL

Dr. V. Borosini of Berlin is registered at the Van Nuys.

C. Schmidt and family, tourists from Astoria, Or., are stopping at the Westminster.

L. J. F. Mall, a Boston capitalist, is registered at Van Nuys Broadway.

M. P. Jenkins and wife of Pittsburg, Pa., are registered at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. Jenkins is a well known business man in the Keystone state.

Garner Curran of St. Louis, Mo., is in Los Angeles for the winter season.

KANSAS CITY GIRL IS FOUND MURDERED

POLICE ARE SEARCHING FOR HER SWEETHEART

Her Body Bearing Marks of Violence and Weighted Down by a Heavy Stone, Is Found by a Bridge Over a Stream Near the City

By Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 4.—The body of Winona Charlotte Newton, aged fifteen years, daughter of Thomas Newton, a painter, was found today beside a bridge over a small stream near Fifty-fifth street and College avenue, on the outskirts of the city. The girl evidently had been murdered. The girl's face had been disfigured by many cuts, there were finger marks on her throat and a stone weighing 150 pounds weighted down the body. The police are looking for a young man with whom the girl has been intimate.

Another theory is that the girl and her sweetheart had agreed to commit suicide; that after the girl swallowed the acid the man weakened and when she screamed from the effects wrought by the poison the man killed her to quiet her.

Miss Newton recently had brooded over her physical condition. The spot at the bridge where the girl's body was found was but 150 feet from her home. She had frequently met her sweetheart at the bridge. She was last seen alive at 8 o'clock last night, when she put a shawl over her head and ran out of the house, taking a cup, apparently to get a drink of water at the well.

A hasty examination by the deputy coroner at the undertaking rooms to which the body was taken disclosed that the stomach contained large quantities of acid, but the officers assert that death resulted from violence before the acid had time to act. Above the right eye was a cut made by a blow delivered with such force that the skull had been fractured. The police believe that the girl went to the bridge last night to meet her sweetheart and that they quarreled, after which the girl swallowed the acid in an attempt to commit suicide, but she was murdered before the drug took effect.

YOUNG CHURCH WORKER DIES

Harold Brown, Prominent in Epworth League Circles, Passes Away

Harold Brown, one of the foremost church workers among the younger people of Los Angeles, died at his home, 2714 Dalton street, yesterday morning, after an illness of two weeks.

The young man had just recently passed his eighteenth birthday. He was prominently identified with the Epworth league work of the Methodist churches of the city and was an officer in the Epworth league of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal church.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

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November Ailments

Their Prevention and Cure

The Human System Must Adjust Itself to Changing Temperatures.

November is the month of falling temperatures. Over all the temperate regions the hot weather has passed and the first rigors of winter have appeared. As the great bulk of civilized nations is located in the temperate zones, the effect of changing seasons is a question of the highest importance.

What effect upon the human system does approaching winter have? That some ill effect is had everybody knows.

But just what it is and how the deleterious effect of the winter season can be avoided is a subject requiring the closest study on the part of the physiologists and of the greatest concern to the masses of the people.

When the weather begins to change from warm to cold, when cool nights succeed hot nights, when clear, cold days follow hot, sultry days, the human body must adjust itself to this changed condition or perish.

The organs most visibly affected by falling temperature are the skin and kidneys.

The perspiration incident to warm weather has been checked. This detains within the system poisonous materials which have heretofore found escape through the perspiration.

Most of the poisonous materials retained in the system by the checked perspiration find their way out of the body, if at all, through the kidneys. This throws upon the kidneys extra labor. They become charged and overloaded with the poisonous excretory materials. This has a tendency to inflame the kidneys, producing functional diseases of the kidneys and sometimes Bright's disease.

Good, vigorous health will overcome these vicissitudes, and the body is strengthened rather than weakened by the change. But in a large per cent of cases the system yields. The skin is unable to meet the extra pressure put upon it. The kidneys fail in their attempt to dispose of all the work so suddenly thrown upon them. Therefore, many people succumb.

What can be done about this? Of course, a careful avoidance of all exposure is first to be thought of. Also a change of garments suitable to the season, careful ventilation of the sleeping rooms and the avoidance of drafts. The diet should also be so modified as to meet the peculiar demands of the system.

But even when all these things are most intelligently and cautiously performed there still remains a multitude of people who will go down before the hostile approach of winter, who will be vanquished in the struggle against the elements.

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FURRIER WAS A PRINCE

Cousin of Peter of Serbia Dies as a Plain Citizen in New York

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Plain John Merkwitich, who was known here for nearly sixty years, a furrier, who died Thursday, will be buried tomorrow under his long abandoned title of Prince John of Belgrade. Merkwitich was a first cousin of the present ruler of Serbia, King Peter I, his mother being Princess Helena of the house of Karaagevitch and his father Count Stephen Nicholas.

When 15 years of age the boy John quarreled with his father and came to this country, where he learned the trade which he afterward followed.

He wrote home that nobility was no longer a matter of concern to him in a free country where all men were sovereigns. Since then he held no communion with his noble relatives and when the boy ascended the throne of Serbia, when he sent his congratulations as a kinsman.

The old man's coffin bears a silver plate emblazoned with the royal arms of Karaagevitch and the inscription: "Prince John of Belgrade, Serbia. Died November 2, 1905."

NEIGHBORHOOD TERRORIZED

Eighteenth Street Boys Juggle Case of High Explosive and Frighten Community

Residents in the vicinity of the 200 block on West Eighteenth street were terror stricken last night when the report became current that three boys were tampering with a box containing dynamite which the lads had found on a vacant lot.

Mrs. Jennie Andrews of 208 East Eighteenth street was quick-witted enough to telephone to the police noti-

fying them of the supposed danger to the community.

Detectives Jones and McNamara were quickly sent to the place. They found the explosive beneath a bush in the yard at 212 West Eighteenth street, where the boys had replaced the box when they were warned of their danger.

Investigation proved that the box did not contain dynamite but was a 25-pound case of No. 1 giant powder.

The detectives say the danger was not great, as the boys could not detonate the powder, and unless they had attempted to make the case a piece of resistance of an autumn night's bonfire the community was safe.

The officers believe the powder was placed there by some one, possibly a contractor, for safe keeping.

Twelve Years for Shooting

By Associated Press. STOCKTON, Nov. 4.—Thomas W. Freeman, who shot at J. Rider at Handlett, a station in Amador county, last summer, was sentenced this morning by Judge Rue to serve twelve years in Prison. Freeman was indicted for assault with attempt to murder Rider and also to murder John King. The charge against him in the latter case was dismissed.