

NOTABLE GATHERING OF DEMOCRATS TO OCCUR IN LOS ANGELES THIS WEEK

STRIKE KEYNOTE OF CAMPAIGN

WEDNESDAY'S GATHERING OF CLANS IS NOTABLE

Many Prominent Democrats to Attend. Program of the Meeting and Arrangements for the Banquet at the Angelus

Wednesday will be a red letter day in the history of Southern California Democracy, for on that day the Democratic state central committee will meet in Los Angeles for the first time.

This is a concession to the southern end of the state's growing importance in the politics of the commonwealth and is the first step looking to the affiliation of all factions of the party in California by allowing the state itself to take the lead instead of leaving the leadership to one faction, as has been the case in the past.

The day will be full of interest for Democrats.

In the afternoon the state central committee will hold a session in the big banquet room of the Angelus hotel and talk over the political situation. At the same time the county central committee will hold a session in Elks' hall. As many members of the county committee are also members of the state committee the county meeting will be held early in the afternoon in order that it may complete its business and meet with the state body.

Banquet at Night

A big banquet in the evening will complete the program.

The banquet will be at the Angelus hotel. The banquet room will seat 500 diners, but the committee having it in charge fears this will not be nearly large enough to accommodate all who wish to attend and has issued an ultimatum, "First come, first served with tickets." Admission will be by ticket only, the price \$2.50 a plate, and those who do not secure their tickets early will have to take their chances at being seated at the tables.

It is at this banquet that the keynote of the coming campaign will probably be struck. At the session of the state central committee in the afternoon no effort will be made to launch any candidate. This committee will probably do no more than size up the situation as the members of the committee have found it and discuss plans for the coming campaign. But no one's name will be mentioned for any office in such a way as to receive any formal indorsement from the committee.

Speakers and Committees

Nathan Cole, Jr., is in San Francisco today, where he is arranging for speakers from the north. Those who are expected to speak are ex-Congressman E. J. Livermash of San Francisco, Franklin K. Lane of San Francisco, ex-Congressman Thomas J. Geary of Sonoma, F. H. Gould of San Francisco, Gavin McNab of San Francisco, W. H. Alford of San Francisco and Judge E. C. Farnsworth of Visalia.

Last night James H. Berry of San Francisco and Arthur Seymour of Sacramento were announced as additional speakers.

Mr. Cole may secure others today. Until it is definitely known just who will be present from the northern end of the state the local speakers will not be selected.

Final Arrangements

Some time today arrangements with the northern men will have been completed and tomorrow the committee on speakers will make arrangements with local orators. Several have already been approached, but have not given definite answers.

The committee on speakers and toastmaster is composed of A. C. Harper, chairman; Nathan Cole, Jr., and George M. Cake.

The committee on invitations has George M. Cake for chairman and F. Parmentier, A. S. Patterson, D. F. McGarry and A. Myers as members.

On the reception committee are Nathan Cole, Jr., chairman; J. Cal Foy, F. Parmentier, R. M. Yost, M. E. Snyder, I. E. Dockweiler, Joe Simon, M. C. Marsh, M. J. McGarry and Milton K. Young.

The menu provided for the banquet in the evening is as follows: Chicken bouillon in cups. Green Olives. Cardinale Sauce. Sauterne. Potatoes Duchesse. Creamed Sweetbreads. (a la King en Casserole) Potted Chicken au Gourmet. Claret. Angelus Salad. Assorted Cake. Roquefort Cheese. Water Waters. Black Coffee. Cigars.

State Committee

Following are the members of the state committee at large: Robert M. Fitzgerald, 330 California street, San Francisco, Alameda county; Thomas J. Geary, Santa Rosa, Sonoma county; James F. Coonan, Eureka, Humboldt county; Isadore H. Dockweiler, Los Angeles; Frank G. Finlayson, Los Angeles; T. Spelacy, Bakersfield, Kern county; W. J. McGee, Cosmos club, San Fran-



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cisco; John C. Ruddock, Ukiah, Mendocino; John E. Baker, Alturas, Modoc county; De Witt Clary, Stockton, San Joaquin; Robert Howe, Sonoma; G. W. Mordecai, Madera; Guy Young, Napa; M. W. Conkling, 823 East Twenty-eighth street, Los Angeles; S. Bachrach, 1254 Seventh street, Oakland, Alameda; Thomas J. Thompson, Bason block, Oakland, Alameda; Hamilton Plant, 119 Sixth street, San Francisco; Thomas E. Warren, 303 California street, San Francisco; J. W. Barneberg, San Luis Obispo; Louis T. Samuels, 1624 Octavia street, San Francisco; George E. Paw, 573 Albion street, Oakland; E. L. Spurgeon, Ingomar, Merced; E. W. Hale, Sacramento; E. C. Farnsworth, Visalia; Tulare; W. A. Shepherd, Auburn, Placer.

Congressional Districts

First—J. J. Wells, Red Bluff, Tehama county; H. J. Gray, Lincoln, Placer county.
Second—B. F. Geis, Willows, Glenn county; L. H. Boggs, Kelseyville, Lake county.
Third—M. J. Kerwin, San Leandro, Alameda county; M. J. Layman, Oakland, Alameda county.
Fourth—A. E. Lacy, 8 Verona place, San Francisco; J. R. Pringle, Mills building, San Francisco.
Fifth—M. C. Kiernan, 68 Bernal avenue, San Francisco; Nicholas Bowden, San Jose, Santa Clara county.
Sixth—A. L. Cowell, Stockton, San Joaquin county; F. K. Roberts, Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz county.
Seventh—A. Schwamm, Milton Young, Los Angeles.
Eighth—C. A. Sterke, Santa Barbara; C. C. Corkhill, Corona, Riverside county.

Counties and Assembly Districts

Alameda county—46th assembly district, L. Ruschin, Newark; 47th, A. E. Tarney, Alameda; 48th, J. C. Scott, Oakland; 49th, J. C. Bullock, 1688 Seventh street, Oakland; 50th, A. Borland, 1925 Summit street, Oakland; 51st, H. E. Harwood, Fruitvale; 52d, Clyde E. Abbott, Berkeley. Amador county, A. Caminetti, Jackson; Butte, R. C. Long, Gridley; Calaveras, Will A. Dover, San Andreas; Colusa, James McKenna, Martinez; Del Norte, A. J. Huffman, Smith River; El Dorado, Hon. G. J. Carpenter, Placerville; Fresno, T. E. Collins, Fresno; D. S. Ewing, Fresno; Glenn, V. C. Cleck, Orland; Humboldt, Thomas Blair, Arcata; W. J. Swartzel, Fortuna; Inyo, J. J. Gunn, Independence; Kern, E. Packard, Bakersfield; Kings, E. E. Bush, Hanford; Lake, W. R. Prather, Glennbrook; Lassen, John B. Bailey, Buntingville; Los Angeles county, 67th assembly district, W. R. Simmons, Pasadena; 68th, F. H. Osler, Pomona; 70th, John C. Holboro, Ocean Park; 71st, Thomas Vacher, 72d, A. Nelmer; 73d, L. P. Clark; 74th, Walter Horgan; 75th, Henry J. Brown; Madera county, L. B. Fowler, Madera; Marin, M. F. Cochran, San Rafael; Mariposa, John L. Smith, Bear Valley; Mendocino, T. J. Weldon, Ukiah; Merced, S. C. Cornell, Merced; Modoc, James Wiley, Alturas; Mono, Charles L. Hayes, Bridgeport; Monterey, J. A. Bardin, Salinas; Napa, John T. York, Napa City; Nevada, Samuel Butler, Grass Valley; Orange, H. Spurgeon, Santa Ana; Placer, Ben F. Taber, Auburn; Plumas, L. N. Peter, Quincy; Riverside, W. C. Irving, Riverside; Sacramento, Arthur Seymour, J. Touhey, Sacramento; S. G. Snook, Oak Park; San Benito, M. T. Doelling, Hollister; San Bernardino, J. H. West, Needles; San Diego, 79th assembly district, George J. Mogly, San Diego; 80th, J. R. Stevenson, Imperial, San Francisco, 28th assembly district, M. J. Brown, 132 Hawthorne; 29th, J.

THREE YOUTHS MAKE GETAWAY

JUMP FROM ROOF OF DETENTION HOME

Matron Discovers Them in Act of Taking French Leave, but the Officers Arrive Too Late

John Held, Carl Lagerfelt and Robert Bribelbus escaped from the detention home yesterday afternoon by a daring jump from the roof. The boys managed to get into the attic and climbed through a scuttle to the roof. Their escape was discovered while they were still on the roof and the matron telephoned both to the sheriff and the police. Before the officers arrived the boys let themselves down from the roof, which at one point descends to a short distance from the ground on the south side of the court house.

Little provision is made to watch the boys, many of whom are only too glad to remain there, and they are allowed a good deal of liberty inside the home, which is tastefully fitted up for their use. The building stands on much lower foundations than the court house and the distance from the roof to the high embankment on which the court house stands is not great. Held was detained in the house at a witness in a police court case. Lagerfelt is a runaway boy from El Paso and Bribelbus had violated his parole from Whittier. The officers are confident that the boys will soon be recaptured.

ANIMAL ACTORS PLAY A WEEK

Circus Gives Two Performances Daily at Eleventh and Flower Streets

The Burch & Reiss animal circus will arrive in this city this morning on a special train and will begin a week's engagement tomorrow afternoon at Eleventh and Flower streets, giving performances afternoon and evening throughout the week. The aggregation numbers upwards of 350 performing camels, pumas, llamas, tigers, lions, ponies and other animals, besides the usual complement of circus acts. The orphans of the several homes of this city will attend the circus Tuesday afternoon as guests of the management. A street parade will be given tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, at which time the entire company of animal actors will be seen.

Plan Decorations

The committee in charge of decorating for the National Congress of Mothers to meet in Los Angeles next May met yesterday at the Grand avenue school to form plans. Mrs. Matthew Robertson is chairman of the committee. If the wages of all the McCurdy tribe are reduced in proportion they will have to revise their Christmas shopping list.—Puck.

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Friends of Williams Come to His Rescue With Necessary Bail Money and Declare He Will Be Proven Innocent

A complaint charging robbery was filed yesterday against Kid Williams and Mike McClure, who are said to have robbed J. F. Owens, a Hollywood contractor, of \$25 on First street Thursday night. The men were arraigned before Justice Austin and bail fixed at \$1500 in each case.

During the afternoon friends of Kid Williams, alias Solomon, furnished bail and the young prize fighter was released. He says that he had nothing to do with the alleged robbery and is confident that he will not be held to answer in the superior court.

McClure on the night in question admitted to Detectives McNamara and McKenzie that he had "borrowed" 50 cents from Owens, but said that was the extent of his offense. Little money was found on the young men and the detectives believed the alleged thieves "planted" the money before their arrest. Owens reported the affair at the police station and detectives quickly took the young prize fighters into custody. All three had been drinking some and Owens said the young men, with whom he had a slight acquaintance, went through his pockets as he was standing outside a First street saloon.

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Mr. F. R. Cox, Center Oak, Pa., writes: "I was taken with hemorrhages of the stomach and had from one to three a year. The doctors said my stomach could not be cured, and it was only a question of how soon one of these spells would kill me, and I was given up several times, as they had no hopes for me. I finally wrote to you, and you said if it was not a cancer or a tumor, Peruna would cure me. I commenced taking Peruna right away, and have never had one of those spells since. I am an old soldier, one of Phil Sheridan's Rough Riders, and pretty nearly played out now, but I have a pretty good stomach again."

Assistant War Correspondent Recommends Pe-ru-na

Mr. H. B. Manley, Assistant War Correspondent during the war in China, care "Black and White," 688 Craig St., Montreal, Canada, writes: "When a man travels in extremely hot or cold climates he realizes how valuable a friend he has if he carries a bottle of Peruna. I know of no article in my traveling outfit which I have learned to prize higher. If you are suffering with the extreme heat, Peruna restores you, or if you are afflicted with a cold, a gripper or bronchitis, Peruna restores you in a short time. Or if you suffer with sleeplessness or if your appetite is poor, again Peruna acts as a good true friend and is the tonic needed. I have tried it for months and am only too glad to acknowledge it as a true, loyal standby in times of trouble. I do not hesitate to recommend it to all."

T. T. Markland, a well-known business man of Cincinnati, Ohio, address R. R. No. 1, Mt. Washington, Ohio, writes: "I find that in my case Peruna is a flesh builder. I am now at work every day, and have gained ten pounds. I took your Peruna according to directions and the result was more than I expected. I took no other medicine but Peruna, and it accomplished all. You told me in your first letter that you thought Peruna would cure me, and it has. I am 73 years old and can attend to my business as usual."

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One bottle will convince any one. Once used and Peruna becomes a life-long stand-by with old and young. Mr. Fred Derseweh, Ridgeway, Tenn., writes: "We have been using Peruna for five years. I believe that it is the best medicine that I know of. I and my wife and our thirteen children do not need any doctor, since we use Peruna."

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One reason why Peruna has found permanent use in so many homes is that it contains no narcotic of any kind. Peruna has no bad effect upon the



COL. ARTHUR L. HAMILTON

Gallant Porto Rican Soldier Gives Praise to Pe-ru-na

Col. Arthur L. Hamilton, of the Seventh Ohio Volunteers, writes from 250 Goodale St., Columbus, O., as follows:

"Besides having the merits of Peruna fully demonstrated in my family, I have a number of friends who have taken it for catarrh and stomach trouble and all unite in praising it. As a remedy for catarrh, I can fully recommend it." In a later letter to Dr. Hartman, Col. Hamilton writes: "My command used your Peruna during our service in the Spanish-American War and I will say this, that if the War Department records are consulted, it will be found that the casualties in my regiment were less than in any other regiment of the Army Corps while at Camps Alger, Meade and Bushnell. The total deaths in my regiment, during the seven months' service, were seven out of a total number of 1400. I, of course, cannot help but think that Peruna certainly was a great benefit to my command."

In a recent letter, Col. Hamilton says:

"I have used Peruna myself and in my family for the last seven years. I have already written you about the good results I experienced with your remedy during the Spanish-American War."

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