

LOS ANGELES WATER BONDS Conduit's Necessity Is Apparent

Engineer Dockweiler, Who Accompanied Party on Inspection Trip, Will Make Report to Mayor Harper

Returned city officials from the Owens river country yesterday began an active campaign in the welfare of Los Angeles in the interest of the \$27,000,000 bond issue to be voted on June 12.

Equipments with all kinds of data therefore, the work of making converts was not difficult. It consisted merely of telling of the new El Dorado which Los Angeles had almost at its doors—

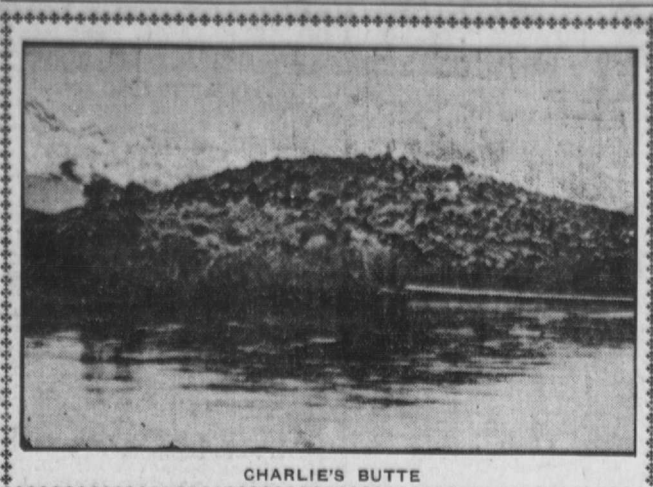
San Francisco has a similar situation to confront as has Los Angeles, and Mr. Dockweiler is working on it also. His Spring valley supply is becoming too small for a growing city.

Yonkin Makes Converts Councilman Yonkin, the first of the council delegation to return yesterday, told his friends of the wonders of the Owens valley.

One of my neighbors is a contractor who had some personal doubts as to the aqueduct scheme, said Mr. Yonkin. "He called on me at my house, telling me that if I thought it feasible he would buy a tract he had in mind in the San Fernando valley. I told him he could safely do so, as the scheme was entirely feasible and should win. He will vote for the bonds, as will all his employees."

Mayor Harper's Party LEAVE TRAIL OF WELL WISHERS BEHIND

Site of Intake for Owens Conduit



Officials' Comment Is Favorable

Mayor Harper "Our trip up Owens river has convinced me that from this source Los Angeles can get more water than from the Kern river, Rock creek and all other suggested water projects put together."

Engineer Dockweiler "I am at work figuring estimates on the probable cost of the Owens aqueduct. I regard the project to bring Owens water here as feasible and am greatly impressed with it."

Dockweiler Makes Estimate Engineer J. Henry Dockweiler, the San Francisco expert on cost details, will devote about three weeks to making cost estimates, as that was the special purpose for which Mayor Harper invited him to accompany the party.

Wherever a stop was made the autos were tendered to the young women in the cities for short excursions and in the hotels informal concerts and recitations were held.

At Bishop a concert was given at the hotel in which the participants were Mrs. Thomas Chas. and Misses Mae Bevin, Mary Barlow, Dorrance Leidy and Messrs. A. E. Gregory and James M. Fellows.

Water Superintendent William Mulholland's terse thirty-minute address before the City club yesterday afternoon on the Owens river aqueduct project resulted in a vote of endorsement being tendered the bond issue.

Former Mayor Fred Eaton called his attention to the great resources of the Owens valley, in which he had become interested when city engineer.

Finally Engineer Mulholland told of the surveys and estimates in which Assistant Lippincott and the three expert engineers agreed in all main particulars. He showed that the feat was

not such a difficult one, although it was of great magnitude. The club then adopted resolutions introduced by Meyer Lissner, as follows: "Resolved, By the City club of Los Angeles, that the bringing of the waters of the Owens river to Los Angeles is vital to the continued growth and welfare of the city."

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THE RAILROADS ADD SLEEPERS TO NEVADA SERVICE

Los Angeles and Mineral Country Ties Are Being Closely Woven—St. Paul Road to Build Pacific Extension

Because of growing travel between Los Angeles and the Nevada mineral belt the Las Vegas & Tonopah line will put on a through sleeper between Los Angeles and Tonopah in addition to the one now running to Rhyolite, the service to be started in three weeks.

St. Paul Directors Still Cling to Coast Line Project NEW YORK, April 27.—The Tribune today says: At a meeting of the directors of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul held this week the question of the company's Pacific coast extension was discussed.

Ask That Books Be Kept Open TACOMA, Wash., April 27.—At a conference between the state railroad commissioners and the transportation committee of the lumber manufacturers it was decided that if the railroads on the east or Owens side, it was determined that a dependable flow existed suitable for Los Angeles' needs.

Virginia Renders Decision RICHMOND, Va., April 27.—The state corporation commission today rendered a decision in the rate cases in which, after July 1, passenger rates on trunk lines are reduced to 2 cents a mile, on feeders to 2 1/2 and on minor roads they will be 3 cents and on one of two lines 2 1/2 cents.

SECESSIONS DENIED BY CHURCH PRIVILEGE

Faction That Left Friends' Institution Is Not Allowed a Place in Monthly Meetings of Conference

The privilege of being members of the monthly meeting of the Friends church was denied seceders from the church at Third street and Fremont avenue at the quarterly meeting held yesterday.

An all-day session was held which was designated as the Pasadena quarterly meeting, one of three others which are preliminaries to the yearly meeting to be held at Whittier in June. At the morning session Rev. A. S. Mitchell of Long Beach and Rev. Harry Kealy of Pasadena preached interesting sermons.

A small faction of the seceders tried to disrupt the quarterly meeting at Whittier to take them into the monthly meeting, but were turned down. The quarterly meeting to be held in Pasadena in July will be looked forward to with much interest by the members of the Friends church.

HEARD AROUND THE CORRIDORS

ENTHUSIASTIC CHILEAN SEEKS IRRIGATION LORE

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"In Valparaiso most of the damage was done by the earthquake alone, and very little by the fire that followed," he said. "Our buildings were chiefly of brick and did not stand the test of the quake. In rebuilding we shall use the reinforced concrete, and it is planned to make the city a model one. A new sewer system is to be installed and the streets are to be paved with asphalt."

"What we need most in my country is water; we have the potential agricultural and mineral—but capital is needed for their development. Since the earthquake labor has been higher than ever before, common workingmen receiving \$3 Chilean money, which would be \$1 in American, and carpenters getting as high as \$15 a day.

She wore a lace waist and the latest thing in the shape of a swager skirt and a rose-laden hat, the like of which no woman in Los Angeles possesses—did the Papinta, fire dancer, who arrived at the Shrine's initiation at Venice, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gilbert and maid, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Walcott and Mr. Artman compose a party of Montecito people registered at the Alexandria.

She was languidly breakfasting the aristocratic hour of 3 p. m. On her fingers were diamonds and tur-

Tells of Work on Panama Canal



SENATOR FRANK P. FLINT

LITTLE GIRL WANTS BABY SISTER AND ORDERS IT BY TELEPHONE

ASKS DOCTORS TO PRAY TO STORK Popular Police Surgeon Is Given Difficult Commission by Small Patient, and Wonders How He Can Fill Prescription

"Hello! Is it Dr. Garrett?" a childish voice piped through the telephone in the office of Dr. E. H. Garrett, the police physician, yesterday afternoon. "Yes, this is Dr. Garrett," replied the physician, and then he started back in astonishment when he heard: "Well, doctor, I want to know if you

quises, pearls and other stones. She was tired from her long trip from Oakland and she declared she felt too stupid to talk. "I hate to be noticed when I'm off the stage," said the famous dancer, petulantly. "It's bad enough to have hundreds staring at you when you're behind the footlights. I'd like to escape it if I could." But she talked, just the same.

"I'm crazy to make a hit in Europe—you know I go there to open in Berlin for an eight weeks' engagement next fall. They have had Lole Fuller for years and she has always been popular on the other side, so I am naturally anxious to know how they will receive me. No, our dances are not alike; the only similarity is that we both use electrical effects. I never took a dancing lesson in my life; my steps are my own. I simply make the movements that come to me naturally. I've danced for the public for eleven years and everybody seems to like my work, particularly women and children. I don't think men care so much for my act. They like those singing and talking pieces; don't you think so?"

Dr. French was one of the best known dentists in Los Angeles and was actively engaged in many of the prominent movements which have marked the city's wonderful development.

NEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH TO BE ORGANIZED TODAY

Rev. Franklin P. Berry will organize his new Presbyterian church this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Christian church, 400 E. 1st and Monte V. street, Highland Park. The Presbyterian clergy of Los Angeles will be present. Rev. Hugh K. Walker will preach the sermon. It is expected that there will be 100 charter members to the new church, who are the followers of Rev. Mr. Berry when he was voted out of the old Presbyterian church at Highland Park.

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SENATOR FLINT TALKS OF CANAL

SAYS DIRT WILL FLY IN A SHORT TIME

No More Money Forthcoming for San Pedro Harbor Until Grip of Private Corporations Is Released

United States Senator Frank P. Flint, junior representative from California in the national upper house, returned from Washington yesterday afternoon after an absence from home of more than five months. In addition to attending the last session of congress which will begin today in a short time, a great deal of delay has been occasioned because of the locks, but once the matter has been straightened out the work will proceed with dispatch. I should say that the canal will be completed in seven or eight years at the most.

"Conditions in the West Indies, which I visited last month, are more flourishing than most persons imagine. Porto Rico, under the protection of the United States, is rapidly becoming the most important place in the whole Caribbean, and the other centers which do not enjoy the same advantages are becoming jealous of her prosperity."

According to Senator Flint it is highly improbable that an additional appropriation will be granted in order to complete the proposed work on San Pedro's inner harbor. "The government does not approve of the private interests which control the situation there," said the senator, "and until the prevailing official impression is changed the inner harbor is tied up by corporations in removed there will be no requests for funds granted. Money for the purpose might have been obtained at the last session but for the prevailing opinion that corporations and not the public in general will reap the benefit."

MANY NATIONS IN CHILDREN'S CHORUS

CONCERT WILL SHOW NATURE OF WORK

Little Ones Enrolled in Classes of Bethlehem Institution Will Sing Native Songs at Auditorium

"The Bethlehem institutional work will be represented in a spectacular way on Sunday afternoon, May 5, at Temple auditorium in a concert called "The Music of the Nations." Directing the children's chorus is an ethereal-looking little girl hardly in her teens, who would be an interesting study for a novelist.

PIONEER DENTIST'S FUNERAL IS HELD

Dr. Loring W. French Had Made Los Angeles His Home Since 1867 and Was Identified with City's Development

The funeral services of Dr. Loring W. French, who died on Thursday, were held at the family residence, 837 South Alvarado street, yesterday. Rev. Robert McIntyre of the First Methodist church officiating.

SAN PEDRO TIDE TABLE with columns for High, Low, and tide times for various dates in April.