

COLLEGE MEN MAKE MERRY

STANFORD CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL BANQUET

LANKERSHIM HOTEL SCENE OF MERRYMAKING

Victory Over California Cause for Rejoicing Among Cardinal Graduates—Old College Scenes Are Rehearsed

Amid the glare of myriad lights, with cardinal banners floating in the air and the echo of gay songs filling the great dining room of the Lankershim hotel, 150 Stanford graduates, members of the Stanford club of Los Angeles, sat down to the most successful of banquets in the history of the organization.

There was double cause for rejoicing. Stanford had just won a great football victory over the University of California, the score being 21 to 11 in favor of the cardinal. Besides it is the occasion of the annual reunion of the Stanford alumni of Southern California. Every citizen graduated since the opening of the university was represented at the two long tables arranged in the shape of a horseshoe, with the speakers at the head of the semicircle.

The pioneer class of 1857 headed the list and gave their class yell with the same old vigor as in the early days when they were making traditions at Stanford for coming generations of students. Other classes took up the echo, and one by one gave their class yells down to the class of 1905.

From every chair floated a small cardinal balloon, adding an effect of gaiety to the scene and furnishing unlimited amusement to the jolly crowd. So temptingly was the situation that the fellows could not resist touching the ends of lighted cigarettes to the inflated rubber spheres, resulting in a perfect cannonade of explosions. Many of the red balloons escaped and floated up to the ceiling, but were snuffed out during the entire evening. Red carnations were distributed the full length of the tables. Dainty menu cards were placed at each plate, and attached to each of these was a small framed picture of Jimmy Lanagan, the famous Stanford football coach, who for six consecutive years has coached the cardinal team to victory over the gold and blue.

The piano was close at hand, and between courses the college men joined in singing the old college songs and yelling the old yells. The banquet finished, an hour of toasting was indulged in, the speakers relating the stories of old college days.

Then came the most impressive feature of the evening. During the early part of the celebration the Stanford men had sent a large bunch of chrysanthemums tied with a blue ribbon to the California men who had gathered together in the University club. To the bouquet was tied two cardinal balloons, and the gift sent to them with compliments of the Stanford club.

After the banquet President Paul Adams called a business session of the club for the election of officers for the ensuing year. The following men were elected by unanimous vote: Dr. Paul A. Adams, Dr. John Collier, E. V. Lyman, Walter Rose, Haines Reed, A. J. Copp, Jr., and M. Z. Osborne, Jr.

Each of the officers for the success of the meeting is due to the committee composed of E. D. Lyman, chairman; W. L. Traeger, A. J. Copp, Jr., G. B. Collier, Paul A. Adams and G. W. Dryer. Bill Traeger, the old football star, led the routing during the evening.

Everyone agreed that the meeting was the most interesting and delightful ever held by the Stanford club, and it was decided to adopt the Lankershim hotel as the permanent headquarters for the club meetings and club members.

BROKEN ROMANCE BEHIND LION TAMER'S CAREER

Animal Trainer with Sells-Floto Circus Considering Offer to Go to Paris—Show to Exhibit Today

In an effort to meet death in a den of ferocious, untamed tigers, because the one woman who was all the world to him proved faithless, John LeRoy became one of the greatest trainers of wild animals of the present day. LeRoy is now in Los Angeles debating whether or not he shall accept the offer of a salary of \$500 a week to go to Paris and work a cage of eight Royal Bengal tigers that have already killed two handlers and crippled another for life.

As to John LeRoy's love affair, that is another story. He was a fine-looking, strapping young fellow, just one year with a circus, when he fell madly in love with the premier bareback rider. By the time the show went into winter quarters he had her promise to become his bride. They were married a few weeks later, but almost before the honeymoon had waned she deserted LeRoy and eloped with a clown.

"How I managed to keep from going mad has always been a marvel to me, for I loved that woman better than my life," says John LeRoy, who is now with the big Sells-Floto circus which exhibits at Venice today.

"My first impulse was to follow and kill them both, and only the delirium which prostrated me and sent me to a hospital spotted the plans I had so carefully made. Then I became reckless in my wild despair and thought only of taking my own life. I paused at committing suicide outright, but I arranged for what I thought would bring a sure and sudden end.

"The show had a lot of half-grown lions and tigers nobody had been able to do anything with. I begged the head keeper to let me break them.

"Before I entered the dens of those snarling, snarling beasts I felt, and hoped, that they would tear me limb from limb. But they didn't.

"I didn't work my act long, however, but sought other shows and training quarters hoping all the while to find a lion or a tiger that would kill me. That was nearly twenty years ago and I have broken hundreds of them since without even receiving so much as a scratch."

The big Sells-Floto show gives an afternoon and night performance in Venice today and then go into their permanent winter quarters at Venice, where the outfit will be rebuilt and enlarged for the coming season.

A Hard Debt to Pay

"I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid off," writes G. S. Clark of Westfield, Iowa, "for my rescue from death by Dr. King's New Discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent, when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous dry, hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used, and two more bottles made a complete cure." Nothing has ever equaled New Discovery for coughs, colds and all throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by Dean Drug Company, 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Trial bottle free.



BEHIND THE SCENES AT NORRIS & ROWE CIRCUS

DESCRIBES LIFE WITHIN THE GREAT WHITE TENTS

Each Performer Has His Own Trunk, but Only the Smallest Looking Glasses Are Allowed

"Behind the scenes in a circus is a picture that thrills the heart," said J. H. Fitzpatrick, press representative of the Norris & Rowe circus, which will begin a three days' engagement in this city tomorrow afternoon at Praeger park.

"It is vastly different from behind the scenes at a theater. The dressing rooms are marveled of interest. There are two of them—one for men and one for women.

"Each person has his trunk, but there is not the sign of a mirror other than the little hand ones about the size of a 'scrup' doll. Those who see the 'make-up' of the riders, the aerialists and the dancing girls, with their paint and powder put on at just the right angle, their eyes penciled as perfectly as Lillian Russell would wish, their dainty garments hooked and given finishing pats, would be astonished to see how little space they do it all in and wonder at the perfection without a mirror, when the average woman can scarcely put on a pair of gloves away from a looking glass.

"While women sit around in riding dresses, others change from one costume to another, hanging their clothes on a line of rope. Ropes run all around the tent, and trunks take the place of closets. There is only the soft grass for a carpet, and in rainy weather all use rubber boots while making up. Strange to say there is no smell of tobacco smoke in the circus dressing rooms, as there is in the dressing rooms of a theater. There's joking, laughter and good fellowship, and the line of 'class' is less severe than in the theater, graded by the salaries paid.

"All the performers eat in the dining tent of the Norris & Rowe, but sleep in the Pullman cars of the show or at the hotels when more than one-day stands are played.

"Whole families work together under one tent. One woman, who has three daughters with the circus, was asked as she put on top boots for an 'act' what held performers to the circus.

"Oh, the music and the smell of sawdust," she said. There are nearly 100 men and women actors and acrobats with the Norris & Rowe circus, and that requires considerable space for dressing room accommodation alone."

Women's Clubs

- GENERAL FEDERATION
President—Mrs. Sarah Platt
Decker, Denver, Colo.
CALIFORNIA STATE FEDERATION
President—Mrs. Edwin D. Buss, Bakersfield.
Vice president—Mrs. J. W. Bishop, 714 North Main street, Santa Ana.
Vice president at large—Mrs. Charles J. Woodbury, 1215 Brush street, Oakland.
Recording secretary—Mrs. J. Benson Wrenn, 2003 B street, Bakersfield.
Corresponding secretary—Mrs. F. Kaar, 914 M street, Kern.
Treasurer—Mrs. Charles L. Donohoe, Willows.
LOS ANGELES DISTRICT FEDERATION
President—Mrs. Florence Collins Foster, South Pasadena.
Corresponding secretary—Mrs. F. Hooker Jones, 2114 Bonsallio avenue, Los Angeles.
E. Eberle.

- Club Calendar
Monday afternoon—Edell club, illustrated lecture on "Palestine as Seen by a Woman," Mrs. A. C. Smith.
Tuesday afternoon—Treble Clef club.
Wednesday morning—Ruskin Art club, "Wood Engraving in America," Mrs. H. G. Brainerd and Mrs. W. K. Peasley, leaders. Shakespeare club, program, afternoon. Wednesday Morning club, illustrated lecture, "The Gentle Art of Cooking," Mrs. Jessica Hazard. Cosmos club, lecture, "The City and What It Owes the Child," Prof. L. E. Eberle.
Friday morning—Ibsen day, address, Harry T. Mestayer.
Saturday afternoon—Westlake Political Equality club and Los Angeles Political League.

Treble Clef Club
The ladies of the Treble Clef club will give a reception November 21 in honor of Signor Leandro Campanari, who is passing the winter here and who has consented to direct one or more concerts for the club.

Those wishing to meet Signor Campanari and to enroll for these concerts are invited to attend the reception which will take place in Symphony hall, Blanchard building, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Travers, president of the club, will be assisted in receiving by the following officers and members of the board: Mesdames Edwin Hart Cooper, Edwin Sargent, C. dePaoli, Giudicelli, A. G. Fruhling, F. Thoroughman, Fred Hooper Jones, Walter G. Eisenmeyer.

Edwin Wanderforde Freeman, Miss Gertrude Dixon. Regular meetings of the Treble Clef club are held the second and fourth Tuesdays at 2 o'clock.

RUSH FOR TICKETS TO HARBOR INSPECTION

Extra Cars Will Be Added to Train if Interest in Chamber of Commerce Trip is Maintained

If the reservations for places on the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce special train to the beach cities next Saturday continue to pile up during the week in the proportion in which they came in yesterday, several cars will have to be added.

The greatest interest has been aroused in the coming excursion, but because it will be impossible to accommodate all who wish to go, it behooves every one to get tickets as soon as possible.

The objects of the trip are manifold, but the chief one is to inspect the beach harbors and the many improvements which have been made during the past year and to bring about a closer feeling of amity. The excursion train will leave the Arcade depot at 9:30 a. m. Saturday next and will arrive at Wilmington at 10:15, where a half hour will be devoted to the inspection of the inner harbor and the west basin.

The train will then proceed to the government breakwater beyond San Pedro. Fifteen minutes will be given for a view of this great work and the party will return to San Pedro and inspect the inner harbor.

At 1 o'clock the train will go to Long Beach, where luncheon will be served in the Auditorium. After luncheon an inspection of the harbor improvements there will be made and the party will leave on the return trip at 4:30 o'clock.

The railroad fare for the trip including all expenses will be \$1 and tickets are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce.

Falls Into Manhole
Dan Shea, a laborer employed in the street department, fell into a sewer manhole at Adams and Hoover street last night and dislocated his shoulder. He was taken to the receiving hospital, where he was given surgical attention by Doctors Bonyng and Wiley.

DO YOU REMEMBER BUSTED SMITH?

Well, he was a well known character in the old days. His list of creditors reached from Siskiyou to Calaveras.



"Talk all you like. Tell everybody Busted Smith owes you a dollar for meals."

Read all about Busted Smith, Col. Bill Biggers and other well-known "Forty-niners" in John Fleming Wilson's delightful new San Francisco novel.

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Pronounced by able critics the best California story since the days of Bret Harte.

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Must Be Raised in Three Days

Whereas, J. M. Bates and associates, doing a general Clothing and Haberdashery business in the retail and wholesale selling of Men's and Youths' Clothing, Shoes, Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, Neckwear and all other requisites in the lines devoted to male wearing apparel, formerly known as the Pacific Coast Clothing company, with headquarters at San Francisco, having gone into insolvency, the board of creditors have appointed G. E. Blakesly to sell out and make cash settlement on this stock at once. On account of the above their lease was broken and due notice was served upon said G. E. Blakesly to quit, surrender and vacate the premises on or before October 25. Being unable to secure a suitable store in San Francisco, the above stock has been transferred to the three-story building, corner Fifth and Spring, known as

460 South Spring Street

in the city of Los Angeles. The stock is a complete, new stock, coming direct from the leading makers of the United States.

For 35c and Less on the Dollar Sale Starts 8 A. M.

I have been unable to secure this room only for a few days' time, and as I must raise a large amount of cash, have marked the goods down in the following manner:

G. E. BLAKESLY, Trustee.

Men's Suits, Overcoats and Cravenettes

- Men's \$11 suits in different shades and patterns, now on sale for \$4.65
Men's \$13.50 suits in blue and black chevot and fancy patterns, now on sale \$5.85
Men's \$16.50 suits, suitable for business and dress wear, in blues, blacks and a large assortment of novelty patterns, now on sale for \$7.65
Men's \$20.00 suits and overcoats, made by America's best tailors, in all the popular shades and styles, now on sale for \$9.50
Men's \$22.50 and \$25.00 suits and cravenettes, overcoats—all the leading manufacturers of high grade clothing represented, made stylish dress-ers, now on sale for \$11.85
Men's \$27.50 and \$30.00 suits, cravenettes and overcoats—These goods are the highest grade ready-made clothing procurable; are strictly hand-tailored and sewed with silk throughout; no better garments made at any price; all the latest shades and styles represented in this lot, and made for strictly high-class trade, now on sale for \$13.75

This stock also contains a few tailor-made suits from New York's leading custom tailors. On sale for less than half of regular price.

Men's Shoes

- \$2.50 Shoes at \$1.25
\$3.00 Shoes at \$1.45
\$3.50 Shoes at \$1.65
\$4.00 Shoes at \$1.95
\$4.50 Shoes at \$2.10
\$5.00 Shoes at \$2.35
\$5.50 Shoes at \$2.65
\$6.00 Shoes at \$2.95

Men's Hats

- Men's \$2.00 Soft Felt Hats..... 95c
Men's \$2.50 Soft Felt Hats..... \$1.25
Men's \$3.00 Stiff Hats..... \$1.45
Men's \$3.50 Soft Felt Hats (in black and fancy colors)..... \$1.75
Men's \$4.00 Soft and Stiff Hats (in the latest styles)..... \$1.95
Men's \$5.00 Soft and Stiff Hats (in nobby styles and shapes)..... \$2.45

Neckwear for Men and Boys

- Men's 15c Bow Ties..... 5c
Men's 25c Windsor and Teck Scarfs (to hook on button); a time saver; now selling for..... 10c
Men's 35c Four-in-Hands, in fancy patterns..... 15c
Men's 50c and 75c Fancy Four-in-Hand Ties..... 23c

Men's Overshirts

- \$3.00 Pongee Shirts at..... \$1.25
268 Dozen Golf Shirts, 75c and \$1 values 35c
\$1.50 Overshirts, nobby patterns at..... 69c
\$2.00 Shirts in fancy patterns and coat style..... 95c
\$1.25 Shirts, silk bosoms, at..... 45c

Men's Underwear

- Men's 50c ribbed halbrigan underwear..... 22c
Men's 75c ribbed underwear..... 35c
Men's 75c fancy ribbed and heavy combed (also lace) weave underwear..... 35c
Men's \$1.00 lisle thread underwear..... 45c
Men's \$1.00 natural wool underwear..... 39c
Men's \$1.75 ribbed lamb's wool underwear..... 89c
Men's \$2.00, the famous Glastenbury underwear, known the world over for its fine quality and fit..... 98c
Men's \$3.00, the finest grade of combed glass wool (the famous Glastenbury kind), single and double breasted..... \$1.50
Men's \$3.00 silk lisle underwear (in the needle stitch, also fine lace weave in blue and pink)..... 69c

Boys' Suits

Sizes 3 to 8; values \$3 to \$6, in many styles and patterns; while they last... \$1.45

Men's Pants

- Men's \$2 and \$1.50 Work Pants at..... 85c
Men's \$2.50 Chevot Pants at..... \$1.40
Men's \$3 Worsteds Pants at..... \$1.65
Men's \$3.50 Fancy Worsteds Pants at..... \$1.85
Men's \$4.50 hand-tailored Worsteds at..... \$2.25
Men's \$5 and \$6 Pants at..... \$2.75
Men's \$6 and \$7 Pants, hand-tailored and fancy patterns; cut to fit..... \$2.95

Men's Hose

- 10c Rockford Socks, while they last..... 3c
25c Fancy Hose..... 10c
35c Fancy Hose..... 15c
50c-75c Fancy Silk Mixed Lisle Hose..... 23c
Hose in natural colors..... 12 1/2c

Men's Suspenders

- Men's President Style Suspenders..... 19c
Men's 25c Suspenders..... 9c
Men's 50c Suspenders..... 25c
Men's \$1 Fancy Silk Suspenders..... 45c

Men's Handkerchiefs

- 10c White Handkerchiefs..... 4c
15c White Linen Handkerchiefs (also fancy colored border)..... 5c
25c Linen Handkerchiefs..... 8 1-3c
50c Silk Handkerchiefs..... 19c

Miscellaneous

- 25c Boston Garters..... 15c
15c Arm Bands..... 3c
Men's 10c Bandana Handkerchiefs..... 5c
Men's \$2.50 Fancy Vests..... \$1.00
Men's \$3.00 Fancy Vests..... \$1.40
Men's \$4.00 Fancy Vests..... \$1.95

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