# ROBBED BY MAN WHOM HE DINED

## SO DECLARES YUMA MINER TO POLICE

### ALLEGED DARING CRIMINAL IN TOILS OF LAW

**Arizona Man Tells of Being Held Up at Point of His Own Revolver by Stranger He Befriended**

Edward Willis, who, according to the police, is a cool, calculating and daring criminal, was arrested last night by Patrolman Glenn and placed in the central station on suspicion.

Today, in all probability, he will be charged with grand larceny, accused of robbing a man at the point of a pistol.

John L. Allen is a miner from Yuma, Ariz., and for several days past has been a guest at the Arcade hotel at Fifth street and Central avenue. In some manner the rumor got out that Allen was the possessor of several hundred dollars, which he carried with him.

Yesterday afternoon Allen was sitting in front of the hotel idly whittling on a stick when Willis came up and introduced himself as a miner out of work and broke.

Allen invited the man to go with him to a nearby cafe, where they drank several bottles of beer and he then took Willis to his room in the hotel.

Lying on top of a table was a Smith & Wesson revolver owned by Allen, and as the men walked into the room Willis picked it up and remarked that it was a fine gun.

"It is," replied Allen. "It cost me $20."

**Says He Was Robbed**

Willis then pointed the revolver at Allen's head and, Allen says, ordered him to throw up his hands. Allen at first did not comply, as he thought his new-found friend was joking.

When it appeared that Willis was in earnest, however, Allen complied with the order and, he says, was robbed of $8, all the money he had in his pocket.

Willis, he declares, was evidently disappointed at the small amount of money and threatened to shoot Allen for not having more. Later he gave him back $4, saying he hated to leave a man broke.

Willis then compelled Allen to walk down the street with him, and, Allen declares, threatened to shoot him if he gave the alarm. A block away from the hotel he ordered him to keep on down the street.

Willis then turned and walked away in the opposite direction.

Allen reported the robbery to the police and Officer Glenn found Willis in a room of a lodging house near the Arcade station. He had the $4 taken from Allen and the revolver in his coat pocket.

He was booked on suspicion until the police might have an opportunity to look up his record. He is believed to be a crook who is wanted in other cities and his past will be thoroughly inquired into.

# SOLICITOR HELD AS DANGEROUSLY INSANE

**Man Stops Five Trains by Standing in Center of Track and Waving His Arms—Family Notified**

L. H. Poland, a solicitor for the Western Engineering company, living at 815 West Sixth street, was arrested at the river station of the Southern Pacific railroad last night and was placed in the detention ward at the city prison, where he will be held until his mental condition can be inquired into.

Poland was taken to river station by the crew of an inbound freight, the engine of which struck and knocked him from the track at a point south of San Fernando.

Saturday morning Poland left his house apparently in his usual health, informing his wife he was going to Kansas City on business for the company.

Nothing more was heard of him until yesterday afternoon, when several trains on the Southern Pacific were flagged at various points between Burbank and San Fernando by a man who stood in the middle of the track and violently waved his arms back and forth.

Five freight trains and three passengers were stopped in this way and the conductors of each, after telling Poland to go home, proceeded with their trains, it being the impression that he was a harmlessly insane person who lived in the neighborhood.

A heavy through freight south bound was the last train flagged by the man who proved to be Poland.

The engineer of the train saw the man in the middle of the track waving his arms, and believing the train in danger brought the long freight to a stop, but not before the big engine had struck and knocked Poland from the track.

His injuries, consisting of severe bruises and lacerations of the legs, arms and shoulders, are not serious. He was placed in the caboose of the train and taken to river station, where the police ambulance was sent for.

Poland, who evidently became suddenly deranged, informed the surgeons at the hospital that the great Jehovah compelled him to stop all of the trains and had told him to walk to Kansas City and stop every train he met on the road.

# CITRUS FRUIT FIRMS SUBJECT OF INQUIRY

**Federal Grand Jury Expected to Report This Week—Rebate Charge May Be Brought**

Considerable interest is taken in the work of the present federal grand jury, which meets again tomorow, and will report, it is expected, when the federal circuit and district courts are convened May 21.

At that time, it is believed, the jury will report on rebate cases involving the large citrus fruit concerns of this section of the country, when cases such as were carried on against the Southern Pacific, the Santa Fe and the Salt Lake railroads in this city recently will come before the public again as a result of this report.

The work of remodeling the courtrooms at the Tajo building, so as to place Judge Wellborn and the juries further removed from the noisy corner at First and Broadway, is progressing so rapidly it is expected the rooms will be ready May 21.

# EXTRA VOTE OFFER WILL CLOSE SOON

**Information Concerning Coupons—No Limit to Number of Clubs. Reserve Explained—Receipt Books and Club Blanks Furnished Contestants in Herald's $15,000 Contest**

The only extra vote offer of the contest is rapidly drawing to a close, and most of the contestants interested are working and improving every spare moment of their time in securing six months and yearly subscribers to count on their club.

Each and every one should secure five one-year subscribers or the equivalent in six months' subscriptions and receive a vote coupon good for 20,000 votes. That coupon, may be held out until the last day of the contest and will count as a very nice reserve number for the contestant who is lucky enough to secure one of them.

Of course there is no limit to the number of clubs that each contestant may secure, so try for as many as it is possible for you to get. The only limit on this club offer is the time, and that means that each one must be turned in the office before 10 o'clock next Saturday night in order to have it counted on this offer.

For club slips, receipt books and contest literature call up or notify the contest manager in care of The Herald. The contest department is in the business office of The Herald, where information may be received at any time between 9 in the morning and 7 at night.

Phone Press 11. Home "Herald Exchange."

Following is the list of the premiums to be divided among the winning contestants:

**House and lot**
**Auto-Piano**
**Lot at one of the beaches**
**Baby Grand piano**
**Upright piano**
**Standard piano**
**Mandolin, guitar and violin**
**Other musical instruments**
**One scholarship in Yale School for Boys**
**One scholarship in Brick Cal. Boys' school**
**Two trips to Honolulu**
**Thor $265 motorcycle**
**One $220 motorcycle**
**Two coaster brake bicycles**
**$100 boy's clothing**
**Scholarship in Heald's Business college**
**Scholarship in Los Angeles Business college**
**Scholarship in Woodbury Business college**
**Scholarship in University of Southern California**
**Scholarship in Cumneck School of Expression**
**Scholarship in Brownsberger school**
**Scholarship in Fillmore School of Music**
**Scholarship in L. A. School of Art and Design**
**Scholarship in Chas. Prochnow school**
**Scholarship in De Chauvenet Conservatory of Music**
**Scholarship in Lyric School of Music**
**Scholarship in Eclectic college**
**Scholarship in Blanchard hall**
**Three scholarships in the International Correspondence School of Scranton, Pa.**
**And also ten diamond rings, ten gold watches and other premiums.**

## CONTEST NO. 1

### District No. 1

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|---|---|
| Maud Cline, Hoover and 32d | 9,142 |
| Florence Behm, 1349 W. 35th | 5,124 |
| Clara Stuckstede, 829 W. 11th | 4,180 |
| Nellie Wright, 2667 Romeo | 3,760 |
| Bertha Forrest, 227 S. Figueroa | 3,726 |
| Ellen Robinson, 1025 Vermont | 3,618 |
| Eva Miller, 1110 W. 41st | 3,325 |
| Jennie Craig, 1710 S. Bonnie Brae | 3,118 |
| Juanita Wilson, 1143 W. 42d | 4,908 |
| Maud Early, 1143 W. 36th | 2,749 |
| Elsie Schott, 923 W. 36th place | 2,615 |
| Jessie Haley, 1703 Oxford | 2,180 |
| Emma Wilson, 3788 Vermont | 2,090 |
| Nettie Olsen, 816 W. 4th | 2,060 |
| Alta Parker, 2904 Roxbury | 2,060 |
| Rose Davey, 1966 W. 20th | 1,947 |
| Pearl Ward, 334 S. Figueroa | 1,740 |
| Maud Schoenfeldt, 318½ S. Figueroa | 1,630 |
| Carrie Gates, 1613 Winfield | 1,610 |
| Lena Blair, 1531 Berendo | 1,610 |
| Edith Foote, 2324 29th place | 1,460 |
| Edith Ismer, 625 Loomis | 940 |
| Carrie Sanderson, 2963 Dorchester | 880 |
| Anna Kovee, 1032 W. Washington | 862 |
| Rapie Kemp, 1432 De long | 440 |
| Leota Stowe, 779 Ottawa | 358 |
| Mamie Butcher, 1651 W. 23d | 350 |
| Elizabeth Reebe, 919 Albany | 60 |

### District No 2

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|---|---|
| Mary Bisch, 770 E. 17th | 19,617 |
| Julia Judge, Godfrey's restaurant | 18,849 |
| Lillie Schmidt, 4044 Woodlawn | 5,269 |
| Ruth Schofield, 3943 S. Hill | 4,774 |
| Ida Morris, 132 S. Hill | 4,696 |
| Mrs. P. W. Ahlborn, 1922 S. Los Angeles | 4,161 |
| Marjorie Hebel, 938 McGarry | 3,977 |
| Ella Barnett, 1505 E. 52d | 3,986 |
| Anita Holman, office Red Theater Coupon | 3,963 |
| Grace Parks, 2300 London | 3,840 |
| Ruby Vaughn, 1045 E. 31st | 3,030 |
| Ruby Hill, 1172 E. 33d | 2,920 |
| Edyth Baldwin, 423 E. 7th | 2,897 |
| Jessie Dixon, 727 S. Broadway | 2,490 |
| Sadie Gibbons, 638 S. Los Angeles | 2,368 |
| Edna Davis, 637 Euclid | 2,235 |
| May Brooner, 1522 Griffith | 2,025 |
| Ella Ballard, 128 E. 4th | 2,617 |
| Eleanor Grebe, 222 W. 25th | 1,840 |
| Bessie Farmer, 780 E. 18th | 1,984 |
| Effie Kendall, 452 E. Santa Barbara | 1,840 |
| Julia Lopera, 2301 E. 8th | 1,771 |
| Gertrude Erbel, 448 E. 43d | 1,641 |
| Florence McKinley, 719 W. 32d | 1,640 |
| Cora Menier, 307 W. 12th | 1,620 |
| Elizabeth Smith, 1723 Santee | 1,420 |
| Lora Hinkle 226 W. 33d | 1,210 |
| Virginia Wallace, 426 E. 21st | 1,125 |
| Katherine Steward, 1413 E. 20th | 1,085 |
| Bertha Francis, 657 San Julian | 1,052 |
| Mabel Lincoln, 256 S. Bunker Hill | 1,012 |
| Elizabeth Trinkel, 1558 E. 39th | 940 |
| Hilda Topper, Broadway Department store | 917 |
| Edna Gain, 717 E. 29th | 897 |
| Alice Furneaux, 113 Carr | 825 |
| Gertrude Lavender, 125 W. 47th | 685 |
| Eula Chase, 201 S. Spring | 685 |
| Mary Wulstein, 1730 E. 23d | 625 |
| Laura Nusser, 810 E. 31st | 625 |
| Elsie Scott, 124 E. 11th | 490 |
| Jeannie Morgan, Ville de Paris | 416 |
| Mina Jacobs, 1951 S. Grand | 385 |
| Estella McClatchey, 176 E. 36th | 385 |
| Maggie Abbott, 1143 E. 10th | 335 |
| Nell Compton, 1316 E. 58th | 240 |
| Rose Levy, 140 E. 35th | 160 |

### District No. 3

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|---|---|
| Mrs. George Woods, 2102 Darwin | 4,860 |
| Margaret Ronan, 503 S. Hancock | 3,801 |
| Jennie Smith, 2735 Temple | 4,514 |
| Mabel Schahow, 3214 Downey | 4,482 |
| Aima Leabiorn, 2225 B. street | 2,993 |
| Elizabeth Irving, 314 Fort Moore | 2,651 |
| Mabel Carmack, 2747 Blanchard | 2,250 |
| Anna Murdock, 116 W Avenue 43 | 2,239 |
| Vira Waltz, 2751 Blanchard | 2,125 |
| Grace Pann, 712 N. Grand | 2,050 |
| Myrtle Barham, 319 Stockton | 1,501 |
| Maggie Canholt, 922 Sunset | 1,501 |
| Mae Beatty, 121 N. Hill | 1,486 |
| Matilde Ehring, Ivanhoe station | 1,485 |
| Nellie Andrew, 712 Waterloo | 1,196 |
| Mrs. Edward Spring, 512 Dayton | 993 |
| Edith Phinney, 867 Carrillo | 161 |

### District No. 4

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|---|---|
| Clara Woodard, Pasadena | 4,169 |
| Nellie Hyer, Glendale | 3,760 |
| Blanche Eason, Pasadena | 4,108 |
| Sophie Mamele, Dolgeville | 2,605 |
| Vera Venable, Miramonte Park | 2,896 |
| Bernice Dempster, Alhambra | 1,841 |
| Julia Johnson, Alhambra | 1,640 |
| Libbie Nadeau, Florence | 2,250 |
| Bertha Cunningham, Pasadena | 1,010 |
| Ritha Newland, Pasadena | 816 |
| Elizabeth Deitrich, Pasadena | 765 |
| Ruth Waite, Compton | 482 |
| A. M. Elliston, Gardena | 782 |

### District No. 5

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|---|---|
| Mrs. J. H. McDonald, Chino | 4,977 |
| Ethel Avis, Pomona | 4,277 |
| Pearl Campbell, Glendora | 3,769 |
| Mrs. F. C. Williams, Azusa | 2,892 |
| Helen Wilson, Whittier | 2,791 |
| Margaret Heath, Baldwin's Park | 2,745 |

### District No. 6

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|---|---|
| Delia Grannis, Sawtelle | 10,243 |
| Cleo Brown, Inglewood | 9,821 |
| Mabel Cane, Santa Monica | 9,154 |
| Thelma Woods, Wilmington | 7,158 |
| Mamie Connell, Long Beach | 5,984 |
| Helen Perkins, Long Beach | 4,340 |
| Carrie Neuwirt, Colegrove | 3,852 |
| Elsie Scott, San Pedro | 3,691 |
| Leota Smith, Hollywood | 3,360 |
| Isabelle Schallert, Hollywood | 2,050 |
| Fern Cooley, Terminal | 1,363 |
| Annie Mussetter, Long Beach | 1,516 |
| Lily McClellan, Sawtelle | 1,298 |
| Maud Percival, Redondo | 750 |
| Marie Hinckley, Long Beach | 723 |
| Beulah Blankenship, Santa Monica | 617 |
| Cecelia Brennan, Long Beach | 610 |

One of the hustlers in the boys' contest whose friends are constantly endeavoring to make him a premium winner is Master John Springer, who resides at 771 South Maple avenue. All of his spare time is devoted to promoting his candidacy. John's numerous friends are sure that he will be one of the winners at the close of the contest. Master Springer's likeness appears today as one of The Herald's contestants.

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| Lucy Keller, Santa Monica | 335 |
| Irene O'Neall, Wilmington | 50 |
| Pearl Mitchell, Redondo | 25 |
| Mrs. J. C. Bailey, Redondo | 25 |

### District No. 7

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|---|---|
| Lucy Levering, Redlands | 12,625 |
| Louise Cripps, San Bernardino | 6,399 |
| Irene Randall, San Bernardino | 4,279 |
| Ruth Collier, San Bernardino | 1,545 |
| Blanche Hurdt, Colton | 1,380 |
| Rose Flack, San Bernardino | 1,296 |
| Mabel Moore, Colton | 1,261 |
| Myrtle Aldridge, San Bernardino | 1,250 |
| Eccie Root, Needles | 1,200 |
| Birdie Ray, Needles | 1,064 |
| Nettie Dearing, Colton | 690 |
| Ethel Vandercook, Needles | 650 |

### District No. 8

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|---|---|
| Bessie Cook, Corona | 2,575 |
| Leah Murphy, Perris | 2,080 |
| Judith Johnston, Riverside | 2,025 |
| Josephine Ross, Riverside | 2,000 |
| Elsie Brown, Corona | 1,165 |
| Mabel Dunbar, Riverside | 1,025 |
| Irene Burton, San Jacinto | 1,500 |
| Bertha Rennie, Hemet | 1,480 |
| Carrie Anera, Hemet | 1,000 |
| Mabel Ross, Riverside | 950 |

### District No. 9

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|---|---|
| Minnie Little, Escondido | 3,175 |
| Ruth Baldwin, San Diego | 3,000 |
| Della Schutte, National City | 2,818 |
| Laura Crockett, Chula Vista | 3,518 |
| Emma Smith, National City | 1,940 |
| Gale Scott, Oceanside | 1,764 |
| Hazel Vaughan, National City | 1,160 |
| Annie Roach, Coronado | 760 |

### District No. 10

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|---|---|
| Elzara Claytor, Santa Ana | 5,389 |
| Leah M. Becker, Anaheim | 4,182 |
| Lois Langley, Santa Ana | 3,166 |
| Hortense Osborne, Buena Park | 2,884 |
| Hazel Swall, Garden Grove | 2,659 |
| Maude Mickle, Anaheim | 2,350 |
| Elizabeth McAuley, Anaheim | 2,071 |
| Enid Adams, R. F. D. No. 2, Fullerton | 1,835 |
| Bula McClay, Santa Ana | 1,580 |
| Ivo Reed, Orange | 1,185 |
| Euda Adams, Fullerton | 1,164 |
| Edna Moore, Orange | 975 |
| Lillian Yaeger, Fullerton | 650 |
| Muriel Graham, R. F. D. No. 2, Fullerton | 400 |
| Miille Durler, Orange | 390 |
| Marie Flinn, R. F. D. No. 2, Fullerton | 300 |
| Myrtle Reitz, Santa Ana | 75 |
| Frances Bruner, Santa Ana | 60 |
| Margaret Inda, Anaheim | 28 |

## CONTEST NO. 2

### Fraternal Lodges

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|---|---|
| Jr. O. U. A. M. Hancock council No. 20 | 32,973 |
| Ccahuilla tribe, San Bernardino, No. 102, I. O. R. M. | 13,680 |
| M. W. A. Golden State camp No. 7110 | 13,371 |
| Order Owls, nest No. 156 | 9,228 |
| M. N. Reserve L. A. council No. 20 | 6,970 |
| B. A. Y. Ivanhoe Homestead No. 1418 | 6,852 |
| Ben Hur tribe, Court No. 4 | 6,828 |
| Vernon camp, No. 9875, M. W. A. | 6,621 |
| W. O. W. No. 63, La Fiesta camp | 5,418 |
| I. O. F. court Los Angeles No. 422 | 4,135 |
| Monrovia Temple No. 108, Pythian Sisters | 3,917 |
| M. W. A. Cal. camp No. 11,193 | 3,340 |
| M. W. A. No. 725, Whittier | 2,655 |
| K. L. of S. No. 737, L. A. council | 2,058 |
| Pacific camp M. W. A. | 360 |
| Fraternal Aid Assn., No. 720, Florence | 250 |
| Fraternal Aid Assn. No. 114, Whittier | 250 |

## CONTEST NO. 3

### Young Men and Boys

| | |
|---|---|
| Erling Armstrong, Long Beach | 17,324 |
| Gerson Werner, 118 North Hill | 16,091 |
| Walter Deardorff, Pomona | 7,406 |
| Preston Crosby, Riverside | 7,364 |
| Norman Smith, Monrovia | 6,828 |
| Elmer Duncan, San Pedro | 5,973 |
| Wallace Walter, San Diego | 4,996 |
| Willis Kirkpatrick, Pasadena | 4,872 |
| Arthur Cauthers, Pasadena | 4,852 |
| Claude Hauseman, 703 W. Temple | 4,540 |
| Roy Berryhill, 300 West Pico | 4,068 |
| Arthur Amos, 1958 Norwood | 3,984 |
| Rupert S. Hines, Pasadena | 3,958 |
| A. Mockenhaupt, 2402 Downey ave | 3,678 |
| Herbert Barker, 1147 E. 35th | 3,237 |
| H. C. McCann, San Diego | 3,191 |
| Ralph Eidemiller, Pasadena | 2,781 |
| Bert Pine, Pasadena | 2,668 |
| Frank Humley, San Diego | 2,010 |
| James Steele, La Jolla | 1,900 |
| Claude Sisney, Tropico | 1,839 |
| Herbert Hogan, 713 Valencia | 1,746 |
| Leon Robertson, 1418 Santa Fe st | 1,743 |
| Harry Braden, Pasadena | 1,653 |
| Ed Jenkins, Santa Ana | 1,568 |
| James Hann, Gardena | 1,298 |
| Aubrey M. Webb, Compton | 1,281 |
| Herman Cullington, 1020 Colton | 1,275 |
| John McCarger, 640 E. 51st | 1,169 |
| Fred Hill, Riverside | 1,060 |
| Bert Thompson, San Diego | 1,060 |
| William Graves, Pasadena | 1,025 |
| Ralph Crawford, 5004 Moneta ave | 972 |
| Herman Lynn, 1446 W. 22d | 914 |
| Cecil Davis, 528 Ceres st | 905 |
| Henry Wahl, 1431 Henry | 898 |
| Ralph Webster, Corona | 885 |
| A. G. Harrison, Eastlake ave | 766 |
| A. O. Williams, 1140 E. Pico | 764 |
| Roy Taylor, 2934 E. First | 710 |
| Lamont Burtch, Pasadena | 710 |
| George Parker, Pomona | 675 |
| Hartley Mendelson, 337 Buena Vista | 670 |
| Robert Gillingham, Compton | 644 |
| Earl Griffin, 2547 W. 12th | 625 |
| John Springer, 771 S. Maple | 555 |
| Jack Richards, Riverside | 500 |
| William Clark, 445 W. 47th place | 485 |
| Otto Newberg, 249 S. Spring | 459 |
| H. McDonald, 4624 Long Beach ave | 410 |
| Fred Blackinton, Monrovia | 356 |
| Willie Scott, 515 W. Pico | 477 |
| Harold Wilkerson, 117 E. 28th | 265 |
| George Shaker, Redondo | 220 |
| Allen Mohn, South Pasadena | 199 |
| Herbert Cox, Fullerton | 190 |
| Paul Myers, 1017 W. Third | 187 |
| Walter Dewey, Compton | 175 |
| Rudolph Smith, 457 W. 37th | 166 |
| Joe Goldberg, 609 N. Bunker Hill | 125 |
| Grenville Howard, Ellendale place | 100 |
| Lester Fraser, 2839 W. Pico | 100 |
| Walter Knox, Colton | 100 |
| Archie Smith, 623 Loomis st | 98 |
| Albert Abrams, 974 E. 10th | 91 |
| C. D. Beauchamp, Long Beach | 75 |
| Lindsey Dickey, San Bernardino | 50 |
| Hibbard Lee, 757 Central | 50 |
| G. B. George, Redondo | 50 |
| Owen Emery, Glendale | 35 |
| Elmer Anderson, 430 E. 27th | 33 |
| Charles Schroff, Anaheim | 25 |
| Maurice Thompson, Orange | 25 |
| John L. Stallings, Pasadena | 25 |
| Elijah Crommie, 141 E. Avenue 40 | 25 |
| Louis Robinson, 707 N. Grand | 25 |
| Clifford Cooper, Pomona | 25 |
| Ralph Delo, 448½ Central | 25 |
| John Titus, Tropico | 25 |
| Frank Maguire, 5014 Central | 25 |
| Everett Shea, Hermosa Beach | 25 |
| Carl Haynie, 828 E. Sixth | 25 |
| R. C. Drury, 604 W. 9th | 25 |
| Donald Drake, Redondo | 25 |
| Edward Eastman, Redondo | 25 |

# PERMIT NECCESSARY TO HOLD PICNIC AT PARK

**City Officer Tells Merrymakers That They Should Get a Written Statement from Officials**

"Many Los Angeles people who are beginning to enjoy picnics in the parks these pleasant, warm days are unaware of a city ordinance which has considerable to do with such gatherings," remarked one of the park officers the other day.

"Now, only Saturday there was a gathering of people at Echo park. The members were enjoying themselves. They were not molesting any one, but they simply did not know they were transgressing the law. But such they were doing, although unintentionally.

"The law is to the effect that if there are twenty or more people in your picnic party you must obtain permission from the city clerk.

"Otherwise, no matter how quiet and orderly you are, you are transgressing the law.

"You do not have to pay anything for the permit. All you have to do it to get the written form from the clerk, telling where you wish to hold your 'grubfest,' and then go ahead without fear of molestation.

"Just remember that these happy summer days."

# MOVING PICTURES AID TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT

**SALOONS LOSE CUSTOMERS WHO PATRONIZE THEATERS**

**Hundreds Prefer Good Music and a Hearty Laugh to Standing Up to Bar and Drinking Intoxicants**

Moving picture shows are the undoing of the saloon business so far as the trade of the average drinker goes. This is the firm belief of every saloon man in the city of Los Angeles.

"In the days before these nickel and dime moving picture shows came into existence the saloons were the loafing place, the club house for the man who wished to spend a night at some pleasant resort," remarked a Los Angeles man casually.

"Now when he came to the saloon he was not driven there by an unquenchable thirst, understand. That is another type of habitue of the saloon vastly different from the type of which I am speaking. Those thirsty chaps still patronize the bar as before. No moving pictures for them.

"But where the moving picture show joins the Anti-Saloon league and helps the temperance movement right at Los Angeles is among the class of men who wish to spend a night pleasantly before retiring.

"They do not wish to get drunk. They are looking for some place where they can sit down and not spend much money and yet have a pleasant time.

**Willing to Spend Dime**

"Maybe they do not care for the 'nigger heaven' of the regular theater and do not have any more money to spend than a nickel or a dime.

"They are sauntering along the street aimlessly. In the old days they would be attracted by the lights of some saloon. There they would have gone and had to treat and stand up to the bar all the time instead of sitting down, and become intoxicated before getting home.

"Besides that, they would spend considerable money, maybe lose more or get robbed, if drunk enough.

"But nowadays it is different.

"The 'hawker' of the picture show shouts out at the passing promenader, 'Come in and rest a while; fine music, good pictures—all for a nickel.' The strains from the automatic piano, loaded to the guards with rollicking ragtime, smite the passerby in the ear; he catches a glimpse of some funny pictures through the half open screens, he pays his nickel and spends two hours enjoying a good laugh or some exciting pictures of a holdup, possibly.

"He reports at his lodging house at 10 o'clock sober, and next morning goes to the office without a headache or a door mat in place of a tongue. Cost five cents—or a dime at the most."

# ST. VINCENT'S CHURCH IS SCENE OF BIG SERVICES

**Two Large Classes Receive First Communion and Confirmation—Rev. Glass and Bishop Conaty Participate**

St. Vincent's church was the scene of two impressive services yesterday when the sacraments of first communion and confirmation were given to two large classes of children.

These annual services at St. Vincent's are always marked with impressive ceremonies and those of yesterday were no exception to the rule. The church was beautifully decorated with white carnations and asparagus plumosus.

At 8 o'clock low mass was celebrated at which Very Rev. J. S. Glass preached the sermon. First communion was given to a class of fifty children, who had been prepared by the Sisters of St. Joseph. Following the service breakfast was served to the girls at St. Mary's academy and to the boys at St. Vincent's college.

At 3:30 p. m. solemn vespers were celebrated at which Bishop Conaty preached a sermon and confirmed a class of sixty-eight. Following this the baptismal vows were renewed and the service closed with benediction.

# CHIEF TO ATTEND ANNUAL CONVENTION

Chief of Police Kern will leave Wednesday for an extended trip to eastern cities. He will visit St. Louis, Chicago and Detroit, and expects to return with new ideas relatives to police work.

From June 2 until the 8th he will attend the international association of chiefs of police at Detroit. While there he will endeavor to win the consent of the convention to make the next place of meeting Los Angeles.

Seattle, Portland, San Francisco and Oakland will aid him in bringing the convention to this city next year.

The hem tells the story—
If you find the name "KAYSER" in the hem, you have the genuine,—the kind with tips that outwear the gloves.

SIMPLIFYING THE SEARCH FOR "SOMEBODY!"

THE MERCHANT knows that every article in his store is a bargain for SOMEBODY—for somebody who lives in his store-territory.

The real estate operator and agent konw that every piece of property on their lists is a "bargain" for SOMEONE—for someone who lives here, or hereabouts.

The landlord knows that his tenantless store, or office, or house, or apartment is exactly what SOMEBODY is looking for—somebody who MAY live actually in the neighborhood.

The householder, with a furnished room to rent, knows that to SOMEONE in town it would appeal as the prettiest "one-room home" possible to find.

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