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MAYR IGNORES HIS BABY BOY

LITTLE TOT, APPEARS IN DIVORCE COURT

MOTHER SHOWS GREAT AFFECTION FOR CHILD

Question of Finances Gone Into at Great Length—Husband Has Harsh Words for His Brother-in-Law

Humming a baby tune and with no realization of his surroundings or of the legal battle for separation being waged between his mother and the man who says he does not believe himself to be the child's father, Joseph Hardin Mayr, the little 3-year-old boy about whose paternity so much has been said in the divorce suit of Ann Etti Mayr against Walter A. Mayr of Chicago, made his first appearance in the superior court yesterday.

As the child appeared he was grasped in loving embraces by his mother, while Mayr glanced but once at the boy's face, arose from the long table where he has sat near his attorney throughout the lengthy proceedings, except for the time he has spent in the witness chair, and took a seat near the railing beside his sister, hidden from the eyes of wife and baby.

The Mayr baby was accompanied by a nurse and the two remained in the court room less than five minutes, the mother instructing the nurse to disregard the decorum of a court room, which he did not and would not understand.

Question of Expenses

The Mayr trial began yesterday with a further delving into the expenses of the household, the motony of which was relieved only by the fact that the figures were given in totals, rather than an itemized statement of Mrs. Mayr's alleged extravagancies. This part of the testimony, which is the absorbing question of Mayr's present financial worth was gone into, and after a great deal of sparring on the part of the witness, Mayr's net income, above all expenditures, for the five years previous to 1906 was \$6,341.41. To this was later added the money and notes, the latter of which have been paid, amounting to \$45,000, received as the result of the sale of the Chicago Curtain Stretcher company. This total of a little more than \$51,000 does not, however, represent the Chicago man's possessions, for he acknowledged there were still outstanding a number of promissory notes, the interest on which only was included in his statement.

As the divorce suit also includes a demand for a division of property, a Chicago attorney was yesterday called as a witness, to explain the laws of Illinois concerning the rights of a wife in regard to property, which, according to his testimony, appear to be greatly in favor of the husband.

While the members of Mrs. Mayr's family have already received some criticism at the hands of her husband, the latter yesterday took occasion to further discuss this source of trouble when he told of the theft of a pearl and diamond engagement ring given Mrs. Mayr before her marriage. The person who took this piece of jewelry, he said, was a person named D. McKiney, his wife's brother, whose demise he has said ere this would be a benefit to the world.

Ring Taken

"The ring was taken from Mrs. Mayr's bureau drawer," said Mayr, "and two days later I found it in a pawnshop. I caused her brother's arrest and he was confined in the East Chicago avenue police station forty-eight hours. I did not appear against him and the charge was dismissed.

"He is wanted now in Santa Barbara for embezzlement," continued Mayr as an afterthought. "He fled into Mexico on that account."

"And you had that published in a local paper, did you not?" asked Mrs. Mayr's attorney.

"This is a lie," Mr. Rogers, the witness, "I did not give that information out."

Mayr's examination closed at this point and a deposition was made by Dr. Schlosser, who attended Mrs. Mayr at the time of the child's birth, was read. The physician said he remembered little about the case at the time of making his deposition, but believed there were evidences of prematurity.

The trial will be resumed at 10 o'clock this morning.

SOLDIER OF FORTUNE IS CALLED BY DEATH

Emile Quarre, Pioneer Publisher, Miner and Prospector, Answers the Final Summons

A typical soldier of fortune and a pioneer of the coast passed to the beyond Sunday night when Emile Quarre died in his apartments at the Bellevue Terrace hotel. Newspaper miner and prospector, Emile Quarre had wandered far in pursuit of the golden fables and did not return without it.

Mr. Quarre came to Los Angeles in 1883 and opened the Diamond Palace jewelry store, opposite the Baker block on North Main street, then the center of the city. He later published La Progress, the leading French newspaper, but falling a victim to the Klondike fever, he went to Alaska. He met with success, struck it rich, and was twice elected mayor of Seattle, Washington, which he conducted until recently.

He is survived by a wife and three children. A brother is also living in the northern part of the state.

COWS BRUTALLY BLINDED, MISCREANT USING KNIFE

Nine Animals at Dairy Farm on San Fernando Road Made Victims of Fendish Act of Cruelty

One of the most cruel atrocities of which the degenerate mind can conceive has been brought to the attention of the Humane officers, who have been working for the past three weeks to apprehend the criminals. Nine cows at the dairy of Charles Giegerich, on the San Fernando road, have been brutally blinded, some in one eye and others in both. The cows evidently have been stabbed in the eye with a sharp knife.

H. J. Stillwell of the Humane society, who was put on the case, has watched the herd at night for several weeks, but has been unable to detect the culprits. Four of the cows are now totally blind and cannot be let out to graze. Four of Giegerich's dogs also were poisoned.

AUTO DRIVERS MUST BE TAGGED

POLICE DEPARTMENT READY TO BEGIN CRUSADE

ONLY OWNERS ARE EXEMPTED BY LAW

Chauffeurs Who Appear on Streets Without Proof That They Have Obtained Licenses Likely to Be Arrested

The law requiring every person who drives an automobile to wear a chauffeur's license tag, with the single exception of the owner of the machine, who is not required to take out a license, will be enforced in Los Angeles within a few days.

At present hardly one chauffeur in ten can be found wearing a license tag, and wholesale arrests probably will be made before the public becomes convinced that the authorities are in earnest in their determination to enforce this law.

Police Justice Frederickson yesterday said that sufficient warning should be given, but it is probable that the motorcycle squad will begin to make arrests early in the week.

The law requires that the owner of an automobile which is used for rental purposes cannot drive the car without a license. Only private machines are exempt. The penalty for the first offense is a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$100, and for the second violation a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500.

A registered chauffeur's license may be obtained from the secretary of state on payment of \$2.

The following were fined in Justice Frederickson's court yesterday for violations of the speed ordinance: W. B. Wheeler, \$30; W. Couvery, motorcycle, \$10; R. E. Brawley, \$10; C. L. Cook, motorcycle, \$10; G. B. Thompson, motorcycle, \$5. Frank Shields and H. R. Zars were fined \$1 each for having their mufflers open.

WOMAN CRUSHED BY AUTO MAY DIE

Mrs. Calvin Hoff, Who Was Injured When Throlley Struck Motor Car, May Not Recover

The condition of Mrs. Calvin M. Hoff of 785 Lincoln avenue, Pasadena, who is at the Cedars hospital with Mrs. Sarah Hoff, her daughter, and Mrs. McKibben, all of whom were injured in an automobile accident Sunday, is said to be critical. Mrs. Hoff, who is nearing 50, sustained a fracture of the pelvis, and with the nervous shock following the accident will, it is believed, have a hard struggle for recovery. It is possible she may recover unless complications set in, though Dr. W. W. Beckett, who is attending her, held out little promise of her complete restoration to health.

Miss Sarah Hoff passed a very easy night and is in a fair way to recover rapidly, while Mrs. R. C. McKibben of 227 W. Twenty-seventh street also is doing well.

CHARGED WITH SHOOTING AGED AND TOTTERING MAN

Complainant Declares He Was Assaulted Without Provocation While Leaving Hotel Under Orders from Proprietor

Mike Schlosser, aged 61, recently discharged from the county hospital, where he was treated for pneumonia, was badly beaten about the face and head at the Parker house, on East Fifth street, yesterday evening and was taken to the receiving hospital for treatment. W. M. Wilson, his assailant, is in the city jail, charged with disturbing the peace.

Schlosser's face is badly bruised and lacerated, and his eyes are discolored. He also is booked on a charge of disturbing the peace.

"I am acquainted with the proprietor of the Parker house," said the old man, "and I go over there almost every day. I sit around, read the papers and occasionally play a game of cards. I was going home and was passing the counter when Wilson, who was talking to the proprietor, pointed to me and, prefixing an 'I' to my name, said I was the man who was a friend of the fellow across the street. I did not know what was meant by the remark and looked inquiringly at the proprietor. He told me I had better leave the place. I was walking away when Wilson stepped up, struck me in the face and began to kick me. If an officer had not arrived I would have been badly injured, as I am weak and hardly able to walk."

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POSTMASTERS ALL EAGER TO VISIT LOS ANGELES

"Los Angeles will be greatly benefited by the selection of this city as the meeting place of the California presidential postmasters in May, 1909," said Postmaster Motley H. Flint yesterday.

"It will bring a good many from north of San Francisco who have never been here and have no conception of the growth of their state. Their visit will have an excellent effect in the matter of unifying state pride and lessening sectional feeling.

"The meeting, although only the second of the kind, will be largely attended. The postmasters wanted to come to Los Angeles and see how we are growing. We had strong opposition for the convention, but you may realize the interest felt respecting this city from the fact that every postmaster but two voted for coming here next year."

At the first annual meeting at San Francisco last Thursday Arthur Fisk, postmaster of Santa Francisco, was elected president, and Frank E. Ellis, postmaster of Stockton, secretary.

McKEE RANKIN PLACES ATTACHMENT ON THEATER

OAKLAND, Aug. 24.—An attachment was placed on Ye Liberty theater this afternoon by Sheriff Burnett for a claim of \$350 made by McKee Rankin as manager for Nance O'Neill, the tragedienne. Manager Harry Bishop disputes the claim, which is alleged to be for salary due Miss O'Neill.



Daniel Webster.

DESCENDED from a stern unbending race of Puritan Pioneers and Indian fighters, this colossal personality ("With eyes of power and Joe's own brow") was born in the village of Franklin, N. J., where his father kept a roadside tavern, and where his intellectual development began.

The principles of "Liberty and Union, now and forever, one and inseparable," so eloquently enunciated by him, in after years nerved the arm of Lincoln, flashed from the blades of Sheridan, and glinted from the bayonets of Grant

And some of his most memorable orations were delivered in taverns and at public banquets, where the delicious juices of the barley fields gurgled cool and invitingly from a thousand bottles; filled every bumper glass, and delighted his own palate; developing within him, force and energy, intellect, eloquence, mind and soul.

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POLITICS

REDUCE TARIFF, GRADY'S ADVICE

SENATOR FROM EAST POINTS WAY TO DEMOCRATS

Visitors Tell Democratic Club Banqueters That Bryan's Bank Guarantee Clause Will Stop Future Panics

Senator Grady of New York and Attorney William A. Bowles of Chicago spread a few ringing truths among the members of the Democratic club of Los Angeles yesterday when addressing them at a banquet at the club rooms.

The senator in his talk argued that the protective tariff more than anything else had brought about present-day conditions of unrest, because it narrowed the millions of capital of the country to the few.

"We realize now that we must improve the conditions for all rather than extend facilities to the few," he said.

"We must reduce the tariff to the point where it will produce merely the bare running expenses of the country, and the prohibitive impediments must be taken off altogether on most commodities.

Reviving Old Doctrine

"The good old Democratic doctrine is getting a fairer hearing today, twist and turn it as you please," he said.

"There is about it all the living truth that can be ascribed to any declaration—living and throbbing today because it asserts that no government has the right to collect one penny of a man's wealth except in so far as the money is needed for the economical requirements of that government.

"Because we hold to the life lines of the doctrine proved to be wisest and best we are told by our opponents that we are Bourbons who renege, learn to forget. It will be a sad day when the people, through the forces of unrest, remember what these monopolists want us to forget.

"The government's rights are as well defined as those of any individual. When the individual's rights are trampled on, when monopolists run riot with their greed, the day of reckoning merely draws nearer faster.

Down to Principles

"Until we get down to the basic principles and remove the tariff which enables billionaires to reap the harvests of the work of the masses there can be no relief.

"Such relief a vote for Bryan will bring about, a vote of all the men who know what is best for the country.

"In a country with eighty millions of population, our income is so great that the tariff 'for protection' is unnecessary. Any tax levied for such purpose is illegal and illegitimate, and we are reaping the fruits of our folly now.

"These conditions can and should be corrected in November at the ballot box."

Mayor Harper presided at the meeting, but being called away turned over the honor to Milton K. Young.

Besides the guests of honor the speakers were Judge D. K. Trask, Committeeman Hayes of Arizona, Isidore Dockweiler, Thomas E. Gibbon and Ona W. Morton.

PASADENA BRYAN-KERN CLUB IS ENTHUSIASTIC

Democrats of Crown City Urged to Be Active Workers for Success of Party This Fall

Special to The Herald.

PASADENA, Aug. 24.—An enthusiastic meeting of the Bryan-Kern club was held here tonight. Judge C. S. Harris spoke of the expulsion of the disloyal members of the Democracy from the county convention. He expressed his belief that it was a good thing for the Democracy of Southern California. He urged all members of the club to work actively for the success of the party.

At the meeting it was announced that a wigwam where meetings will be held is being prepared. The platform will accommodate eighty and seating capacity for 1500 will be arranged.

The secretary read a letter written to W. J. Bryan in which the club urges him to come to the coast this fall and help purge the state of Southern Pacific domination.

Albert M. Morton, secretary of the Democratic county central committee was invited to address the club at its meeting next week.

IN DIVORCE COURTS

An interlocutory decree of divorce was yesterday granted by the superior court to J. C. Neale from Louise G. Neale.

Divorce suits were filed yesterday by Ramon Reyes against Ella Alvarez Reyes and by E. Schelling against Mayme Schelling.

MANY LICENSES REVOKED

PITTSBURG, Aug. 24.—Following a sensational crusade by the Woman's Christian Temperance union and the police department against places which are charged with selling liquor to minors and young girls, Judge Frazier revoked the licenses of the Fulton, Heidelberg, Club, Crown and Schmidt's cafes, five of the largest places in Pittsburg.

SUPERVISORS' PATRONAGE SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION

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THIEVES DISPLAY INDUSTRY DURING NIGHT

Black Powder Used to Force Combination in Place at Eighth and Main Streets—Man Held Up

Robbers and safe-crackers displayed unusual industry Sunday night and early Monday morning, according to the reports received at police headquarters.

The safe owned by Lincoln & Son, who conduct the Aquarium saloon at Eighth and Main streets, was blown open and \$140 in currency and a \$10 check stolen. Entrance was effected through a rear window, which led into the pool room. From there it was easy for the safe-crackers to enter the saloon and start work on the safe, which was behind the bar.

Three holes were drilled and black powder was used. The explosion destroyed the combination and unlocked the safe. The robbery was discovered by F. J. Lincoln when he opened the saloon Monday morning.

Other robberies reported to the detective bureau are:

Peter Kelm, 682 Gladys avenue, room entered between hours of 2 and 5 a. m. and \$20 stolen from his clothing.

Paul Kressbach, 640 San Julian street, reported that his rooms were entered and his trousers carried out in the yard, where \$45 was taken from them.

W. W. Clark of 682 Gladys avenue lost a stick pin and some money.

The cigar stand belonging to A. M. Jackman of 111 East Second street was entered and the bill robbed of \$25.50.

O. E. Moore, 1202 West Seventh street, was knocked down on Sixth street, between Main and Los Angeles, and robbed of \$50, a bank book and a silver watch.

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