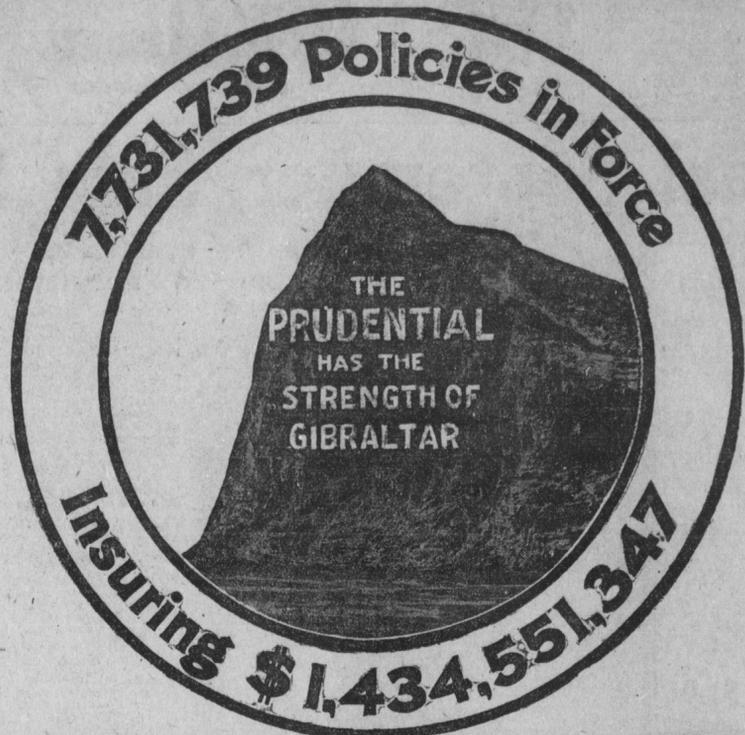


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SCHOOL WILL OPEN TOMORROW MORNING
BOTH GRAMMAR AND HIGHER TOPICS TO BE TAUGHT

Expected That Day Classes Will Appeal to Young Men Who Are Past the Usual School Age

In anticipation of an overflow from the public schools, the Young Men's Christian association has arranged to conduct a day school for grammar grade and high school students. The school will open tomorrow morning and will continue until July 1, 1910, with both forenoon and afternoon sessions. A beginning was made in high school work last season and the results have encouraged the association to include instruction in the upper grammar grades. The same textbooks will be used as in the public schools, and while the instruction will be mainly individual instead of in classes, the

courses will follow closely those of the public schools. During the past week the association has received numbers of applications for school and has arranged to offer manual training both to grade and high school students. The high school section will be in charge of H. L. Boyd and the grammar grades in charge of L. E. Edwards. Several additional instructors have been engaged. A feature of the school will be gymnastic training in the large association gymnasium. A special gymnasium class will be organized for students of the preparatory school and the commercial school which already is in session, and a number of teams probably will be organized to represent the school. It is expected that the day school will appeal not only to parents who wish their boys to have the advantage of the social and physical department privileges offered by the association, but to young men past the usual high school age who wish to prepare as rapidly as possible for entrance to some college or technical school. The large chemical and physical laboratories of the association will give opportunity for college preparatory work in the sciences. The educational committee is also planning a number of new evening courses and more than fifty courses in industrial, technical, commercial and language subjects will be offered in the fall term beginning September 27. If you want to go east, C. Havdick, Agt. Illinois Central R. R., 118 W. Sixth street. Don't simply allow it to die—that plan of yours. Find a little capital through advertising.

PENNSYLVANIANS MEET AT BEACH

MOST NOVEL PICNIC OF THE SEASON IS HELD
PRIZES, WITH TWO EXCEPTIONS, ALL GIVEN TO WOMEN

Former Residents of Keystone State Gather at Redondo in Annual Picnic—Pie Eating Contest Amusing

[Special to The Herald.] REDONDO BEACH, Sept. 11.—Former residents of the Keystone State to the number of 900 participated in the most novel outing of the season today. The events for which prizes were presented were a distinct departure from those of ordinary picnics, all events being for women entrants with the exception of two, the pie eating contest for boys and the age contest for men. From the first arrival in the morning to the close of the dance pavilion at night, every Pennsylvanian brought his contribution of enthusiasm and imparted some of it to his neighbor. The contests were watched by an interested crowd and developed some exciting finishes. The woman's potato race was won by Mrs. E. B. Davis, with Miss Angie Nolf second. The woman's egg race was an exhibition of dexterity and steady nerves, and was won by Mrs. E. B. Davis, with Mrs. G. M. Swain second.

Aged Women Race
The third event, a 50-yard race for women more than 50 years old, brought out some surprising bursts of speed from the dames, who entered into the spirit of the contest with all the enthusiasm of school girls. The race was won by Mrs. E. E. Knox of Lawrence county, who when asked her age answered: "Over 50." Mrs. C. W. Mills, formerly of Lancaster county, was second. The 50-yard race for girls under 20 was won by Edna McNeil, with Christine Tatton second.

Pie Eating Contest
The pie eating contest for boys was one of the laughable features of the outing. A table was placed in the center of the crowd and six sturdy descendants of Pennsylvanians attacked the pies, eating without touching their hands to the pies. With faces besmeared and straining every nerve to gobble their circles of pastry first, the ladies presented a ludicrous spectacle. George Benstead got away with his first, and was followed by Fred Mangold, who ran him a close second.

Prize Pies Tested by Judges
The pie baking contest, in which four tempting batches of pastry were entered, proved to be an agreeable feast for the judges—Sam Brown, C. D. Shields and W. S. Daubenspeck, all of Los Angeles. The three enthusiastic samplers of the housewife's combination of fruit and shortening lingered long over their task, casting longing glances at the remnants of the delicacies and groaning inwardly at their inability to encompass more.

After a final comparison of notes it was decided the apple creation of Miss Nellie McCree should be awarded the first prize, with the blackberry dainty of Mrs. C. W. Mills a close second. Mrs. S. Hindson carried off third money with a beautiful lemon pie, and Mrs. King Joslyn's apple pie was awarded fourth.

The prize for the oldest Pennsylvanian woman was awarded to Mrs. E. B. Goodrich, born in Erie county March 20, 1824, acquiring the age of 86 on her

last birthday. She is a recent arrival in Los Angeles, having come to the city in January of the present year.

Organized First W. C. T. U.
The second oldest woman present was Mrs. Jane N. Dawson. At present a resident of Redondo Beach, and a woman with considerable history. She was born in Brooklyn, Susquehanna county, and is 83 years of age. She, together with Miss McClellan Browne of Cincinnati, Jennie Willing of New York and Mrs. Huntington Miller of Columbus, were the organizers of the first W. C. T. U. movement, starting the crusade of 1873-4 at Chautauqua, New York, the initial meeting taking place in Mrs. Dawson's house. She is a lineage descendant of the earl of Tewkesbury, and claims relationship to several persons of that name in the United States.

Alexander Grey, 80 years old, born at Fayetteville, Franklin county, February 13, 1829, was the recipient of the prize for the oldest man present. He is also a long time resident of Los Angeles, having arrived in the Angel City twenty-seven years ago. Said he: "I have seen it grow from a good sized ranch to a crowded city."

Two disappointed youngsters of 75 and 78 respectively walked away from the contest with the remark, "Guess us kids had better go home and lock up, we don't stand any show for a prize here."

Exchange Reminiscences
C. H. Haskins of Crawford county, one of the founders of the Pennsylvania society, was present at the outing. Con Murphy of Germantown mixed reminiscences with Sam Brown of Allegheny county and M. A. Wisner of Cuerlville. G. R. Hunter of Clifton meditated over the sad sea waves and finally succumbed to their call, appearing a few minutes later arrayed in a bathing suit and making a desperate attempt at getting his feet wet.

T. A. Morrison of Warrensburg was prominent on the strand, as was O. S. Wenger of Lancaster. President E. E. Overholzer glowed around and exuded sunshine from beneath his gray locks.

W. S. Daubenspeck declares there was no "whitewash" in the pie decision.

PARK DEPARTMENT URGES DECENT SANITARY HOUSE

Declares That Present Conditions in Central Park Are a Disgrace to City of Los Angeles

The park department will urge the council Tuesday, to make an immediate appropriation to construct a commodious and sanitary comfort station at Central park.

A number of complaints have been made to the park department about the condition of comfort stations in this park and the park department itself calls it a shame and a disgrace that the most popular breathing spot in Los Angeles should be no better provided in this respect than is the case.

The council has promised appropriations for this purpose, but has been dilatory in setting aside the money required.

Wants More Fire Apparatus

More fire apparatus to equip the new engine houses that soon will be built is wanted by the fire department, and this department will ask the council Tuesday to advertise for bids. The apparatus wanted is a motor combination chemical and hose wagon for San Pedro and two combination chemical and hose wagons, one city service combination chemical and truck, a fourth size fire engine and 12,000 feet of 2½-inch hose.

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BROKER WILL BE RETURNED SOUTH

FRANK M. BARR ARRESTED IN OREGON
Alleged That Former San Diego Real Estate Operator Obtained Diamond Ring with Fraudulent Paper

Frank M. Barr, a former real estate broker of San Diego, who the police say left here December 31, 1908, leaving a number of valueless checks and numerous unpaid bills behind, was arrested at Ashland, Ore., on a warrant charging him with passing a worthless check for \$525 on Julius Wiesenberger, a South Broadway jeweler, in payment for a diamond ring.

The message announcing the arrest of Barr was received at the detective headquarters yesterday morning, and a detective will leave for the north as soon as the necessary requisition papers are obtained.

Barr came to California from Ohio about thirteen years ago and achieved considerable notoriety soon after his arrival by wedding Mrs. Madie Arnett Atkinson of Los Angeles in a tug off San Pedro. Later he went to San Diego and established a real estate business, making frequent trips to this city and living at the best hotels and associating with "good fellows."

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His last appearance here was prior to Christmas in 1908. He registered at a well known hotel, and after living in luxury for several weeks left December 31, leaving his hotel bill unpaid and numerous other unsettled accounts.

He is alleged to have purchased a diamond ring from Wiesenberger, tendering an alleged worthless check for \$525 in payment. According to the police, Barr went to El Paso, where he pawned the ring, and from there went to Mexico.

That was the last heard of him until his arrest in Oregon.

Broom Corn Expensive

ARCOLA, Wis., Sept. 11.—Two hundred dollars a ton for broom corn is now predicted by men in the trade. Today farmers have refused \$170 for broom corn in the field. The price last Tuesday was \$100. Buyers are frantic, while the farmers are standing pat.

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