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SPOUSE LAUGHS WHEN WIFE GETS DIVORCE

Local Hatter, After Being Put Out of Court Room, Seems Overjoyed at Verdict of Judge

"Everything is happy once again," sang Morris Cohen, hatter, 114 South Broadway, as he emerged from Judge Hervey's courtroom yesterday after Sadie Cohen, his wife, had been granted a decree of divorce.

Cohen contested the suit because a division of the property was involved, and several times his utter lack of respect for court dignity nearly resulted in the imposition of a fine or sentence to the county jail.

"Oh, what a lie" he exclaimed after one of his wife's statements from the witness stand, and "Oh, you liar!" he almost shouted in criticism of the remark of another witness. Cohen's accusations of untruthfulness became so frequent that Judge Hervey compelled him to leave the courtroom, and he remained outside until a few moments before the decree was granted, when he emerged, singing and laughing.

A decree was granted to Harriet Walker from Charles P. Walker.

The following suits were filed: Carrie Luke against Alexander Luke, Mabel A. Standard against Virgil C. Standard, Maggie Ella Moffatt against James Daniel Moffatt, Harry Foster Thayer against Annie Maria Thayer, Florence A. Mapel against Charles E. Mapel, Samuel Pearson against Winifred M. Pearson, George Pearson, jr., against Myrtle Pearson, Grace D. Beard against Pearl A. Beard and Gertrude S. Burdick against Matthew Burdick.

FLOODS DO MUCH DAMAGE TO PROPERTY IN FRANCE

Foundations of Subway in Paris Are Washed Out and Boulevard Bridge Is Menaced

PARIS, Jan. 21.—Immense damage is being done by the floods in east and central France. In this city the newly constructed subway has been flooded and in several places its foundation was washed out.

It is feared the boulevard St. Germain, beneath which the flooded subway extends, will give way. In some sections of the Latin quarter street railway traffic was suspended today.

Reports from points along their banks tell of much destruction wrought by the rivers Rhone, Seine, Ardeche and Gard. At many points the people have sought refuge in the hills.

MILLION DOLLAR BUILDING PLANNED

R. B. Young and Son Apply for Permit to Erect a Theater on South Broadway to Cost $200,000

James Moses, owner of the Broadway Department store building, has about decided to erect a fourteen-story store and office building to cost $1,000,000, on the northeast corner of Main and Seventh streets, just below the Pacific Electric and Central buildings. The lot has frontage of 170 feet on Main street and 150 feet on Seventh.

The building will be a modern steel frame structure. Present leases on buildings on the lot will not expire until late in the fall, when it is expected Mr. Moses and his associates will get busy.

Many important interests are clustered around the Pacific Electric building section and demand is growing for enlarged office accommodations as well as additional store space of the better class.

Architects R. B. Young & Son made formal application last evening for a permit to erect the Harry Chandler theater building at 526 South Broadway. The estimate cost of the improvement is $200,000.

SOLON READY TO RETIRE IN FAVOR OF ROOSEVELT

Representative of Oyster Bay District Admits He Has Talked Question Over With Former President

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Confirming the story of his readiness to retire from congress in favor of Theodore Roosevelt, Representative Cocks of New York, who represents the Oyster Bay district, where the Roosevelt home is located, added today that he had informally talked the question over with Mr. Roosevelt.

"The talk was entirely informal," said Mr. Cocks, "and the president's expressions were given in a tentative way. Incidentally the fact that John Quincy Adams had occupied a seat in congress subsequent to his presidential term was brought up."

MARY ADELE CASE WEDS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Mary Adele Case, the young singer whose engagement to Claus Spreckels and their subsequent separation by parental opposition, was given much prominence last summer, is a bride. She was married in this city last night to Willard M. Beam, a nephew of former Secretary of the Navy Metcalf.

BISHOP FAVORS CONSOLIDATION

RT. REV. THOMAS J. CONATY IS FOR ANNEXATION

BELIEVES HOLLYWOOD SHOULD BE IN GREATER CITY

Noted Churchman Sees Mutual Advantages If Merger of Two Communities Is Effected

Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Conaty of the diocese of Monterey and Los Angeles is enthusiastic over the prospects of the consolidation of Hollywood with Los Angeles at the election to be held Monday.

On coming to Los Angeles seven years ago to assume the head of one of the largest dioceses in the United States, Bishop Conaty became a "booster" for Los Angeles. He has spread the work of the church to all parts of the city, increasing the number of parishes from six to sixteen, aside from the chapel on the site of the proposed new cathedral, which he says shows his confidence in the city better than words could express.

"It will be a splendid thing both for Los Angeles and for Hollywood when the latter is a part of the city," said the bishop in speaking of the proposed annexation. "Los Angeles has had a wonderful growth and Hollywood is a splendid suburb. It will be good for both cities to be merged."

The bishop said that one of the strongest proofs of his belief in the future of Hollywood is the College of the Immaculate Heart, a college for girls conducted by the Sisters of the Immaculate Heart, which three years ago erected a large college building costing nearly $200,000.

Many residents of Hollywood are members of the Catholic church, and the clergymen of that denomination have taken a lively interest in bringing Hollywood into the city. In this movement Bishop Conaty has concurred heartily, although, according to his usual custom, he has taken no active steps in political issues, simply lending his influence to the issue which he firmly believes will be a great benefit alike to Los Angeles and Hollywood.

NOTARY ARRESTED FOR FALSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Transfer of Stock in Collins Wireless Telephone Company at Bottom of the Trouble

J. M. Graybill, a notary public and a member of the firm of Haldeman & Co., investments, 1013-14 Union Trust building, was arrested last night at his home at 419 Lucas avenue and booked at the central police station on a misdemeanor charge of falsely acknowledging a transfer of stock.

According to the complaint, which was issued by Deputy District Attorney Paul J. McCormick yesterday, Graybill is alleged to have been assigned twenty-five shares of stock in the Collins Wireless Telephone company by Miss Matilde Brerly. Later, it is asserted, Graybill found a purchaser for the stock, which was worth $6 a share, and acknowledged an execution of assignment without Miss Brerly being aware of the transaction.

Under the law, a notary public is supposed to issue a certificate of assignment only in the presence of the assignor. The arrest of Graybill resulted because of his alleged failure to comply with the letter of the law in this respect.

INDEPENDENTS' AGENCIES WILL BAR NON-MEMBERS

Kern County and Coalinga Oil Associations Place Time Limit for Membership

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 21.—At the meeting of the members of the Kern county and Coalinga independent oil agencies, held here today, a resolution was introduced to close the door on non-members of the association.

The resolution declares it to be the sense of the members of the Kern River and Coalinga oil producing agencies that no company or individual now producing oil in the state of California be admitted to membership in either of the agencies unless such application for membership be filed on or before March 1, 1910.

Sentiment appeared to favor such action.

PLEDGE AID TO AMERICAN HELD IN MEXICAN PRISON

Eleven Prominent United States Senators Promise to Try to Get Trial for Imprisoned Conductor

GUADALAJARA, Mex., Jan. 21.—Replies have been received here by the railway conductors of the Guadalajara division from Senators Curtis, Elkins, Flint, Perkins, Borah, Scott, Owen, Lodge, Dixon, Warren and Guggenheim, promising their support in the endeavor to get a trial for Conductor Cook, the American now confined in jail here. Judge Palafox, who is in charge of the case, declares that much delay has been occasioned through the failure of General Manager Clark of the National railways to answer letters.

LIVESTOCK MEN TO CONFER

SAN FRANCICO, Jan. 21.—The California Live Stock Breeders' association has called a conference of all interested in live stock breeding to be held in this city January 24 and 25. There will be a banquet on the 24th. Stockmen from all over the state are expected.

PRELATE WHO FAVORS UNION OF CITIES

BISHOP CONATY

FIVE HURLED TO PIT IN ELEVATOR

TWO MAY DIE AS RESULT OF ALAMEDA ST. ACCIDENT

EMPLOYERS ARE INVESTIGATING CAUSE OF DISASTER

Most Seriously Injured Are John McComb, Well Known Athlete, and William E. Rall

Five employes of the Hughes Manufacturing and Lumber company, 1430 Alameda street, were hurled into the dark pit of an elevator shaft shortly after the morning whistle calling them to work had blown yesterday, when an elevator upon which they had started to descend from the second story fell with a crash to the basement. The men were pushed and pummeled about in their fall by two trucks loaded with doors and window frames which were on the elevator with them. As a result two may die.

The Injured

John McComb, 1420 West Twenty-third street, foreman; possible basal fracture of skull, right knee crushed; believed to be dying; at California hospital.

William E. Rall, foreman, 1427 East Sixty-ninth street, right arm fractured, dislocated shoulder, back wrenched and possibly fractured, severe cuts and bruises about the head and body; condition serious; at California hospital.

Jacob Golish, 1721 East Newland street, both ankles broken, lacerations and bruises about the head and body; condition serious; at Crocker street hospital.

F. G. Wiley, broken left foot, bruised about body; at Crocker street hospital.

E. A. Case, back and arm wrenched, badly bruised about head and body; taken to Crocker street hospital.

No Cause Discovered

The accident cannot be accounted for by either the proprietors or the employes of the lumber company. According to C. E. Perkins, secretary of the company, no trouble had been experienced with the elevator before, and yesterday morning it was in perfect running order. The fact that two of the passengers were foremen of the concern and that many of the employes in the mill were under their jurisdiction has given rise to a question as to whether the elevator cable had been tampered with before it made its fatal trip. An investigation is being made.

Immediately after the accident employes of the company rushed into the basement and with great difficulty extricated the injured men from the wreckage and carried them to the first floor. Intense excitement was created in the vicinity, as the crash of the elevator striking the basement floor was plainly heard for blocks around. Persons living near the mills and pedestrians passing by crowded about the shaft, hindering for a time the work of rescue.

Dr. J. L. Jones of the Los Angeles hospital was summoned immediately and cared for the injured men until they were removed to the hospitals.

It is feared that McComb, who is well known in athletic circles, will die, the attendants at the California hospital stating that he is suffering from a basal fracture of the skull.

Rall, who is an aged man and who is suffering from a possible fracture of the backbone as well as a broken arm and dislocated shoulder, is thought to have little chance for recovery.

CANADIAN IMMIGRATION WILL BE AMENDED

Undesirables from Uncle Sam's Domain Are to Be Excluded from Entrance Into Dominion

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 21.—Radical legislation for the suppression of the black hand, Chinese highbinders and similar organizations is contained in the new immigration bill. A most sweeping clause provides that any person who is, or who, by common repute, is thought to be a member of any criminal organization for the extortion of money may be deported. This new law is designed particularly to prevent entrance of undesirables from the large alien population of the United States.

JANE ADDAMS RECOVERING

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Miss Jane Addams, who had been at the Augustana hospital recovering from an operation, left that institution yesterday. It was said there was nothing in Miss Addams' condition that need occasion worry.

STONE SAYS HE KNOWS SLAYER

MOTORMAN SO TESTIFIES IN MURDER HEARING

STATEMENT FOLLOWED FINDING BODY OF SHIVELY

Man and Wife Have Preliminary Examination on Charge of Being Implicated in San Gabriel Crime

George A. Stone and his wife, Clara Stone, both charged with the murder of Morgan Shively, a Pacific Electric conductor, on January 2, sat stolid and unmoved through their preliminary examination, which was begun yesterday before Justice William M. Northrup in the Alhambra court room in East San Gabriel.

The defendants as they sat beside their counsel, Jud Rush and Le Compte Davis, seemed to have no interest in the proceedings and remained indifferent as the facts of the case were being reviewed by the witnesses. Only when Donaldson stated that after finding the body of Shively, Stone declared, "I know who killed him," did the defendants appear to take notice of what was going on before them. At this point Stone sat upright in his chair with his arms folded and with a staring look tried to catch the eye of the witness.

Many Curious Present

The small courtroom was crowded to overflowing with curious long before court was called to order. The doors and windows were lined with persons and every available space which offered standing room was occupied.

The first witness was Alfred R. Street, deputy county surveyor, who identified a drawing of the interior floor plan of the house which he made at the request of S. L. Browne, chief detective of the district attorney's office.

Dr. A. D. S. McCoy, autopsy surgeon of Pasadena, described the wounds on Shively's body and testified that the one which severed the artery in the left arm was the only one which was sufficient to cause death. He stated that the man's bleeding to death within from twenty to thirty minutes after its infliction resulted from this wound. He also testified that there were wounds in the palm of the hand, which indicated that they had been caused by grabbing the blade of some sharp instrument and the instrument having been pulled away from his hand as he grabbed it. Pictures of the wounds on the arm were introduced as evidence. Upon the completion of re-cross examination adjournment was had for noon.

Motorman Testifies

At the opening of the afternoon session the first witness to be called was Fred R. Donaldson, Alhambra, who was the motorman on Shively's car, and who had known the defendants for the past five months. The questions put to Donaldson by Joseph Ford, deputy district attorney, were confined chiefly to details regarding the relations between Mr. and Mrs. Stone and Shively and the facts and circumstances which happened the night before the murder was committed; also the time at which he and Shively left their car after getting through with work on the night of the murder, and from the time they left their car to go home until the body of Shively was found.

Donaldson said that he and Shively parted at the entrance of the Stone residence about 2:15 a. m. and that there were two lights burning in the house, which was always the case, as they left the lights lighted for Shively.

"About 4:45 o'clock in the morning I was awakened at my house by Mr. and Mrs. Stone, who came to my house and informed me of the tragedy. Stone kept repeating, 'They got Morgan,'" testified Donaldson.

Cry for Help Heard

"Stone said he heard a cry for help in the kitchen of his house and that he rushed down stairs, but that Shively was gone and that the kitchen was in disorder. The windows and the lamps were broken and the tables and chairs overturned, and it appeared that there had been a struggle. The floor was covered with blood and the sink, which had been torn off the wall, was partly filled with blood.

"Stone said that Shively must be found or he would freeze to death, as he was clad only in his night clothes, and it was raining at the time. Stone and I went back to his house to search for Shively, while Mrs. Stone remained with my wife. We first went into the kitchen and then started to hunt for Shively in the shed at the rear of the house and all around in the neighborhood. At dawn several of the neighbors had been summoned, and the search was continued until it was found in Broadway street, near Eighth street, about 1800 feet from the Stone house. At the time of the finding of the body I was within a couple of hundred feet from the place where the body was found and saw Stone coming up the wash toward me. We heard the cries of those who had found the body and hurried to the place where it was lying. Stone did not go up and look at the body, but asked, 'Is he dead?' Upon saying this he turned around and started back to the house."

Dining Room Described

Donaldson was examined very closely as to the position of the table in the dining room of the Stone house and also as to the mirror, lamp, traveling bag and wash basin which had been thrown out the window.

He also testified that after returning to Stone's house after finding Shively's body Stone told him that he had fired a shot from the dining room towards the rear porch, thinking that by doing so he would scare away any one who happened to be in the kitchen. District Attorney Ford examined the witness very carefully and thoroughly as to the revolver and rifle found in Stone's possession.

The court after finishing the examination of Donaldson adjourned until Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock. It is thought that the examination will last for two or three days, as there are quite a number of witnesses yet to be questioned.

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TRAFFIC BLOCKED BY CLUB MEMBERS

Mock Suffragettes from Gamut Play Parade Down Town Streets. Auto in Parade Comes to Grief

Spring street at its busiest hour yesterday was startled by the apparition of a suffragette uprising. A broken-down auto, blocking the Third street crossing, and a little group of woe-begone but determined individuals in skirts lent color to the idea that a projected raid on the city hall had been intercepted by the diligence of the police.

They were sham suffragettes—members of the cast of "Angel Town," the breezy Gamut club satire on municipal politics, now running at the club theater on South Hope street. A part of the theme of "Angel Town" concerns an imagined surrender of civic authority to the leader in a local crusade for votes for women. To impress this fact on the general pedestrian public, members of the club dressed up in skirts yesterday and proceeded to parade the downtown streets in autos, to the equal defiance of propriety, police and autoists' luck. The latter factor promptly showed its face at the corner of Spring and Third. Something went wrong with one of the automobiles, and a halt was occasioned.

While crowds gathered to peer into the faces of the timidly shrinking and much beflounced women, the chauffeur tried to locate the trouble. After half an hour's struggle, the machine was righted and the parade proceeded merrily on its way.

"Angel Town" will have its last production tonight. Mayor Alexander was an amused spectator of Charles Farwell Edson's burlesque on his official personality Thursday night. When it was all over, the mayor greeted a man somewhat resembling Mr. Edson at the door in appreciative compliment of the travesty. The capital jest of the week's performance was then disclosed. The player complimented was A. W. Francisco, who burlesques M. Edson in the show.

CALIFORNIA SCHOOLS ARE BEST IN UNITED STATES

Professor of State University Declares Teachers in Golden State Excel All Others in Efficiency

BERKELEY, Jan. 21.—Prof. W. S. Thomas, assistant professor of education, University of California, delivered the introdutory lecture to the public school teachers and a number of students of the university in California hall yesterday afternoon.

Prof. Thomas' comparisons between the schools of California and other states of the Union showed California to be far in advance of the others, even Massachusetts, where intellect is placed on an apparently higher plane than anywhere else in the United States.

Prof. Thomas said the criterion of the high school was efficiency, and that in this respect California was ahead of all other states, adding that 95 per cent of high school teachers in this state were college-trained, while in Massachusetts the average of college-trained teachers was about 70 per cent.

FATHER FORGIVES ELOPING DAUGHTER

Local Police Receive No Further Instructions Regarding Robert E. Caldwell, Wanted in Bay City

The Los Angeles police have received no further instructions from San Francisco regarding the disposition of Robert E. Caldwell, civil engineer and former wholesale merchant of Mendocino county, who was arrested Thursday night in his luxurious apartments at the Lankershim hotel on charges of desertion and elopement with pretty Hazel Woodward, the 18-year-old daughter of a prominent Fort Bragg dairyman, preferred from San Francisco. Caldwell is also accused of passing "bad paper" in the northern city, and now occupies a cell in the city jail.

J. A. Woodward, father of the girl with whom Caldwell eloped, arrived in Los Angeles from Mendocino yesterday to take his daughter hime. The girl weepingly implored his pardon and appears repentant. She stated Caldwell had given her to understand he was separated from his wife legally and that they would be married. Her father is very bitter against the man and claims he had undue influence over his daughter.

ROOSEVELT KILLS FIVE RARE WHITE RHINOCERI

Former President and Party to Leave February 3 for Trip Into Province of the Nile

WADELAI, Belgian Congo, thirty miles north of Lake Albert, Jan. 21.—A native runner has arrived here from Rhino camp, headquarters of the Roosevelt party, bringing news that Colonel Roosevelt has killed three good bulls and two cows of the rare white rhinoceros family, besides considerable lesser game. Quentin Grogan, who was reported ill earlier, has recovered, and the others of the party are in excellent health.

The expedition will leave for Nimule February 3. Nimule is to the north, in the province of the Nile, and will be reached by boats up the river Bar-el-Jebel. The party had an interesting experience on their second day at Rhino camp. A grass fire accidentally started threatened to burn up the whole outfit, which was saved only by the energetic work of all hands.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—A wireless message from the Hamburg-American liner President Lincoln, which will reach New York tomorrow, says the ship is bringing an unusual cargo of animals. The list includes two Roosevelt wart hogs that the former president is sending home, six llamas, eight zebras, six elephants, eight camels, six jaguars and 5000 birds.

REPAIRING OLD MISSION

SONOMA, Cal., Jan. 21.—The historic old Mission San Francisco de Solano is being repaired to prevent its falling into the utter ruin threatened by damage from the winter rains. The old Eldorado hotel is being torn down, and the adobe bricks have been donated to the work of restoring the mission.