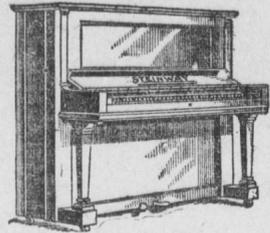


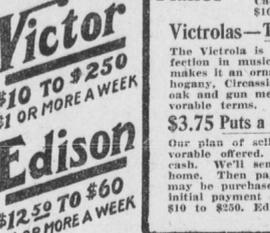
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THE CITY

Strangers are invited to visit the exhibits of California products at the Chamber of Commerce building.

The Herald will pay \$10 in cash to any one furnishing evidence that will lead to the conviction of any person caught stealing copies of The Herald from the premises of our patrons.

Membership in the Los Angeles Realty board is a virtual guarantee of reliability.

The Legal Aid society, at 222 North Main street, is a charitable organization maintained for the purpose of aiding in legal matters those unable to employ counsel.

The Herald, like every other newspaper, is misrepresented as a "yellow" paper.

Big Stockraiser Here... Thomas Costello, formerly of Macon county, Illinois, now a large land owner and stock dealer in northern Idaho.

Pennington to Meet... A regular meeting of the Pennington society will be held tonight at the Fraternal Brotherhood hall.

Will Hold Public Installation... A public installation of officers of the Los Angeles Live No. 1, Ladies of the Macabees will be held Thursday evening at the Labor temple.

Arrested for Theft... While trying to sell a valuable photo lens, Erhardt Hartig was arrested yesterday by Detectives Carroll and Ingram.

Foot Accidentally Cut... F. C. Beutel, president of the Los Angeles land syndicate, met with a painful accident Sunday.

News of the Courts

HUSBAND DENIES HER HIS SOCIETY

WIFE OF U. S. COMMISSIONER SEEKS DIVORCE

Mrs. E. H. Owen Declares Spouse Blamed Her for Personal Encounters He Had with Son, Wants Monthly Alimony

Disensions leading to an absolute disruption in the family of Edward H. Owen, commissioner of the United States district court, were revealed in a suit filed in the superior court yesterday by the commissioner's wife, Cecelia W. Owen.

Wife Says Money Denied Her... In an allegation with reference to money matters, Mrs. Owen says she asked her husband for \$500 in the spring of 1909.

Will Hold Abstinence Rally... In the interest of total abstinence, meetings will be held every night for a month in a hall to be rented by the Francis Murphy Gospel Temperance association.

Prisoners Chinese Dies... Wong Tong, 72 years old, who came to this country over fifty years ago, died early yesterday morning at 218 Ferguson alley.

Will Talk About Colds... "How to Avoid Catching a Cold and How to Get Rid of the One You Have" will be the subject of a talk which will be given this morning at 10 o'clock by Physical Director Warman.

Kansas Men to Hold Picnic... Members of the Kansas society of Southern California, at headquarters in this city, will join hands with the Long Beach Kansas society next Saturday and hold a picnic on the shore at Long Beach.

Custom Cutters Banquet... The second annual banquet of the Los Angeles Custom Cutters' association was held last night at Levy's cafe.

General Headquarters Needed... In order to plan for the securing of general offices and the opening of an information bureau in this city, representatives of all state and Canadian societies are asked to attend a meeting of the Federation of State Societies to be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the offices of former Judge Waldock.

Billiard Hall Owner Surrenders His Permit... The honesty of L. J. Holland lost him a permit to operate a billiard hall at 510 West Third street.

Claims He Cannot Prevent Gambling and, to Be Honest, Decides to Quit Business... The honesty of L. J. Holland lost him a permit to operate a billiard hall at 510 West Third street.

Released Under Peace Bond... Justice Summerfield yesterday released Pete Antonovich on peace bonds of \$200 after a preliminary examination on a charge of threatening to kill N. H. McLean, a Vernon hog raiser.

CHARGED WITH CONTEMPT IN LAND FRAUD CASES

Municipal Affairs

CITY FORESTER TO BE REMOVED

Recommendation to Be Made to Council for Abolishing Bureau Over Which Brother of Former Mayor Harper Presides... It is probable the park commission will recommend to the council the position of city forester be abolished and the department of forestry put under the control of the park department.

TRIAL OF LAND FRAUD CASES IS CONTINUED

Three Men Charged with Defrauding Government in Imperial Valley Will Be Arraigned Monday... Arraignments of Paul McPherrin, Rome T. Perry and Hiram W. Blaisdell, who were arrested Saturday on grand jury indictments charging with defrauding the United States government of public lands in Imperial valley, were continued yesterday until Monday by Judge Wellborn in the United States court.

WOMAN MARRIED TOO SOON ASKS ANNULMENT... Mrs. Courtney Says She Believed Was No Obstacle in Way of Second Wedding... Carrette Courtney believed there was no legal obstacle to another marriage when she was given an interdictory decree of divorce from Fletcher W. Courtney May 13, 1909.

WANTS TO ADMINISTER ESTATE... A petition was filed in the probate court yesterday for the appointment of Walter Temple as administrator of the estate of his mother, Mrs. A. M. W. de Temple, who died January 24, 1909.

OBJECT TO FREIGHT CARS... The city of Hollywood, through its attorney, applied yesterday to the superior court for an injunction to prevent the Los Angeles Pacific company from operating freight cars on its Hollywood boulevard line in violation of the franchise granted to Philo J. Beveridge by the county board of supervisors in May, 1908.

SUES LONG BEACH NOTARY... Damages of \$4500 are demanded by Nellie Messinger in a suit filed in the superior court yesterday against W. M. Niebel, a notary of Long Beach.

HEAVY DAMAGES SUED FOR BY WATER FILTER MAN... L. Dwight Satterlee Says Others Injured Him by Spreading Stories... The sum of \$45,000 is demanded in a suit filed in the superior court yesterday by L. Dwight Satterlee against W. W. Wigginton, A. B. Allen, Morris Cytron and E. A. Berreson on account of alleged injury to Satterlee's reputation and his business.

McDONALD APPEARS IN COURT... E. A. McDonald, a broker doing business in the Bradbury building, appeared voluntarily in Justice Ling's court yesterday to answer to a charge of obtaining \$1000 from Mrs. L. C. Farle, a wealthy widow, by false representations.

TWO SUMMONED BY COURT... Thomas Perry Faulconer and Frank Woodbeck for the third time within a week failed yesterday to respond when their names were called to answer to felony charges in Judge Willis' court.

BROWN'S TRIAL DELAYED... Owing to the illness of Attorney A. A. Sturges, the trial of Harry D. Brown charged with passing a fictitious check, was continued by Judge Willis yesterday until February 9.

HEANEY-LEVY TRIAL SET... The trials of Thomas C. Heaney and Bernard M. Levy, both charged with impersonating army officers, were set for February 25 yesterday by Judge Wellborn in the United States district court.

LOAN OFFICE INCORPORATED... The Reliable Loan office, with a capital stock of \$100,000, filed articles of incorporation in the county clerk's office yesterday.

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Such suitings as the following will be among the most in favor this spring. Our showings are even earlier than usual, and materials, colors, etc., will be found absolutely authentic.

Suits to Measure \$45.00... The clearance which serves our purpose of selling off short lengths and single patterns of stylish suitings also serves to bring to you splendid tailored-to-measure suits at very small prices.

Satisfactory Gown Linings... Dressmakers and others interested in spring gown making will appreciate the completeness of different linings and the full color range to be had in this section.

Fourth Week of the January Muslinwear Sale... The January Undermuslin Sale swings into its fourth successful week with stocks practically as complete as when the doors opened the first day.

WIFE VICTORIOUS IN DIVORCE SUIT... Former Lieutenant Governor of Louisiana Unable to Successfully Defend Charge of Desertion Preferred by Spouse... A divorce suit against William H. Maybin, former lieutenant governor of Louisiana and prominent in social and financial circles in that state, was decided yesterday in the superior court in favor of the defendant's wife.

PHYSICIANS ASK COUNCIL TO AMEND SPEED LAWS... Doctors Desire to Be Permitted to Exceed Limit When Emergency Calls... About 150 physicians filed a petition yesterday asking the city council to amend the ordinance which prohibits emergency calls on ambulances on emergency calls can exceed the speed limit without danger of arrest.

LUMMER FOUND GUILTY OF SECOND DEGREE MURDER... Jury Deliberates Three Hours Before Returning Verdict Against Arcadia Rancher... Fred Lummer, charged with the killing of John Perry, colored, was found guilty of murder in the second degree in Judge Davis' court yesterday.

ARCHITECTURAL EXHIBIT STARTS SECOND WEEK... Display of Mural Decorations, Shown on Coast for First Time, Greatly Admired... The second week of the exhibition which is being given by the Los Angeles Architectural club in the Hamburger building under the auspices of the Architectural league of the Pacific coast was begun yesterday with the largest attendance since the opening.

GARBAGE CONTRACTOR IS AGAIN GIVEN EXTENSION... Inability to Secure Wagons is Reason Assigned for Delay in Doing Work... Difficulties encountered by C. A. Alexander in securing his wagons and arranging transportation in order to carry out his garbage contract with the city have made it necessary for the contractor to extend the time for entering into the contract until March 1.

MATHIE'S MALT TONIC... THE FOOD DRINK ONE DOZEN BOTTLES DELIVERED FREE... THE MATHIE BREWING CO. LOS ANGELES

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