

GIRL LOCATED AS FIGUEROA WITNESS

Clara Dearing, Once Engaged to Santa Monica Murder Suspect, Is Found

TRIED TO EVADE NOTORIETY

Says She Will Testify for People at Trial of the Alleged Wife Slayer

Clara Dearing, the young woman who mysteriously disappeared from her home, 2016 Bellevue avenue, last Sunday afternoon, was located at Venice yesterday afternoon and on being notified Chief Browne of the district attorney's office immediately sent a woman detective after the girl and she was brought to Los Angeles.

On being notified that her daughter had been located her mother rushed into the chief's office and fondly embraced her erring child.

With a cry of "Mamma, mamma," Clara rushed into her arms, and as they sobbed out their joy on each other's shoulders the chief quietly opened the door and tiptoed out of the room.

When Clara Dearing disappeared it was believed that people interested in Figueroa's defense had added her in leaving home, but the girl's statement yesterday brought to light the fact that she was persuaded by her friends or relatives had persuaded her to get under cover. It is likely that she will be called on to testify in behalf of the prosecution when Figueroa is brought to trial.

When questioned by Chief Browne, Miss Dearing sobbingly admitted that she left home to evade notoriety, fearing that she would be drawn into the Figueroa murder trial. The girl was engaged to George E. Figueroa on March 15, 1910, but a few days previous to that day the engagement was broken. On April 28 Figueroa married Sarah Pugsley and when her dead body was found in their residence four days after the performance of the ceremony the officers arrested Figueroa and charged him with having murdered her.

HERALD GIVES CLEW

A member of the Ocean Park police force was notified of the girl's disappearance and after reading a complete description of her in The Herald yesterday morning he recognized the missing girl in a lunch room at Venice and early the next morning Monday she was brought to Los Angeles. To Chief Browne she stated that on leaving her home Sunday afternoon she came down a home Sunday afternoon she came down about 8 o'clock she went to the house of a woman friend three blocks from her home and remained there until about 11 o'clock Monday she went to Ocean Park and registered at the Windward hotel under the name of Annette Wiltchely. To defray her expenses she had taken money from a woman at Ocean Park.

When she left home she had \$10, although her mother was under the impression that she had only 50 cents. Clara informed Chief Browne that she had secured two \$5 gold pieces. She stated that while engaged to Figueroa she saved \$10 but had lost the money to him on his promising to repay her.

During the fore part of May when Figueroa's preliminary examination was set, Miss Dearing left home and remained away two days, returning voluntarily on running short of funds. At that time the police were notified, but could not locate her.

MADE LOVE TO HER

Ocean Park seems to have played an important part in Clara Dearing's and Figueroa's life during the past six months. During the Christmas season she met Figueroa at Ocean Park and while they strolled along the beach there he made love to her. It was on one of their trips to Ocean Park that they had their first quarrel. Shortly afterward Figueroa was married to Miss Sarah Pugsley and passed part of his honeymoon in Ocean Park. He and his bride took their residence there and he is now in jail charged with having murdered her.

Chief Browne pointed out to the girl the mistake she made by not listening attentively and after the officer had finished, she tearfully promised to follow his advice by remaining with her mother.

Miss Dearing's old friends at Venice that she could not get along with her family. She said she would be willing to testify at the trial of George Figueroa on the charge of murdering his young wife, if her people would let her alone.

"I was not disappointed when George Figueroa married Miss Pugsley," said Miss Dearing. "We quarreled some time before he married her and now I am very glad I didn't marry him."

CLINTON HEATH, DENVER BANKER, AGAIN IN TOILS

Former Friend of Capitalist Charges Breach of Trust

DENVER, June 10.—Information charging him with having appropriated to his own use \$2750 entrusted to him for investment was filed in the district court here yesterday against Clinton O. Heath, banker and financier. Heath attained notoriety two years ago when he was found guilty in the district court here of having embezzled \$30,000 entrusted to him for investment by Mrs. Mary H. Husted of New York. Heath fled from Denver, but was arrested at Los Angeles three months later. Following his conviction friends came to his rescue and the matter was patched up by the payment of \$20,000 to Mrs. Husted. Heath re-entered business here, and to some extent regained his former business standing.

The charges now brought against him are on the complaint of Joshua Monti, a wealthy retired cottonman, who is one of those who stood by Heath on the occasion of his former trouble.

THREATEN HARDWOOD FAMINE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 10.—A hardwood famine as the result of the reckless waste of timber by lumbermen in the United States is predicted in the report of I. H. Stinson of Indiana, submitted to the National Hardwood Lumber association in session here. His report suggests reforestation and extension from taxation of holding of standing hardwood timber as remedies. The report has not been acted on.

ARROWHEAD HOT SPRINGS

See the new world wonder, El Penyal Hot Springs, temperature 202.2 degrees. Hot mineral water, natural stream and hot mud baths. Outdoor swimming pool, no fog.

Clara Dearing, Missing Girl Found Yesterday, Seated Between Chief Detective Browne and Woman Deputy



LEFT TO RIGHT—CHIEF COUNTY DETECTIVE BROWNE, CLARA DEARING, AND WOMAN DETECTIVE

MISSOURIANS TO ATTEND THE FEDERATION BANQUET

More Than Hundred Members at First Regular Meeting

The first regular meeting of the Missouri society since its organization two months ago was held last night in Society hall, 327 1/2, South Hill street. More than a hundred members attended the meeting. It was reported that at the next meeting of the society the membership roll would be increased by 400. Two hundred Missourians from Johnson county in that state have applied for membership in a body.

Plans were formulated last evening for the attendance of the society at the Federation of States' banquet to be held at Hamburger's on June 17 commemorative of the battle of Bunker Hill. The Missouri society will have a table at this gathering.

A humorous discussion as to the origin of the term "show me!" as used in connection with Missourians took up the greater part of the evening, but up to a late hour no solution of the problem had been reached.

The officers of the society are A. J. Harshberger, president; Truman P. Dwyer, vice president; Luther T. James, secretary, and J. E. Berry, treasurer, the latter being unanimously elected to fill that office at last night's meeting.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT THE SINAI SYNAGOGUE

Jewish Pentecost to Be Observed by Congregation

Services will be held in the Sinai synagogue tomorrow evening and Monday and Tuesday morning to celebrate the Jewish Pentecost or Feast of Weeks commemorating the giving of the Ten Commandments on Mt. Sinai. A confirmation service will be conducted by Rabbi Isidore Myers tomorrow evening at 7:30 p. m. who will deliver an address on "They That Go Down in Ships Upon the Sea." The festival service will be chanted by Cantor M. A. Alter. The following are the names of those who will be confirmed: Sadie Brandman, Manuel Cherman, Ethel Cohen, Victor Duran, Hyman Fink, held next Wednesday, Nathan Livingston, Sam Marks, Minnie Markus, Jacob Rosenthal, Minnie Schwartz, Lillian Stutz and Mark Weinberg.

HIGH MASS WILL OPEN COMMENCEMENT WEEK

Invitations have been issued by the president and faculty of St. Vincent's college for the forty-fifth commencement exercises of the college to be held next Wednesday evening in the Father Meyer memorial hall of the college. Commencement week will be opened with a solemn high mass of thanksgiving Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, at which Rev. D. A. Duggan, C. M., will be celebrant; Rev. T. A. Lilley, C. M., deacon, and Rev. S. M. O'Callahan subdeacon. Rev. Dr. Duggan will preach the baccalaureate sermon.

Monday evening the high school play of the college will be given, and on Thursday the student will hold an old-time Spanish barbecue. Frank Palmars, secretary of the alumni, has charge of the arrangements for the reunion and barbecue.

PURCHASE INTEREST IN SEVENTH STREET HOTEL

Jonathan S. Dodge and Robert Marsh have purchased the controlling interest in the Hinman hotel property on the northeast corner of Seventh and Figueroa streets. The interests purchased were mainly held by Dr. C. F. Pepper, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Mrs. Florence Oberly, Frank E. Edwards, E. F. Hilton, F. E. Wood and the Traders' bank. Other smaller interests were bought also.

The principal owners now in addition to Mr. Dodge and Mr. Marsh are Andrew Glassell and Judge Frederick Houser.

The property has a frontage of 115 feet on Figueroa street and 156 on Seventh. The building is valued at \$2000 a foot for the Seventh street frontage and \$50,000 additional for the three-story building, which covers all the lot except ten feet on the north side.

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EXPECT 3000 DELEGATES AT MINING CONGRESS

Sierra Madre Club Is Indorsed for Securing Gathering for This City

The Merchants and Manufacturers' association, in a set of resolutions it has adopted, indorses the Sierra Madre club for its enterprise in capturing the coming convention of the American Mining congress for Los Angeles September 24 to October 1.

The resolutions recognize the immense value to the commerce of this city of the tributary mining and oil fields of this and adjoining states; realize the benefits to be derived by a proper fostering of the closest relationship with those vitally important industries and enterprises now engaged in their development and appreciate the great good the convention will do the city in helping to expand and open up the general southwest fields.

The public spiritedness of the business interests of the city is also appealed to in co-operating in every way possible with the Sierra Madre club in its efforts to secure a record-breaking attendance and also a wide publicity for this city as the logical banking and trading center of these contiguous mining and oil fields.

The chamber of mines, by appropriate resolutions, has pledged its best efforts in assisting to entertain the delegates to the Mining congress while they are in the city.

DELEGATES COMING FROM AFAR

Cities as far east as El Paso and covering all important mining and oil sections of California, Arizona, Nevada and New Mexico, and even many Mexican cities along the west coast, are appointing members of the Sierra Madre club's advisory committee and will co-operate with the local organization in disseminating the widest publicity and in building up a highly large crowds from all these districts.

It is predicted that this will be in all ways the most important and most numerous attended Mining congress ever held in the country since the birth of that organization thirteen years ago. Fully 3000 delegates and interested mining men, experts and owners, with their families being expected to attend the sessions and to spend a brief period in California and the other states that go to make up the Los Angeles field.

Fully 20,000 mine owners and operators will be sent special invitations from the Sierra Madre club to attend the convention, embracing every state of the Union, Canada, Alaska and Mexico. Letters urging their attendance and booklets of various kinds will be sent them as a further inducement to bring them here. In connection with this personal effort, a stream of newspaper stories will appear in the daily and weekly newspapers of these various commonwealths descriptive of the features of the convention.

ELBA DRAMATIC CLUB TO PRESENT 'COLLEGE CHUMS'

The Elba Dramatic club, recently organized, will present a three-act comedy entitled "College Chums" in the Gamut auditorium Friday evening, June 17. The participants have been rehearsing for the past two months under the direction of Miss Bessie M. Reitz.

Miss Iola McEirea will be the leading lady, Miss Eva C. Pries the widow, Miss Isadore Gilmour the cute maiden, Harold D. Mosher the young freshly known as "Babe," Henry Carter as Bully, Edward Cline as Alec, an old negro; Franklyn Cantor, dean of the university; Chester A. Pries a crazy German professor; Harold Sherman, manager of the varsity team; Dudley Ryall, its captain; Robert Mauch, Babe's father; Gilbert Potts as the villain.

SALT LAKE RAILWAY TO START TRAINS TONIGHT

Train service on the Salt Lake railroad will be resumed tonight at 8 o'clock when the Overland pulls out of the Los Angeles station for the first time since the last day of 1909. Until Tuesday trains on the Salt Lake will be run on special schedules. On Tuesday the new time tables go into effect, and at that time also the Salt Lake Limited will be run for the first time since the winter washouts on the road.

The Los Angeles Limited will arrive in this city at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon instead of 8 o'clock and will leave Los Angeles at 8 o'clock in the morning.

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ASSEMBLING SKELETONS OF FOSSIL ANIMAL FINDS

Scientists Mount Bones of Extinct Brutes Found at La Brea

Work has been completed by the Academy of Science in excavating the bones of fossil animals found in the asphaltum bed of the La Brea ranch and these bones are being mounted as rapidly as possible by R. D. Jewett, naturalist and collector, in the laboratory loaned the academy for the purpose by the Los Angeles high school.

The skeleton of the giant sabertooth tiger is almost completely mounted and those of the ground sloth and giant wolf are well under way. These specimens are proving of untold value to the academy and are of great value commercially, the sum of \$1000 being recently refused for a skeleton of the one just mounted.

To the lay mind it would undoubtedly seem an easy task to mount one of the skeletons correctly. According to the naturalists, however, such is not the case, as it requires months of study to do it completely and in a scientific manner.

Of the find's value to science, members of the academy state that until their discovery at the ranch no complete specimens of the giant ground sloth were in existence, but now a number of skeletons at different stages of development are available for study.

With the completion of the academy will move its collection out there, as it has been allotted one complete wing of a building with a floor space of 5000 square feet. It will have private studies and a laboratory in the building and the scientists will be able to carry on their work more readily when installed in their new home.

SANTA FE TO USE PHONES FOR ITS ORDERS TO TRAINS

Within two months workmen will have completed the installation of telephone for train dispatching over the Santa Fe, from Bartow to Los Angeles and San Diego, and after that date all train orders will be given over the telephone on the coast lines of this region.

This is the first great railway system to use the telephone for train dispatching and the officials claim that telephones are proving more successful than ever their most optimistic hopes led them to believe possible. With the telephone the officials claim they are able to run more than 40 per cent more trains with safety.

As soon as the coast lines are completed it is probable that other branches of the Santa Fe system will have telephone service installed. Already the lines of Denver are preparing for the change and as soon as this is finished work will be commenced on the main line east from Albuquerque to Newton, Kas.

EXTRA STEAMER SERVICE FOR CATALINA TRAFFIC

Catalina summer service will become effective July 5, after which date a special train will leave the Pacific Electric station at 2:15 each afternoon except Sunday, connecting at San Pedro with steamers for the island. Each Saturday afternoon at 5:15 the "Catalina Flyer" will leave the P. E. building, also connecting with steamers at San Pedro.

Returning from Avalon, steamers will leave at 7 a. m. each morning except Sunday, passengers arriving in Los Angeles at 10:15 a. m. Sunday an additional steamer will leave Avalon at 6:30 p. m., passengers arriving in Los Angeles at 9:30 p. m.

Steamers will leave Avalon June 19 and 26 and July 4 at 6:30 p. m., instead of 3:45. On July 2 there will be a 2 p. m. Catalina Flyer.

EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES PRESENT 'A FAMILY AFFAIR'

More than 500 persons assembled in Courtland's hall last evening to witness the production of "A Family Affair" given by members of the eighth grade graduating class of Belvedere school. The pupils participating in the play were coached by Mrs. Rena M. Salmon, a teacher in the Belvedere school. The production was a comedy farce by Charles Townsend, and the cast of characters was: Dan Gillespie, James Hanners; Jorkins Johnson, Ted Bennett; Deacon Smith, Ralph Benson; Sally, Charlotte Sharp; Miss Camson, Vera Newton; Louisiana, Lydia Anderson.

The sale of tickets netted about \$150. The graduating class will purchase a statue for the school with the proceeds.

CLAIMS GCPD WAS DROWNED IN RUM

Hotel Man, Seeking Divorce, Says Wife Is Drunkard—She Denies Charge

COURTSHIP WAS PECULIAR

Bottle Alleged to Have Figured Extensively While Love Making Proceeded

A contested divorce suit in which the plaintiff charges the defendant with being a hopeless drunkard, was commenced in Judge James' court yesterday by Henry W. Stanley, formerly manager of the big Hotel Virginia at Long Beach, against Mary Agnes Stanley, who was formerly cashier at the Hotel Van Nuys, when her husband was chief clerk at the same hotel. The husband alleges that his wife has repeatedly become intoxicated in spite of his efforts to reform her and that she was too intoxicated to know what the notice of the action meant when it was served on her by deputy sheriff. He claims that when he was manager of the Hotel Virginia, she came up to Los Angeles on one occasion and returned to Long Beach at a late hour under the influence of liquor. He declares she was found by the clerks and bellboys of the hotel who had to carry her to her room.

On the stand yesterday the plaintiff testified that on his marriage he had presented his wife with a house and lot at 2916 Roxbury street, valued at \$6000. They decided to separate, he said, and he allowed her the home with the understanding that she was to give him \$1000. Later she showed a disposition to reform, he said, and the matter dropped. Other outbreaks on the part of the defendant, he said, resulted in their separation, following a series of sprees on the part of his wife.

WIFE HAS CROSS-COMPLAINT

He declares that on one occasion she was found intoxicated by a policeman and brought home. On another occasion, he alleges, she was taken to the city jail and locked up for the same reason and he had to provide bail money for her release.

Stanley declared that for years he had tried to reform her, but "had come to the conclusion that she is a confirmed drunkard and that it is impossible for her to reform."

The husband, on being questioned by attorneys for the defendant, who has entered a cross-complaint, charging failure to provide, admitted that three months before his marriage to her, he had met her in the Normal school grounds with a pint of whisky in his pocket. He declared he did not ask her to drink, but that she insisted on drinking with him.

The defense also endeavored to show that Stanley had frequently taken drinks of whisky with her at the table at the Hotel Virginia. He denied he had ever drunk in company with her. He admitted, however, when they both worked at the Van Nuys, he kept a bottle of whisky in a convenient place for them both, so they could secure a drink when they wanted it. He declared, however, that the bottle was open to the other members of the clerical force.

The witnesses for the husband had not concluded their testimony before adjournment.

GALLOWAY DOUBTFUL ABOUT HIS EXACT AGE

Finally Admits, After Blushing, That He Is More Than 21

Chief of Police Galloway does not know his age. At least he does not know it in public. He is not telling. He may know it in the secret recesses of his mind, but he will not say so, or he does not care to let the world in on it. Among the questions asked Chief Galloway yesterday, when he took the stand in the preliminary examination of Jacob Hartnagel in Judge Williams' court was:

"What is your age?"

"The chief looked around the courtroom for a moment and then staring blankly at Deputy District Attorney Veitch he said:

"What is your age?"

"Yes," replied the chief confidently. "D. D. A. Veitch was satisfied, but the courtroom buzzed for several minutes. Attorney Jud Rush almost moved that the chief's testimony be thrown out because of its uncertainty.

"Doubtful."

Deputy District Attorney Veitch was not satisfied. He was convinced, if he could not have the accurate figures, to procure approximate statistics.

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TESTIFY PATROLMAN'S CONFESSED OPIE SELLER

Chief Galloway and Capt. Flammer Witnesses at Hearing

The preliminary hearing of Jacob Hartnagel, former patrolman, charged with selling opium confiscated in a package raid April 26, 1909, was commenced yesterday in Police Judge Williams' court, and was continued until next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

George Morris, a jeweler, claimed that Hartnagel gave him four cans of opium about June 27, 1909, and that on the following day he gave Hartnagel \$20. The witness testified that the cans were worth about \$25 each at the time.

Chief of Police Galloway, Captain Flammer of the detective force and Sergeant Sebastian of the Chinatown squad, of which Hartnagel was a member at the time of the raid, testified that Hartnagel confessed selling the opium in an interview in the chief's office.

The prosecution is being conducted by Arthur Veitch, deputy district attorney. Jud Rush of Davis & Rush is defending Hartnagel.

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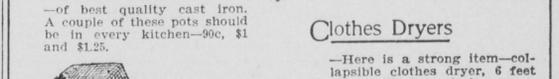
—that should appeal strongly to every housewife. Were space not limited we could give over an entire page to this most interesting department—and then scarcely begin to cover the stock. Look at these values.



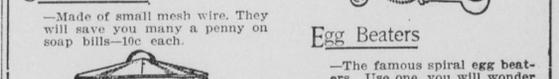
Tea Strainers —and coffee strainers, made of strong woven wire, with durable frames—5c, 10c and 15c.



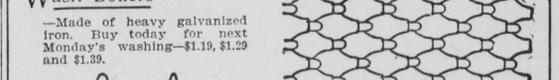
Cooking Pots —of best quality cast iron. A couple of these pots should be in every kitchen—90c, \$1 and \$1.25.



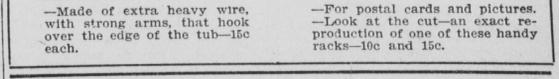
Soap Shakers —Made of small mesh wire. They will save you many a penny on soap bills—10c each.



Wash Boilers —Made of heavy galvanized steel. Buy today for next Monday's washing—\$1.19, \$1.29 and \$1.39.



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CONVENTION LEAGUE FOR LOS ANGELES PLANNED

Civic Organizations Seek Means for Inducing Outside Bodies to Meet Here

A letter has been sent to every organization of a civic or mercantile nature in Los Angeles asking it to send representatives to a meeting to be held in the Alexandria hotel Thursday, June 16, at which it is proposed to organize the Convention League of Southern California, an association which will assist in securing annual conventions of different organizations to this city.

The communication bears the signatures of Percy H. Clark of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, John S. Mitchell of the Southern California Hotel Men's association and Percy R. Wilson of the Los Angeles Chamber of Mines and Oils. These three, appointed by the organizations they represent, are the prime movers in the proposed plan, and it is through their efforts that the league will be organized.

Other cities, notably San Francisco, Detroit, Denver, St. Louis and Seattle, have such organizations. According to Prof. F. F. Hood of the Los Angeles high school will be in charge of a party of 200 students which will picnic at Sierra Madre.

One hundred and fifty members of the Universalist church of Pasadena will go to Long Beach for an outing. Members of the Plumbers' union of Pasadena will go to Balboa to enjoy the surf. Probably 200 will take this trip.

Southern California laundrymen are to hold a convention in Long Beach and 300 will attend it.

Members of the Shakespeare club of Pasadena will go to Long Beach and accommodations for 200 have been arranged.

Two hundred or more Presbyterians of Los Angeles will go to Anaheim for the day.

Tomorrow members of the Photo Engravers' union of Los Angeles will have their annual outing at Anaheim landing. Probably 200 will attend.

June 12, members of the Turnverein Germania society will go to Griffith park in a special car.

June 16 two special cars, El Amigo and El Peregrina, will carry members of the Southern California Physicians and Surgeons' association to the Hotel Virginia, Long Beach, where they will banquet.

KYDE HEARING POSTPONED

HANDE CITY, June 10.—By an agreement between attorneys in the case, the arguments on the motion of Dr. E. Clark Hyde for a new trial were postponed today until June 15. Judge Latschaw was to hear the arguments tomorrow.

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