LADY FRANCIS AND STRONG THROWN OUT

Ordered to Leave at Once Their Suite at the California.

Disgrace Follows Relations Between May Yohe and an Army Man.

Major Putnam Bradlee Strong, erstwhile quartermaster U. S. A. and a son of the late ex-Mayor Strong of New York, has been ejected from the California Hotel; he has ejected himself from the army, and when the Nippon Maru sails for Japan she will bear him away from San Francisco. And Lady Francis Hope, better known as May Yohe, who shared with him the ejection from the hotel, will go with him to the Orient.

The major and milady were put out of the hotel yesterday morning before 9 o'clock, and before noon he had sent a telegram to President McKinley direct resigning from the army. A telegram from Washington says that he resigned his commission for personal and financial reasons, and that it was no sooner received than it was accepted. Strong had orders to sail on the transport Grant for Manila next Tuesday, and the plan was for Lady Francis to sail on the Nippon Maru a day later and join him in the Far East, but when the exposure of their relations came he changed his plans, resigned from the army and the two will leave here together.

For several days before their secret got out Strong and Lady Francis lived at the California Hotel under the name of Hastings. They were registered as "Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hastings, Boston," and until they began to appear together in public with a reckless disregard of the consequences, no one believed they were any but the persons they seemed. Strong had a room in the Palace Hotel which he kept but never used, and before she went to the California Hotel his companion registered at the Palace, or Strong registered for her, as Mrs. H. L. Hastings. He registered his own name just under, but as the clerks were not altogether satisfied with the state of affairs, she was asked to seek accommodations elsewhere.

Ordered Out of Hotel.

When the identity of the pair became known to the management of the California Hotel, Assistant Manager Wrenn sent for Strong. Strong's valet brought back word that the major was dressing and could not be seen, but the valet would bring any message Mr. Wrenn wished to send. Word was sent back that the manager wished to see Major Strong and that he must give up his room at once. The valet departed with the message and soon returned with the information that the major and the lady would be out of the house by half past 10. Wrenn sent back word that they must go at once, and then the valet told a tale of twelve trunks to be packed and not a thing ready, so Wrenn gave the pair until half past 8 to leave. It was then soon after 7, but by half past 8 Strong and the Lady Francis left the hotel by the upper entrance, avoiding the lobby, and turning up Bush street and down Dupont, they disappeared. The next heard of them was that they were at a downtown restaurant, where they spent the day.

In the meantime Strong's valet and Lady Francis' maid took care of the baggage and secured an expressman to cart away the trunks. The expressman was unknown to the porter and when the porter asked him where he was going to take the trunks he said he had been ordered not to tell. The baggage did not go to the restaurant, however, so it is probable the couple intend to seek some other place where they can retire from publicity until the steamer sails.

Sent Fake Telegrams.

It was believed that May Yohe was in England, and the identity of the woman who was masquerading as Strong's wife was for some time in doubt, but the belief that she was in England was based upon some telegrams she had sent to friends with the intention of deceiving them and any others who might inquire, and so let her have a clear run west as far as the Philippines, where Strong has been ordered to duty. There was some suspicion of her intention to join fortunes with the army man without waiting for the formality of divorce from Lord Francis, her husband, but in the face of the telegrams the suspicion was lulled to rest and the pair got well started westward without a hint of their identity becoming known. Had the lady been less willing to display her jewels they might have got away, where under the tropical sun of the Philippines they could have grown tired of each other at their own leisure without any one ever knowing.

The following telegram was received from New York last evening in answer to queries as to the whereabouts of May Yohe:

Friends Surprised.

NEW YORK, July 12.—If Lady Francis Hope is in San Francisco it is news to her friends here. She gave up her apartments in this city weeks ago and said she was going to join her husband in England. Major Strong was frequently seen with Lady Francis Hope while they were both in this city. Lord and Lady Francis came here in November last, and the first person to greet them at the steamship pier was Strong.

When the "Giddy Throng" closed its season Lady Francis had several music hall engagements that took her as far West as Chicago. When she returned from this trip she declared all differences between her and her husband had been patched up and she intended to join him in England soon. Before she was reported to have sailed she spent considerable time in company with Strong. They were together so frequently that the young man's attention caused some talk, which died away, however, when Strong started for the Philippines and Lady Francis announced that she was going back to England. There are those in town this evening who were unkind enough to suggest that Lady Francis had planned the little European trip announcement to deceive people and thus cover up her departure for the West with Strong.

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FRED BELASCO PLAYS A JOKE AND IS HIMSELF BADLY BITTEN

Tries to Fool His Wife With a "Chalk" Dog and She Cleverly Turns the Tables on Him.

WELL-KNOWN THEATRICAL MANAGER HAS "FUN" WITH HIS WIFE.

EVERY dog has his day" is an old adage, and if it be true the chalk imitation that Fred Belasco, manager of the Alcazar, bought to ornament his boudoir, had its fling last Monday. It being a "dog day," Mr. Belasco celebrated the occasion in a befitting manner, as he thought, but now it has dawned on him that he did not enjoy the festivities.

It appears that the theatrical manager has a new fiat and whenever he find a pretty objet d'art he immediately plans to become its possessor. Last Monday an Italian peddler passed the theater with a lifelike pug dog in his hand and Belasco purchased it. A friend asked him what he intended doing with it and he replied that he would have it guard the family jewels.

"It would be a great joke, Fred," his friend said, "if you should come home some night elated over big receipts and be suddenly confronted by this dog. Methinks, Fred, you would do a few back handsprings trying to save your trousers from the ferocious purp."

"Say, you have given me a great idea. My wife is dead scared of dogs, having been bitten by one in her childhood. I'll just telephone her and let her know I bought one and intend sending it to her."

To think was to act with Belasco. He dropped a piece of wooden money into the telephone box and secured his wife's ear.

"Hello—Is that you, Julie? Yes; well, you ought to see the dog I bought to guard the house. It's a beaut from Montana.

"You don't want the nasty brute in the house? Well, I do, and you know who's boss. Now, I want you to send to the market and get a couple of tenderloin steaks for him. The man who sold him to me says he must be fed on boiled milk every day; so go down town and buy a cow—and say, you can also get the finest collar in the market for him. Get a silver one with a silver chain and a gold ring to hold him by. I'll send him right up. Don't forget to attend to these little matters. Good-by."

Mrs. Fred Belasco, better known to local theater goers as Juliet Crosby, awaited the coming of the despised dog with trepidation. She feared the animal would tear the curtains and play havoc with the sofa cushions, and she was planning how to rid herself of it.

Sure enough a small boy with a big basket presented himself at the door and played telegraphy with the electric bell. Mrs. Belasco opened the door and the youngster said:

"I got a dawg fer yer, lady. A guy what keeps der t'eater gave me a half fer bringing him ter yer."

The boy then opened the basket and when he spied the "fake," exclaimed:

"Hully gee, I taut he was a heavy dawg."

Mrs. Belasco accepted the joke and quickly thought of a way to turn the tables on her husband. She put on her hat and going to a jewelry store secured a chain and collar as per instructions, directing the clerk to make the bill out to Mr. Belasco. When the latter arrived home he inquired about his purchase and was calmly informed by his wife that she had had the boy place the canine on the back porch. She added that a neighbor's dog had been barking at it for the past hour in an effort to bring on a fight and that complaints had been made by people in other flats.

Fred smiled broadly and walked out on the veranda. Sure enough the chalk imitation was chained to the wall and a costly collar adorned its thick neck. Tenderloin steaks and a bowl of milk were set before it, but the lacteal fluid and the tempting meat were untouched. Then it slowly dawned upon Mr. Belasco that the joke was on him. He scratched his head and the grin that suffused his face gave way to a thoughtful expression. He sat down to dinner and although his appetite had fled, ate like a gourmand in order to conceal his disgust at the outcome of his joke. Beside his plate was a bill for $35 for the chain and collar.

That is why Mr. Belasco does not care to talk about canines and that is why Mrs. Belasco has gone around with a quiet smile on her pretty face.

Moral: Do not play jokes with a dummy dog for an assistant.

VINING MAKES POVERTY PLEA

Wolf at Door of Market-Street Railway Manager.

The Supervisors' meeting as a Board of Equalization continued their consideration of assessments yesterday afternoon. A number of artful tax-dodgers were left to groan under arbitrary assessments imposed upon them as a matter of education, and final action was taken upon petitions of some of the large corporations.

Wells, Fargo & Co. asked for the cancellation of its franchise assessment of $750,000, and its petition was refused. The Spring Valley Water Works assessment was reduced to $1,564,834 66, in order to yield $196,000 in taxes, as agreed upon by the Supervisors when the water rates were fixed.

E. P. Vining appeared to oppose any increase in the arbitrary assessment of $2000 upon his personal property. In fact, he insisted that if all his personal property were sold and he realized $1000 on it he would be a very lucky man.

"Will you tell the board of what your property consists?" asked Assessor Dodge.

"You mean of what it consisted March 1," replied Vining.

Dodge assented, and the manager of the Market-street railway system proceeded to state under oath that on March 1 he had the furniture in his house, $9 08 in the bank, $18 45 in cash in his purse and nothing more. He said furniture and all was not worth more than $1000. The arbitrary assessment was allowed to stand.

Struggling Firms of Lawyers.

Reuben H. Lloyd appeared for Lloyd & Wood. An arbitrary assessment of $5000 on personal property of the firm had been made. Lloyd declared that there were no solvent credits to be assessed and no money in the bank. The library was the individual property of himself and Mr. Wood, not the property of the firm. The assessment was not changed.

Charles J. Heggerty of Knight & Heggerty, assessed $5000 on personal property, had a similar tale of prosperous poverty. He said the firm's personal property was not worth more than $500—no money, no solvent credits, old furniture and musty lumber for a library. The assessment was let stand, and for his pains an assessment of $500 was placed on Heggerty's own personal property, which Assessor Dodge discovered he had overlooked.

Supervisor Tobin moved to deny the petition of the Hibernia Bank. Then he explained, as Banker Tobin, that the bank's petition was only formal, as cases were pending in the courts which would settle the question of the validity of the assessments, amounting to $460,000, which the bank asked to have canceled. Tobin's motion prevailed.

Ignatz Steinhart had been assessed $12,000 on his personal property. He was willing it should stand and didn't object to its being raised to $20,000, the figure of last year. Mr. Steinhart couldn't remember how much money he had March 1 or the amount of his solvent credits, but admitted that the assessable solvent credits amounted to more than $30,000. Asked if $50,000 would be too high, he said it would be out of proportion to what other men are assessed. The board raised his assessment to $40,000.

Brown Compelled to Wait.

Supervisor Braunhart wanted the United States, represented by Assistant District Attorney McKinlay, to wait while Abraham Brown had his say, but Brown had to wait. McKinlay explained that forty-two acres on the ocean beach, of the Laguna de la Merced tract, had been condemned by the Government, the decree being made before March 1. The assessment of $42,162 would therefore have to be canceled.

Abraham Brown's chance came next, and although he had filed a statement that $1500 was the value of the personal property of the estate of Louis Brown he had to admit that stocks had been sold for $35,000 since March 1. The assessment was fixed at $30,000.

Martin B. Kellogg appeared for the Spring Valley Water Works. The Supervisors agreed with his contention that the assessment should be lowered so that the tax rate would yield the $196,000 agreed upon when the water rates were fixed—all but Supervisor Stafford. He said that the Supervisors made that agreement under the supposition that the water company would accept rates yielding 5 per cent, but now the company was in court seeking to get returns of 7 per cent. The reduction prayed for was granted.

Franchise Assessment Stands.

Alfred Sutro appeared for Wells, Fargo & Co., asking the cancellation of the franchise assessment of $750,000. He argued that the express company, incorporated in Colorado, has no assessable franchise in California, and said the assessment, if allowed to stand, would be opposed in court and $30,000 in taxes would again be tied up.

Assessor Dodge pointed out that to grant the company's petition would be to abandon the city's contention in the case now pending before the Supreme Court and to disregard the able brief of City and County Attorney Lane, now on file in that case. The board denied the petition.

A. M. Simpson of the Simpson Lumber Company asked that an assessment of $12,300 on boats plying in the Puget Sound be canceled, as taxes were being paid in Washington under a Supreme Court decision there. Dodge declared that United States court decisions had established the principle that vessels were assessable at the place of registration, but the board, recognizing that a hardship was being inflicted, recommended leniency, and Dodge canceled the assessment. Simpson's personal arbitrary assessment of $202,500 was referred to the Assessor.

The Giant Powder Company's assessment of $150,000 was not changed.

No one appeared for H. E. Huntington, and Braunhart wanted to raise his assessment from $1,000,000 to $1,250,000.

Adjournment was taken till 1 o'clock this afternoon, when such action may be taken if Huntington is not represented.

Whose Trunk's That?

Probably ours, because we buy trunks, dress suit cases and valises by the carload. It's the same way with pocketbooks, belts, billbooks, card cases, etc.—high prices leave when they arrive. We will letter free of charge your full name in gold on all fine leather goods, kodaks and cameras included. Sanborn, Vail & Co., 741 Market street.

Verus cures piles or $50 reward. All up-to-date druggists sell and guarantee it.

WILL CELEBRATE BASTILE'S FALL

French Residents Prepare to Honor Republic's Birthday.

The one hundred and thirteenth anniversary of the fall of the Bastile will be celebrated at the Chutes to-morrow by the French residents of this city. For several weeks past prominent Frenchmen have been arranging for the event, which promises to be the greatest commemorative display ever held in San Francisco.

The exercises will begin at 2 p. m. with an introductory address by J. S. Godeau, president of the day. He will be followed by H. Dallemagne, the French Consul General, who will deliver an address in French, as will also J. M. Dupas. James G. Maguire will follow with a speech in English.

Musical selections will be rendered by prominent artists. Miss Lucie Fichter will sing the "Marseillaise" and the "Star-spangled Banner" will be sung by Miss Maude Williams of the Tivoli.

A grand concert will be given in the afternoon, and in the evening a specially prepared pyrotechnic display will be made. The celebration will close with a grand ball, which will be an all-night affair.

The officers of the general committee of arrangements are: J. S. Godeau, president; J. M. Dupas, first vice president; V. Gardet, second vice president; A. B. Richet, secretary, and P. A. Bergerot, treasurer.

SECRET SERVICE MEN TENACIOUS

Efforts Continue to Find Clews to the Mint Thief.

Books of the Mint Are Found to Be Correct in All Details.

"We are continuing our investigations but have nothing for publication," was the reply of Director of the Mint Roberts yesterday evening when he was questioned as to the developments in the recent robbery of $30,000 from the vaults of Uncle Sam's money making institution. Director Roberts said that he had received a telegram from the Secretary of the Treasury announcing that the books of the Treasury Department tallied on June 24 with those of the Mint here.

"That settles all doubt," said Roberts, "as to the possibility of a clerical error being responsible for the missing money."

Secret Service Agent Hazen and his assistants are trying to locate the woman with whom Dimmick, the chief clerk of the Mint, is supposed to have been on very friendly terms. Superintendent Leach denies that there is any woman in the case, but Secret Service Agent Hazen is working on lines independent from those of the Mint officials.

The secret service officers are satisfied that Dimmick was very friendly with a certain blonde widow, and are now endeavoring to locate her. Dimmick refused yesterday to make any statement in regard to the allegation that he was attentive to a gay widow, but repeated his familiar answer, "I will talk when the time comes."

The treasury officials are determined that the thief of the gold sacks shall not escape punishment. In certain quarters there seems a disposition to make good the shortage and let the matter drop and be forgotten. The Government, however, will not be satisfied with such a plan. Not only must the shortage be made good, but the thieving employe of the Mint must be brought to the bar of justice.

The investigating officers are not talking for publication, and the fact that no arrest has so far been made leads to certain statements that the hunt for the robber is to be abandoned. It is known, however, that Secret Service Agent Hazen is in possession of valuable testimony and that an arrest will surely follow the present investigation.

Expert Waltz has made a report to Director Roberts as to the condition of the locks on the gold vaults of the Mint. They alone know whether it is possible for the vaults to be opened by a man partly familiar with the combinations.

The work of counting the gold coin in the Mint is progressing rapidly. Nearly $5,000,000 was counted yesterday, the inspection proceeding at the rate of $15,000 a minute. No shortage was found in any of the sacks inspected.

Superintendent Leach yesterday gave orders that the doors of the Mint should be closed promptly at 4 p. m. Hitherto the large doors have not been closed until the last employe has left the building. Yesterday the big doors were shut at 4 p. m. and the heavy chain was attached on the inside. Every time an employe desired to leave the building the attendant was obliged to take down the chain, unlock and open the doors.

MONEYS FOR FINES ARE NOT DEPOSITED DAILY

Treasurer Brooks Says Police Court Clerks Are Still Violating the Charter.

City Treasurer Brooks complains that the money collected for fines in the Police Courts is not turned in daily, as the charter provides. The money is turned over by the various clerks of the Police Court to the County Clerk, who then deposits it in the city treasury. Yesterday the sum of $1647 50 was so deposited, this being the first since June 27, when $75 was turned in. Treasurer Brooks ascribes the delay in making deposits to the congestion of cash bail, which in some cases goes to pay the fines of persons convicted in the Police Courts. Brooks believes that unless the law is complied with serious complications will ensue, as was the case with J. J. Sullivan, against whom certain irregularities were charged.

To-Day's News Letter.

This week's News Letter is an edition just adapted for the needs of the summer, both for town and country. The Looker On has always been a welcome Saturday caller and the lingerer by the sad sea waves will find his stories doubly entertaining. This issue contains a critique of the Henley regatta by a former member of the Oxford University crew. He tells what is the matter with the Yankee style of handling the oars. Mrs. Chauncey de Wit, Lady Algy and Robert McTavish have each contributed their several departments, and each is as humorous, as breezy and as readable as ever. The Town Crier as usual has done the unexpected.

DID YOU SAY

Waists and Wrappers? This is the day we give them away—Saturday. They are priceless beauties—at least we don't ask prices for them to-day—merely nominal figures. Have we other bargains? That's for you to say when you've read and seen them.

LIKE PRETTY WAISTS?

White India Linen Waists that have created such a furore, again on sale. Front all-over Arabian Lace; tucked back; new sleeves. Worth at least $1.75. To-day..98c

French Chambray Waists, finest quality. Front, back and sleeves tucked and hemstitched. A bargain anywhere for $1.50. To-day's price here 98c

WRAPPERS.

Percale Wrappers—Best in quality, best in style. Deep flounces. Fine linen lace trimming gives them their rich tone. A $1.75 garment. To-day's price.....$1.25

Women's Mercerized Satin Underskirts, black and white striped, accordeon plaited flounce, trimmed with double rows of solid black pinked ruching. A great attraction at $2.00. To-day....$1.25

Imported French Lisle Women's Vests, long or half sleeves. Bargains at 75c. To-day.....39c

Thomson's Military Corset, straight front. Our regular price, $1.50. To-day $1.00

HOSIERY.

Women's Black Hose, plain or Richelieu ribbed, black or white feet. The 35c kind go to-day for 21c

Children's Black Hose, heavy or fine ribbed; double knee, heel and toe. Our 25c kind.....15c

HOW ABOUT MUSLIN UNDERWEAR?

Our Factory turns out the prettiest things imaginable and we're selling them at wholesale prices.

Women's Night Gowns, best Cambric, square or round yoke, trimmed with Torchon Lace and Insertion or Embroidery and Insertion. $1.00 value. Saturday's price 69c

Women's White Skirts, best Muslin, clusters of tucks and flounces of wide embroidery. Many trimmed with Torchon Lace and Insertion. A sacrifice at $1.25. To-day 89c

Women's Muslin Drawers, best quality, tucks and ruffles of wide embroidery or linen lace. Elsewhere a bargain at 35c. Here to-day 19c

10c Fancy Corded Wash Ribbons, a yard 5c

20c and 25c Fancy Corded Wash Ribbons, a yard 12½c

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"Dent" Fac-simile Glove, $1.00 pair.

It's an excellent shopping or traveling glove, has a pearl clasp and comes in the popular shades of oak, mahogany and red.

"Hte Jouvin" Glove, $1.50 pair.

It's a celebrated French glove, renowned for its fit and wear, made from selected kid skins. There's every new and staple shade among them; $1.50 a pair.

French Suede Glove, $1.50 pair.

They are favorite overseam gloves, fastened with three pretty clasps; a very stylish glove for dress; choose from the newest pastel shades of mode and gray; $1.50 a pair.

Fancy Mesh Veilings 25c.

Our veiling business is the pride and wonder of the store, and yet if you'd look below the surface you wouldn't wonder at it. Women can't resist new things, and the store that has them is bound to receive attention.

'Tis not so much a wonder that more women come here for veilings than any place else as it is that still more don't come.

These at 25c—Include a charming variety of black tuxedo and fancy mesh veilings, in plain and dotted effects; also black Brussels nets, as well as dotted chiffon and grenadine, in black and brown.

Sale of Writing tablets 12c

Made from a splendid heavy glazed bond paper; 120 leaves to the book and unruled; you know that's the style now. The quality is superior; the price doesn't indicate it. We have only 150 marked at this ridiculous price—12c. We wish there were more, but we don't expect such a good thing to come our way soon again.

official headquarters for Epworth League Flags

Yes, and decorations of all sorts. The Central Committee gave us the sole right to make and supply every one with their banners. We have them in quantities to suit. Delegations from out of town are having us send them flags to fly from the trains.

BARBER COLLEGE FINALLY CLOSES

Application of Sanitary Rules Causes Its Downfall.

As the first result of the joint efforts of the State Board of Barber Examiners and the local Board of Health to improve the sanitary conditions of barber shops and the so-called barber colleges, W. H. Dunnagan, proprietor of the San Francisco Barber College at 741A Howard street, announced to the board yesterday his willingness to go out of the business.

"I can't stand the pressure," said Dunnagan, when he called at the office of the Commissioners. "It is too much for me. I'll sell the whole caboodle for $50."

"If you attempt to run the same kind of a place anywhere in this State we will go after you," said Examiner Fleming.

Dunnagan left and is now seeking a purchaser for a lot of ancient chairs, towels and other paraphernalia used in the dissemination of knowledge of the tonsorial art in his establishment. Shortly after his departure one of his female graduates appeared and presented a certificate sworn to before a notary alleging that she had been three years in the business. So contradictory were her statements that the board demanded a list of all places in which she had worked, and will not issue a certificate to her unless she can give evidence of her ability.

The good work of the State Board of Barber Examiners in closing up one of the "colleges" is to be continued until all are eliminated from the profession. In this action they will have the assistance of the State and local Boards of Health, which are now considering the suggestions made by the Barbers' Examining Board as to the need of proper rules and regulations to be applied to all places where barbering is practiced.

Last week a list of suggestions to form the basis of an ordinance was presented to President Williamson of the Board of Health and has been under consideration since. These suggestions were published in full in The Call.

Some modifications and additions to the proposed rules were suggested by Dr. Williamson and his associates at a conference held in his office yesterday with Examiners Calish and Fleming. These modifications are mainly of a technical nature.

Consideration was given to the practice of some barbers in continually using one towel on the headrest of the chair. Dr. Williamson said this was one of the most potent cause of the dissemination of cutaneous diseases and was a practice that should be immediately stopped.

Considerable time was spent in examining sterilizing appliances. A series of visits is to be made to various barber shops in the city with a view of comparing results, so that by the next meeting of the Board of Health the matter may be placed in shape for legal action. The date of these visits and the places to be visited will not be announced beforehand.

Dr. Williamson said that the agitation for cleanliness and sanitary appliances was already apparent.

"Mayor Phelan has transmitted me a letter," he said, "in which the barber who wrote it complained against the restriction of using a towel only on one face. He says it will ruin his business."

"As soon as we get through the rush of the registration and examination of barbers we intend to devote every spare moment of our time to seeing that the rules, when finally adopted, are carried into effect." This was the final declaration of President Calish, in which he was supported by his associate members.

In the meanwhile the Board of Health is conducting a quiet inspection into each barber shop and a mass of data is being accumulated by the inspectors. This will be placed at the disposal of the State Board of Barber Examiners for suggestion and comparison.

The demand for certificates still continues and customers are now beginning to look for the chair card and certificate which each barber is now required to display.

The Crystal Hot Sea Baths.

Tubs and swimming. Best tonic for nervous and bodily exhaustion. Bay st., near Powell.

Held for Robbery.

Vincent Mohr was held to answer before the Superior Court by Judge Conlan yesterday on the charge of robbery in $3000 bonds. He was accused, along with four other young men, of holding up and robbing Henry Morrisch on Webb street early Monday morning.

When the barkeeper sets out Jesse Moore "AA" he gives the customer the best in the house.

Six Months for Mrs. McCarthy.

Mrs. Johanna McCarthy, the "terror" of Cortland avenue, was sentenced by Judge Mogan yesterday to six months in the County Jail on charges of carrying a concealed weapon and drunkenness. Ninety-six residents in the neighborhood had petitioned the Judge to see that justice was done to "their standing disgrace."

STOLEN SILVER IN A PAWNSHOP

Detectives Hot After Western Addition Burglar.

The police have at last a clew to "Jack the borer," the daring burglar who has been operating in the Western Addition terrorizing the residents and stealing silverware valued at several thousand dollars. In addition to getting an accurate description of him, Captain Seymour and his men have recovered a lot of silver stolen by him from a house on Laguna street. The valuable plate was discovered yesterday in a pawnshop on Clay street, near Kearny, where it had been sold by the crook for about a third its value. As the pawnbroker has furnished the police with an accurate description of the fellow, they are confident of shortly landing him behind prison bars.

The head of the detective department is satisfied that the bold burglar uses a bicycle in carrying off his plunder. Only a short time ago he got away with 106 pieces of silverware from a residence on Jackson street, notwithstanding that a large squad of policemen specially detailed to arrest him was in the immediate vicinity. After the trick was turned several of the "vigilant" officers recollected that a well built young fellow rode past them at a lively clip. Two sacks hung from the handle-bars of his wheel. As the description given of the burglar answers that of the bicyclist the police are satisfied that the sacks contained the silverware stolen from the Jackson-street residence.

Yesterday Captain Seymour, who is acting as Chief of Police during the temporary absence of Chief Sullivan, who is on his vacation, issued instructions to the men who have been looking for the "borer" not to take any chances with him, as he fears that the man would not hesitate to shoot in case he is cornered.

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Extra Dry Spreckels' Refining.
TOMATOES, Best Pack, 4 Cans 25c
Extra Quality. Reg. 10c can.
FINEST CREAMERY BUTTER, Square 32½c
Fine Butter Our Motto. Reg. 40c.
CHOICE POINT REYES BUTTER, Square .30c
Regular 35c.
BEST MISSION EGGS, Dozen.....20c
Gathered Daily. Reg. 25c.
OLD PORT and SHERRY, Quart Bottle .25c
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MOCHA and JAVA, Our Best Coffee, lb. . .25c
We have the Best Coffee in the World. Our Friends Say So. Reg. 35c lb.
POTATOES, Choice Burbanks, Box....$1.15
Reg. $1 50.
NEW SEASON'S TEAS.....40c
Six Kinds. Reg. 60c and 75c.
ZINFANDEL and CLARET, Stone Jug, gal 75c
3 Years Old. Reg. $1.
PERFECT BLEACHING SOAP, 15 Bars...50c
King of All Soap. Reg. 12 for 50c.
Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate, 1-lb Can .25c
Reg. 30c can.
WILLOW CREEK WHISKEY, Full Qt. $1.00
Reg. $1 50. Gallon $3 50, reg. $4 50.
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