

ADAMS' SANITY
License Inspector Takes
Alternative Offered
by Mayor.

Dr. F. W. Hatch Gives
Expert Testimony for
Defense.

Says Alcoholic Stimulants
Affected Ex-Minister's
Mind.

Oakland Office San Francisco Call,
1118 Broadway, Oct. 8.

Expert testimony, designed to establish
the theory that Charles G. Adams was
insane at the time he shot Dr. John B.
Jessup was introduced by the defense to-
day in Adams' trial for murder. Dr. F.
W. Hatch, president of the State Board
of Lunacy Commissioners, taking the witness
stand and asserting his belief in the
irresponsibility of the accused who had
fired the fatal shot. Dr. Hatch has been
a spectator of the proceedings of the trial
since it began and his opinion as to Ad-
ams' sanity is based upon the testimony
of the several witnesses who reviewed
the personal life of the accused man, and
a personal examination of him since his
incarceration in the County Jail.

Attorney Church, for the defense,
broached the subject of Adams' sanity by
reading to Dr. Hatch an extended hypo-
thetical question, dealing with the
heredity, his excessive use of intoxicating
liquors, his habits, his inebriety and all
his actions prior to the shooting, to
which the witness replied that in his opinion
the person described might have been
insane and wholly incapable of appreciating
the enormity of his crime.

"Will you please explain why you think
so, doctor?" asked the attorney, and Dr.
Hatch replied:

"I base my opinion upon the ancestry
of the man, his history as related by his
daughter and his excessive drinking habits.
After his wife was dead he called his
daughter by the wife's name, having
the illusion that she was still living. He
pushed his daughter downstairs—a thing
he never would have done if he had been
sane. He thought he was being visited
by demons and he was so frightened at
one time that his hair stood on end. One
of the Episcopal clergymen here testified
that he saw in an upstairs room in his night
clothes while the family was at breakfast
and another said he drove around the city
in a sulky, carrying in a long coat and silk
hat. His daughter tells how he crawled
about his home on all fours, barking like
a dog.

"Now, all these things taken in connection
with the man's insanity, tend to show
that he was unbalanced. They are not
things that a well-balanced man of the
cloth would do. Taking into consideration
Adams' career, the fact that his
brain and body were subjected to a
constant drain, that his will power had
become exhausted, that he suffered a
series of attacks of delirium tremens,
that his periods of sobriety were few, I
should say that his mind had been de-
graded to such an extent that he had no
realization of the nature of his
crime. He was insane when he shot Dr.
Jessup."

Drunkness His Natural State.
District Attorney Allen asked the witness
in cross-examination what effect on
the mind of a man who has had a
constant use of alcoholic liquors had on
a human being.

"It first acts on the brain," was the reply.
"It produces gradual changes in the
brain structure that finally result in im-
pairing the faculties. The liquor acts by
absorption and reaches the brain through
the blood. It disturbs the equilibrium."
"What do you think Adams' condition
was during his periods of sobriety?"
"I think his condition was an unnatural
one for him. He had been addicted to
drink so long that he was not in a natural
state unless he was drunk."

"What do you think these illusions and
hallucinations that are spoken of here
mean?"
"They indicate a hyper-sensitive condition
of the brain due to excessive drink."
The examination of the physician oc-
cupied all the afternoon and will be con-
tinued to-morrow morning.

**CAMERA CLUB MEMBERS
TO PHOTOGRAPH CITY**
Mrs. Edward H. Kemp Gives Exhibi-
tion of Slides Taken on Trip
From New Orleans.

At the regular monthly meeting of the
California Camera Club held last night
the members and their guests were pleas-
antly entertained with an exhibition of
slides as viewed from the city of New
Orleans to San Francisco. Mrs. Edward
H. Kemp, to whom the slides belong,
gave a vivid description of the various
scenes which she had seen.

Carpenter Falls Fifty Feet.
Otto W. Chonette, a carpenter living at
1222 1/2 street, lost his balance while
going up a stationary ladder in the rear
of 41 Leavenworth street yesterday and
fell a distance of fifty feet. In the fall he
suffered a compound comminuted fracture
of his feet, fracturing the bones of both
legs between the knees and ankles. He also
suffered internal injuries which may
prove fatal.

ADVERTISEMENTS.
SENT FREE TO ME BY
A Most Remarkable Remedy That
Quickly Restores Lost Vigor
to Men.

A Free Trial Package Sent by Mail
to All Who Write.

Free trial packages of a most remark-
able remedy are being mailed to all who
write to the publisher. The remedy has
cured so many men who had battled
for years against the most distressing
and humiliating of all ailments, that the
publisher has decided to distribute free
trial packages to all who write. It is a
home remedy, and its use will be com-
plicated with any form of sexual weakness
resulting from youthful folly, premature loss
of strength and memory, weak back, vari-
ous emaciation of parts can now cure
themselves at home.

WEDDING BELLS GAILY PROCLAIM
THE UNITING OF HAPPY COUPLES

Marriage of Miss Ida Belle Palmer and George Sterett Wheaton
Unites Two Prominent Families—Miss Mabel Trethewey Becomes
Bride of Wm. Macdonald—Miss Rose Roesch Weds G. A. Nissen



FIVE OF THE PRINCIPALS IN THE MOST RECENT WEDDINGS THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN SOCIETY'S
REALM ACROSS THE BAY, WHERE CUPID IS EVER PRACTICING HIS SLY ART AND BRINGING FOND
HEARTS TOGETHER AT THE HYMNENAL ALTAR.

AKLAND, Oct. 8.—By the mar-
riage of Miss Ida Belle Palmer
and George Sterett Wheaton this
evening two of the most promi-
nent families in Oakland were
united. The bride, a charming girl of the
blonde type, is the eldest daughter of
Charles E. Palmer, cashier of the Union
National Bank. The groom is in business
with his father, George H. Wheaton, the
well-known commission merchant of San
Francisco, and is a popular member of
several of the principal clubs on both
sides of the bay. He is also an ardent
golfer and a talented musician. Mr.
Wheaton is a grandson of one of the best
known journalists in the State, B. F. Ste-
rett, who was one of the founders of the
San Francisco Bulletin, the old Alta Cali-
fornia and the Call.

The wedding, which took place this
evening at the Jackson-street home of the
bride's parents, was one of the very
pretty events of the season. The decora-
tions, which were placed under the direc-
tion of Mrs. Woodworth, were unusually
artistic. Strayes and electric light
and huckleberry foliage forming an effec-
tive background for a lavish arrangement
of pink gladioli and amaryllis. Tall bam-
boo branches were arranged to form a
canopy over the bride and groom, and
while overhead a great true-love knot
of white tulle held in place a large bell
of the same filmy material.

Union Labor Clubs Organize.
The E. E. Schmitt Union Labor Club
of the Thirty-first District was organized
last evening at the home of the Valen-
tine Holt Society, Children of the American
Revolution, held in the home of Mrs. C. F.
Sommer. The President of the club is
Robert H. Mitchell, secretary, James
Kingsley, sergeant-at-arms. The next
meeting will be held Thursday evening at
318 Fourth street.

ARMY TRANSPORT SERVICE
IS BEING GRADUALLY
REDUCED.

Depot Quartermaster's De-
partment Is Made a
Separate System.

A slight change has been made in the
management of the depot quartermas-
ter's department since its separation
from the army transport service. Cap-
tain Nathan P. Batchelder, who has been
serving as depot quartermaster since
has been relieved and assigned to duty
as quartermaster on the army transport
Sheridan. As the transport is not yet
ready for sea and may not be for some
time owing to the strike conditions ex-
isting, other service may be ordered for
Captain Batchelder in the meantime.

There have been no changes made in
the army transport service and, accord-
ing to General O. F. Long, who is in
charge of the service, none is con-
templated. The service is now in a high
state of efficiency and the transports of
the United States Government are leav-
ing this port on regular time.

Supervisors Giving the Ax.
SAN JOSE, Oct. 8.—The Board of Su-
pervisors, topped off the heads of four
county employes to-day and cut the salary
of another 33-1/3 per cent. This step was
taken in the interest of economy and was
brought about by the Board of Supervisors
to the recent Supreme Court decision.

IRISH AND FURUSETH
DEBATE ON UNIONISM
Acrimony Is Displayed in Discussion
of the Benefits to Labor of
Organization.

Colonel John P. Irish and Andrew Fur-
useth, secretary of the Sailors' Union, de-
bated the question, "Is Trade Unionism
in all of its aspects beneficial to the labor-
ing classes?" last night before the Mea's
League of the First Congregational
Church of Oakland. The lecture room of
the church was crowded with an audience
of men and the participants of the de-
bate frequently applauded their respec-
tive champions.

SEEK TO Avenge
GRABBER'S
Shots Fired by Gun-Man
at Suey Dun Tong
Highbinder.

Yee Kit, who was shot on Saturday
night by gunmen of the Suey Dun Tong,
died last evening at the Emergency Hos-
pital. The tongue to which Kit belonged at
once took up the work of revenge and
three hours after he died highbinder
was a hold attempt to murder Yip Suey,
a prominent member of the rival organiza-
tion. Three shots were fired at Yip Suey.
None of them took effect, but the pistol
was placed so close to his body that his
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ficers Tyrell and Tillman and charged with
the crime. The shooting took place at the
corner of Dupont and Washington streets.

CITY IS ENTITLED TO
POSSESSION OF LANDS
Trespassers on Channel Street, Be-
tween Ninth and Fourteenth,
Will Be Ejected.

City Attorney Lane advised the Board
of Supervisors yesterday that the Su-
preme Court in the case of the city of San
Francisco against John C. Center et al., has
just confirmed the right of the city and
county to all the land heretofore claimed
by the LeRays, which lay in the bed of
Channel street, as delineated on the Van
Ness map. The tract consists of a con-
siderable number of acres and includes
between what are now called Eleventh and
Fourteenth streets. Lane says in his com-
munication:

The city is entitled to possession of this
property and possession should be taken. Al-
though the decision referred to implies in
terms that the city is not to be disturbed
in the suit, namely, all the land southwest
of Ninth street within the exterior boundary
of Channel street, as delineated on the Van
Ness map, as these boundaries are defined in
that case, I therefore advise that all the land
within the tract just described be taken into
possession of the city and that any and all
persons who are occupying the same be re-
moved therefrom by force if necessary, and
that any and all persons who authorize me
to bring suit against them in the city's be-
half to eject them and quiet the city's title to
the premises.

Licensed to Marry.

AKLAND, Oct. 8.—Licenses to marry
were issued to-day to George A. Alexander,
over 21 years, and Estelle Winsor, over
21, both of Oakland; John M. Mendel,
21, Oakland; and William J. Zaver,
22, Hayward; Henry A. Duffield, 21,
Fresno, and Mary Sperry, 27, San Fran-
cisco.

Asks Damages for Personal Injuries.

William Hamilton filed a suit against
the Martel Power Company yesterday for
\$25,000 damages for injuries which he al-
leges he received at 66 Fremont street
while operating an elevator.

Buildw's Contracts.

Theodor Blinner (owner) with Joseph Bucher
(contractor), architect. All work for a
3-story frame building on lot on S line of Four-
teenth street, 120 W. of Valencia, W 23 by S
120; \$350.

Damaged in a Collision.

The French bark Duplex was damaged
in a collision last week, according to a
dispatch to the Merchants' Exchange yes-
terday. She left here on May 1 with 69,996
centavos worth of cargo, valued at \$70,800. The
cargo was entirely made a fair run, as she put into
St. Nazaire, France, yesterday. The dis-
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Injured While Diving.

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mer, received two bad fractures of his
left arm yesterday while diving in Suc-
cess bath. Elizabeth Sorensen, his wife,
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Bicycle Thief's Hard Luck.

SAN JOSE, Oct. 8.—Frank Cashner, who
stole a bicycle here a few weeks ago, was
to-day sentenced by Judge Lorigan to two
years in San Quentin. Cashner was for-
merly engaged in the insurance business
in Oakland and acquired some notoriety
a few months ago when he was stabbed
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WIVES' RICHNESS
STARS BOLIVIA

South Americans Covet
the Santo Domingo
Property.

LIMA, Peru, Oct. 8.—It is asserted here
on reliable authority that the greed of Bol-
ivia has been excited by the wealth of
the Santo Domingo mines, which are the
property of the Inca Mining Company, an
American organization. The Bolivians de-
clare that the mines are on Bolivian terri-
tory, which they assert extends to the
Amazon River.

Government of Peru Will Op-
pose the Claim to the
Land.

The Government of Peru is determined
to oppose this contention firmly. To-mor-
row the Peruvian Minister to Bolivia,
Dr. Felipe Camacho, will proceed to La Paz,
the capital of Bolivia, to discuss the issue
as well as other questions.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Table with columns for Hotel Name and Arrivals. Includes PALACE HOTEL, GRAND HOTEL, NEW WESTERN HOTEL, and IRISH AND FURUSETH.

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