NEWS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

PERKINS HAS STATE PRIDE

California Exhibit at St. Louis Fills Him With Great Hope for the Future

TELLS OF LEGISLATION

Says Republicans Have Made Good Laws and Kept Nation in Advance of World

OAKLAND, May 11.—United States Senator George C. Perkins returned to-night to Oakland from Washington, having stopped en route at the St. Louis exposition. The Senator is elated over California's exhibit and declares that it is one of the finest displays of agricultural, horticultural and mineral wealth ever made by any community in the world. Senator Perkins spoke highly of the work by Congress and paid a compliment to his Republican colleagues from California. Of legislation the Senator pointed particularly to the enactment that will continue to bar Chinese coolie immigration. "This was a Republican measure, prepared by a Republican State Department, indorsed by a Republican Attorney General, introduced into the House by Congressman Hitt, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, and in the Senate by Perkins, also a Republican, and signed by a Republican President," said Senator Perkins. "Though the treaty with China lapses in December this law will do the work of protection."

The Congress which has just closed has been characterized by a more careful and business-like consideration of appropriations than usual. This was not due to any fear of Democratic criticism, but the natural result of that conservative spirit which yearly becomes more evident in the Republican party as it is called upon to consider questions of greater and greater importance. That our expenditures are increasing is only another way of saying that our country is increasing in population and business. With growth and prosperity our needs increase, and these must be met with increased appropriations. So the necessity for the exercise of that careful scrutiny which every business man gives to his affairs is becoming yearly more pronounced, and chances for charges of extravagance are becoming fewer.

Appropriations authorized by the session just closed aggregate $781,574,629. Of this sum $83,301,843 was for deficiencies for the current and preceding fiscal years and the sum for application to the sinking fund, the latter being $56,500,000. Thus the amount for the current expenses of the Government for the fiscal year 1904-05 is $686,272,786. This is well within the estimated revenue for that fiscal year, which is placed at $704,472,060. But it being a well-established fact that the actual expenditures are about 5 per cent less than the appropriations—it is probable that there will here be a surplus of about $35,000,000, or a total excess of over $40,000,000 in appropriations. Thus all deficiencies are more than likely to be covered by that sum, and a large amount left for the sinking fund.

LARGE APPROPRIATIONS.

The great departments of the Government, submitted to Congress at the beginning of the session estimates calling for $642,502,386. These figures were cut down by Congress to $612,300,966—a reduction of $30,000,000 only. The appropriations in the Indian and Postoffice bills exceeded the estimates, the former by $2,000,000 and the latter by about $6,000,000. The army estimates were cut down $7,000,000; District of Columbia, $2,000,000; fortifications, about $5,000,000; legislative, $1,200,000; navy, nearly $5,000,000. The grand total of estimates was $83,794,206; the grand total of appropriations was $781,574,629—a reduction of $50,000,000.

It will be noted that the appropriations for 1905 exceed those of the current year by $28,000,000. This increase is composed of the following items: For the District of Columbia, $2,085,643, which provides for the abolition of grade crossings, a new highway bridge, a filtration plant costing nearly $1,000,000, and a municipal building; fortifications, less than $400,000; Indian service, $1,000,000; legislative, $1,000,000; military academy, $275,000; navy, $16,000,000, of which $7,000,000 is for new construction, $2,500,000 for new building at Naval Academy; $2,463,000 for public works at navy-yards and naval stations; postoffice, $19,000,000, of which $8,000,000 is for letter-carriers, clerks at sub-stations and rural free delivery service. There is also an apparent increase of $8,800,000 in permanent appropriations, but this is on paper practically, most of this sum being for the national note redemption account, as is a simple bookkeeping matter. There is another increase of $2,250,000 in the reclamation fund, which goes for reclamation purposes. There is also an item of $750,000 which represents the increase for the supply of arms to the national guard and militia. The sum of these increases, deducting reductions made, gives the net increase for the fiscal year. It will be noted that the principal items of increase refer to the navy and the postoffice—two branches of the public service which are of the greatest importance to our well-being.

The principal new legislation for appropriations in California and the Pacific Coast is as follows:

Custom-house, San Francisco	$100,000
Light station, Point Conception	1,500
Fisheries, Alaska	40,000
National parks	17,400
Educating Alaska natives	207,000
Improving rivers and harbors, California	444,000
Presidio Cemetery and grounds	20,000
Debris Commission	15,000
Mail boats, Alaska	45,000
Study of California grape stocks	12,000
Improvement sugar beet	10,000
Naval training station	54,000
Mare Island Navy-yard	298,400
Collier, to be constructed	625,000
Cables and roads, Alaska	376,580
Transfer of light ships to Pacific	20,000
Negative contracts, Alaska	10,000
Enforcement Chinese exclusion	600,000
Indian service	15,000
Reindeer for Alaska	25,000
Total	$2,733,880

Investigation for immigrant station authorized, investigation for Oakland harbor authorized, and investigation of condition of landless Indians of California authorized.

In addition to the appropriation bills, there has been much very important legislation during the past session. The first was that granting reciprocity to Cuba, which was promised by us, and which we were in duty bound to grant so far as it does not interfere with any of our domestic producers. The treaty as arranged is, and will prove to be, of mutual advantage, while at the same time it places our neighboring republic on a sure financial foundation, thus relieving us of the danger of dangerous complications which would have followed if the island had fallen into difficulties. We have also passed laws that will be invaluable to the people of the Philippines in establishing a stable government, which is now only a matter of education and of time.

FILIPINOS ARE LEARNING.

The Philippine people have shown themselves to be tractable, ambitious of becoming self-dependent, and capable of assimilating our own ideas which lead to prosperity and well-being, and Congress has taken steps in the legislation to which reference is made to assist them as fast and as far as circumstances warrant. The work of developing the resources of the islands will soon begin to give results, and the Filipinos will be encouraged and assisted by all needed legislation to make the best use of the sources of wealth which are so abundant. During the past session the great project of an isthmian canal has been put into shape for the commencement of actual work. The transfer of the property of the French company has been made, control of a canal zone has been secured, and a law for its government has been enacted. The commission that has been appointed—on which our state is represented—has now only to formulate a plan of action. Preliminary work in the way of sanitation will be very soon commenced, and in a few months the great enterprise will be well under way. What this means to the Pacific Coast every producer and merchant well understands. It will virtually bring the markets of Eastern ten thousand miles nearer those who raise our bulky and cheap products, and the result cannot fail to be stimulating to the business of our farmers, canners and others who prepare our produce for consumption.

In the appropriation bills are found many appropriations in which our agriculturists and horticulturists—especially those of California—are immediately interested. Money appropriated for the use of the Agricultural Department produces a return which grows greater every year, and in which all who have to do with the soil participate. It is perhaps the most immediately useful of all the departments of the Government, and comes closer to the people. The study of plant life in experiment stations, by the Bureau of Plant Industry, by the Bureau of Soils, etc., has been of inestimable value to our farmers, and its uses become more varied and valuable as knowledge is gained through the experience of trained observers. We have established a seed garden at Chico for the study and development of the best kind of seeds for the agriculturist.

TO STUDY VINES.

We have appropriated money for the study of California vine stocks with a view of securing—if it is true that will resist the phylloxera, and save our existing vineyards, while rendering it possible to plant others. What that means to a land so suited to grape culture few besides those directly interested realize. The Secretary of Agriculture is also about to take up the scientific study of the sugar beet, which is a source of great profit to the farmer and the foundation of a great growing interest. The variety of beet best suited for the purpose will be ascertained, or new and better varieties will be actually created by scientific methods beyond the reach of the farmer, and he will receive free all the benefits which will accrue. The study of animal life in health and disease is also being prosecuted scientifically, and its results are fully appreciated by those who possess or raise stock. Scientific study is also given to means through which crops may be protected from injury by their many enemies; orchardists are assisted in making the trees more profitable; even the weather is studied with a view of benefiting the farmer through a knowledge of different conditions and their bearing on growing crops. And in connection with this the Interior Department is manifesting great energy in studying the irrigation problems in different States, which is of particular importance to California, and is reclaiming lands that are now barren for lack of water. It is also very active in going to the original sources of our streams protecting them from destruction by the establishment of forest reserves and national parks. Without such care not many years would elapse before irrigation would be impossible, and regions now fertile would be turned again to deserts.

Necessary authorization has been given to extend our system of fortifications, which are as necessary to our safety as is our navy, and in time we shall be protected on land by adjuncts to our fleet, which is our first line of defense against an enemy—for there will be none from the land side. In consequence authorization for adequate increase of our navy is yearly given. At the last session one first-class battleship, two first-class armored cruisers, three scout cruisers and two colliers were authorized. The California delegation is pleased in having secured one of these colliers for construction at a navy yard on the Pacific Coast, which will undoubtedly be Mare Island. As our army is needed for hardly anything else than police duty in our outlying possessions and for the preservation of Government works at home, it has been reduced to about 57,000 men.

On the whole, in my opinion, the work of the session just ended is of the greatest importance and is taken on lines involving the greatest well being of our people as a whole. I think that high purpose and good judgment are manifested in what has been done and am convinced that the people are well satisfied.

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BRINGS SUIT FOR HIS FEE

Colonel Irish Invokes Law to Recover for Services in Salvador Claims Case

ITEMS FOOT UP $100,000

Litigant Declares He Won Half a Million for His Clients in a Hard Fight

Oakland Office San Francisco Call, 1118 Broadway, May 11.

Colonel John P. Irish has filed suit in the Superior court against the Salvador Commercial Company to recover $100,000 alleged to be due for services rendered the company in a successful contest to gain nearly $500,000 from the Government of Salvador for seizure of El Trifuno Company's properties, in which the Commercial Company was chief stockholder. On petition of Colonel Irish the Union National bank has been temporarily restrained from disposing of bonds and certificates the bank holds as trustee for the Salvador Commercial Company pending the litigation. Judge Ellsworth made that order to-day. Colonel Irish's counsel is Olney & Olney.

Colonel Irish's suit grows out of a failure to effect a satisfactory settlement with the Salvador Commercial Company for his work in negotiations over the corporation's claim against Salvador. This company pressed its demands for damages out of the seizure and confiscations of valuable concessions, frachises and other rights granted to El Trifuno Company, which were to develop enormous shipping and other interests in Salvador. The Commercial Company, holding the chief interest, it is averred, employed Colonel Irish in 1899 to present its claims against Salvador before the State Department of the United States and to procure its intervention in behalf of Colonel Irish's clients. This, his complaint alleges, was done, and the service, he declares, requiring high skill and knowledge, was worth $25,000.

Item two of the complaint recites that Colonel Irish was retained by the Salvador Commercial Company to represent it in negotiations with the Salvador Government. Colonel Irish avers that he caused the claim finally, through a treaty between the United States and Salvador, to be submitted to a court of arbitration, composed of the Right Honorable Sir Henry Strong, Chief Justice of Canada; Senor Dr. Don Jose Roca Pacas, Salvador's Minister to the United States, and Hon. Don M. Dickinson, United States Minister to Salvador. This commission found for the Salvador Commercial Company for $494,339 53.

Colonel Irish declares he had full charge of the company's case through all these proceedings, and he believes $50,000 of the $60,000 awarded by the board for counsel fees is his fair share.

The third count covers a claim of $25,000 as a fee for resisting the attempt of the Government of Salvador to reopen the claim matter, after refusing to accept the arbitration award. A settlement was effected on the basis of a payment of $428,000 to the Salvador Commercial Company. The three counts total $100,000.

Thomas Prather, president of the Union National Bank, explained that the bank is not interested except as a trustee.

The directors of the company are William R. Davis, William Lair Hill, W. Frank Pierce, Albert Brown, J. W. Phillips, W. B. Hamilton, S. P. Channel, A. W. Burrell and A. Ray Burrell. William R. Davis and William Lair Hill are attorneys for the company. Judge Ellsworth will hear arguments Friday for a permanent restraining order against the bank.

OAKLAND MERCHANTS MEET AT ANNUAL BANQUET BOARD

New Officers of the Exchange Are Installed.

OAKLAND, May 11.—The annual banquet of the Merchants' Exchange was held this evening at the Hotel Metropole, and nearly 100 members and a number of invited guests, including Mayor Olney, Councilmen George W. Dornin and Walter Meese and Supervisor John Mitchell, gathered to hear the reports of the officers of the organization on the last year's work. A. Jonas, the newly elected president of the exchange, welcomed the members and guests in a brief address, saying:

Members of the Merchants' Exchange and distinguished visitors: It affords me much pleasure, and I feel it a great honor, to extend to you a hearty and cordial welcome to this, the annual banquet of the Merchants' Exchange. I feel myself especially privileged to have been chosen to fill the office of president at this time, when our organization has reached its present important and auspicious eminence, from which it can look back with pride at what has already been accomplished and can look ahead with encouragement to still greater accomplishments in the advancement of the civic welfare of Oakland, the fairest, the most beautiful and the most promising city on the Pacific Coast.

The motto of this evening is expressive of the aims and objects of our work and purposes. Our motto this evening is "Progress," and progress is what has always stimulated our ambition as merchants and citizens of this glorious country, of this progressive State and of this growing city.

And I am glad to be able to state, in the name of our entire membership, before the chief magistrate of our State and before the father of our city, that the Merchants' Exchange has contributed not only to the material growth, but also to the moral progress of Oakland. The exchange has helped to bring Oakland business men to a better understanding with each other and to a closer relationship.

The Merchants' Exchange of Oakland has already passed through its trial period. Its position is a permanent one, and any one who has heard its voice or has read of its enterprise must regard it as an indispensable institution to the welfare of Oakland.

As president of this institution I wish to put particular stress on the statement that our ambitions and work are not selfish. We simply strive to become a benefiting factor in the promotion of Oakland's common good and in the progress of Oakland's general interests. It is our ambition to help to bring Oakland to the front, not only among America's progressive business cities, but also among America's wideawake and enlightened communities.

PRESIDENT GIER'S REPORT.

After the service of the menu Past President Theo. Gier read his report for the year past, which was in part as follows:

Gentlemen: At the close of another year in the history of the Merchants' Exchange, I feel that I can truthfully say that it has been the most successful and useful year that we have known. At our last annual meeting we looked forward with a great deal of hope to all that might be accomplished during the coming year. To-night I feel that not only have we accomplished all that we anticipated, but that we have done even better. Several important matters have been taken up by our exchange and have been carried to a successful conclusion, and other matters of which we had no thought at that time are now under your direction being cared for in the most gratifying way.

One of the most gratifying tasks carried to a successful conclusion by the Merchants' Exchange is the completion and opening of the tunnel road into our sister county. This work has engaged our attention for some years, but with a tenacity worthy of the cause, your exchange has stuck to its task and finally accomplished everything that it started out to do. It is proper at this time to express our thanks to Supervisor Rowe, who worked so hard on this side, and to Mr. Stowe, who did equally good service on the Contra Costa side.

For several years past this exchange has made it its duty and, although a hard one, none the less pleasing, to carry out a fitting celebration on the Fourth of July. Last year the demonstration on the national holiday was all that it should be, and I have no doubt that this year we shall again succeed in bringing many thousands of people to our rapidly developing city and impressing upon them the fact that we are still going ahead building for all that will help the making of Greater Oakland.

Last fall, at a time when circumstances were decidedly against us because of the lateness of the date at which the affair was held, we prepared and maintained a most creditable county exhibit at the State Fair at Sacramento and succeeded in carrying off third prize in the contest for the best county exhibit. This was doubly gratifying because of the difficulties under which the exhibit was prepared. We were aided substantially in this effort by the Supervisors, and the report of our special meeting to the County Board of Supervisors was characterized as being most satisfactory.

The Merchants' Exchange is now engaged in superintending at the World's Fair at St. Louis the most representative exhibit ever sent from Alameda County. More than a year ago your exchange undertook to agitate the necessity of and to undertake the carrying out so far as lay within its power of the improvement of Telegraph avenue. Much personal work was done by your secretary and by individual members of the exchange, interesting property owners, overcoming protests and encouraging in every way this great work. I am pleased to be able to report that at this time most of the contracts have been let for improving this important highway, which connects Oakland with the State University, and that much of the preliminary work has been done.

I cannot, however, close these remarks without saying a few words on the tremendous impetus with which Oakland is now pressing forward in her commercial and civic career. It needs but a casual glance to prove that there was never anything like the amount of building going on in this city that there is today—perhaps there was never half so much going on at one time. And yet we have not sufficient residences to accommodate the new people that are flocking into our city. This development is not confined to any particular section—it is general; it extends from the bay to Fruitvale, and from the foothills to the water front. All of this activity has stimulated every branch of trade, and I may say that on the whole Oakland is as prosperous to-day as any city in the Union. Nor is there anything to suggest that this prosperity will not continue for years to come.

The Merchants' Exchange and the Oakland Board of Trade are co-operating to carry out a fitting celebration to the first Santa Fe train to come to our city. The terminus of its terminus in Oakland by this great transcontinental system is an event of importance. It will give Oakland prestige and will raise its value as a commercial center throughout the entire country. Several of our directors are on the executive committee of this celebration, and I most earnestly request every member of your exchange and every citizen of Oakland to do everything within their power to make this occasion worthy of the event which has called it forth.

A few weeks ago we voted to issue school bonds and we are soon to have an opportunity to vote on a bond issue for general improvements. It should be our duty to support any legitimate bond proposition that will assist in the development of our city.

BALANCE IN EVERY FUND.

Wilbur Walker, the secretary, reported, showing a balance in every fund.

Mayor Warren Olney delivered a brief address on "The Progress of the City of Oakland." The other speakers and their subjects were: "Progress of Alameda County," President of Board of Supervisors John Mitchell; "Municipal Progress," President of Council George W. Dornin; address, President of Board of Trade H. C. Capwell; "The Press," E. A. O'Brien; "Progress of the Merchants' Exchange," George W. Arper. It was expected that Governor Pardee would be present at the banquet, but at the last moment the Governor found that he could not attend and sent the following telegram of regret:

Theo. Gier—Dear Sir: I very much regret that it will be impossible for me to attend the annual banquet of the Merchants' Exchange, owing to important public duties necessitating my presence elsewhere. Allow me to offer you and the Merchants' Exchange my congratulations for the results attained by them in their effort for the progress of Oakland and Alameda County. GEORGE C. PARDEE.

A telegram was received from W. H. Weilbye, the treasurer, who is now in St. Louis installing the Alameda County exhibit, wishing prosperity to the new administration.

MEMBERS OF OAKLAND'S MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE WHO WERE PARTICIPANTS IN THE FESTIVITIES HELD LAST NIGHT THAT BROUGHT TOGETHER PROMINENT MEN OF ALAMEDA COUNTY'S METROPOLIS.

SAY THE DUMPS ARE A MENACE

Blanket Injunction Asked For to Restrain Scavengers From Operating in City

Oakland Office San Francisco Call, 1118 Broadway, May 11.

A writ of injunction has been asked for restraining the scavengers of the city from dumping garbage within the city limits. Suit to this end was begun this afternoon by Health Officer von Adelung and is a step toward putting the scavengers out of business. The city has given the Pacific Incinerating Company a monopoly of the garbage business in consideration of the fact that a crematory be established. An ordinance was passed making it unlawful to dump garbage inside the city. Notwithstanding this, the scavengers have continued to do business, and after a score or more of them had been arrested prosecutions were discontinued.

The present action looks to reach them in another way. Joseph Folcia and W. Grondona own a tract of land in West Oakland upon which they allow dumping. The injunction is asked for to restrain them and about forty scavengers from using these grounds for this purpose. It is set forth that the decaying of vagetable and animal matter is a menace to the health of the community, and if the injunction is granted this will stop the dumping of garbage within the city limits.

UNIVERSITY EVENTS

BERKELEY, May 11.—The members of the senior class will hold a picnic next Tuesday in Co-ed Canyon. This outing is designed to take the place of the trip to Mrs. Phoebe Hearst's home at Pleasanton, a trip to which the class would have been invited had Mrs. Hearst been in California. A caterer has been engaged and luncheon will be served, besides which there will be an impromptu programme. The committee in charge consists of William W. Mott (chairman), Eugene S. Kilgore, Rolph Thelen, George S. Young, Jerome B. White, Miss Margaret Henderson, Miss Dorinda E. Whitten, Edna E. Reichenbach, Miss Virginia Whitehead, Miss Talullah Le Conte and Miss Susie M. Daniel.

In her address before the Ebell Club yesterday in Oakland Mrs. Kate Bulkeley devoted five minutes to the subject of a clubhouse loan fund, which it is proposed that the Federation of Women's Clubs shall raise. The plan is to gather $1000 and lend the amount to a club of fifteen university women, who will furnish a clubhouse according to their own ideas. The sum will be repaid in installments until the whole is returned and then the money will be lent to another club of women. There are 900 members of the federation and Mrs. Bulkeley suggests that each of these be assessed 10 cents in order to raise the sum necessary. Four women's clubs already exist in Berkeley, three of which were founded with the aid of funds loaned by Mrs. Hearst.

Professor W. S. Blasdale of the chemistry department has been granted a leave of absence for a year, during which time he will devote himself to research work at the University of Berlin. His studies will be concerned principally with electrolysis and quantitative analysis.

DISMISSES CHARGE OF LIBEL AGAINST EDITOR

C. Leidecker Makes His Word Good Before Justice of the Peace Quinn.

OAKLAND, May 11.—The charge of criminal libel preferred against C. Leidecker, editor of the Fruitvale Progress, was dismissed by Justice of the Peace Quinn to-day.

Leidecker accused J. T. Grubb, a Fruitvale school director, of having collected commissions on the school printing he had to give out. V. Medina, the printer who did the work, testified that Grubb had given him two different jobs and after getting his figures had nearly doubled the bills and pocketed the difference. Upon this showing Quinn held that a charge of libel against the editor would not stick.

GIRL RETURNED TO HER HUSBAND

Plot for Melodrama Develops Out of Abduction of Mrs. Jeanie Desouza

Oakland Office San Francisco Call, 1118 Broadway, May 11.

The forcible abduction of Jeanie Desouza, a 17-year-old wife, by her father, and the hearing of the habeas corpus proceedings instituted by John Desouza this afternoon, developed the fact that the girl is a prospective heiress. The dramatis personae include a young country girl, Jeanie Bamber, from Guerneville, who falls in love with a waiter, John Desouza, and marries him. She has a rich grandmother by the name of Catherine Griffin, who lives in Santa Rosa, and who promises to leave the girl her money. The girl tells her story to two attorneys, who secure a contract from her to get her estate for her when her gradmother dies for one-half the property. She thinks the matter over and believes she has made a bad bargain. She tells her story to Private Detective Erwin Frost, who finds the girl's father and helps him abduct the girl and lock her up in a room for two nights. They are forced to bring the the girl into court to-day and she is released from the custody of the father and given back to her husband.

The hearing of the matter this afternoon filled the courtroom with attorneys. Jeanie Desouza, the stolen girl, was placed on the stand and told how her father came to her home with Detective Frost and took her in a buggy to Frost's office, at 55 Broadway. That night the father slept in the same room with the girl in order to see that she did not run away. The next night they went to the Hotel Touraine and the father locked his daughter in her room and kept the key.

John Bamber testified that he and his wife had separated in 1887, six weeks after their marriage, and the girl in court was the issue of that union. He said that he had always been willing to take care of the child, but when the mother died several years later he consented to the grandmother keeping the child. Within the last month he heard that his daughter was living a vagabond life and he came here to get possession of her. He said that she would not be 18 years of age until May 22, and that he had never given his consent to her marriage.

After hearing the testimony Judge Melvin said that while the girl was not of age he believed that the husband had the prior right to the care of the girl and ordered the father to let her go. As soon as John Bamber, the father, stepped outside the courtroom he was arrested by a deputy constable on the complaint of Attorney Russell on a charge of disturbing the peace.

Spanish War Men Organize.

BERKELEY, May 11.—Veterans of the Spanish war living in Berkeley took the first steps last night to form a permanent organization. They met in the offices of Newton & Needham and temporarily organized by choosing August Vollmer chairman and W. S. Wilde secretary. It was ascertained that 150 veterans of the late war reside in Berkeley and these will be invited to join. Those present were August Vollmer, W. S. Wilde, W. G. Needham, P. A. Mix, H. W. Jones, B. P. Baker, J. W. Annis, W. G. Dandy, F. B. Begley and Payson Riggs.

Marriage Licenses.

OAKLAND, May 11.—The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk to-day: Milton R. Cannon, over 21 years old, and Katherine F. Baker, over 18, both of Oakland; Patrick Crowley, 21, and Martha Collins, over 18, both of San Francisco; Homer F. Pitman, 26, and Victoria Cuka, 20, both of San Francisco.

HEAVY DAMAGES ARE DEMANDED

Young Woman Doctor Has Suit Begun Against Head of State Medical Board

DR. CARVIN ATTACKS

Papers Prepared Claiming $10,000 From Dr. Dudley Tait Because of Arrest

Oakland Office San Francisco Call, 1118 Broadway, May 11.

Dr. C. La Verna Carvin, the young medical graduate of the University of Michigan, who was acquitted yesterday on a charge of practicing medicine without a license, has opened fire on the State Board of Medical Examiners. She has selected Dr. Dudley Tait, president of the board, as the first target in her contest.

Dr. Carvin to-day directed her attorney, E. M. Gibson, to file a suit for $10,000 damages against Dr. Tait for alleged malicious prosecution. The young woman says this suit will speedily be followed by an action to compel the State Board of Medical Examiners to grant her application for an examination, that a license to practice medicine may be issued to her.

The suit will be directed against Dr. Tait, who swore to the complaint as president of the State Board of Medical Examiners, upon which Dr. Carvin was prosecuted in the Police Court. In accordance with his client's instructions, Attorney Gibson has begun the preparation of papers. The attorney said the suit would be filed to-morrow in the Superior Court.

"Following this litigation," said Attorney Gibson, "we expect to find a way to reach the State Board, which has refused to allow Dr. Carvin to take the examination, although she is a graduate from one of the leading medical colleges of the United States, namely the University of Michigan Medical Department.

"Dr. Tait swore to a complaint directly charging Dr. Carvin with practicing medicine without a license. We say he had no right to swear to the complaint because he was not in a position to know of his own knowledge that it was true. He relied entirely upon statements of a hired spy, a woman, and that is entirely insufficient. We denounce the arrest of Dr. Carvin as outrageous and the prosecution as a disgrace. Dr. Carvin, as the evidence clearly showed yesterday, had followed to the letter every preliminary requirement of the State Board touching her application for a license. She had deposited her examination fee of $20 and had been told that everything would be all right. She had not accepted a penny for fees and was waiting for the examination day, when her arrest came."

Dr. Carvin declared positively that Dr. George G. Gere, secretary of the State Board, told her that in case any complaint were made at the office no attention would be paid to it as she had met all of the requirements pending the date of holding the examination.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY

By Zoe Breen Radcliffe.

OAKLAND, May 11.—If there is one thing on earth about which there is a halo of never-lessening interest it is a wedding—especially when the wedding is of two clever and popular young people. The nuptials of Miss Ella Goodall and Dr. Charles Miner Cooper this evening were of more than ordinary interest. Not only because the wedding was a brilliant social event, but because the bride's family is known the length and breadth of the Pacific Coast, her father, Edwin Goodall, being a member of the pioneer steamship firm of Goodall, Perkins & Co.

The bride is an only daughter and an unusually charming girl, vivacious, accomplished and cultured, having spent much of her time in travel abroad.

About two hundred guests witnessed the ceremony this evening, the invitations having been limited to relatives and intimate friends. The appointments of the wedding were unusually elaborate, especially the floral decorations, which were, however, in excellent taste. The stairway and hall were festooned with garlands and festoons wreaths of laurel, while in the rear drawing-room was a glowing mass of golden and purple iris.

The prettiest spot and the center of attraction was the great round window in the front drawing-room, which had been transformed into a rustic bower. Boughs of hawthorn lined the window and interlaced their blossom-laden branches overhead. A low, rustic wood railing formed a gateway and gave a pleasing rural touch to the picture.

Within this bower the bride and groom pledged their troth and received the nuptial benediction of Rev. C. R. Brown, pastor of the First Congregational Church.

It is impossible to do justice to the beauty of the bride's gown—it can only be described as an exquisite combination of chiffon cloth and carrickmacross cross lace, the berthe and flounced sleeves being of the rare old Irish lace. A tulle veil covered the bride's dark hair and the bridal bouquet was a shower of white orchids and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. W. H. Skene of Portland, Or., was a charming matron of honor in a gown of pink embroidered crepe. She carried an armfull of pink American Beauty roses.

One of the prettiest features of the bridal procession was seen in the six little flower-bearers. Dressed in the daintiest of white frocks and bearing garlands of Duchess roses, the sextet of little girls—Helen Goodall, Susette Greenwood, Margaret Moseley, Helen Breck, Margaret Adams and Elizabeth Adams—preceded the bride through the aisles formed by ribbons in the hands of Charles Fields and Frank Owens. Dr. Cooper was attended by his brother, Edwin T. Cooper.

Supper was served in the billiard-room upstairs. Twenty-six were seated at the bride's table, which was beautifully decorated with Duchess roses and white iris.

After a short honeymoon Dr. and Mrs. Cooper will spend the summer at the Goodall home in Oakland, pending the furnishing of their own residence in San Francisco.

Dr. Cooper has built up quite a successful practice across the bay, although he has been in this State only a few years. He is a native of England and a graduate of the famous University of Edinburgh, Scotland.

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Miss Phyllis Mather, who has been visiting Miss Ruth Kales for some time, is preparing to leave for her home in Providence, R. I., next Wednesday. Miss Mather has been widely entertained during her stay in Oakland, and now her last few days here are being devoted to a merry round of sightseeing. To-day she and Miss Kales were members of an automobile party that crossed the bay.

The week following Miss Mather's arrival in Providence she will leave for a trip abroad.

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Mrs. M. L. Broadwell entertained the Harmony Whist Club last week—the last meeting of the season, by the way. Mrs. Bartholomew and Mrs. Joseph Hunt were the lucky prize winners.

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To-day is the golden wedding anniversary of ex-Mayor and Mrs. Anson Barstow. Mrs. Barstow has been suffering for some time from the effects of an accident, so the occasion was rather a sad than a joyous one. Friends had not forgotten, however, and some beautiful roses delighted the invalid.

BERKELEY, May 11.—The wedding of Miss Cassie Darrah and Edward J. Wren will take place on June 29 at St. Joseph's Church. It will be a society event that will be largely attended. The bride has already chosen her maid of honor in Miss Rose McDonald. J. A. Brogan of San Francisco will be the best man.

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Miss Mabel Clay entertained a number of her young friends last Friday evening at her home, 2435 Bancroft way. The time was passed in dancing and afterward a supper was served. The guests were the Misses Anna Whitley, Irene Coil, Ethel Anglyn, Jessie Clark, Maggie Clark, Alta McConville, Ernith McConville, Mazie Thompson, Alice Gallagher, Ida Turner, Lena Chase, Mary Armstrong, Louise French, Frances McGill, Mabel James, Ethel McFadyen, Esther Stevens, Lena Schuman, Nina Schuman, Mrs. Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark, Mrs. Coil, Dr. May Morgan, Harry McConville, Alfred Thompson, Jack Gallagher, Frank Lincoln, John Chase, Deb Green, Charles Pond, Charles Avers, Fred Rockwell, Mike Cannon, Ralph McFadyen, Tom Neighbor, Will Turner, Alfred Holmes, Roy Burke, John Rice.

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The wedding of Miss Julia Ethel Musgrove, a senior at the University of California, and Wilmer Glascock took place Tuesday evening at the home of the bride, 1440 Milvia street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. K. Jenness, pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church. The young couple left after the ceremony for a wedding trip and their final destination is Galveston, where the groom is connected with the Santa Fe Railroad.

Miss Inez Shippee of the class of '01 of the University of California will entertain the members of the Gamma Phi Beta sorority at the chapter-house on Channing way Saturday afternoon of this week. Fifty guests have been invited.

ALAMEDA, May 10.—Professor C. D. Perrine of Lick Observatory returned to-day to his post on Mount Hamilton, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Perrine of Alameda avenue.

Martin C. Bischop of Kobe, Japan, will leave to-morrow for his home in the Orient. He has been the guest of the family of J. C. Killam of 1418 Cottage street for a month past.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deardorf and their daughter, Dorothy, have returned from Santa Barbara, where they passed the winter and spring seasons. The Deardorfs will leave the latter part of this month for China.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Alameda County.

TUESDAY, MAY 10.

Henrietta O. L. Brummund to A. Boyenval, lot on E line of Echo avenue at intersection with line dividing lots 2 and 3, thence NE 119, NW 33:4½, SW to E line of Echo avenue, S 36 to beginning, portion of lots 3 and 4, block 16, map No. 3, Glen Echo Tract, recorded May 9, 1904, Oakland; $10.

George and Elizabeth L. Knight to Ernest G. and Mary J. Jeffress (wife), lot on S line of Thirty-eighth street, 385 E of Market, E 41 by S 148, recorded May 9, 1904, Oakland; $10.

Harrison W. and Ella S. Pine (Smith) to George Budd, lot on SE line of Webster street (now Piedmont avenue), 100 SW of Oak avenue, SW 25 by SE 125, portion of subdivision 12 of lot 3, map of subdivision of lots 2, 3, 4 and 42 of map 2, Glen Echo Tract, Oakland; $10.

Sarah A. Stone to Ada S. Bartlett, lot on SE corner of West Fourteenth and Peralta streets, S 57.31, E 101.90, N 55, W 85.42, lots 19 and 20, block 580 A, map of Peralta and Center street lands, warranty deed, Oakland; $1.

Patrick and Ann E. Swift to John Lacoste, lot 3, block L, Klinknerville Tract, val rec'd, Oakland; $——.

Jacob F. and Catherine Keller to Margaret Scully (wife of M.), lot on SE line of Willow street, 27 SW of Taylor, SW 27 by SE 80, portion of lot 9, block 697, Casserly Tract at Point, Oakland; $10.

Ira and Charlotte A. Vaughan to Mary C. Wilson (wife of J. L.), lot on N line of Chase street, 102:6 W of Willow, W 75 by N 135, lots 28 to 30, block 696, same, Oakland; $10.

Mary and Daniel Reynolds to Minnie Reynolds (daughter), lot on N line of Third street, 25 W of Chester, W 25 by N 75, portion of lot 2, block F, Bay View Homestead, Oakland; gift.

Lewis C. Harmon to David Sieburg, lot on N line of Woolsey (Kent) street, 200 W of Tremont, N 100 by E 60, lot 16 and portion lot 17, block Q, amended map Newbury Tract in plat 51, Ranchos V. and D. Peralta, Berkeley; $10.

Walter and Fannie E. Frear to George D. Hutchison, S 37:6 of lot 8, block B, Eureka Homestead, Berkeley; $10.

R. W. and Cassie M. Roble to Golden Gate Real Estate Company, lot on SW corner of Virginia and Walnut streets, S 40, W 85, N to S line of Virginia, E to beginning, portion lots 16 and 17, block B, plat Percy Tract, Berkeley; $10.

Alice C. and Charles A. Bailey (by Raymond H. Bailey, attorney) to Katherine G. Minogue (wife of J. J.), lot on S line of Virginia street, 72.20 W of West, W 42, S 135.60, E 14.20, N 35.60, E 27.80, N 100, portion lots A-13 and ltpe of lot 14, block 11, map block 11, Curtis Tract, Berkeley; $10.

H. B. and Susie L. Belden to Julius Abrahamson, lot on W line of Madison street, 60 S of Fourteenth, S 40 by W 100, block 196, Kellersberger's map Oakland; $10.

Meliscent K. or Milicent K. Blake (by Mrs. E. H. Havens, attorney) to Ernest F. Barry, lot on S line of Parker street, 125 E of Fulton, E 33:4 by S 135, portion of lot 13, block 1455, Berkeley property, maps 1 and 2, Blake Tract, Berkeley; $10.

Pacific Savings Bank to Adeline L. Myers (wife of Charles A.), lot on NE corner of Stuart and Grant streets, E 40 by N 110, portion lots 29, 30 and 31, block 2, map Grove-street Line Tract, Ber