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Alleged Embezzler Under Arrest. M. Mendels, a traveling salesman, was arrested in Los Angeles yesterday on a telegraphic request of Chief Wittman. He is accused of felony embezzlement by G. W. Reynolds, a wholesale underwear merchant at 297 Mission street. Reynolds says that he does not know the extent of money misappropriated by Mendels, but is certain that the sum is in the thousands. The prisoner will be brought to this city by Detective Coleman.

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POICE JUDGE MORGAN DISCUSSES CRIMINALS AND PRISON SYSTEM Believes That Penitentiaries Should Not Be Transformed Into Sanitariums and Finds Virtue in the Doctrine of Lombroso

Jay C. Clark, carpenter, 324 Howard street disqualifed himself for jury service yesterday in Police Judge Morgan's court by declaring that he would not vote to send a person to prison for any crime other than murder. So he was excused from serving in the case of Oscar Schaefer, accused of a grave offense.

"I believe," said Mr. Clark, "that our penal system is radically wrong. Gross cruelties are practiced in the state prisons, and I would not send any offender there unless he committed murder."

"What would you do with the authors of minor crimes?" the Judge inquired.

"I would consign them to reformatory institutions in charge of scientists," was the answer. "Prisons should be maintained for the reformatory instead of the punishment of criminals."

"Yours is not a new theory, Mr. Clark," quoth the Court, "but in practice it has been found wanting. Statistics show that about seventy per cent of the convicts who professed desire to reform and were aided to do so finally returned to crime. Our existing system of treating crime may not be perfect, but half a dozen years' experience as a penitentiary has convinced me that it is as good a one as can be operated under existing social and political conditions. Your suggestion that criminals should be scientifically studied and nursed as invalids is illogical. Fear of punishment is certainly a greater deterrent of crime than fear of being treated as a hospital patient. Transforming our penitentiaries into sanitariums and having society burdened with a score of criminals for every one that now afflicts it. The prison cruelties you have alluded to, Mr. Clark, may be exaggerated, or they may be necessary in the maintenance of prison discipline. Penologists know that men in prison are pretty much like men out of prison in the matter of difference of temperament. Individualism asserts itself whether the individual is clothed in broadcloth. Refractory prisoners must be treated more harshly than prisoners who obey the rules. It is well for society, Mr. Clark, that your humanitarian ideas are not more prevalent, else I'm afraid crime would be even more rampant than it is."

"To some extent I am a sharer of the Lombroso theory that crime is a hereditary disease, but so long as civilization is not prepared to adopt the Lombroso remedy it is our duty as citizens to make the most of the established system for the prevention and punishment of crime. You are excused from serving on this jury. Soon afterward twelve good men and true pronounced Oscar Schaefer not guilty as charged."

Judge Cabanis and the attaches of his chamber headed gingerly and inspected with respectful awe the weapon which John W. Hughes, a bridge builder from Truckee, had concealed on his person when he was arrested for fighting with the bartender of a Third-street saloon. It was a single-barrel, muzzle-loading pistol, very short of barrel and so very wide of bore that it resembled a diminutive old-fashioned mortar. Clerk Barney Callan pronounced it a "Cot d'erringer," and inspection proved it of the vintage of 1852. Mr. Hughes said that he carried the venerable firearm in remembrance of one of his uncles, a famous duelist when California was young and less law-abiding than it has since become. His Honor continued the case till to-day in order to have the pistol inspected by a committee of antiquarians to be selected by himself.

Up spoke William Brown in behalf of himself and four other gentlemen who had been arrested for sleeping with hay bales on the Harrison-street wharf.

"We are not vagrants," said William, "but tourists en route from Vancouver, B. C., to Phoenix, Ariz., for change of climate. The night was warm and our lodging-house was a little more crowded than usual. From the placid bay wanted a breeze, gentle as a babe's breathing. The soothing of tiny wavelets amid the wharf supports came faintly to our ears. We slept. The combined influence of—"

"Twenty-four hours apiece," was Judge Morgan's rude interruption of Mr. Brown's nocturne.

Frank Beery pleaded that he was under the influence of opium fumes when he stole a buggy robe from a vehicle on Post street, near Kearny, last Wednesday afternoon.

"If I hadn't bin full uv de hooch," he inquired, "do youse 'ink I'd a taken any such chance as dat?"

Judge Cabanis proceeeded inability to answer the query with any degree of intelligence, and then sentenced Mr. Beery to three months' imprisonment.

"She came home with a bun on," said John Dunphy, painter, when Judge Morgan asked him why he smashed furniture and terrified his wife in their home at Fourteenth and Noe streets. Patrolman Kinville then testified that discord in the Dunphy dwelling was of bi-weekly occurrence, and the neighborhood complained of it. To which Mr. Dunphy responded by stating that every time there was disorder in his domicile it was provoked by Mrs. Dunphy arriving with "bun on." To express his disapproval of her condition he broke furniture.

"Don't do that any more," said Judge Morgan to Mr. Dunphy. "If you object to a 'bun' once a fortnight, and if she ignores your objection, the best thing you can do is to apply for a divorce. Furniture-smashing is a costly and ineffectual way of expressing your displeasure. Go home now."

Hugo Morris, inspired by a "strongman act" he witnessed at a vaudeville theater, first partook of several drinks of strong waters and then hid him to Montgomery avenue, where he sought to emulate the performance of the modern Samson at the theater. Hiding at the door of a pawnshop, he picked up a heavy trunk with one hand, reached up the other and took three golden balls off their respective hooks, and then he simultaneously hoisted the trunk and juggled the spheres, to the great admiration of all who beheld him, until the pawnbroker summoned a policeman and gave Hugo into custody. The policeman respectfully declined an invitation to allow himself to be lifted into the patrol wagon by Hugo's teeth.

"Twenty-four hours in the City Prison," said Judge Morgan to Hugo; "and please don't try to lift the roof

off the Hall of Justice while you are up there."

Hubert H. Ayres was employed as water tender on the good steamship City of Puebla when she arrived in port the other day and when he came ashore he took with him, packed tightly in a valise, a number of the ship's towels. He expressed wonder how they got where they were found by a suspicious policeman, and to Judge Morgan he opined that he had been made the victim of some ingenious but indiscreet practical joker. Sentence next Tuesday.

Frank Murphy, owner of a hay yard on Ninth street, was arrested for obstructing thoroughfares and fined that the only obstruction he knew of was made by loose straws which were blown by the wind from his yard to the street. After the wags in Judge Morgan's court had said things about "the last straw that broke the law's back," "straws show which way the wind blows," etc., his Honor advised Mr. Murphy to corral his straw more closely and then dismissed the case.

Charles Haro and Max Fox, waiters, were dallying in the headquarters of their trade guild when Charles began toying with a cue and the numbered spheres on a pool table. Some of his shots were so bad as to elicit derisive comment from Max, at which Charles became so angered that he blacked one of Max's eyes with a left swing. Judge Morgan dismissed the case because Max did not seem to be eager to press his complaint.

Eighteen-year-old Louie Vertoutere's father told Judge Morgan that the lad is incorrigibly undutiful and seemingly bent on leading an idle and dissolute life. When his rebellion against parental restraint became unendurable he was sent to a naval training school where the strict discipline there failed to reform him and since his return to shore he has stayed away from his comfortable home and associated with the depraved inmates of a Stockton-street lodging-house. He will be sentenced to-day.

Picture Frames. We have lots of new things in picture frames and hundreds of new patterns in frame moldings recently selected at Eastern factories, which we will be glad to present to any one interested in the beautiful patterns brought out this fall. Sanborn, Vail & Co., 741 Market street.

Houseowners Intervene. Daniel McPhee, R. Z. Norton and twenty-four others, representing themselves to be house-owners and interested in the business of house-moving, yesterday, with Judge Murasky's permission, filed a complaint in intervention in the suit of the United Railroads against D. J. Sullivan and other house-movers. Their complaint is in line with the defense and affidavit of the house-movers and asks the court to decree that the United Railroads has no right to demand compensation for the cutting of its wires when houses are moved; that houses may be moved across the company's lines and proper regulations for the business.

Reno Local Trains Discontinued. Commencing October 1, trains Nos. 13 and 14, Reno locals, running between San Francisco and Reno, will be discontinued. A number of minor changes may also be made.

VETERAN ENDEAVORERS MEET. The Veteran Christian Endeavorers held a meeting last night at the West Side Christian Church on Bush street, between Sixth and Desha streets. The meeting was well attended and speeches were made by many of the prominent members.

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Women's Silk Stocks. 25c. In this lot there are over two hundred different styles of Women's Silk Stocks. They come in many combinations; some are decorated with steel cord and buttons; some have tiny cord and pearl beads; some have short tabs; others have tabs reaching almost to the waist. There are a few that have just the bow. These are our regular 35c and 50c Stocks. This is a special for Friday only.

White Jap Silks. 33c. These Silks are 23 inches wide and are our regular 40c values. They are made with an extra close weave and have proven the most popular silk line produced and offered this season. There has been unusual demand for them. Never has the price been as low for Friday only.

Lace Edgings. 5c. Thousands of yards of good, strong Torchon Lace Edgings and Insertions, that come from one inch to five inches wide. The patterns are copied after the Cluny and Medici Linen Laces. It is worth 8-10c to a yard. This is a special for Friday only.

Women's Flannelette Dressing Sacques. 49c. These Sacques have just arrived and will be placed on special sale to-day at this very small price. They come in beautiful Persian designs and are made of Imperial Flannelette. They are exactly as shown in the drawing. You will find it well worth your while to attend this bargain sale, as the value is here. 90c is the regular selling price.

Wool Zibeline. 38c. This is a 38-inch all-wool Zibeline that is always sold for 50c a yard. It is a beautiful material and is being used now more than ever; colors are brown, navy, myrtle and black.

Eiderdown. 10c. A yard—This is the regular 15c and 20c grade of German Eiderdown. We are showing an unusual pretty assortment of colors—pink, gray, tan and green in neat dots and stripes. This is for Friday only.

Chambray. 5c. A yard—This Chambray comes in light blue and green only and is a fine grade for dresses, waists, etc. It is a 100 quality, but has been placed on sale at just half price for this Friday surprise.

Swiss Curtains. 35c. A pair—A fine ruffled Swiss Curtain that we ordinarily get 75c a pair for will be placed on sale this morning for to-day only at the very low price of 35c. There are only 126 pairs in the lot, so be sure to make your call early in the day. They come in very neat stripes and dots.

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