

NEWS WITH A BANG AT THE BAY

DECLARED UNLAWFUL IS NOT VALID

Attorney Melvin C. Chapman Says Child-Labor Provisions Are Unconstitutional

MEASURE IS NOT LEGAL Says Orphans May Starve if Letter of Statute Is Carried Out by Officials

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—The constitutionality of the child-labor law, enacted by the last Legislature, was attacked by Attorney Melvin C. Chapman this morning when the case of Fred Becker, a well-known meat merchant, was called in the Police Court. Prosecuting Attorney Leach practically agreed that Chapman was right, but at his request the case was continued, so that the attorneys for the State Labor Bureau might be heard.

Chapman recited how Henry Thompkins was alleged to have been killed at Becker's meat market and that he was alleged to have been only 13 years old. Then he declared that the law was unconstitutional in its nature, because it did not refer to all minors, simply applying to minors with parents or guardians. To make his point stronger, Chapman referred to the fact that no one had the right to grant orphans the right to labor under the present law. He declared that orphans were not under the supervision of the superintendent of schools and that the law made no reference to guardians, therefore an orphan might be compelled to starve.

BLOOD CLOT REMOVED FROM BRAIN OF SIMS Successful Operation May Save Life of Injured Autoist.

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—It was thought last night that the life of romance that J. Fletcher Sims had been leading was about to be closed when he was thrown from his automobile in Fruitvale and injured. Finding that he could not get up at first thought to be a fracture at the base of the brain. To-day, however, an operation was performed by Dr. O. D. Hamlin, assisted by Drs. J. M. Kane and C. E. Curtis, and a blood clot was removed from the brain. Now the patient has an even chance for recovery, and this evening it was reported at the Providence Hospital that he was improving.

DR. JOHN FEARN IS SUED FOR DIVORCE Desertion Is Charged, but Pretty Nurse May Figure.

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—The crash that Dame Rumor had long predicted was imminent in the family of young Dr. John Fearn this afternoon when Mrs. Fearn filed a complaint in divorce action charging him with desertion. Desertion is probably not the actuating cause impelling Mrs. Fearn to bring the action. Back of it is said to be a comely nurse, who, Dr. Fearn says, is a necessary companion on many of his cases.

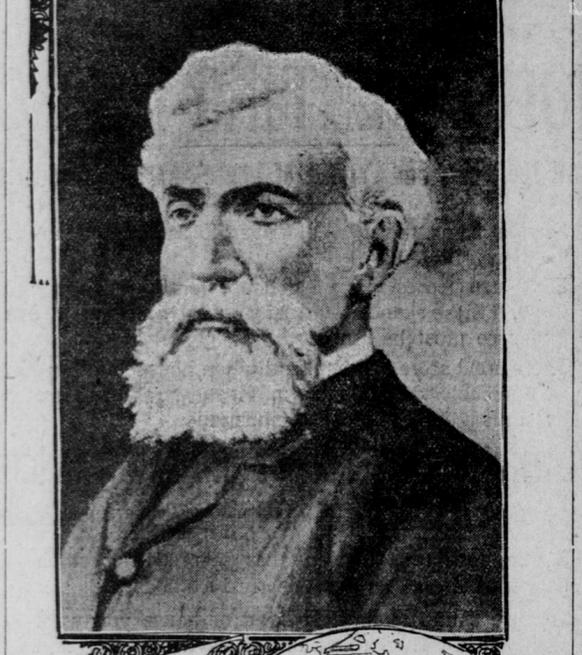
CUPID BRAVES STORM OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—With Cupid on the box, Harry Borromeo and Mrs. Marguerite Kamlade drove through the storm of this morning from San Francisco in a closed carriage with a lift by the ferryboat—and, securing a marriage license, were married in County Clerk Cook's private office. He is 29 and the bride is 25. It was only last week that she was granted a final decree of divorce from her former husband. Her maiden name was Corcoran.

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Positively cured by these Little Pink Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Bowel Complaints. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coal-Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

MILLIONAIRE MATTAINS HIS RIGHTS BY FORCE

Aged Charles H. King Stops Telephone Workmen From Putting Up an Unsightly Pole.



MILLIONAIRE WHO GAVE BATTLE TO WORKMEN AND FINALLY COMPELLED THE TELEPHONE COMPANY TO COME TO TERMS AS TO WHERE A POLE SHOULD BE PLACED IN FRONT OF HIS PROPERTY.

WOLLE WILL ORGANIZE AN ORCHESTRA

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LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY JOLLY EVENTS

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—Mrs. C. B. Wingate's luncheon at the Claremont Country Club to-day was rarely excellent and enjoyable. A cedar-bark table and from its yawning mouth tumbled a wealth of tiny pink buds amidst billows of white and pink tulle. The blossoms twined themselves into a wreath around the table and ended in a great tulle and lace tulle. At each place was a corsage bouquet of Oxalis Bruner roses and an engraved silver suit-case plate, serving at once as favor and place card.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE DIRECTOR CHARGES DELEGATES FROM OAKLAND BOARD OF TRADE MAKE LIVELY DENIALS

Interstate Commerce Meeting at Chicago the Subject of Breezy Discussion

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—Charges have been made by George W. Arper, a director for the Merchants' Exchange, that the Oakland Board of Trade and the newly organized Chamber of Commerce are tools of the Southern Pacific Company; that delegates from the Board of Trade accepted free transportation from the Southern Pacific Company to the Interstate Commerce Convention at Chicago, that the delegates bolted the convention and joined delegates who were working in the interest of the railroads.

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CHURCHES PLAN SERVICES

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—A union Thanksgiving rally of all the central churches of Oakland will be held at the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning, at which the Rev. C. T. Walkley, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, will preach the sermon.

YOUNGER BROTHER WINS

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—A jury this evening broke the will of the late August Manning, who disinherited his younger son, Eugene, and left his entire estate, valued at about \$25,000, to the elder son, George. The will was contested by Attorney Carl Abbott and J. J. McDonald, that the old man had been unduly influenced by the younger son, and that he was not of sound mind when he made his will.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk to-day: Charles B. Grant, 26, and C. C. O'Reilly, 23, both of Berkeley; Patrick J. O'Reilly, 23, and E. P. Fallon, 23, both of Berkeley; John J. Ryan, 23, of Berkeley; John J. Ryan, 23, of Berkeley; George F. Dix, 27, and Alice J. Reynolds, 24, both of Oakland; William M. Cross, 22, Oakland, and Claire F. Howard, 21, San Francisco; James F. Board, 29, and Susan E. Stearns, 25, both of Oakland; Charles R. Rollins, 31, Belvedere, and Lulu M. Levee, 27, Oakland; John Mullan, 28, and Annie Sanders, 25, both of Oakland; Carl H. and Annie D. Levee, 28, Oakland; and Henriette Levee, 28, Fruitvale; Harry Borromeo, 29, and Marguerite Kamlade, 26, both of San Francisco; George B. Beebe, W. and Ann M. Bahr, 20, both of San Francisco; David H. Davidson, 30, San Francisco, and Jennie T. Falkenstein, 25, Berkeley; Thomas D. Stevenson, 23, and Edith A. Gray, 21, both of Berkeley; James P. Jones, 38, and Madeline F. Tallier, 23, both of Oakland.

PORTLAND, Nov. 29.—United States Senator Charles W. Foster of Oregon and Judge C. H. Harvey of this city have been named as delegates to the Oregon Development League to represent the league at the approaching convention of the National Civic Federation at New York.

DIRECTORS OF BERKELEY BLIND INSTITUTE RETIRE OFFICER WHO HELD PLACE FOR YEARS

HE DECLINES TO RESIGN Votes of Three Members Serve to Make Change in the Board's Clerical Force

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—Harrison Clay, a fire insurance broker of Oakland and for more than 10 years secretary and treasurer of the board of directors of the California Institution for the Deaf and Blind at Berkeley, was removed to-day by vote of three members of the board. W. Edwin Griffith, secretary of the California Street Cable Railroad Company in San Francisco, was named to succeed him.

ANALYZING MILK

BERKELEY, Nov. 29.—Three assistants appointed by Professors Jaffa and Ward, who will collect samples of milk for analysis by the two professors in question, were taken to the Walnut Grove sanitary dairy to-day and given instructions by Dr. Ward regarding the work. The three men are A. Lloyd of the Sherwood Valley dairy of Mendocino County; C. H. Vancander, a former instructor at the university, a chemical expert; and J. Reynolds of the chemistry department of the Agricultural College of the University of California, who will be in charge of the field work, collecting samples of milk. This work is to commence next Tuesday.

DEATH OF EDWARD HINKLEY

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—Edward R. Hinkley, for several years connected with the Fulton engineering works of San Francisco, died suddenly last night at his home in Fruitvale from pneumonia. He was 40 years of age and was unmarried. He was the son of Dan and H. Hinkley and a brother of Harry G. Hinkley. The funeral will be held Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

BASEBALL GAME POSTPONED

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—The wholesale and retail coal dealers' baseball game at Idora Park for the benefit of the city hospital was postponed until New Year's day.

FINAL DECREE GRANTED

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—The following final decree of divorce was granted by Judge G. Carr on Thomas K. Carr for neglect and Hattie Miller from Frank Miller for desertion.

ACCUSED ATTORNEY ARRAIGNED

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—Evelyn E. Walker, who is accused by 14-year-old Evelyn Walker of enticing her to her office at 625 Broadway, was arraigned to-day on a felony charge of kidnapping. She was held in the county jail and will appear in court to-morrow.

LAW MAY BE INVALID

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—The law requiring a permit to conduct an undertaking business outside the city limits to-day applied to the case of the United Workmen's permit to establish a business at Twenty-fourth and Grove streets. City Attorney McClellan advised that the law was unconstitutional and might be right and it was decided to contest the matter at a meeting Saturday morning.

TOWN TRUSTEES OF SAUSALITO CONSIDER EVANS' APPLICATION FOR A RIGHT OF WAY

WATER FRONT VALUABLE Several Members of Board Believe That Bond Should Be Given to Municipality

SAUSALITO, Nov. 29.—The application of F. L. Evans, who is promoting the California and Inland Empire Railroad Company for a steam railroad franchise over Railroad avenue was laid over this evening by the Board of Town Trustees. Evans asked that the franchise be given without any consideration other than his agreement to construct 200 miles of road from Sausalito to Axtara, Modoc County, within three years. No other guarantee was offered that he is acting in good faith. The Board of Trustees realizes the value of tide land avenue and some of the members are in favor of granting a franchise provided Evans executes a \$50,000 guaranty bond. Other members believe that a bonus should be paid for the franchise.

WILL HOLD BIG INITIATION

REDFORD CITY, Nov. 29.—The Native Sons of the Golden West of this city are making elaborate preparations for a meeting to be held in January, when fifty new members will be initiated. The members of Redwood Park are striving to make the event a great success socially as well as fraternally.

DRUIDS INSTALL OFFICERS

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Golden Eagle-Grove No. 173 of this city has installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Noble Arch, Harry Edwards; vice noble arch, Leo Pfeiffer; conductor, R. Yerrin; corresponding secretary, J. J. Kelly; financial secretary, I. Glasser; treasurer, George Wallace; inside guard, J. McBrearty; outside guard, H. H. Hays; past arch, J. J. Sullivan. The services of installation were conducted by District Deputy Inwallor of San Francisco, assisted by Past Supreme Arch C. A. Guglielmo. District Deputy Savage of Colma delivered an address.

FELTON COMPANY IS FORMED

REDFORD CITY, Nov. 29.—Articles of incorporation of the Felton Company, which is formed to buy and sell real estate, to take up mortgages and to buy and sell bonds, have been filed with the County Clerk. The principal place of business is Menlo Park and the company is to exist for fifty years.

KELLEY'S HAT IS FOUND

PALO ALTO, Nov. 29.—J. W. Saunders of Menlo Park found the hat belonging to John W. Kelley, whose lifeless body was found in a buggy on the Menlo road Sunday night. Saunders picked up the hat on the county road leading to this place yesterday, but he did not tell the police until to-day. The discovery of the hat makes it almost certain that Kelley fell in a drunken stupor and was killed by striking the buggy shaft.

GRADERS MAKE GOOD HEADWAY

COLMA, Nov. 29.—The graders working on the Ocean Shore Railroad have crossed the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company near Ocean View. A steam shovel working on the road has eighteen tons has been sent from here over the hills to San Pedro. It required twenty horses to drag the machine 10 its destination, where it will be utilized in the work of grading.

CAPTAIN ROBERTS CALLED

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—Captain William Roberts, a pioneer of Alameda County, died to-night at his residence in San Lorenzo after an illness of only two days of pneumonia. He was stricken yesterday while serving as a Justice of the Peace in Ocean View. Captain Roberts came from Liverpool, England, his birthplace, in the early 40's. After mining for a time he settled in San Lorenzo and established a line of bay freighters between Roberts Landing and San Francisco.

BUSINESS BLOCK OR BARRIAGE

Contract Let for the Construction of a Building With Frontage of 100 Feet

VENTUREAN INNOVATION Upper Stories of Structure to Be Turned Into Flats to Accommodate Families

BURLINGAME, Nov. 29.—Commercialism has at last found an entrance into this quiet little village that has been held sacred by the fashionable set. A contract has been let for the construction of a business block with a frontage of 100 feet. The building will face the station and will be a standing warning to the "Blingumites" that trade must find a place everywhere. The first floor of the new structure will be given up to stores while the other stories will be devoted to flats. The venture is considered an innovation here. The new business block will be of wood but ornamental in design.

OLD TRICK PROVES VERY SUCCESSFUL AS A BAIT

MERCHANTS BUY EMPTY PEANUT SHELLS FROM TRAVELING PEANUT MAN AT LOW RATE. PALO ALTO, Nov. 29.—J. Long, giving his residence as San Francisco, is wanted here for defrauding Ernest Wilson, a confectionery store keeper, out of \$55 25. The swindle was unique in that Long worked merchants from Mayfield to Belmont with his fraudulent wares, cleaning up a net sum in each place. Long showed Wilson samples of peanuts, offering the goods below the wholesale price to the susceptible merchant. Six sacks were purchased. Each sack contained a few good peanuts, the remainder being shells. Wilson discovered his mistake and telephoned the Sheriff at Redwood City. It was discovered that Long had already sold Proprietor Kinley of the Capital Hotel in Berkeley several sacks. Investigation proved that Earl Hamilton, a Mayfield grocery man, and a merchant at Menlo Park and Belmont had also bought the peanut shells. Wilson is wroth at his loss and the police in San Francisco have been notified to intercept Long.

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