TEACHERS ELECT C. C. VAN LIEW TO PRESIDENCY OF ASSOCIATION

At yesterday's session of the California Teachers' Association at the University of California a committee of nine drew up resolutions recommending that certain entrance requirements for the university be changed and that certain courses of study in high schools be enlarged. It declared that the pupils put in too much time in the study of American history, to the exclusion of general history. Nature study was urged for all schools of the State. President Wheeler, Governor Pardee and other noted scholars addressed the meeting. C. C. Van Liew of the Chico Normal School was elected president for the coming year. The deliberations proceed to-morrow.

Changes Proposed in University Requirements.

Wheeler Scores Politics in Public Schools.

Gov. Pardee Urges Regard for Health Rules.

Yesterday's session of the California Teachers' Association at the University of California was the most important since the opening day. Officers were elected for the following year and a meeting place for next year selected; a committee reported recommendations for a change in the entrance requirements of the University of California and in the studies prescribed in many of the schools of the State; Governor Pardee spoke on "School Sanitation and Hygiene" and President Benjamin Ide Wheeler delivered a strong address on the schools of California. Many other papers of importance were read during the day. A business session occupied the entire afternoon.

C. C. Van Liew, principal of the State Normal School at Chico, was elected president of the Teachers' Association for the coming year, to succeed James A. Barr of Stockton, who has presided during the last twelve months with great success. Professor Van Liew has been principal of the Chico Normal since 1899, and is prominent in the educational circles of California. D. M. White of Fresno and A. H. McDonald of San Francisco were elected vice presidents; Mrs. M. M. Fitzgerald of San Francisco was continued as secretary, with R. A. Lee as her assistant; F. K. Barthell was elected railroad secretary and Philip Prior of San Francisco was chosen for treasurer. Fresno was made the next meeting place.

The most important work of the day was the presentation of the resolutions drawn up by the committee of nine, composed of three members from the Teachers' Association, three from the University of California and three from the High School Association of Teachers. The members have been meeting at different times during the last seven months and they formulated resolutions regarding the entrance requirements for admission into the University of California and the courses of study offered in the elementary schools.

TOO MUCH TIME FOR HISTORY.

In regard to the elementary schools this committee recommended that a reorganization of the studies offered in the seventh and eighth grades take place to give those classes more of a high-school character. It recommended that an elective foreign language be taught in these grades and by a special teacher; also that a manual including rathmetic, algebra and geometry be got up for universal use in the schools by the State Board of Education. Nature study, without textbooks, was urged as a beneficial study for the child in school.

This committee declared that the boy and girl of our public schools to-day spend too much time in the study of American history and the technical points connected with it. It recommended that the courses in American history be shortened, so that more time could be devoted to general history of a biographical nature.

The following recommendations to the University of California were offered:

That the University of California announce publicly its actual practice with reference to giving credit for manual training.

That the admission requirements for entrance to the college of mechanics, mining, civil engineering and chemistry be changed so that either Latin or Greek may be offered in place of a modern language.

That biology be added to the list of elective subjects required for admission.

That some other science be accepted as a substitute for physics.

That the university should offer the whole of Latin subject seven of the preparatory subjects (i. e., Cicero and Virgil) as a college course.

That entrance to the college of commerce be made possible without the requirement of Latin.

That the reading in translation of the "Iliad," the "Odyssey" and the "Aeneid" be substituted for the "Classic Myths" in the English requirements.

The report of the committee was adopted by the general session. It will be referred to the session of the High School Teachers' Association to-day for adoption there. The committee is made up of Professor Irving Stringham, Professor A. F. Lange, Dr. A. W. Scott, Fred H. Clark, Herbert Lee, A. E. Kellogg, G. S. Wells, C. L. Biedenbach and Dr. E. C. Moore.

SCORES SCHOOL POLITICS.

President Wheeler's paper was the striking one of the day. He struck sharply at the presence of politics in school affairs and declared that this feature must be eliminated. He criticized the recent tendency of the high schools toward specialization, in imitation of the university, and declared that this specialization was a detriment to the progress of such schools and to the welfare of the pupils. He praised in high terms the zeal for public schools exhibited by the people of California. He spoke in part as follows:

Politics and school affairs are both forms of public activity, but they cannot be mixed in any proportion whatsoever without noxious and fetid product. Politics is good in its place, but it has no place in or near the schools. It will take the children's bread and give it unto dogs. It ought to be possible for a progressive State like California to devise a way by which superintendents and other school officials can be spared the necessity of seeking their places or continuance therein by means of the political canvass, convention and cabal. If there were no other reason weighing against the present method than the uncertainty of tenure connected with the fluctuating chance of the political party upon whose ticket the candidate is named, that would be enough to condemn it.

We cannot expect to command the service of professionally equipped men for our superintendents unless opportunity for a consistent professional career is offered; in other words, we cannot expect to get as much as we deserve from the salaries we pay. If the revision of the fundamental law presents too cumbrous an obstacle, why cannot the party organization be induced to leave the nomination of a common candidate to a committee of leading disinterested citizens selected either by the party organizations or by a school convention of citizens assembled without regard to party? This would not be a new experiment. It has been tried and will work.

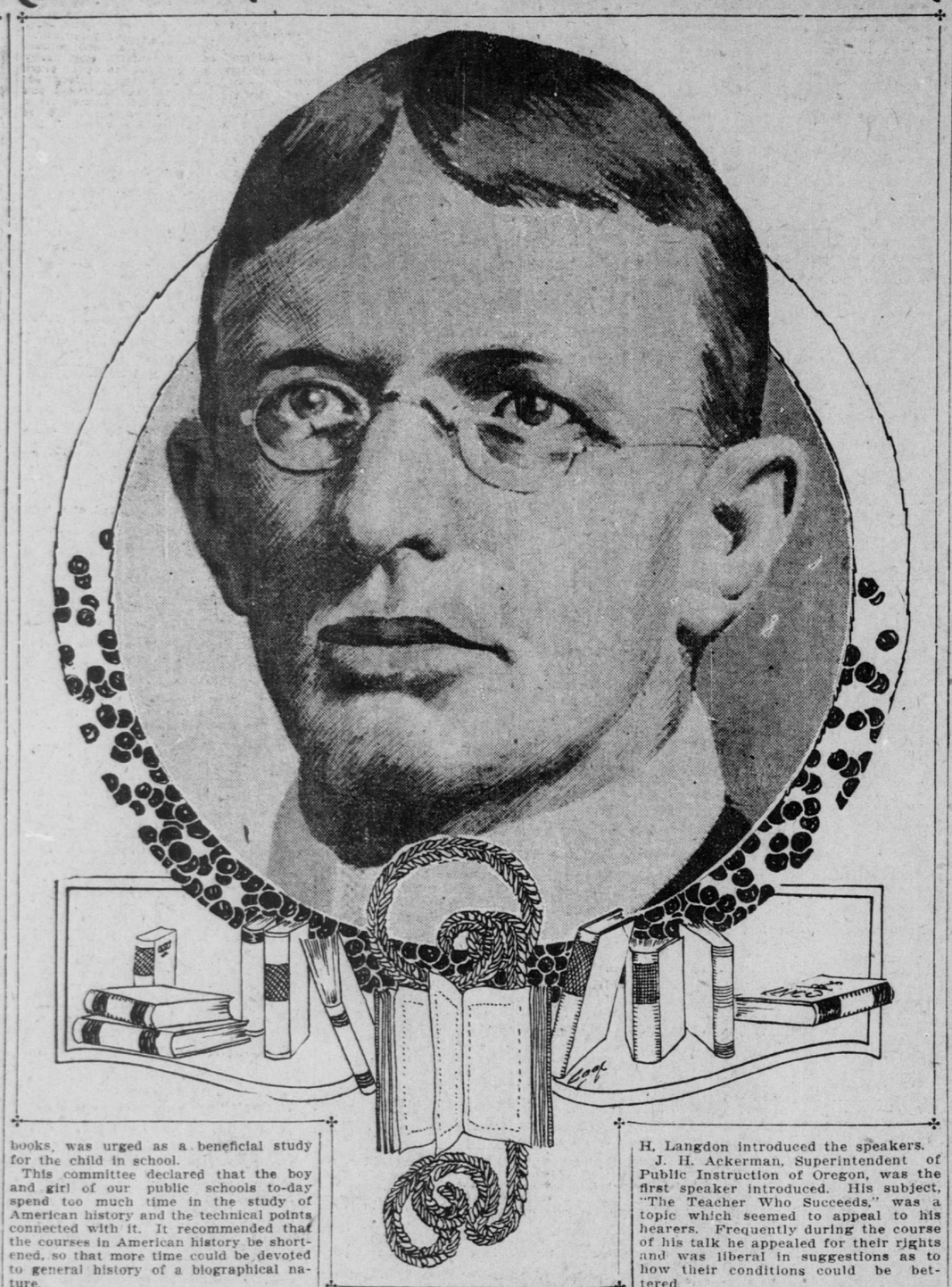
The political conventions do not really care for the opportunity of nominating; it is there and they use it, generally as a make-weight to re-establish local balance on the ticket. The office was intended, however, for the good of the children of the State.

TALKS ON SANITATION.

Governor Pardee spoke strongly on the subject of school sanitation. He urged the teachers to watch the little things that concern the health of the children. In telling of one school he said:

The last time I visited a schoolhouse I found the children's hats and wraps hung in a dark and unventilated hallway, and the smell of the wet garments, seething in the warm air, was not inviting. I asked the principal if every child had its own particular hook upon which to hang its outer garments, and was told that such was not the case. My inquiry as to why the hallway was not ventilated, or a ventilatable room given up to use as a hat and cloakroom, was met by the assertion that the Board of Education, although repeatedly asked to do so, had not granted the request. Every time I think of those hats and coats promiscuously hung in that damp, warm, dark, unventilated hallway, I wonder how many of those children have died from diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles and the like, to say nothing of those who have suffered from little things that, while annoying, are not necessarily fatal, like the slow-crawling things and the various scalp diseases that may be communicated by means of hats and caps and bonnets.

It was during the general session in the afternoon that A. E. Winship, editor of the Journal of Education, Boston, delivered a short address on "Fads and Fancies vs. the 'Rs,'" a comparison of the old and the new methods of teaching. He pointed out the changes that have taken place and humorously alluded to some of the modern fancies.



C. C. VAN LIEW, PRINCIPAL CHICO NORMAL SCHOOL, NEW PRESIDENT C. T. A.

At the council of education a report on "High School Training" was read and discussed.

The department of school boards and trustees held meetings in the observatory yesterday morning. Besides Governor Pardee, W. H. Weeks of Watsonville, Robert Furlong, San Rafael; E. W. Hyatt, Riverside; J. W. McClymonds, Oakland; N. K. Foster, Sacramento; J. S. Dore, Fresno, and others discussed the needs of the city and country school buildings.

At the meeting of the Elementary School Association papers were read by A. E. Winship and C. C. Van Liew.

HIGH SCHOOL COURSE.

It was at the meeting of the High School Teachers' Association that James Ferguson of the Mission High School, San Francisco, declared that the present course of study offered in the high schools was not rightly selected for the boy and girl who do not intend going to college. He said that they got a little of everything but that which they really need. He said in part:

While some advance is being made in California, there are conditions which stand in the way of an immediate remedy—the law which compels a High School to give a college preparatory course before it can get State aid, and the great desire of schools to be on the accredited list.

The proposed remedy for the present wrongs is that the High School course of study shall be determined by the leaders in secondary education rather than by those who are primarily interested in securing uniformity in college entrance requirements.

At the meeting of the State Library Association Professor E. P. Cubberley of Stanford University discussed the relation of the State Library to the rural schools. The department of geography met in the morning and listened to a paper on "Practical Work in Geography" by W. J. Kenyon of the San Francisco Normal School. Professor A. B. Clark delivered the principal address before the Drawing and Manual Training Teachers' Association.

One of the prettiest affairs of the day was the demonstration in cookery by twenty girls from the Hamilton Cookery Center of San Francisco, under the direction of Miss Florence Woodward. The programme of the Domestic Science Association was as follows:

"The Palace of Domestic Science in General Education," William Conger Morgan, department of chemistry, University of California.

"Domestic Science in the Grammar Grades of the Public Schools," Miss Ellen M. Bartlett, acting supervisor of domestic science, San Francisco public schools.

Symposium—(1) "Domestic Science in the London Schools," Mrs. Jean Sinclair; (2) "What the Women's Clubs Can Do for Domestic Science," Mrs. Milton Eiser, California Club; (3) "Domestic Science in Training Schools," Miss Eva Henderson, superintendent of the Chabot School of Domestic Arts, Oakland; (4) "Diet, Dietetics and the Place of the Dietitian in the Hospital," Miss Mary E. Robinson, ex-dietitian, Fabiola Hospital, Oakland.

The department of music held an interesting session in the Presbyterian church. Last night reunions were held about Berkeley.

To-day the various departments will hold meetings in Berkeley. Many of the teachers will take the excursion trip to Stanford University, while others will journey to points of interest about San Francisco.

SESSION AT ALHAMBRA.

J. H. Ackerman and Henry Suzzallo Address a Large Audience.

At the Alhambra Theater yesterday afternoon an exceptionally large attendance of teachers was present and heard two able talks by public instructors. There were a few vocal selections by Mrs. Grace Northrup. She opened the afternoon session with "A Forest Song," which she rendered in the most pleasing manner. William H. Langdon introduced the speakers.

J. H. Ackerman, Superintendent of Public Instruction of Oregon, was the first speaker introduced. His subject, "The Teacher Who Succeeds," was a topic which seemed to appeal to his hearers. Frequently during the course of his talk he appealed for their rights and was liberal in suggestions as to how their conditions could be bettered.

He opened his topics by reciting nine qualifications a teacher should possess. The speaker was full of wit and the audience had the pleasure of enjoying some hearty laughs. The first qualification he mentioned, and which he dwelt upon to some extent, was the necessity of an instructor enjoying perfect health. He said he did not believe in giving teachers too much writing, as it deprived them of their time for recreation. This remark was unanimously applauded. The necessity of sleep was essential to get the best results from a teacher. He believed a teacher should be humorous and able to enjoy a good story as well as tell one.

Congeniality between teacher and class had a tendency to encourage students to do their best. Soothing voice, ideal inspirations and self-confidence were mentioned by Mr. Ackerman as essential qualifications for a successful teacher.

"The Reform of Language Instruction in the Grades" was the topic of Henry Suzzallo, instructor in education at Stanford. He talked at length on the system of teaching in the various grades and how knowledge was imparted to the youth who had just entered school. He thought the system of teaching a child in the early grades was wrong and believed that more time should be given to silent reading.

Superintendents Given Dinner.

The California school superintendents were entertained at a dinner in the evening at the St. Francis Hotel by the committee of the National Educational Association, W. H. Langdon presiding. Later there was a great rally of the California Teachers' Association at Golden Gate Hall, over which Alfred Roncovieri acted as chairman. The speakers were: Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California; James A. Barr, A. H. Chamberlain, J. H. Ackerman, Frank B. Cooper, Thomas J. Kirk, L. D. Harvey, A. E. Winship and James A. Foshay.

SOUTHERN MAN MAY FILL SUPREME COURT VACANCY

Justice Van Dyke Having Been From Los Angeles, Orange Belt May Be Given Place.

The trend of gossip in political circles is to the effect that Governor Pardee will appoint some well-known lawyer of Southern California to fill the vacancy on the bench of the Supreme Court caused by the death of Justice Van Dyke.

When elected to the Supreme Court Judge Van Dyke was a resident of Los Angeles. He was not a nominee on the Republican ticket, but the voters of Southern California were strong in his support.

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BAKER TRIES TACTICS OF ANDREWS

Oakland's Hunted Lothario Hides in Heart of San Francisco With Sinful Married Woman of Alameda

PAIR DWELL WITHIN APARTMENT HOUSE

Recreant Printer Who Led Lulu Brown Into Criminal Paths Spends Money on Other Man's Wife

If the clever secret service agents of Uncle Sam and the ambitious police of San Francisco and Oakland really want to arrest Louis W. Baker, who induced one weak woman to steal Government funds that he might spend them on another, they should search every room of a first-class apartment-house in the vicinity of Polk and Jackson streets, San Francisco.

As the notorious murderer, Andrews, lived with and killed a frail woman in the heart of San Francisco, so Baker has lived for some days with Mrs. Minnie Nelson of Alameda in this same apartment-house.

From the moment of the news of the defalcation of Miss Bowen and the disappearance of Baker it has been suspected by those on "the inside" that Baker was not far away, and that if found he would be within hailing distance of Mrs. Nelson.

Last night an attempt was made to interview Baker at the apartment-house where he dwells, but, though the landlady admitted he had been there a day or two ago, she denied that any one was then in the apartments rented by him. While the denial was yet fresh on the lady's lips, a call for ice water was rung in from the fugitive's apartments.

When the reporter was ushered to the doorway of Baker's rooms an attractive and somewhat excited young woman appeared and was apparently embarrassed by questions concerning the much-wanted Baker. A moment later a white-haired and bewhiskered old man, nimble as a cricket, poked his patriarchal visage from an adjoining cove and announced that he was Baker. The young lady closed the door, the senior was told that he was not the Apollo wanted and there was relief on the floor when the reporter went downstairs. At the landlady's apartments at the foot of the stairway the real Louis W. Baker was described—a young man of good physique and pleasant manners. At the house he was known as J. W. Baker and addressed as "Jack" by his companion.

For more than a year Baker has been an ardent admirer of Mrs. Nelson, wife of Madsen Nelson. The friends of Baker and of Mrs. Nelson remarked that their devotion was noticeable, considering that both were married. To one of the friends of the woman she confessed that Baker had promised to marry her if she would get a divorce, explaining at the same time that Baker had told her he and his wife had agreed to dissolve their marital partnership.

It is known that Mrs. Nelson accompanied Baker when he left San Francisco last Saturday for a supposed destination near Petaluma. In discussing the gay printer with her friends from time to time Mrs. Nelson has said he was "good" to her, but she always said he made the money he spent out of his printing business, which he represented to her as very prosperous.

Miss M. Lulu Bowen, who stole Government funds for Baker to squander in forbidden paths, lies a nervous wreck at her home, 612 Merrimac street, Oakland.

A dispatch from Oakland at an early hour this morning says that Baker appeared late last night at the residence of a printer named Frank Corey and asked for lodgings for a few days. Corey told him there was not room and soon thereafter Corey notified the police of Oakland. Within an hour the police of Oakland and Alameda, as well as the Sheriff of the county, were on the fugitive's trail.

ANNUAL FEAST OF CALIFORNIA CLUBWOMEN

BY LAURA BRIDE POWERS.

The annual breakfast of the California Club—the usual feast in honor of the silver-haired founders—was celebrated yesterday in the auditorium of the club's new home on Clay street, when 200 guests foregathered to do them honor.

Stunning gowns there were in plenty and loads of pretty furs—evidences of an o'er generous Saint Nick, who seems to have left more beautiful furs in town than ever before.

Gathered together at three long tables, strewn with hollyberry and agleam with ruby lights, the great hall was gay and the air a pretty babel.

Through the buzz three musicians, led by the charming Mr. Jaulus, contrived to send forth a few melodies that wrought respect for their art and repose to tongues—that is, to some tongues, for it takes more than a Jaulus symphony to silence some tongues that you and I do know.

The luncheon was admirably manipulated by Mrs. James C. Crawford, assisted by Mme. Emilia Tojetti, Mrs. J. B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles A. Warren and Mrs. Charles Fonda.

Mrs. Lovell White served with distinction as toastmistress, presenting the following speechmakers—which were, by the way, about six too many:

Greeting, Mrs. Aylett R. Cotton; "To the Founders," Mrs. E. L. Baldwin; "From the Founders," Mrs. Hayward; "Sensitive Souls," Mrs. James Orr; "Uniformity or Diversity in People and Teacups," Mrs. Louis H. Long; "Two View Points—Which Is Yours?" Mrs. W. A. Maddern; "Our Illusions," Mrs. Aaron Schloss; "Club Reports," Mrs. Emil Pohli; "The Press," Mrs. Laura Bride Powers; "First Love or Last," Miss Bird Wilson; "Charge of the Five Hundred," Jenne Morrow Long; "To the President," Mrs. John Russ; bon mots, Dr. Amy Bowen, Miss Susanne Patch.

Mrs. George Bates was billed to have told about "Man's Failure as a Poem," but illness prevented a demonstration of this disheartening revelation, and the guests went home happy, still believing that man is a poem—sometimes.

Taken all in all, the toasts were pithy and sharp, with a lot of wit and wisdom sprinkled through them, but fully half could have been dispensed with and the guests get their money's worth.

But women's feasts are not the only feasts wherat too much one-tongue talk is loosed. It's a fault of nine-tenths of the semi-public luncheons and dinners, and is, of course, due to a desire to do honor to the bidden folk. And it's a truly funny thing that we who rail most against long programmes are never caught refusing to lengthen them.

A Christmas gift to the club of a picture was made by Mrs. Hobe, Mrs. Sara Reimer—who is never found bankrupt in a matter of words—accepting it upon the club's behalf.

Jenne Morrow Long's "Charge of the Five Hundred" was one of the cleverest caprices of the afternoon. It was a parody upon the advance upon Congress of 500 clubwomen pleading in behalf of the Big Trees, who were met by Speaker Cannon and abruptly told to run away home.

The "poem"—for which apologies were abundantly offered to the shades of Tennyson—was a clever construction from the muse of Mrs. Lovell White.

Distinctly was the afternoon one of the red-letter days of the year, and the affair will go down in the annals of the club as the first feast spread under its own rooftree in honor of the founders.

A pity that all the pretty things said of the dear men could not have reached their ears. But no!—in that case a certain ex-president, a certain preacher and a certain college professor might have heard some unpretty things.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.—An entertainment will be given this evening at St. Francis Hall, Montgomery avenue and Vallejo street, for the benefit of St. Francis Sunday-school.

Japanese Uses a Knife.

M. Sequti, a Japanese cook, was arrested on the ship W. B. Flint on Tuesday night by Detectives Conlon and McGowan. On Sunday night he stabbed Frank Colegrove of 219 Tenth street on Dupont street. He will be charged with assault to commit murder.

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