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OAKLAND PRISON IS IN DEPLOABLE CONDITION

Grand Jury Is Shocked at Its Crowded and Un-sanitary State

SUGGEST NEW HALL

Investigators Declare City Should Have Better Quarters

OAKLAND, April 22.—The members of the grand jury investigated the condition of affairs at the city hall today, and upon the conclusion of their deliberations declared to Chief of Police Wilson, Captain of Police Peterson and Health Officer Ewer that the conditions in the jail were almost unbearable because of it being overcrowded, and that unquestionably Oakland should have a new city hall, if only to relieve the deplorable congestion in the jail.

ST. MARY'S COLLEGE TO BE ABANDONED AT FIRST SITE

OAKLAND, April 22.—The lack of a sewer system in Elmhurst may cause the officials of St. Mary's college to relinquish the option they recently secured on a forty acre tract in that town, to which it had been planned to move the institution.

THEATERS OF CITY WILL CONTRIBUTE TO CHARITY

Annual Benefit for Mechanics Connected With Playhouses Scheduled for Thursday

The most capable talent that can be found in the local theatrical world will be represented at the monster benefit to be held on Thursday in the Novelty theater to raise funds for the San Francisco theatrical mechanics' association. Each year the actors and theatrical folk in general make a point of setting a day for a joint performance, the profits of which go to charity.

SAN FRANCISCO SHOWN TO BE FINANCIAL CENTER

A booklet replete with interesting facts on the financial standing of San Francisco has been issued by the American National Bank. The pamphlet contains comparative figures which show not only that San Francisco is the financial center of the west, but that in point of commercial importance it surpasses most of the large cities of the east. The banking capital of San Francisco is shown to be more than \$400,000,000, while that of all the other large cities west of Denver combined is but \$25,000,000.

POSTMASTERS APPOINTED

WASHINGTON, April 22.—California postmasters were appointed today as follows: Aften, Glenn county, Bertha Charlebois, vice Basile Charlebois, deceased; Stagg, San Bernardino county, Lena E. Reed, vice B. C. Higginson, resigned.

Advertisement for 'MIGHTY' soap, featuring 'Natural Alkaline Water' and 'Bearing the name'.

SCHOONER SNARK'S BODY FOR LONG VOYAGE

Jack London's Little Craft Cleared of Attachment Placed Upon It

FRIENDS SAY GOODBYE

Noted Author and Party to Sail Wednesday on World Voyage

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GORY SHOES AND TRAIL OF BLOOD MAKE MYSTERY

BERKELEY, April 22.—The finding of a pair of bloody shoes and a trail of blood stains leading from Russell and Adeline streets several blocks to the south gave the police a puzzle to work on today.

Brief Local News

TAKES SOON DELINQUENT—There remains but one week in which to pay the second installment of taxes, beginning next Monday. The penalty for delinquency will be charged.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

LOUIS S. CRACKENS to Emma H. Crackens, lot on S line of A street, E of Second avenue, E 25 by S 75; \$175.

SUGGESTS FORMATION OF ANTI-GRIFT LEAGUE

Professor Boke of State University Appeals to Students

HIS ADVICE IS TAKEN

Foundation Being Laid for an Intercollegiate Organization

BERKELEY, April 22.—Professor George H. Boke of the department of Jurisprudence in the state university has suggested to students in his class the desirability of forming an anti-graft league, with branches in all American universities. Plans for such an organization are now being considered. The idea of an anti-graft movement among college men came to Professor Boke when Francis J. Heney spoke recently at a university meeting.

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