

"MA" KANE IS ADOR'D BY HOSPITAL PATIENT

Eccentric Clerk Sends Her Notes Saying That She Is His Affinity

HE YEARNS FOR LOVE

Dips Into Poetry to Tell of Affection for "My Sweet Baby Girl"

"You are my affinity. At last I have found you. I have learned to love the hands which have buttered my bread and cooled my aching head. I love your musical voice which has lulled me to sleep. I love your eyes which tell me of the loving heart within you."

Mrs. Kane, or "Ma" Kane, as she is known to all, had charge of Lieb and as is her custom with eccentric men detained for examination as to their sanity, was very pleasant to Lieb.

As a further proof of his fondness for "Ma" Kane he sent her this note: "To the Nurse Called Rosie—Sweet Woman! Who created me and took from him my 'ugly' rib and created a being more lovely than the Rose of Sharon made this, sweet woman, to nurse back to life and dying, and I greet you, my sweet baby girl."

You are the pride of the emergency hospital, the pride of all the nurses, the model of God's love. This is no hot air, but the unvarnished truth. The time has come. Woman's voice must have something more than a mere passing recognition.

Sweet Rosie, don't consider it too sudden. I have these hands that have buttered my bread and used my tea. In conclusion: Slender, sweet, Rosie, dear, Slender, sweet, Rosie, dear, When the air of heaven Lulls it to a slumber, Please remember me in your evening prayer before the throne of mercy. From one who loves you, WILLIAM F. LIEB.

Lieb is about 35 years of age.

RIVAL DANCING CLUBS CLAIM NAME "GAELIC"

Contention Is Made That Word Can Not Be Exclusively Appropriated by Any Organization

Whether or not the term "Gaelic" is a generic and susceptible of use by any person or organization was argued before Judge Murasky yesterday on demurrer of the defendants in the suit brought by the Gaelic dancing club against Joseph Kelleher and others.

In arguing yesterday that a demurrer to the complaint should be sustained the attorney for the defendants contended that the word "Gaelic" is merely another word for the name Irish, and may not be exclusively appropriated by any one. He also argued that the word "Gaelic" is a trademark act done as the trademark of the Gaelic dancing club, but in consequence of a dispute headed a secession, which resulted in the formation of a new organization under the name Original Gaelic dancing club.

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CHATEL MORTGAGE FOR ONE MILLION IS RECORDED

Trust Deed Also Made for Transfer of St. Ignatius Church Property to Trustees

A chattel mortgage for \$1,000,000 was recorded yesterday covering the issuance of 6 per cent bonds for the Leslie salt company by the Central trust company. The security given is property in and near Redwood City.

A deed of trust was recorded whereby Rev. John P. Frieden, as trustee, conveys to the board of trustees of St. Ignatius college for \$177,000 the block of land bounded by Cole, Shrader, Grove and Fell streets, on which the permanent St. Ignatius church and college will be erected soon, and the lot at the corner of Hayes and Shrader streets, on which the temporary structures were built.

WOODWARD'S SALARY SAFE

The salary of T. P. Woodward, city engineer, will not be attached in satisfaction of the judgment obtained by Charles D. Taylor for \$2,750 against the Casey-Schmitt-Manson-Woodward board of public works. Woodward was to have been examined by Judge Hunt yesterday to show cause why a portion of his salary should not be applied toward payment of the judgment, but during the day he appealed from the verdict and filed a stay bond.

COMMISSIONER FOR MCCARTHY

The newly appointed fire commissioner, William H. McCarthy, received his commission from Mayor Taylor yesterday after filing his official bond in the sum of \$10,000. McCarthy will take his seat on the board at its meeting this morning.

AGAINST PURCHASE OF SPRING VALLEY PLANT

Utilities Committee Favors Securing Option for the Future

REPORT IS PREPARED

Supervisors Advise Care in Securing City Water System

The supervisors' utilities committee adopted a report yesterday favoring the denial of the recommendation of the federated water committee that the Spring Valley water plant be purchased by the city for a sum approximately \$2,000,000.

SUES WIFE FOR DIVORCE ON GROUND OF CRUELTY

Husband Says She Prayed That He Be Run Over by Streetcar

Florence M. Lippman yesterday sued Harry R. Lippman for divorce on the ground of extreme cruelty. She mentions a number of dates upon which, she says, her husband beat, slapped, struck, choked and kicked her.

Extreme cruelty is also charged in the suit brought by Clement W. Rogers against Helen G. Rogers. He alleges that his wife has nagged him, pointed a revolver at him and threatened to kill him, and said, "I hope God will have you run over by a streetcar before you come home."

Divorces were granted yesterday to Esther Hanson from John Hanson, extreme cruelty; Jeanette H. Wallace from Richard Wallace, failure to provide; Louise S. Willmont from A. G. Willmont, desertion.

DEFUNCT CORPORATION'S STOCKHOLDERS ARE SUED

Assignee of the Watsonville Transportation Company Seeks to Recover an Unpaid Balance

The stock holders of the insolvent Watsonville transportation company have been sued for the unpaid balance due on their shares. Twenty-five thousand \$100 shares were subscribed for, only \$50 being paid on each.

LOS ANGELES EDITORS ARE HERE ON A VISIT

Berkeley Chamber of Commerce Entertains the Delegation

The editors of the southern part of the state are well represented by a sight seeing party of 34, which is visiting the bay cities. The party is now here in the city of Berkeley.

MEYERS FOUND GUILTY OF SMUGGLING SILKS

Stevadore's Story of a Passenger Who Gave Him a Grip Is Not Believed by Jury

George C. Meyers, a stevedore, was convicted by a jury yesterday in the United States circuit court of having smuggled ashore from the steamship Siberia on April 23 of this year 24 Japanese silk shirt waists of the value of \$40, on which the duty was \$24.

ANOTHER FINE IMPOSED UPON THE GARSUBOE

Captain Simpson Believes That This Is a Wonderful Country in More Ways Than One

Captain George Simpson, master of the British steamer, was obliged by Customs Collector Stratton yesterday to pay an additional fine of \$500 for failing to furnish the custom house with a list of liquors brought into this harbor by the Garsuboe.

SAY BURRIS HAS RIGHT TO CHARGE PERCENTAGE

Supervisors Hold Superintendent Blameless in Matter of Burial of Indigent Soldiers and Sailors

The supervisors' health committee met yesterday to hear the complaint of W. A. Martin that E. A. Burris was holding out a percentage of the \$50 paid by the city for the burial of each indigent ex-union soldier and sailor.

The Princess to Have Attractive Bill of Vaudeville

Baroness von Zeiber, a beautiful and accomplished soloist, will appear at the Princess theater next week.

MRS. MAY TAKES STAND IN TURKISH RUG CASE

Society Favorite Makes Her Debut in Judge Seawell's Court

Shows Displeasure Engages in Several Tilts With Attorney on the Opposing Side

Mrs. Florence Land May, society favorite, made her debut as the principal lady in the comedy of the Turkish rugs in Judge Seawell's court yesterday. Very plainly it was not a stage upon which she was at home.

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