

EASTER FESTIVAL
IN THE CHURCHES

Fair Skies in the Morning
Bring Out Thousands of
Worshippers

Easter, the greatest church festival of the year, called by apostolic fathers the feast of feasts, the solemnity of solemnities and the culminating point in the history of Christ, was celebrated yesterday with all the pomp and magnificence of churchly ceremony. Fair skies and balmy breezes in the morning brought out thousands of worshippers and the various sacred edifices were overcrowded. Spring's sweet suggestion of gladness breathed from every altar and spread the fragrance of the lily and fruit blossoms from sanctuary to vestibule. Light and color in feminine military added to the brilliancy of the festival.

Probably the largest congregation that ever attended St. Mary's cathedral on a similar occasion crowded into that sanctuary yesterday at the pontifical mass celebrated at 11 o'clock. So great was the throng that hundreds stood in the vestibule and in the entrance to catch, if possible, merely an echo of the elaborate musical program. The sanctuary was ablaze with thousands of candles and fragrant with the incense of the candelabra of gold were placed on the gospel and epistle sides of the sanctuary. Archbishop Riordan sat on his throne and Bishop de Silva celebrated the mass. Father Charles A. Ramm acted as deacon and Father Hannigan as subdeacon. Father Cantwell was master of ceremonies.

As the choir broke out in high sounding "Kyrie" there was a note of gladness and of triumph that found its origin not only in the joy of the riser Savior. Two years ago yesterday, on the second day of the conflagration, the tower of the cathedral caught fire. When the populace saw the glittering symbol of sorrow on the tower's top begin to blaze many a despairing cry went forth that the whole city was doomed. It was Father Ramm, who yesterday preached the sermon, assisted by Father Philip O'Ryan, who put out that blaze.

When the mass in E flat was given by a large choir under the direction of R. J. Harrison, who presided at the organ. At the offertory Giorza's "Regina Coeli" was sung. The singing of the "Benedictus" by Miss Sophia Rotund was a feature of the musical service.

Before beginning his sermon Father Ramm announced that a mass of thanksgiving for the material prosperity enjoyed since the fire would be celebrated Wednesday morning. He read the gospel from St. Mark, xvii:1-7, and took as his text, "This is the day that the Lord hath made. Let us be glad and rejoice therein."

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR SERVICE
Golden Gate Commandery Celebrates in Its Asylum

Golden Gate commandery No. 15, Knights Templar, held an Easter service in Golden Gate asylum yesterday afternoon. Led by Sir George Keith Paterson, captain general, the knights in their gorgeous trappings marched into the hall, while Sir Samuel D. Mayer played Gounod's "March Pontificale." In great chorus they chanted the hymn, "Onward, Christian Soldiers." The hall was lighted with candles and the knights were discovered on the stage kneeling on their swords. The Lord's prayer and a general confession were recited.

The musical numbers were excellently given by a choir consisting of Mrs. E. M. Stich, soprano; Miss Elsie Arden, contralto; Sir Charles L. Goetting, tenor; and Sir L. A. Larsen, bass. Eminent Sir Willard L. Growall acted as commander and Sir William Henry Jones as prelate and the sermon was preached by George C. Adams, who took for his theme "A Door Opened in Heaven."

Several scripture scenes were pictured. The resurrection scenes were presented while the prelate read the New Testament account of the mystery. The tomb was shown and afterward the interior, with the angel sitting within telling the visitors that Jesus of Nazareth was risen. At the conclusion of the service the requiem was chanted and a benediction was given by Rev. George C. Adams.

IN GRACE CATHEDRAL
Rector Draws Lesson From Reconstructed San Francisco

At Grace Episcopal cathedral the Easter services were impressive and the Easter offering large. The sermon was delivered by the rector, Dr. Evans, who said that there was no city in the world so truly a city of resurrection as San Francisco.

"She has literally risen from her ashes," said the pastor, "and her new birth is emblematic of newer and better conditions. With an outlook toward a magnificent future let us build the foundation of a city that shall endure. Christ is the foundation of the world. Without Christ, our risen Lord, the foundations of life would be swept away."

A beautiful cross of gilly flowers and calla lilies occupied the right side of the chancel, the Stanford memorial cross, sent every Easter. Next it stood a carved bronzed lectern, also a memorial from Mrs. Norman McLaren in memory of her mother, Mrs. Caroline Ashe, which was used for the first time yesterday. The lectern is of rich design, the work of the New York sculptor, Gutson Borglum.

CHURCHES CELEBRATE
At Calvary Presbyterian church elaborate services with special music were held yesterday morning and evening. Rev. William Rader spoke in the morning on "The Risen Lord." A special musical program was rendered. In the choir of Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. George N. Hough, pastor, rendered John A. West's sacred cantata, "Faith and Praise."

ALBERT GIBSON DENIES MARRIAGE IN PORTLAND

SAN JOSE, April 19.—Albert L. Gibson, who was arrested in Los Angeles Friday on a warrant sworn to by George A. Murray, a well known contractor of this city, charging him with being a bigamist, was returned to San Jose late tonight. Nearly 500 people were waiting his arrival in custody of Deputy Sheriffs Buffington and Lanford, but the police had no difficulty in bringing Gibson to the jail.

Gibson is charged with marrying Miss Grace Murray, a San Jose girl, whom he met while working as a telephone inspector, three weeks after the first Mrs. Gibson left to visit friends and relatives in Portland. Gibson will be arraigned today. He is 26 years of age and was married to Mrs. Emily Skervine of Portland in 1903 and has one child. He denies that he was ever married to Mrs. Skervine, but Contractor Murray has furnished the authorities a copy of his first marriage certificate.

The upper illustration shows the great throng of Easter worshippers emerging from St. Mary's cathedral after the celebration of pontifical mass. In the lower photograph the congregation of Trinity Episcopal church is shown leaving that edifice after the morning services.



RESUME INQUIRY
ABOUT REBATING

Railroad Commissioners Arrive to Continue Probe of Southern Pacific

The board of railroad commissioners will resume today the investigation into the rebating tactics of the Southern Pacific. Commissioners Loveland, Irwin and Sumnerland arrived last night from Los Angeles, where the board has been in session in a probe of the Santa Fe and Salt Lake roads, and the hearing begun here several weeks ago will be resumed this morning in the rooms of the chamber of commerce.

The hearing will be conducted under the direction of Attorney General Webb. Shinnery O. K. Cushing, representing the complaining shippers, and Peter F. Dunne of the Southern Pacific will take part in the cross examination of witnesses.

The renewal of the hearing will begin today with witnesses for the Southern Pacific on the stand. After the close of the Southern Pacific testimony and the hearing of its witnesses, a number of shippers who charge that they have been losers through rebates and discrimination will take the stand, as well as others who will testify to receiving special favors from the company. The hearing probably will last a week or longer.

SERVES ROBBER'S TERM BUT DENIES IDENTITY

Prisoner Known as Max Shinnborn Maintains Innocence of Bank Burglaries

CONCORD, N. H., April 19.—Adhering firmly to his story that he was Seney A. Woebus, a victim of mistaken identity, a prisoner known as Max Shinnborn, a bank burglar of international notoriety, was released today from the Boylston bank in Boston, the West Maryland bank in Baltimore and the Manhattan savings bank in New York, involving altogether \$2,000,000.

It was more than 20 years after Shinnborn's conviction for the Walpole robbery and his subsequent escape from prison that he was brought back to Concord to finish his sentence. He had been living in Belgium, where he bore the title of "count" and moved in aristocratic circles. Shinnborn is now 74 years old, but is well preserved.

TWELFTH BODY FOUND IN CHELSEA'S RUINS

Church Societies Hold Outdoor Meetings in Squares and Parks

BOSTON, April 19.—Many thousands today walked through the ruins of the fire which one week ago swept through Chelsea. It was an orderly crowd, and the militiamen and policemen on guard had no difficulty in handling it. Many of the church societies had big out-of-door meetings in the public squares and parks.

One more body was found today in the ruins. It is believed to be that of Captain Benjamin F. Knowles, a Grand Army veteran. This makes the twelfth body thus far found in the ruins.

The general relief committee in a statement today said that 13,000 persons were made homeless and that 10,000 of these needed not only temporary aid, but must be rehabilitated at least to the extent of absolutely necessary house keeping equipment, which would involve the expenditure of fully \$400,000.

The fund at present amounts to more than \$200,000 and is steadily growing.

LECTURES ON PRISON REFORM
Charles James, associate of the International prison commission, delivered a lecture on prison reform last night at 1001 Oak street.

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STRIKE SYMPATHIZERS THROW EGGS AT CARS

CHESTER, Pa., April 19.—Little disorder developed here today in connection with the streetcar strike. Cars were operated at intervals on nearly all the lines of the traction company, but there were few riders. Each car was guarded by state police and there was but one vigorous attack.

Soon after the cars were started a crowd in Second street began throwing eggs at the men in charge of one of them, and when the supply of eggs gave out the throwers began using sticks and stones. Mounted police routed the disturbers and arrested several men. Throughout the rest of the day the strikers and their sympathizers were satisfied to stand along the streets and hoot at the police and the men operating the cars.

Superintendent Jack of the Chester traction company said tonight that cars would be started on all lines on regular schedule Tuesday.

TRIES TO BREAK INTO CITY PRISON BUT FAILS

Several men did the best they could to keep out of jail yesterday, but only one attempted to break into the bastille and failed. This extraordinary individual is J. H. Huff, a prosperous mining man from Yuba county.

Shortly after 10 o'clock last night Huff walked into the central police station and after looking the place over carefully exclaimed: "I'm getting tired of this game. Everybody on the street points his or her finger at me and tells me that I should be in jail. Now, here I am. Lock me up."

But the booking sergeant refused to comply with the request, and after giving Huff a heart to heart talk sent him back to his rooms at the Pacific Grand hotel. Huff is said to have carried a large amount of money and will be watched by the police so that no harm will be done him.

CORNERSTONE LAID FOR SYNAGOGUE

Mayor Taylor's Failure to Appear Is the Cause of Much Speculation

At the exercises of laying the cornerstone of the Jewish synagogue B'nai David, at Nineteenth and Valencia streets yesterday afternoon, Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads, was one of the principal speakers. Mayor Edward R. Taylor, who was to have addressed the gathering, did not appear. He had promised the arrangement committee to be present and deliver an address. Up to the last moment it was confidently expected that he would arrive and the whole program was held up in consequence.

After a wait of nearly half an hour, the program was carried through, after which the people stood around and waited for a chance to welcome the city's chief executive. Still the mayor did not come nor was any word sent to explain his absence.

The reason for Dr. Taylor's nonappearance at the exercises has thrown the committee into a state of speculation, and, as he could not be seen up to a late hour last night, the matter is yet shrouded in doubt.

The cornerstones of the new edifice were laid by Rabbi Levy A. Sugarman, president of the congregation, and Rabbi Berman, after which speeches by Rev. D. Falk, Rabbi Berman, Rabbi Levy, Patrick Calhoun, Rabbi Kaplan, A. Sugarman, Rabbi Hepp and Rabbi B. Meyrovitch of Oakland were given. Music was furnished by the Hebrew orphan asylum band and the pupils of the private school of A. Matzkin.

The synagogue, which will cost \$8,000, is the first permanent Jewish temple of worship to be erected in the Mission since the fire.

Calhoun's subject was "Benefits of American Citizenship."

WIRELESS PRINCIPLE IS APPLIED TO MOTOR CARS

Mechanic in Omaha Demonstrates Stopping of Truck From Central Station

OMAHA, Neb., April 19.—Frederick H. Millner, an electrical engineer at the Union Pacific shops, Omaha, has succeeded in applying principles of wireless telegraphy to an electric motor, and today a party of electricians was permitted to examine a wireless electric truck which has been in use in the Union Pacific shops for several weeks. The truck is started and stopped from a wireless central station, and has a number of new and unique points.

DETECTIVES BUY COSTLY "BOMBS"

Entrap Supposed Anarchist and Discover That They Are Bunkoed

The anxiety of the district attorney's office over the rumored visit of bomb makers and bomb throwers to the bay cities for the purpose of disposing uncereemoniously of several persons of high repute in financial circles exploded rather abruptly when the police detectives, delving deeply into the alleged conspiracy, found that the bomb maker was manufacturing a package not more harmful than a seditious powder.

Word reached the district attorney's office a week or so ago that an arch anarchist living in Oakland was engaged in making bombs to win the physical embodiment of a number of prominent capitalists. A corps of sleuths was immediately put on his trail. One of the more enterprising of the detectives represented to the bomb maker that he was desirous of using a few select bombs for the extermination of District Attorney Langdon and Francis J. Heney.

A contract price of \$100 per bomb was arranged for. The dreadful machines were delivered according to orders. The money was paid—marked money—in the presence of witnesses. The deal was sealed, and, as the detectives believed, so was the fate of the bomb maker.

Not to the city chemist, but to the inner office of the district attorney, were the bombs carefully conveyed for dissection. The inquest, however, revealed nothing more dangerous in the composition of the bombs than the effervescent whizz of a bromo seltzer powder.

False pretenses? Maybe, for the district attorney's office is out \$200 and the bomb maker is still wandering among sane and trusted citizens.

SAN FRANCISCO MUSICAL CLUB GIVES CONCERT

The annual concert of the San Francisco musical club will be given tonight at Christian Science hall. The program will be divided into two parts, the first part devoted to instrumental number, and the second to vocal selections. The program, carefully selected, follows:

Concert (Stuck-Von Weber), Miss Clara Ranbut, first piano; Miss Amelia Gauck, second piano.

Duets for violins (Godard), Miss Olive Hyde and Miss Claire Ferla. "Nocturne in F Major" (Chopin) and "Etude in G Minor" (Moszkowski), played by Miss Adeline Weelendorf.

Quartet, "The Trend of Time," Miss Helen Colburn, soprano; Miss Viola Van Orden, contralto; Carl Anderson, tenor; Louis Larsen, bass.

PASSING STOLEN STOCK IS CHARGE

Detectives Leave for San Bernardino to Bring Back Accused Man

Accused of passing stolen mining stock certificates, H. D. Chany, formerly an employe of the Sandstone gold mining company of Goldfield, was arrested at Victorville, San Bernardino county, on the advice of the local police last night. Detective Steve Bunker will leave today to bring him to San Francisco.

The complaint against Chany was filed by H. H. Norwood, a stock broker, 308 Bush street, who has declared that Chany tendered him five certificates, each calling for 1,000 shares of stock in the Sandstone gold mining company last February. According to Norwood, he disposed of the certificates and gave Chany a check for \$1,442.75.

A few weeks later he discovered from the Sandstone gold mining company that Chany, who had been employed there, had suddenly disappeared and that with his disappearance a number of certificates signed in blank were found to be missing.

Norwood put the matter in the hands of the police and Detectives Bunker and John Free traced Chany to Victorville. Norwood went down to identify him and on declaring that he was the party wanted Sheriff J. C. Ralphs made the arrest.

FRANCE BRINGS PRESSURE TO BEAR UPON THE TURK

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 19.—The attempt of the Turkish government to regain control of coal mines at Ereghli, a town of Asia Minor, 125 miles from Constantinople, in which a French company is interested to the extent of \$15,000,000, has led to a serious diplomatic difficulty.

The French government supports the concessionaires, who decline to entertain the question of a re-sale of the property until the ports provides proof of its ability to bring forth the purchase money, which, considering the impoverishment of the Turkish treasury, is manifestly impossible.

In the meantime, France has closed its market to any Turkish loan, and the French embassy has notified the ports that France will exact an indemnity of \$2,500 for every day that settlement is delayed, in addition to a compensation of \$2,800,000 for losses to the company incurred by disturbances.

The incident has been the subject of more than ordinary attention because of the attitude of Italy toward Turkey, as shown by the threatened demonstration by Italian warships in Turkish waters.

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