

AMUSEMENTS
The Garrick
BEN GREET PLAYS AND RUSSIAN SYMPH. ORCHESTRA
Tonight, 8:15, "AS YOU LIKE IT"

VALENCIA THEATER
YOU LAUGH! SCREAM!
A Texas Steer
Hoyt's Great Political Satire.

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COMTESSE COQUETTE
Beginning Next Monday. Seats Now Ready.

American Theatre
MINSTRELS OF TODAY
Including Al Johnson, John King, Emilie Seubers, Matt Keefe, Will O'Connell, Frank Fiegel, Noe J. La Vigne.

NEW ALCAZAR
SUTTER & STEINER
HELASCO & MAYER, Owners and Managers.
TONIGHT—ALL THIS WEEK—TONIGHT

QUALITY STREET
A Comedy by J. M. BARRIE.
WAS MAUD ADAMS' GREATEST HIT HERE.

ARTISTIC VAUDEVILLE
ANGELA DOLORES & CO.; THE DANCER OF THE KIRKNESS, LA VALERA (MRS. HORTON F. PHIPPS); MELNOTTE, TWINS & CLAYMATE; HAWTHORNS & BRYET.

The Circus Here
EVERY NIGHT AND AFTERNOON
UNTIL SUNDAY NIGHT, MAY 9

THE GREAT SELLS-FLOTC SHOWS
SEE THE \$25,000 ARMOUR BIG SIX
Circus of the Best Kind

CONCERTS, LECTURES, ETC.
BASEBALL
PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
RECREATION PARK

SELECT PRESIDENT FOR COMING YEAR
Daughters of the Confederacy Give the Chief Office to Mrs. Virginia A. Beede

Concluding Session of Ninth Annual State Gathering of the Order

Mrs. Virginia Aldrich Beede of the Albert Sidney Johnston chapter of San Francisco was unanimously chosen yesterday by the United Daughters of the Confederacy for the presidency of the California division for the coming year.

The principal discussion of the day, which threatened at times to become a heated argument, was in regard to the annual prize of \$100 offered each year by the U. D. C. in the college of teachers of Columbia university, New York, for the best essay on southern history.

The day's session was opened by an invocation by Rev. W. A. Brewer of St. Matthew's church, San Mateo, followed by a memorial service, conducted by Miss Nora Queen, assisted by Rev. Mr. Brewer.

While remaining on Van Ness ave. we will remodel and repair for \$23.1-3 per cent less than usual summer prices.

LOW FARES
May 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 23.
June 1 to 4, 14 to 16, 24 to 27, inclusive.

Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway
The Overland Limited
Electric Lighted, Daily at 10 A. M.

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Daily 9:00 P. M., Standard and Tourist sleepers—Hiring Car all the way

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CIRCULARS STATEMENTS HOTEL ARGONAUT

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Elect Officers and End the Convention

Three new officers of the Daughters of the Confederacy.



MRS. VIRGINIA A. BEEDE



MRS. J. P. MASVIE

COULD HAVE KEPT THE ADVANCE RENT

Landlords Who Returned Tenants' Money After Big Fire Were in Error

The landlords who returned advance rents paid a few days previous to the fire of April 18, 1906, did not have to do so, according to a decision handed down by the district court of appeal yesterday afternoon.

RELIGIOUS FANATIC RUNS AFOL OF UNCLE SAM

Russian Found Guilty of Misuse of the Mails

Explaining that he made alluring offers through the mails for laborers to work in rich mines in Lower California merely for the opportunity of getting the chance of explaining a new religion to them, C. R. Scharfand, a Russian, unsuccessfully met a charge before United States Commissioner Heacock yesterday of using the mails for the purpose of defrauding.

A FEW WORDS WITH THE LADY OF THE HOUSE

The world is satisfied with words, few care to dive beneath the surface.

Menn for Company Luncheon
Strawberry Cocktail
Cream of Spinach Soup

Modern House Keepers' Exchange
Meats and Their Accompaniments
(Mrs. Fitzpatrick, 2709 Encinal avenue, Alameda)

Pie Crust Made With Hot Water
(Mrs. E. Vaal, 1211 Harris street, Hanford)
This is delicious, and even the most delicate crust.

Kitchen Helps (Miss L. Freer, Redwood city, care of T. O. Heydenfeldt)
To clean vessels in which fish has been soaked or cooked, or to clean the forks with which fish was lifted, use warm vinegar and salt.

Medicinal Hints—Cure a fever illness with sweet niter and a sty with raw sweet potato. Both give instant relief.

Household Hints (Mrs. G. C. March, 738 California street)
Beans are burning. Immediately plunge the kettle in cold water, then carefully wash the beans, and put into another vessel and continue cooking.

Culinary Notes
Cream of Rice Soup—Melt three tablespoons of butter in a saucepan into it slice a small onion, a stalk of celery or a few dried celery leaves and one cup of rice.

White Fruit Cake (Mrs. William Lang, 1147 Seventh street, West Oakland)
Half cupful milk, one and seven-eighths cupfuls flour, three teaspoonfuls baking powder, half cupful raisins (cut small), two ounces brown sugar.

Waldorf Salad (Mrs. M. Vichau, 1130 Ellis street, San Francisco)
Cut off tops and hollow out some large red apples. Fill with a mixture of the scraped apple, chopped celery, chopped nuts and mayonnaise.

Dessert, Peach Mousse—One pint peach juice, made by passing ripe peaches through a sieve, with one-half cupful of sugar, one pint of stiffly whipped cream, flavor with tablespoonful of peach nifty and freeze.

Unheard and unthought of a few years ago, the subject of home economics assumes an importance secondary to none. On every hand the indications are that, in the future, woman's part in the advancement of the race is to receive more careful consideration.

VERBAL CURSES AND OATHS IN WRING

No Wonder Mrs. Giddings Was Awarded the Divorce She Asked For

Tales of Connubial Unhappiness From Wives Whose Husbands Were Most Cruel

James Horace Giddings swore at his wife Daisy during a train trip from Ventura to San Francisco so loudly and continuously that the other passengers interfered to protect her, she testified yesterday in Judge Hunt's court during the trial of her suit for divorce.

Edward James Hooper, who holds a prominent position in the real estate firm of J. W. Wright & Co., was sued for divorce yesterday by Katherine Hooper on the ground of desertion.

Elizabeth Plinckock, who was granted a divorce from F. J. Plinckock by Judge Van Nostrand, testified that her husband brutally assaulted her while their baby was dying.

By Judge Graham—R. Margaret Miller from Charles E. Miller, willful neglect.

By Judge Cabanis—George P. Knarston from Ruby L. Knarston, desertion.

By Judge Hunt—Mary R. Merritt from William G. Merritt, willful neglect.

By Judge Van Nostrand—Sadie Vanderhoof from Herbert Vanderhoof, willful neglect.

Suits for divorce were filed yesterday: Dora Berman against M. Berman, cruelty.

Elizabeth M. Vinal against John T. Vinal, cruelty.

Jay H. Merrill against Agda H. Merrill, desertion.

By Judge J. Connor against John O'Connor, cruelty.

Louise C. Parquet against Edmond F. Parquet, cruelty.

Almon Cross against Marion L. Lewis, desertion.

RED CROSS PREPARES FOR RELIEF WORK IN TURKEY

Contributions Accepted to Furnish Aid to Armenians

While no formal appeal has been issued for the sufferers from the Armenian massacres, contributions are being received throughout the United States by the Red Cross for relief work in Turkey.

When inquiry was made of Ambassador Leishman by the state department at Washington at the request of the Red Cross, a cablegram was received that distress among the population was very great.

Immediately upon receipt of Leishman's cablegram, the National Red Cross appropriated \$1,000 from its general emergency fund and it was called by the secretary of state to Ambassador Leishman.

TROUBLE OVER SEWER IS SETTLED OUT OF COURT

Crocker Estate Agrees to Buy Bonds From the City

Attorney Frank J. Burke, acting on behalf of Charles Uite and other residents of Ocean View, yesterday dismissed the suit instituted against the Crocker estate company to enjoin the construction of a private sewer from the Crocker estate into a public sewer in the garden in Ocean View.

Before doing this Burke had succeeded in reaching an agreement with the Crocker estate, under which the corporation agrees to purchase \$42,000 worth of sewer bonds from the city of San Francisco and construct a bond sewer in Ocean View to a spot about a mile below, where it will dump into the Islais creek.

Personal Brevities

J. C. Popper of Los Angeles is staying at the St. Francis hotel.

Mrs. John T. Porter of Watsonville is a guest at the Fairmont.

E. E. Skinner, a lumberman of Eureka, is staying at the Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stafford of Santa Barbara are guests at the Manx.



Anty Drudge's Advice to Mrs. Careworn.

Mrs. Easywork—"Jack and I went to the theatre last night. It was fine."

Mrs. Careworn—"And I suppose your wash got a lick and a promise. Any woman who does her work right is too tired to go out Monday night."

Anty Drudge—"No, she didn't let her work go! I'll tell you what she did. She used Fels-Naptha soap which does the work in half the time and doesn't give you a backache in doing it."

Here are two ways of washing. Choose for yourself:

The Old Way. Get up at 5 o'clock. Make hot fire, fill the washboiler and get it boiling. Wet your white clothes, soap them and put them into the boiler. When they're boiled good and tender, rub them hard on the washboard, meanwhile putting others in to boil. Keep the fire good and hot. It will fill the house with nauseous steam but that's necessary in this kind of washing.

The New Way. Get up at 7 o'clock summer and winter. Wet all your clothes, soap well with Fels-Naptha and let them soak in cool or lukewarm water for 30 minutes. Then rub lightly, rinse well and hang out to dry. That's all. And your clothes will be cleaner, whiter and purer than you could get them in any other way. The whole washing takes only a few hours.

Which way sounds best to you? In using Fels-Naptha, follow simple directions printed on the red and green wrapper.

THRONGS TAKEN TO PARIS IN HOLMES TRAVELOGUE

Pictures of French Capital Delight Big Audience

The delights of Paris were brought very close home to a large audience that filled Christian Science hall last night to hear Wright Kramer in the third of the Burton Holmes travelogues. According to the lecturer and his pictures, both motion and still life, the French capital is in many respects the most interesting city of the world.

NEW REGAL STORE in the PHELAN BUILDING

Custom Style and Fit in Dainty Regal Oxfords
The new Women's Regal Oxford styles for Spring and Summer can be seen in the special Women's Department of the new Regal store at 772 Market street, in the Phelan building.

All of this season's distinctive custom features will be found accurately reproduced in these Women's Regal Oxfords, with a daintiness and charm possessed by no other ready-to-wear shoes.

Regal quarter-soles, by giving Double the usual number of fittings, afford an exact fit that insures comfort and service.

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