# EVENTS IN THE COUNTIES BORDERING ON THE BAY OF SAN FRANCISCO

## BRILLIANT BALL TO PRECEDE LENT

### Mrs. Frank Havens Will Entertain Smart Set at Claremont Country Club

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—The most brilliant event immediately preceding the Lenten season will be the ball early in February for which Mrs. Frank Havens will send out cards within the coming week. Mrs. Havens is planning to entertain about 300 guests at the Claremont country club. Mr. and Mrs. Havens returned early in January from the east, where Mrs. Havens spent the last six months. Together with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Havens and Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens, they went south to attend the aviation week, the party making the trip by automobile.

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Miss Madeline Clay is expecting to spend a part of February in Riverside, where she will be the house guest of friends for three weeks.

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Miss Ilma Chase has sent out cards for a tea at which Miss Genevieve Chambers will be the guest of honor the afternoon of Wednesday, January 26. Miss Chambers will be one of the Easter brides, her marriage with Frank Elwell Case being planned for the late spring.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Walsh were particularly honored by the theater party Saturday evening which the members of the Linda Vista card club planned as a surprise to them. After dinner with Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hubbard, the party attended the theater, where they were joined by the score of members who awaited their coming.

An informal supper was afterward served at one of the downtown cafes. Among those who enjoyed the occasion, which was planned by way of farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Walsh, who will leave next month for a tour abroad, were:

Mr. and Mrs. Walsh
Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hubbard
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Heron
Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Coogan
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Taylor
Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Butler
Mr. and Mrs. John D. Eby
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Coffin
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Breck
Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Houts
Mr. and Mrs. James Wiggins
Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Dow

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For Thursday afternoon Miss Alice Albright has planned an informal card party and a dozen girls of the younger set will be her guests.

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Miss Em Lou Frisbie, whose betrothal to Howard H. Fasset was recently announced, left today for her home in Redding after a visit with friends in the bay cities. Miss Frisbie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Frisbie. She is a graduate of the University of California, where she was prominent as a member of the Tri Delta sorority. Fasset is engaged in business across the bay.

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The wedding of Albert Lester Baker and Miss Ruby Richards is planned for the evening of Tuesday, February 8, at the family home in Berkeley. In the bridal party will be Miss Ruth Richards, a sister of the bride, as maid of honor, Miss Marguerite Roberts and Miss Florence Wilson as bridesmaids.

It is regretted by a wide circle of friends that her home will be established in the east. Miss Richards will be one of the bridesmaids attending Miss Elsie Campbell, when next week she becomes the bride of Maurice Walsh.

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Miss Alicia Kelly and Miss Claire Haelke will leave this week on a tour of the east, planning to spend some time in New York.

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BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—Because of the inability of the bride elect to reach this city from her home in Washington, the marriage of Miss Margaret Hosier and Carl Kupfer was solemnized at the home of Mrs. Newton Cleveland in Bushnell place tonight instead of last Wednesday, the original date set.

Kupfer is in the forestry service of the United States government in San Francisco, where, with his bride, he will make his home. The marriage was solemnized at the home of Mrs. Cleveland, owing to the fact that Rev. E. W. Darst and Mrs. Darst, at whose home the wedding service was to have been read, are in Mexico on account of Rev. Mr. Darst's health.

## TELLING UNTRUTH MAY COST YOUTH PROBATION

### Says He Is 19 on One Occasion and 22 on Another

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—Mistake or lack of veracity in telling his age cost Bert Velliquet his freedom today in Judge Brown's court. Velliquet was just about to secure probation, Probation Officer Ruess having reported favorably, when the young man in reply to Judge Brown's inquiry said that he was 22 years of age.

He had previously told Ruess that he was only 19 and had repeated the story to the members of the district attorney's force.

His attorney, Stanley Moore, secured a continuance in order that the boy's mother may be communicated with with a view to determining his right age.

## OFFERS TO RECOVER REBATES FOR COUNTY

### Charges for Gas and Electricity Alleged to Be Excessive

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—An offer to collect rebates from the Oakland gas, light and heat company for overcharges for light furnished the county was made today by Charles L. Pryal, a promoter of a rival company.

Pryal declared that excess charges of 15 cents per 1,000 cubic feet for gas and of 5 cents per 100 kilowatts for electricity had been made for some time by the Oakland gas, light and heat company. He offered to bring suit for the recovery of these excess charges and charge the county a contingent fee for doing so.

The matter was referred to District Attorney Donahue.

### Marriage Licenses

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—The following marriage licenses were issued today:

Robert E. Caldwell, 29, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Hazel E. Woodward, 18, San Francisco.

Joseph Nelson, 32, San Francisco, and Helen O'Toole, 23, Denver.

Carl A. Kupfer, 30, Berkeley, and Margaret W. Hoselin, 27, Washington, D. C.

Burton Hodson, 21, and Jeannette McConnell, 19, both of San Francisco.

Sigfried Peterson, 27, and Elizabeth Guilfoyle, 29, both of Berkeley.

Joseph G. Borba, 24, and Isabelle A. Mattos, 24, both of San Lorenzo.

Alex C. McDonald, 22, and Miriam S. Cassel, 18, both of Oakland.

Louis Figone, 21, and Mary Razzo, 16, both of Oakland.

Carl A. Luedeking, 27, and Alvina M. Dunn, 26, both of Oakland.

## Noted Pioneer Woman Is Called to Last Rest

Mrs. Caroline Calhoun, who passed away yesterday in Berkeley.

## MRS. C. C. CALHOUN DEAD IN BERKELEY

### Came Around Horn in 1851 to California With the First Printing Press

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Caroline Cecilia Calhoun, who brought the first printing press to California in 1851, died last night at her home in this city at the age of 84. She was the widow of Charles A. Calhoun, who opened the first printing office in San Francisco.

Mrs. Calhoun had lived in Berkeley since 1876, coming here when the city was nothing more than a wilderness of ranches and pasture lands. She purchased the first lot in the Leonard tract which was opened up in the Dwight way district and had lived here continually since that time.

She was a native of New York and when her husband with his cousin, William Bovee, another noted pioneer, left for California by the way of the Horn, she remained there awaiting their word as to what she should bring westward.

Two years later, with a complete printing press and type she rounded the Horn and went to San Francisco, in 1851, where her husband with this press was the first to engage in the printing business in the state.

Charles Calhoun died a short time afterward and Mrs. Calhoun removed to this city. Of recent years she had been living at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. King, 2430 Dwight way. Other children who survive her are Charles A. and Benjamin Calhoun and Mrs. Emma Hall, a well known resident of this city.

The funeral will be held from her late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be private.

## LOWER LIQUOR LICENSE IN COUNTY TO $50

### No Further Change Made in New Ordinance

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—The new county liquor ordinance was amended today by the reduction of the quarterly license from $60 to $50 a quarter.

This is still an increase of $20 a qarter over the license as it was before the last meeting of the board of supervisors, when an ordinance making many important changes in the saloon question was effected. Among the most important are the closing of the saloons at midnight instead of 1 o'clock and the compelling of all restaurants and hotels that sell liquor to have a liquor license.

The new ordinance was especially directed against roadhouses.

## TOWN WINS CONCESSION FROM RAILROAD COMPANY

### Santa Fe Agrees to Permit Streets Across Right of Way

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—Arrangements have been made for three openings in the troublesome high board fence maintained by the Santa Fe railroad on both sides of its right of way running through the city of Albany.

As the private right of way of the railroad was established before the city of Albany was incorporated the company maintained its right for several months to close up the streets crossing its route.

This resulted in friction with the city officials, but the matter has been adjusted on the basis of three openings.

## COAL HEAVER'S ARM IS BADLY SPLINTERED

### Caught in Revolving Belt While He Is Working

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—Frank Enos, a coal heaver living at 1421 Forty-seventh avenue, had his right arm caught in a belt at the Western fuel company's bunkers this morning. The bone was splintered from the elbow to the shoulder.

FUNERAL OF A. B. HUNT—Alameda, Jan. 17. Funeral services for Aaron B. Hunt, former state legislator and registrar of the United States land office in San Francisco, were held this morning at the Hunt residence, 1420 Grand street. Rev. W. E. Vaughan, pastor of the Union street Methodist church, officiated.

## WANTS CITY TO PAY INSPECTION FEES

### Mayor Points Out Drawback in Meat Ordinance and Advocates Amendment

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—Payment of inspection fees by the city was advocated by Mayor Frank K. Mott in a message submitted to the city council this evening recommending amendment of the meat inspection ordinance, which the chief executive signed last week. The ordinance as now framed imposes the inspection costs on the slaughterer, which, the mayor asserts, is not the wisest method of effecting the purpose. He requested the council to give this phase of the meat market regulation further consideration. The message follows:

I beg to inform you that I have approved an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance regulating the slaughtering of animals, providing for the inspection of meats, etc., to be sold in the city of Oakland and providing a penalty therefor," passed by the council on January 3, 1910.

Some opposition exists to this ordinance, not on the ground of its general purposes, which are admittedly wise and good, but chiefly directed against that part which refers to the fees to be charged for inspection. The claim is made that we are putting a burden upon local slaughterers, none of whom has United States government inspection, owing to the fact that they do not do an interstate business. This ordinance exempts from local inspection all federal inspected slaughter houses, and consequently they are not required to pay any fees, and it is claimed that they can thus either undersell local slaughterers or compel them to accept a smaller profit. This may not be altogether true, as I am informed that federal inspection is so rigid that slaughter houses submitting to the same are put to greater expense in the equipment and maintenance of their plants than those who confine their operations within the state.

However, it seems to me that this question of fees is one which should have your further consideration. I am frank to say that I think the method devised for meeting this inspection expense is not the wisest, as it may tend to create a wrong relation between the inspector and the slaughterers, for under the plan adopted the latter practically pay direct the wages of the person who is employed by the people to watch and care for their interests alone.

It seems to me that we might devise some other method of taxing slaughterers in the event that the cost of inspection is too great for the city to bear out of present revenues; in fact, some such license tax would not appear at all inequitable, but it should be placed upon all wholesale butchers alike who do business within the city.

I therefore commend to your early consideration the suggestions herein contained.

The mayor's meat ordinance message was referred to the ordinance and judiciary committee. Councilman Vose will introduce the amendments recommended.

To establish a police substation in the annexed district at once $499 was appropriated by the council. The board of public works will establish the branch at once. Saloon permits were given to 47 applicants in the annexed district, two applications being held up.

## S. P. SUED BY WIDOW OF DROWNED EMPLOYE

### Mrs. Stamata P. Sarres Asks $20,000 Damages

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—Suit for $20,000 damages was begun today against the Southern Pacific railroad company by Stamata P. Sarres, widow of Peter Sarres. Sarres was drowned near Davis, in Yolo county, recently while in the company's employ. Mrs. Sarres alleges that while he was working as a grader, on the bank of the Sacramento river, the embankment on which he was standing gave way and he was precipitated into the water below.

## GRADUATE NURSE FETED AT ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL

### Miss Myrtle Parsons Recipient of Much Attention

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—Upon the graduation of Miss Myrtle Parsons whose home is in the southern part of the state, from the Roosevelt hospital today the young woman was feted by her friends and the officials of the hospital. She was presented with a class pin and other favors. Miss Parsons will remain in this city to continue her profession.

PAINTER BREAKS LEG—Alameda, Jan. 17.—W. M. Hutts, a painter, broke his left leg at the hip this afternoon in falling from the top of a house he was painting at 829 Taylor avenue.

## MRS. MADISON NOT CRUEL, SAYS COURT

### Judge Waste Intimates That He Will Not Grant Divorce Decree

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—Cruelty on the part of his wife, Jewell M. Madison, was not shown by Martin J. Madison, a wealthy ship chandler, Judge Waste intimated today. Madison sued his wife for divorce on the ground of extreme cruelty and desertion. As to the desertion, Judge Waste said also that it was not easy to determine whether or not Mrs. Madison had deserted her husband in the sense the law contemplates.

The judge said that the fact that the pair continued to live in their home at Hayward makes it difficult to determine whether or not Mrs. Madison deserted her husband. Much testimony was given in the case, most of it behind closed doors, and the trial was interrupted several times by Judge Waste's illness. Madison's charge of cruelty consisted of alleged nagging and a refusal on the part of his wife to consider herself such.

To be called a "dirty, low old church member" was one of the cruel things that Mrs. Mary E. Norden objected to on the part of her husband, Herman, according to a divorce complaint that she filed today. The Nordens live at 2150 Clinton avenue, Alameda. Mrs. Norden also accuses her husband of throwing a chair at her and beating her with his fist.

The following decrees of divorce were granted today: Phoebe Rogers against E. M. Rogers, final, cruelty; Mary A. Hollmann against Charles H. Hollmann, final, habitual neglect; Cora E. Cochran against Robert F. Cochran, interlocutory, desertion.

Suits for divorce on the ground of desertion were begun by Mary N. Silva against Frank J. Silva; Mathilda Pryem against Rudolph Pryem, habitual neglect.

## BOYCOTTING DENOUNCED BY COURT AS "VICIOUS"

### Judge Ogden Contends Practice Breeds Class Hatred

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—The practice of boycotting was strongly denounced today in court by Judge Ogden, who pronounced it "more vicious than any disease ever imported from the tropics."

"Such action is productive of class hatred," he added.

The occasion for his remark to this effect was the trial of injunction proceedings whereby Charles C. Hulbert, a Twelfth street restaurant keeper, sought to restrain the cooks' and waiters' alliance from keeping pickets in front of his place and boycotting him. One of the attorneys in the case declared that the boycott was a European importation, whereupon Judge Ogden said that it was an evil one.

The case was not decided today, but postponed until Friday for further hearing.

## FRANK OTIS CANDIDATE FOR THE STATE SENATE

### Desires to Succeed Clem Bates From Alameda

ALAMEDA, Jan. 17.—Assemblyman Frank Otis, who has represented the forty-seventh district for two terms in the state legislature, has formally announced his candidacy to succeed State Senator J. Clem Bates from the fourteenth senatorial district, which includes Alameda and the greater part of Brooklyn township.

The latter part of the district is now in the annexed territory of the city of Oakland.

Bates is ineligible to re-election, as he now holds a federal position in the United States mint in San Francisco.

Sumner Crosby, a city councilman, is a candidate for the assembly to take Otis' place.

## ALAMEDANS MAROONED ON LAUNCH IN HARBOR

### Craft Runs Aground and Sticks for Hours

ALAMEDA, Jan. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Badger and son, C. V. Strom, Victor Strom and Max Beulach of Alameda, spent most of last night marooned on a launch in Oakland harbor, between Alameda mole and the Webster street bridge. The party was returning home to Alameda after dark and the launch ran aground at low tide. The boat was stuck in the mud until the flooding tide floated it at 3 o'clock this morning. Friends and relatives of the marooned ones were trying to get tidings of them when they appeared at their homes shortly before daylight this morning.

## OBSEQUIES HELD FOR DECEASED PIONEER

### Funeral of Mrs. Antoinette Hathaway at Daughter's Home

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Antoinette Hathaway, widow of the late Doctor Hathaway of San Francisco, who died here Saturday night at the age of 68 years, was held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clara Mahler, 2237 Atherton street, this afternoon. The body was cremated. Mrs. Hathaway was a pioneer of the state and came to California 55 years ago, crossing the isthmus of Panama.

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## Mrs. W. C. Stringer, A Recent Bride

## BRIDAL COUPLE GO TO REDDING HOME

### Former Popular Society Belle of Alameda Takes Up New Residence

ALAMEDA, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Willie Campbell Stringer, formerly Miss Mary Etter, who was a popular Alameda society girl before her recent marriage, is settled in her new home in Redding, where Stringer is engaged in business.

The friends of the bride expected that she would return to Alameda from the honeymoon before going to her home in the northern part of the state and they had planned a number of social functions in her honor.

Mrs. Stringer and her husband, however, after touring the state proceeded directly to Redding.

## ALBANY PETITIONS FOR MAIL FACILITIES

### New City Wants Postoffice in Center of Business District

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—With the recent change of the name of Ocean View to Albany, agitation has been started for a postoffice, the purpose of the change in name.

Postmaster Clarence S. Merrill of this city has been petitioned as have the postal authorities in Washington who have also been asked to name John C. Oldfield as postmaster.

If the request is granted the office will be located in Oldfield's store at Kains avenue near Main street, in the center of the little city.

## STREET ROW ENDS IN TRIALS IN COURTROOM

### E. M. Brodenstein Pleads Not Guilty of Battery

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—E. M. Brodenstein, charged with battery by Dr. Ethan W. Scott, a South Berkeley dentist, pleaded not guilty and asked for a jury trial this morning. The case has been set for Wednesday. L. C. Simpson, also accused by Scott of disturbing the peace, asked for a court trial. Both cases grew out of a street row, in which Doctor Scott is said to have used a dagger on Brodenstein and was fined $100 for carrying a concealed weapon.

## TELEPHONE WIRES TO BE LAID IN CONDUITS

### Managers of Companies Make Promises to Improvers

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—The managers of the Home and the Pacific telephone companies have assured the members of La Loma improvement club of this city that all telephone poles in the northeastern part of the city will be eliminated and conduits will be used, short poles being used in back yards only in cases of necessity.

ADMITS BURGLARY—Oakland, Jan. 17.—Charles Ross, colored, pleaded guilty today to a charge of burglary of the first degree. He was accused of entering the room of George Collins, in the Clarendon house. Ross will be sentenced tomorrow.

## CADETS PREPARE FOR MILITARY BALL

### Dance Will Be One of the Most Brilliant Social Events of the College Year

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—Plans of the cadets of the university are concentrated on the elaborate military ball which will be given in March. An effort will be made to eclipse last year's brilliant social, when army and navy officers gave the dance the real military spice and added much to the occasion. Captain James Stewart, a member of the Sigma Nu fraternity, has been named as general chairman, and Captain D. Y. Lamont is chairman of the committee of arrangements and Captain E. Harris of the reception committee. A floor manager will be selected tomorrow.

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The engagement of Miss Jessie Sevier McCormick of the class of 1908 and Chester J. Hunn, United States horticulturist at Honolulu, was announced today. The engagement is the result of the meeting of Miss McCormick and Hunn, who is a graduate of Cornell, on an ocean steamer en route to the Hawaiian islands last year. The marriage will take place at Honolulu owing to the pressure of Hunn's business duties.

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A reception was given to the Women's fencing club of the university this afternoon and preparations made for the spring bouts. Miss Irene Coffin, head of the club, was general chairman of the committee in charge of the affair, which was held in Hearst hall, and assisting her were Misses Minnie Walton, Jeanette Stewart and Italia de Jarnette.

## MUCH DAMAGE CAUSED BY RUNAWAY HORSES

### High School Students Narrowly Escape Injury

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—After tearing away the awning of the cigar store of Wright & Lyons in Bancroft way near Telegraph avenue a team of the Wells-Fargo express company, frightened by a car, dashed down Bancroft way at 3 o'clock this afternoon, narrowly missed colliding with a Key Route train, ran into the store formerly occupied by the Ellers music company at Shattuck avenue and turned into the millinery store of Mrs. E. White adjoining.

A number of students of the Berkeley high school escaped injury from the frightened team and from the flying glass of the broken windows of the stores.

The wagon was damaged and the horses injured. Driver T. J. Wilson was not on the seat at the time of the accident.

## UNKNOWN MAN'S BODY RECOVERED FROM BAY

### Corpse Found Floating in Estuary Well Dressed

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—The body of an unknown young man was found this morning in the estuary at the foot of Fallon street. Charles Haggeney, an ark dweller, saw the corpse floating with the incoming tide and notified the coroner's office.

The body was well dressed and had been in the water for at least three weeks. The coroner is holding the dead man's clothes in the hope that the supposed suicide's remains may be identified by means of the garments.

The young man wore a blue serge suit, new patent leather shoes, black socks of good quality and light underwear. In the pockets was 80 cents, but there were neither papers nor laundry marks which would serve to disclose the name.

## LAUREL CLUB WILL HOLD FIRST SOCIAL

### Dance for New Season Set for January 28

BERKELEY, Jan. 17.—The Laurel club, a well known organization of North Berkeley, will hold its first dance of the year in the Masonic temple January 28. The committee in charge consists of James C. Dunn, Clifford Meikle, David Folliard, Lee Wayland, Everett Shallenberger, Edward Haunschild, Dale Wenrich and Frank Hann.

CANADIAN CLUB OFFICERS—Oakland, Jan. 17.—The Canadian club has elected the following officers: President, Dr. A. S. Kelly; vice president, M. A. McInnis; recording secretary, Mrs. J. A. Archibald; financial secretary, Alexander Copeland; treasurer, N. S. Macdonald; sergeant at arms, J. H. McKay; trustees—Alexander MacQuarrie, J. J. Jackson, Hugh M. Cameron.

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## FIRE MARSHAL TO TEST ORDINANCE

### Begins Mandamus Proceedings Against Auditor to Secure Increased Salary

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—Mandamus proceedings to compel City Auditor George E. Gross to pass favorably on his salary claim against the city were begun today by Fire Marshal N. A. Ball. This action was begun to test the validity of an ordinance recently passed by the city council, by which Ball was voted a salary of $300 per month. Gross says the ordinance is invalid.

Ball, who has been fire chief of the city for years, had his salary fixed by the charter as such, and it could not be raised. As he demanded a larger salary, and the municipal authorities thought he was entitled to receive one, the new position of fire marshal, with a salary of $3,600 a year, was created for him, and he assumed its duties December 10 of last year. He put in a claim for $203.22 for 21 days' service, but Gross refused to allow it. Ball threatened to resign, but the city auditor said that he had no choice under the law but to refuse to authorize payment.

PLACED ON PROBATION—Oakland, Jan. 17.—J. O. Cramer, who pleaded guilty to passing a fictitious check for $7.50, was placed on probation for 10 years by Judge Brown today.

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