

# In the Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys

## PIONEER COUPLE HOLD CELEBRATION

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yost Celebrate the Anniversary at Stockton Home

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
STOCKTON, July 3.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yost celebrated their golden wedding last Friday evening at their home, California and Fremont streets. The rooms were beautifully decorated in honor of the occasion and the yard was adorned with Japanese lanterns. The children arranged the plans for the celebration, which proved a happy reunion. Four sons, Fred J. Yost Jr., Charles C. Walter E. and Henry L. Yost, and daughter, Mrs. Bert Woods, and three grandsons were present. Reminiscences made the evening enjoyable.

Mrs. Yost was formerly Miss Margaret Wolf and came to California in 1855 by way of the Isthmus. Her parents kept a hotel called the Spring Valley house, and while Mr. Yost was driving teams to the mines he had occasion to stop at the hotel, where he met her.

After their wedding the couple came to Stockton and bought the property they now occupy from Captain Weber, the founder of the city. They have resided there for half a century. There were nine children, five of whom are living.

Yost is one of Stockton's earliest residents. He took an active part in the early day history of the city and served a term as city councilman.

Miss Ina Jordan and Otto Reimers were married Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the Central Methodist Episcopal church by Rev. John Stephens. The church had been prettily decorated with pink and sweet peas and ferns by the Sunshine Bible class, of which the bride is a member. The couple was unattended. Miss Kitty Ramsey and Miss Lorraine Bunsen were the ribbon bearers. After a reception at the Jordan home the couple departed for the Yosemite valley, where they will spend their honeymoon.

A reception was given in honor of Miss Murray McAdams Monday by W. H. E. Lester. Miss McAdams recently arrived from Scotland to keep house for her brother. She sang several selections. Miss McAdams was also surprised with a house keeping shower.

An entertainment was held at the home of Miss Catherine Ritchie Thursday evening by "The Daughters of the Church" in honor of five new members—Miss Pfeiffer, Miss Greer, Miss Howell, Miss Eckland and Miss McAdams, and their teacher, Mrs. B. F. Goode.

Miss Marie Hickman entertained last Saturday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Bernice Coille of San Francisco. Progressive games were played.

Two card parties were given last week by Mrs. W. J. Young. Wednesday she had the bridge and Friday she had three of five hundred. Friday she had six tables of bridge.

Miss Blakey of Kentucky was the guest of honor at a bridge party given last Wednesday evening by Mrs. Elta Humphrey.

Miss Ida M. Smith entertained a number of young people at her home Thursday evening in honor of the Misses Edna and Lillian Ulrich and Mrs. Caroline Conroy of Oakland, the guests of Mrs. L. Hahn.

A farewell party was given Tuesday evening by Miss Gladys Doolittle in honor of August Muentzer, who has gone to Berkeley to reside.

The Wednesday Bridge club was entertained last week by Mrs. J. P. Hull.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Burton entertained the Tres Olmos club last week.

The Thursday North Side Bridge club met last week with Mrs. George Catts.

Mrs. H. A. Prole entertained Thursday in honor of Mrs. Code of San Francisco, the guest of Mrs. William T. Renison.

**Personal Mention**  
Mrs. Florence Musto is enjoying an outing at Santa Cruz.  
Mrs. A. M. Noble left yesterday with friends to spend a month in Lake county.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Parkinson and son, Oscar,

## FOURTH WILL BE GAY IN MARTINEZ

Parades, Games, Races and Fireworks Features of Program at Contra Costa

MARTINEZ, July 3.—July 4 will be observed here with public exercises tomorrow. The July 4 committee of businessmen has arranged for parades, fireworks displays, athletic contests and numerous amusement features, and the business houses and dwellings have been decorated in keeping with the streets.

The program will begin at sunrise with a military salute. At 10:30 o'clock the parade will leave the foot of Ferry street, with four bands in the divisions. Among the floats will be those of the goddess of Liberty, fire queen, "car of states," industrial interests and fraternal organizations. The fire department will march with apparatus and surrounding towns will be represented. There will also be comic features.

The parade will disband for literary exercises at the corner of Green and Las Juntas streets. At 1:30 o'clock there will be a baseball game between Contra Costa and Martinez at Bay View park for a purse of \$100. Dancing will follow the game at the park.

The free open air vaudeville show will be at Green and Las Juntas streets at 2:30 o'clock. Then a hose cart race between Martinez and other towns will be run for a purse of \$150, and a free for all Marathon race will follow this contest. The Marathon purse will be \$10. In the intermissions of the racing program Japanese will give a pyrotechnical display.

Four crews will row for a prize in fishing boats, with five men in each craft, at the end of Grangers wharf at 4 o'clock. At 4:30 o'clock racing on foot for prizes will begin.

Another free vaudeville show will be given at 8 o'clock at Green and Las Juntas streets, following a band concert. There will be more Japanese fireworks, and the grand ball, led by the goddess of Liberty and grand marshal of the parade, will begin at Bay View pavilion at 9:30 o'clock.

## COOL DAYS FAVOR CARDS AT CAPITAL

Mrs. M. R. Beard Entertains at Bridge in Honor of Season's Bride

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
SACRAMENTO, July 3.—One of the pleasant social affairs of the week, which included a group of matrons and a half score of the younger set, was the afternoon at bridge given by Mrs. M. R. Beard in honor of one of the season's brides, Mrs. George F. Beard. Those asked to meet the younger Mrs. Beard were Miss Estil Stephens, the Misses Claire and Selma Lavenson, Miss Mary Lindley, Miss Eleanor Beard, Miss Justine Griffith, Mrs. W. E. Briggs, Mrs. W. H. Baldwin, Mrs. Gus Lavenson and Mrs. Martin Beasley.

An afternoon at cards in honor of Miss Florence Braverman of San Francisco was the occasion Saturday for Mrs. Walter Wright to announce the engagement of her daughter, Miss Loretta Chipman, to Chester Rowell Gordon.

These are early days for vacations in the interior, but the weather was moderate last week and a goodly number of the younger set responded to the invitation of Miss Margaret Griffith for an afternoon at cards Wednesday. The affair furnished opportunity for most of Miss Griffith's guests to renew acquaintances and memories of the last two seasons at college. Miss Griffith's guests were: Lieta Jones, Gretchen Grau, Eleanor Baldwin, Elsa Flint, Emily Gillis, Gladys Gill of Palo Alto, Selma Lavenson, Anita Eimer, Marjorie May, Gertrude Loeman, Helen Pierce, Hazel McKevitt, May Van Mere, Evelyn Cogan, Athene Bates, Mary Lindley, Nina Heilbron, Corinne Dillman, Valentine McClatchey, Ruth Egan, Edith Nielsen and Mrs. Clinton L. Harber.

Another affair of the younger set last week which was especially pleasant was that given by Miss Helen Burnett Tuesday afternoon in compliment to her house guest, Miss Loretta Hyde of San Francisco. Novel and unique games were found to occupy the hours before luncheon.

Russell Stephens was the host Saturday evening at a swimming party to a group of the younger set at the Sacramento swimming baths.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. James entertained Monday evening at a delightful musicale.

Miss Edith Cummings entertained a score of friends informally Wednesday afternoon.

One of the thimble clubs was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. Ammon Clay.

## BREAKERS WRECK LONG BEACH PIER

Fifty Pillings Smashed by Turbulent Sea; Damage Estimated at \$100,000

LONG BEACH, July 3.—Enormous breakers smashed 50 pillings from under the pleasure pier here today, causing damage which will require the expenditure of at least \$100,000 to repair. The sea had been rough since yesterday, and all night the great swells assaulted the wharf, which held intact until today. A big fourth of July celebration was scheduled to be held at the outer end of the wharf tomorrow, but has now been abandoned. A bond issue of \$75,000 was recently voted to extend the wharf.

## WORK HORSE PARADE PLANNED AT CAPITAL

Sane and Safe Celebration for Nation's Birthday

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
SACRAMENTO, July 3.—A work horse parade will be the novel feature of Sacramento's celebration of the fourth. There will be more than 200 entries in this division and the other features will make the parade two miles long.

The celebration will be on the lines of Mayor Beard's ideas of a sane fourth and no fireworks of any kind will be permitted. The day's festivities will commence with a parade at 9:30 o'clock. J. B. Hicks will be grand marshal and Miss Gertrude Andrews goddess of Liberty. Literary exercises in a local theater will follow the parade, the director of the day being Judge Albert G. Burnett.

Darwin Smith will read the declaration of independence. A band concert in Capitol park in the evening, and a big display of fireworks in the park will conclude the celebration.

## MAYBELLE GILMAN'S SISTER PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Charles Hagerdorn Dies at Her Home Here

Mrs. Charles Hagerdorn, formerly Miss Ruby Genevieve Gilman, sister of Maybelle Gilman-Corey, wife of the steel magnate, died at her residence in McAllister street Saturday after an illness of a few weeks.

Mrs. Hagerdorn was married just a year and was only 24 years old. She was formerly cashier of the Chutes, where she met and married Hagerdorn, who also was employed there. The wedding was a direct contrast to that of her sister, who married William E. Corey, millionaire steel trust president.

The young woman is survived by her husband, one brother, J. M. Gilman, and three sisters, Mrs. C. A. Alisky, Miss Unice Gilman and Mrs. William Corey, the famous actress and beauty.

## DERANGED MAN SHOOT AT BROTHER IN LAW

Bullet Grazes Head and Powder Burns Skin

VALLEJO, July 3.—Frederick Seidel is under arrest here for firing a shot from a revolver at his brother in law, John Bitt, a railroad employe from Sacramento. The bullet grazed Bitt's head, the revolver being held so close that the skin was powder burned. Seidel is believed to be slightly deranged.

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## S. P. MAY BUILD SIX MILES DONNER TUNNEL

Reported Extension of Colfax Cutoff to Obviate Snowsheds

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
AUBURN, July 3.—It is reported here that the contract for the Southern Pacific cutoff from Colfax to Rocklin, have been asked to submit a bid for the extension of the cutoff from Colfax to Donner. This would mean that the proposed tunnel from Blue Canyon to Donner will be put through. This tunnel would be six miles long and would do away with 20 miles of snowsheds.

Australia has an area of 2,974,501 square miles. In 1906 the estimated white population was 4,119,481, and the estimated residue of the aboriginal "black fellows" about 75,000.

## VETERANS OF TWO WARS REUNITE

Thousands Take Part in Sunday Program of Napa's Big Celebration

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
NAPA, July 3.—The program for Sunday of Napa's elaborate fourth of July festivities was carried out before great crowds of people, including several thousand from San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento, Mare Island and Alameda.

There was a reunion of veterans of the civil and Spanish wars in East Napa pavilion this morning.

At 1 o'clock p. m. Miss Effie Hill, an aeronaut, made a successful balloon ascension and parachute jump in East Napa park. She attained a height of 2,000 feet and landed a mile from the place from which she made her ascent.

The Napa baseball team played a ball game this afternoon with a team from the cruiser Maryland at East Napa grounds. Napa won by a score of 11 to 1. Yeazell, Napa's twirler, was in excellent form, striking out 13 men and allowing few hits. Mills also did fine work in the field. The batteries were: For Napa, Yeazell and Locarnini; for the Maryland, Kane and Jones. Hits made—Napa 10, Maryland 4.

Later in the afternoon J. J. Hill made a sensational fire slide from the third street bridge to the First street bridge.

## ELEVEN TEACHERS WANT PLACE OF PRINCIPAL

Sacramento Board to Award High School Job

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
SACRAMENTO, July 3.—Eleven applications have been received by the city board of education for the position of principal of the Sacramento high school, recently vacated by Prof. Frank Tade. The applicants are: W. M. Mackay, Chico; Percy E. Rowell, Lompoc; A. C. Olney, Berkeley; E. L. Mitchell, Santa Barbara; J. M. Hahn, San Francisco; Roy Fryer, Sacramento; W. T. Randall, Berkeley; Ray Chase, Reno; W. B. Clark, Berkeley; Charles H. Wood, Arroyo Grande, Cal.; Fred Grant Sanderson, San Mateo. The selection probably will be made next week.

## TWO ROADS TO CONNECT PORTERVILLE AND HILLS

Construction Work Under Way on Rival Railways

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
PORTERVILLE, July 3.—Two lines of railroad are to be built from Porterville to the hills. The day following the beginning of work on the Porterville Northeastern a gang of men and teams were put at work upon the line of the proposed electric road which is to connect Porterville with Springville, Globe, Frazier valley and Tulare. Surveys for this road have been completed and rights of way deeded for practically the entire distance. According to present plans the road will be about 42 miles in length.

## CARELESS SPRAYING HURTS ORANGE CROP

Sunnyside Fruit Badly Damaged in War on Pest

[Special Dispatch to The Call]  
PORTERVILLE, July 2.—Careless use of spray in the fight against thrips has resulted in immense damage to some of the orange crop in the Sunnyside district. Inexperienced growers sprayed their trees while the sun was at its hottest, the result being that the half formed fruit touched with the spray was so badly blistered that it will not pay for picking. It is impossible to estimate the amount of damaged fruits, but it will run into the thousands of boxes.

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Lentils, German	¾ lb.	25c
Catsup, Blue Label	bottle	20c
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Riesling, Golden	doz. bots.	\$3.50; doz. ½ bots. \$2.25; gal. 40c
Sherry, California No. 2	gal.	\$1.25; bot. \$1.50; bot. 15c
Port, California No. 2	gal.	\$1.50; bot. \$1.50
Chianti, V. del V., Italian type, red or white	doz. bots.	\$5; doz. ½ bots. \$3.00

Fruit Syrups, all kinds, for summer drinks doz. ½ bottle | 40c || Sloe Gin, Pedlar brand | bottle | \$1.35; ½ bottle 70c |
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## HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT

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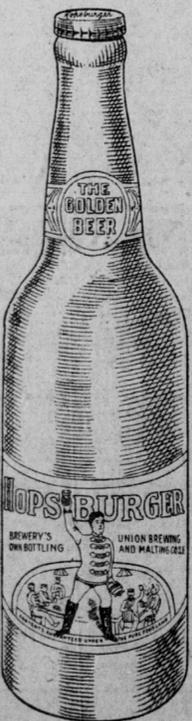
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