

THE BIDS FOR QUAYS RECEIVED FOR UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR AND COLLEGE GRADUATE MARRY

Twelve Contractors Seek Big City Contract for Part of Estuary Wharf

OAKLAND, Aug. 10.—Twelve bids to construct the first division of the quay wall between Myrtle and Clay streets were received by the board of public works this morning and were referred to the city attorney and city engineer for examination before the commissioners act.

The city engineer estimated the cost of building the first part of the wall at \$350,000, and in order that bids might be made as low as possible, again divided the section into four parts, grouping these two and two. The bids submitted were hence twofold, contractors estimating on sections 1 and 2, and 3 and 4.

The lowest bids were those of the Cartera contracting company, which offered to build sections 1 and 2 for \$199,750 and sections 3 and 4 for \$118,975. City Engineer Turner called attention to these bids as being much lower than the estimates of his office, and explained that this probably was due to imperfect knowledge of the nature of the strata to be removed in the excavation. He said that the Cartera company was new on this coast, and probably did not realize the magnitude of the task it seeks. In his opinion, the work could not be done within the price set forth in the bid. He will give figures when the board meets to award contracts.

OFFERINGS OF CONTRACTORS

The bids received were as follows, per linear foot:

Table listing contractors and their bid amounts for sections 1, 2, 3, and 4.

ESTUARY LAND BOUGHT

As soon as the contracts have been let the board of public works will be ready to order ground cleared for the builders. The second deal of purchase of estuary land was closed yesterday and the deeds were recorded this morning. For the estuary work bonds were voted for over \$700,000, of which a large part was for the acquisition of land in the estuary.

PROGRESS IN DEVELOPMENT

"The tedious detail work necessary to start the quay wall is over," said Mayor Scott, "and the bids for starting the project are closing. It marks another milestone in the development of this city as a port, with the wharves to receive all the commerce that may and that will come to us."

The engineers have designed the wall so that piers can be added diagonally when business requires more space, yet when the wall itself is done there will be ample wharfing space in the estuary. From Myrtle street to Clay will be 2,000 feet and we will have the money for this work on hand. We have already sold the first block of bonds for the beginning of city hall and water from work and the construction of the fire alarm building.

CHARTER REVISIONISTS FAVOR BERKELEY PLAN

Oakland Freeholders to Segregate City Departments

Anderson Makes Trip and is Entertained

Curry and Johnson to be in Oakland

Shipping News of Coast

ANTONIA, Aug. 10.—Steamer Coaster will complete its cargo of lumber at the Knappton mills today and sail this evening for San Francisco.

University Professor and College Graduate Marry



Mrs. Oliver M. Washburn, who was Miss Caroline Rockwell.

ENTRANCE TESTS TO START TODAY

Prospective Students Will Have Five-Days to Take University Examinations

BERKELEY, Aug. 10.—Matriculation examinations will be given by the university to prospective entrants commencing tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock and ending Tuesday afternoon. Students will be examined in algebra, Latin and elementary German tomorrow in English, elementary French, Spanish, history and government of the United States on Friday; in plane or solid geometry, Latin, physiology and English on Saturday.

The examinations will end Tuesday with tests in plane trigonometry, English history, Greek, analytic geometry, botany, medieval history, modern history, free hand drawing, chemistry, zoology, intermediate and advanced German.

Re-examinations to students, as well as special tests for advanced standing, will be given from August 11 to 29 by the various instructors.

New students, graduate and undergraduate, will be registered August 19 and 20, and on August 22 old students will be enrolled. Instruction in all classes on the campus will begin August 23 and study cards will be filed finally a week later.

OAKLAND STORK STILL LEADS 'GRIM REAPER'

OAKLAND, Aug. 10.—The board of health report of vital statistics for the month of July gives the births in this city during that month at 131 and the deaths 159; in May the births 205 and the deaths 166.

GROWS HAIR ON BALD HEADS

A Remedy That Costs Nothing if It Fails to Do as Claimed

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FACULTY AT ST. MARY'S CHARGES

Order of Christian Brothers Makes Many Transfers in Coast Schools

OAKLAND, Aug. 10.—Important changes in the personnel of the faculty of St. Mary's college have been made by Brother Xenophon, provincial of the order of Christian Brothers on the Pacific coast, preparatory to the opening of the new school year, which takes place September 1. The changes not only affect St. Mary's college, but many other educational institutions throughout the coast states operated under the religious order of instructors.

Brother Velestia, who has been president of St. Mary's college for the last six years, will take charge of St. Joseph's academy, Peralta park, Berkeley, and Brother Florinus, director at Peralta park, will be placed in charge of St. Mary's. Brother Florinus was formerly president of the Christian Brothers college at Sacramento. Brother Lewis, president of Sacred Heart college of San Francisco, has been appointed prefect at St. Mary's college of this city and will be assisted by Brother Joseph. Brother Gregory succeeds Brother Lewis at Sacred Heart college. The business department of St. Mary's college will be directed by Brother Vantasia of Portland, whose place in that city will be filled by Brother Aldrich of St. Mary's college here. Brother Edmund of St. Mary's and Brother Umberto of the same have both been transferred, the former to St. Peter's school, San Francisco, and the latter to the Christian Brothers college, Sacramento.

Among the changes at other institutions will be the appointment of Brother Vivian, formerly director of St. Peter's school, San Francisco, and recently of the academy at Peralta park, Berkeley, as director of St. Ann's school, East Oakland. He will succeed Brother Peian, who will be procurator at St. Mary's college. Brother Paul, director at Santa Cruz, has been appointed president of St. Vincent's academy, San Rafael. He is succeeded by Brother Justin.

MANY NEW SITES ARE OFFERED TO COLLEGE

OAKLAND, Aug. 10.—The board of directors of California college, the Catholic institution in East Oakland, has been offered in addition to a new site for the college a tract of land on the north bank of the American river, between Fair Oaks and Orangeville, consisting of about 100 acres of land to be used as a building fund and for the establishment of the college.

A number of other offers have been made through the chambers of commerce and civic organization of Chico, Fresno, San Jose, Stockton and Porterville, but definite action on any of the propositions will not be taken until the Baptist convention is held in the late fall although the board will consider the various offers in the meantime and present these to the convention.

School work at the college was suspended last May on account of financial stress and poor attendance, since which time the board of directors has been considering new plans for both a site and the operation of the school.

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HONOLULU S. S. SIERRA

AMAZON SPOUSE DROVE HIM OUT

Clerk Brings Divorce Suit Against Woman of Whom He Was in Terror

OAKLAND, Aug. 10.—Terrified by a wife who, he says, weighs 60 pounds more than he does and uses her fists, flatirons, carving knives and heavy demijohns as weapons against him with equal facility and willingness, Manuel P. Pacheco, a clerk, today brought suit for divorce. The wife, Maria, he says, has driven him out of their home by her repeated attempts to take his life. Once she came so close to stabbing him with a carving knife as he was making his hasty and undignified exit from the home that he shot out of the front door without his clothes.

It was while he was standing thus, shivering in the early morning air, and begging her to let him go into the house if it was only to get his shoes, that she flung a demijohn at him, he says.

A month ago Mrs. Pacheco sued him for divorce as the result of a quarrel, but withdrew the suit.

OFFICER INJURED IN BARROOM FIGHT

Watchman is Kicked in Face While Making an Arrest

SAN RAFAEL, Aug. 10.—In a fierce battle with Frank Regalia, whom he was attempting to arrest this morning in the barroom of the Golden Eagle hotel, watchman George Coltrone was kicked in the face and badly injured before he succeeded in taking the man prisoner. Regalia attempted to draw his revolver as they struggled and a counter attack and kicked until the officer subdued him with his club.

GROUPS OF SCHOOL WILL BE INCREASED

Board of Education Orders Payment for Purchase

OAKLAND, Aug. 10.—The board of education has ordered the payment to J. R. Talcott of \$5,250 for a strip of land 60 by 53 feet adjoining the Fremont high school grounds in Melrose. The ground will be added to the school tract to complete the block Talcott is now preparing the deed, and the deal will be closed in a few days.

RAILWAY TRAVEL

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READ

"The Philippines as I Saw Them," by General James F. Smith, ex-governor of the Philippines.

"California's Black Gold," the romance of the oil wells, by the V. Woehlike in Sunset Magazine for August. Now on sale at all news stands, 15 cents.

RAILWAY TRAVEL

SOUTHERN PACIFIC SAN FRANCISCO

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARE DUE TO ARRIVE FROM JULY 3, 1910

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