

EVENTS IN THE COUNTIES BORDERING ON THE BAY OF SAN FRANCISCO

MRS. LOHSE TO BE GUEST OF HONOR

Mrs. Maurice Walsh to Entertain in September at Large Bridge Party

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—One of the larger affairs of the coming month will be the bridge party for which Mrs. Maurice Walsh has sent out cards, including many guests in her invitation for the afternoon of Tuesday, September 6.

Mrs. George Manchester and Miss Cora L. Williams will be among the hostesses of the week, entertaining Friday afternoon at their home in Berkeley at a large tea in honor of Mrs. H. C. Allen and Mrs. Emma Grindel.

Mrs. Guy C. Earl and her daughters, Miss Martha Earl, Miss Alice Earl and Miss Eleanor Earl, are touring Holland and enjoying an interesting trip.

Mrs. Clarence Monroe Reed, who has been spending the summer on the Atlantic coast as the guest of relatives, is planning to return to Oakland about the middle of September.

The dance which Miss Beryl Burch has planned for the evening of Friday, August 26, will bring together a number of the younger folks of Berkeley.

Miss Fay Frisbie and Miss Anne Shepherd left last week for Detroit, Mich., where they will attend the national convention of the Alpha Chi Omega fraternities.

A beautifully planned wedding of Thursday evening will take place in the Shattuck avenue Methodist church, when Winifred Palmer and Miss Stella Thomson will be married.

James P. Edoff has given up the house which he and his family occupied for so many years in Grove street and taken possession of a new residence in Piedmont.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Parry, their daughter, Miss Constance Parry, and Mrs. Annie Allen will spend September at Capitola.

ALMA MATER HONORS DENTAL CORPS HEAD

Dr. John S. Marshall Given Degree by Syracuse

BERKELEY, Aug. 23.—In recognition of the research work in dentistry carried on in recent years by Dr. John S. Marshall, formerly head of the department of operative dentistry of the university and senior officer of the dental corps of the United States army, the University of Syracuse, from which he was graduated many years ago, has conferred upon him the degree of doctor of science.

Doctor Marshall only recently returned from a stay of three years in the Philippines, where he has been examining the dental work done for the army in the islands. He will shortly be located at the Presidio, San Francisco.

His son, John A. Marshall, who recently returned from his studies in chemistry at the University of Berlin, is carrying on special work at the university under Prof. George W. Shaw.

TEMPLARS ATTEND FUNERAL OF KNIGHT

Golden Gate Commandery Escorts Body of H. S. Bruner

BERKELEY, Aug. 23.—Plumed knights in full Templar uniforms, under the command of H. C. Schaefer, acted as the escort for the body of Henry S. Bruner, who died in Oakland last Saturday, when it was carried to the grave this afternoon. The services, under the Durant lodge of the Masonic order of this city, were held from the Masonic temple, Shattuck avenue and Bancroft way.

The ritualistic service of the Masons was read and the body borne to interment.

Mr. Bruner, who was formerly a San Franciscan, had lived here since the fire. He was a member of Golden Gate commandery No. 16 of San Francisco and of Friendship lodge, F. and A. M., of San Jose.

BERKELEYANS WILL OPPOSE ANNEXATION

Mass Meeting Called to Discuss Union With Oakland

BERKELEY, Aug. 23.—To hear speakers against the annexation of Berkeley to Oakland, a mass meeting will be held in the U. S. skating pavilion in Allison way, west of Shattuck avenue, the evening of August 25.

Art and Not Argent Actuates Amateur Actors to Appear in "As You Like It"

Three who will take part in the production of "As You Like It." From left to right—Mrs. Allen Babcock, as Rosalind; Lawrence Strauss and Miss Louvia Rogers.



DRAMATIC CLUB MAY BE FORMED

Society Folk to Give Play in Natural Amphitheater at Piedmont

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—The Piedmont production of "As You Like It" on Saturday evening in the amphitheater will be a spectacular event, introducing many unusual and charming effects.

The prominent men whom the Bohemian club has contributed to the cast of society folk have assisted in working out some unique ideas which will in some measure be suggestive of their own jinks.

In the first acts the natural out of door stage will be transformed into a beautiful Italian garden where the royal duke and his court of lords and ladies will be seen.

The cast of "As You Like It" brings together 250 gifted folk from about the bay, who are presenting the pretty Shakespearean comedy for the mere love of the art.

Among those who are cast for the leading roles are: Mrs. Allen Babcock, Dr. Harry Carlton, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Harold Baxter, Mrs. Howard Perry, Henry L. Perry, Mrs. William E. Allen, Harris Allen, H. McDonald Spencer, Allan Dunn, Mrs. George D. Greewood, Mrs. Harry Martine, Mrs. Selma Marshall, Mrs. George D. Greewood, Mrs. Frank Lamson, Mrs. Philip Boone, Mrs. James Thomas, Mrs. Frederick S. Stratton, Mrs. Paul Dismore, Mrs. Frank Proctor, Mrs. William Thornton, Mrs. Herbert Hamilton, Mrs. William E. Allen, Mrs. Charles T. Hutchison, Mrs. Giles Nelson, Mrs. James G. Allen, Mrs. Ernest R. Folger, Mrs. William E. Allen, Mrs. Elinor Carlisle, Mrs. Mary C. Wilson, Mrs. Frank L. Adams, Miss Ethel Moore.

OAKLAND POLICE TO ATTEND ORPHEUM SHOW

Captain Petersen and Inspector Lynch to Be Hosts

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—Captain of Detectives Walter J. Petersen and Inspector of Police Frank Lynch will be hosts at a theater party for the police department of this city at the Oakland Orpheum Wednesday evening, when "The Police Inspector," a sketch by Clay H. Greene and Harrison Armstrong, will be the feature of the bill.

DAUGHTER FAILS TO BREAK FATHER'S WILL

Judge Rules That Her Evidence Is Insufficient

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—A nonsuit was granted today by Judge Wells against Mrs. Alice M. Wall, who began a contest to break the will of her father, the late Thomas P. Winter. Mrs. Wall alleged that her father's mind had been unduly influenced by his second wife, to whom he left the bulk of an estate of \$15,000.

CHECK PASSER HELD—R. W. Atsworth, alias Atsworth, who has passed a number of checks here and elsewhere, was held for trial before the superior court by Police Judge Conlan yesterday for passing a check on the Associated company, 360 Golden Gate avenue, July 27.

COLLEGE ACTRESS FORSAKES CLASSES

Secretary of English Club Will Go to Chicago to Study Music

BERKELEY, Aug. 23.—Regret has been expressed on the university campus over the withdrawal from the university of Miss Irene O'Connor, secretary of the English club and one of the most prominent figures in college dramatics for the last two years.

She is planning to go to Chicago, where she will study music in the future. She will return to her campus duties in a year or two.

To fill her place as secretary of the English club, which controls university dramatics as well as the Pelican and Occident magazines, the club will meet in the near future.

The dramatic committee of the club, appointed by President George Manly and consisting of Miss Edna Higgins, chairman; Miss Leigh Stafford, H. H. Krueger, A. C. Pendergast and E. G. Clewe, will meet shortly to select a coach for the production of Shaw's "Caesar and Cleopatra," which will be staged by the club in the Greek theater this year.

The new publication committee of the English club, composed of W. W. Kergan, chairman; Miss Marguerita Ogden, A. J. Evers and R. W. Cross, will report Thursday the selection of a new editor of the Pelican, the comic paper, to succeed W. W. Kergan.

While the English club is making plans for the staging of a play this semester, the Danish varel, assisted by the other German clubs on the campus, is preparing to stage in the Greek theater September 5 a program of four shrovetide plays by Hans Sachs.

Following the presentation of the plays the mammoth chorus of the Pacific saengerfest will sing. The program will close with the formal presentation of a prize cup offered by Emperor Francis Joseph to the saengerbund giving the best rendition of a Carinthian folk song.

STUDENTS SUCCESSFUL IN FIGHTING PEST

BERKELEY, Aug. 23.—R. W. Bettoll, a student in the college of agriculture of the university, has returned after several weeks spent in British Columbia fighting the aphid which attacked the hops.

He reported that the troublesome pest had been early eliminated, but that H. N. Ord, a student who accompanied him north, would remain on the ground for several months.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—The following marriage licenses were issued today: Frank Martin, 22, and Gertrude M. Haley, 18, both of Newark; Louis Gustafson, 32, and Annie Evans, 21, both of Oakland; Frank Mattos, 24, Centerville, and May McDonald, 18, Niles; George L. Foster, 24, San Francisco, and Elizabeth H. Bolesworth, 23, Oakland; Peter Gossett, 47, and Modesta Fredrigson, 37, both of San Francisco; Walter J. Seely, 24, and Vera Crooks, 24, both of Oakland; Howard W. Holmes, 25, Portland, and Edith G. Hamilton, 23, Alameda.

ARSON SUSPECTED IN ANOTHER CASE

Police Believe Melrose Building Was Burned by Occupants for Insurance

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—William Schoenfeld, proprietor of a furnishing goods store at Thirty-sixth street and San Pablo avenue, was arrested at that place by Detective Hodgkins this afternoon on a charge of arson as a result of the explosion and fire which destroyed a building at 3228 East Fourteenth street early last Friday morning.

Arthur Nagel and Israel Leiver, owners of a clothing store in the same property, were arrested Saturday for arson, the explosion having occurred in their shop. Schoenfeld and his family lived above the clothing store in 3228 East Fourteenth street.

It is alleged that the two shop keepers and Schoenfeld obtained exorbitant insurance on their possessions a few days before the explosion, and caused the fire in order to collect about \$12,000. That most of the small store fires which have occurred in this city within the last few months have been incendiary is the allegation of the police, who have been asked repeatedly by the fire warden or by insurance companies to investigate blazes.

Schoenfeld and his family occupied the flat at the East Fourteenth street building which was burned last Friday. Nagel and Leiver ran the "Little Cost clothing store" in the first floor. The shop keepers had stock, it is alleged, worth about \$3,500. They obtained insurance for about \$10,000 in several policies.

A week before the fire Schoenfeld got insurance of \$5,500 on his household goods, which the police say were worth \$800. Friday night all occupants of the building were away. At 2 o'clock in the morning an explosion occurred which wrecked the building and started a fire which destroyed an adjoining factory. The owner of the factory carried no insurance.

Nagel and Leiver, though arrested Saturday, have refused to talk. Today H. Young, living in Melrose, swore out a warrant for the arrest of Schoenfeld as an accessory.

WORK TO BE STARTED ON CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Ambrose Chapel to be Built at Once

BERKELEY, Aug. 23.—Work will be started at once on the new St. Ambrose chapel of the Catholic church in West Berkeley. The church will be built at the corner of Gilman and Stannage streets, and Rev. Father P. Sampson will be the pastor. In the parish are both residents of Albany and West Berkeley. The new building, which is planned along the lines of St. Joseph's church in Addison street, will cost about \$7,000.

WORKERS DISCUSS THE GIRL PROBLEM

Alameda County Probation Officers Tell of Aims of Child's Welfare League

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—"A Stitch in Time Saves Nine" was the subject of an address delivered last night by Assistant Probation Officer Beatrice A. McCall at a meeting held in Fruitvale under the auspices of the Child's Welfare League of Alameda county. Miss McCall said in part: "The girl problem is caused by boxes in safes, too many saloons, to make drunken fathers, suggestive picture cards, moving pictures and penny arcade exhibits, the failure to demand common decency of the regular theater and the dance hall, the double standard of morals and the unwillingness of employers to pay girls a living wage."

"I cannot urge too strongly the use of the schools and the buildings in playgrounds and public recreation centers where boys and girls might have good times and even dance with their parents in attendance, enjoying life with their children."

Miss Beatrice H. Wood, president of the league, declared that the community was to blame that so many children had to be taken to the juvenile court and probation office.

Probation Officer Russ spoke on "What We Shall Ask of the Legislature of 1910." He said that the paramount needs were more probation officers, an adult reformatory that boys who fall at Preston and Whittier would not be sent to the penitentiary at the age of 16 or 19, and a state workhouse for men who fail to provide for or desert their wives or children, where they would be required to work, and pay their neglected families at least 50 cents a day.

NEW MEMBER CHOSEN FOR GOSPEL MINISTRY

Council of Pastors Ordains Robert Burdette Whitaker

BERKELEY, Aug. 23.—Robert Burdette Whitaker has been ordained to the gospel ministry upon the recommendation of a council of pastors and delegates from churches of the Baptist association comprising San Francisco, Oakland, Berkeley, Melrose, Elmhurst, San Pablo, Vallejo, Modesto, Point Richmond, Alameda and other cities. The ordination sermon was preached by Rev. Robert Whitaker of Los Gatos. Among those present at the ordination were Rev. H. J. Vosburg of Oakland, Rev. J. S. Cato, Rev. R. M. Vaughan, Rev. W. C. Whitaker, Rev. C. M. Hill, Rev. C. M. Brinstad, Rev. W. C. Spencer and Dr. E. A. Woods, who was moderator. William H. Grant was clerk of the council.

WOMAN CELEBRATES HER 100TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Lydia H. Sharpless Enjoys Picnic at Whittier

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 23.—Mrs. Lydia Heald Sharpless celebrated her one hundredth birthday yesterday in the yard of the little Quaker church at Whittier. Fifty descendants, among them 20 great-grandchildren, helped her enjoy the day.

The centerpiece of the picnic table was a birthday cake on which 100 candles burned.

Mrs. Sharpless said her father lived to be more than 100 years old. Her husband, to whom she was married in 1836, died 11 years ago.

PROF. W. C. JONES TO SPEAK ON CHARTER

Progress and Prosperity Committee to Meet

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—A meeting of the progress and prosperity committee of the Oakland chamber of commerce will be held at the rooms of the chamber Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The subject of a general discussion will be "The New Charter," and Prof. William Carey Jones of the University of California will deliver an address on "New Charter Conditions," explaining many features of the new city government. C. E. Gorman will preside.

FREE ADVICE TO WOMEN IS GIVEN CONSCIENTIOUSLY

Miss Vosberg, Specialist in Women's Abdominal Derangements, Refuses to Advise Purchase of Apparatus Unless Necessary

In securing the services of Miss M. Vosberg, the specialist on women's abdominal belts and other apparatus, Osgood, the druggist, has done a real service to the women of Oakland. Every day, between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., Miss Vosberg is giving free consultations at the Twelfth and Washington streets store of this concern. Women with abdominal troubles are taking advantage of the situation, and a great many ladies have called to state their cases and get her advice for relief.

"I never advise a woman to go to the expense of purchasing any apparatus unless it is actually needed," said Miss Vosberg this morning. "Both Mr. Osgood and myself are in accord on this point. But if a woman can find relief in a properly fitted belt or truss I tell her so and leave it for her to purchase or not as she chooses. I am not a saleswoman or a demonstrator—I am simply engaged permanently by Mr. Osgood to see that his customers in this department are properly fitted. My consultations are absolutely free and any woman is more than welcome to come to me at any time."

SECT'S VIEWS BAR MEMBER FROM JURY

Judge Brown Excuses From Duty Man Who Opposes All Punishment

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—Members of the religious sect known as "Christi Delphia," which means "Brotherhood of Christ," may not serve as trial jurors, according to Judge Brown, if they are like Joseph S. Glasier, one of the order, who appeared in court today for jury duty.

Glasier said that he did not believe in taking an oath and that no man had the right to sit in judgment upon another and deprive him of his liberty. Judge Brown absolved him from jury duty upon that statement.

Glasier's religious beliefs first came out when he refused to be sworn. Judge Brown then asked his clerk, Louis Rudolph, to take Glasier's affirmation, which the law provides for in cases of persons who have scruples against being sworn. But Glasier would not do this either.

"I do not believe," he declared, "that I have the right to sit in judgment upon my fellow man, and by my decision deprive him of his liberty or inflict other punishment upon him."

What would become of government and of civilization if all men believed like that? asked Assistant District Attorney Hynes.

COUNCIL BARS BURIAL PLACES FROM CITY

Berkeley Eliminates All Cemeteries From Limits

BERKELEY, Aug. 23.—No cemeteries will be allowed within the limits of the city of Berkeley according to an ordinance passed by the city council this morning. There are at the present time no such places in the city, nor have cemeteries been made to establish them, but the council has guarded against a future contingency.

The penalty for the violation of any section of the ordinance has been fixed at a fine of \$300 or 30 days in the county jail.

The adoption of the ordinance is a result of agitation on the part of civic clubs that cemeteries be kept out of Berkeley. Sunset View cemetery, the nearest to Berkeley, is in Contra Costa county, near the Alameda county line.

INSPECTOR IS HELD ON BURGLARY CHARGE

Hazelbusch Will Be Tried for Robbing Clay Home

OAKLAND, Aug. 23.—Walter Hazelbusch, a former meter inspector for the Oakland gas, light and heat company, was held for trial by Police Judge Smith this morning on a charge of burglary, having been arrested at H. Clay's home at 328 Euclid avenue, from which clothes and jewels worth \$300 were stolen.

TAFT & PENNOYER

FALL'S BLANKET SHOW

This section is now prepared to supply all the Fall-Winter demands for house keeper, hotel and lodging house proprietor. Stock includes white, gray, tan and brown; also fancy plaid blankets. Wide range of prices, as follows: All Cotton Blankets, from 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50. Cotton and Wool Blankets, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50. All Wool Blankets, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$11.00, \$11.50, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$32.50. Fancy Plaid Blankets, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00.

Fall's Suit Display

The Cloak and Suit Section announces the arrival of an ultra-stylish selection of garments of the modes of Fall-Winter '10, including afternoon and evening gowns. Ladies' and Misses' Suits in tweeds, chevots, mixtures and broadcloths; all late shades and colors—\$15 to \$85. Swell Coats for ladies and misses; newest mixtures—\$12.50 to \$50. Elegant Dresses of chiffon and silk for ladies and misses; exclusive novelties—\$32.50 to \$75.

"Nemo" and "Smart Set" Corset Demonstration

When you wear the "Nemo" or "Smart Set" Corset the natural lines of your individual figure are brought out to their fullest perfection, and in a manner conducive to health and comfort. Mrs. Dean will be with us another week and has at her command models for tall, stout or slender figures. She will be pleased to meet personally each and every lady and miss interested in corsets.

Clay St., 14th & 15th, Oakland