

CLEVELAND SCHOOL

Mayor McCarthy Wields the Trowel in the Presence of Many Mission Residents

School Children Wave Flags and Sing Patriotic Songs During the Ceremonies

With stirring addresses, patriotic songs and waving of flags, the Cleveland primary school at Persia and Moscow streets was officially dedicated yesterday afternoon in the presence of several thousand persons.

John A. Keefe, president of the Silver Heights club, acted as chairman of the day. He introduced Mayor McCarthy, who was greeted with a waving of flags by several hundred school children, who also sang "America."

A procession headed by a mounted escort of police, under the command of Sergeant Robert Coulter, and a band and drum corps marched from Persia street and Mission road to the school site. Behind the band rode Mayor McCarthy and Supervisors Nelson, Walsh and Minnehan in an automobile.

Women of Woodcraft and Pathfinder camp of Woodmen of the World followed. Then came members of Guadalupe and Twin Peaks parlor of the Native Sons and Daughters with their drum corps. Several hundred members of the Green Valley, Silver Heights and Excelsior Improvement clubs brought up the rear.

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It affords me great pleasure to attend an occasion of this kind. No greater gift of esteem can be conferred upon a man than that of laying the cornerstone of a public institution, especially the cornerstone of an American school.

This school building is named after one of our greatest and most estimable of presidents—one whose memory we revere. It was he who introduced to the British people that "the Monroe doctrine must be preserved, or you of England will have a fight."

I hope that this district will send forth many girls and boys who will be graduated from the university in our state. The chance is before you, children. It is for you to choose your course and future. It is you, little boys and girls, who have a stronger claim on this building than any one else living in this district. It is you who will receive the most benefit from this institution of learning. Your principal, John J. Parvillier, is one of the best in the city. Always bear in mind that you all have an interest in this building.

One of the next most important things that the people of this district need, is parks and playgrounds. It is my idea that this section of the city should be provided with parks such as other districts have. We hope to give to our children parks and playgrounds for the benefit of the children.

The mayor then stepped forward and placed a copper box in the wall and laid the cornerstone, while the band played "The Star Spangled Banner" and the children sang.

Admiral Robley D. Evans and Theodore Roosevelt Jr., both new residents of this city, have been invited to attend the military exhibition which will be given by the Nationals and California Grays at the Auditorium, Page and Fillmore streets, Thursday evening. They will occupy seats on the reviewing stand with Mayor P. H. McCarthy, Queen California and her maid of honor.

The affair will be unique in the history of military entertainments of this city. The companies are giving the exhibition at the request of their numerous friends, and have been drilling for several months in preparation for the affair.

There will be a review of both organizations by the distinguished guests, after which the Grays will display Butts' manual and bayonet exercises, keeping time to music.

The crack zouave drill team of the Nationals will go through a series of fancy movements. Both companies will then do platoon drill, after which there will be a show and an equipment race. A military dance will conclude the program.

WOMAN DISCOVERED IN COMATOSE CONDITION

Mind Becomes Blank After Beginning Ride in Taxicab

THREE ARMOUR CONTEMPT CASES MAY BE DELAYED

Attorneys Said to Have Agreed to Month's Continuance

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Arguments in the contempt proceedings of the government against three employees of Armour & Co., cited during a recent grand jury investigation into the Chicago packers on a charge of conspiring to obstruct justice, are scheduled to begin tomorrow before Federal Judge K. M. Landis. It was stated today, however, that an agreement had been reached by government prosecutors and attorneys for the packers that a continuance for a month will be granted.

VICARINO IS TRIUMPHANT IN VERDI'S "LA TRAVIATA" DE LEON'S "RAH, RAH" COMEDY GOES WITH A DASH



Regina Vicarino (left), with Bevani grand opera company; Mabel Van Buren (center), at the Orpheum, and Muggins Davies, at the Princess.

"The Campus" Has Plenty of College Flavor, Singer Gives the Best Interpretation of Violetta Since Tetrizzini

By MARY ASHE MILLER

Not since Tetrizzini died a robust Violetta has there been a soprano to sing the tubercular role of the Italian Camille in "La Traviata" on a local stage with beauty comparable to that with which Regina Vicarino presented the unhappy heroine of Verdi's great opera yesterday afternoon. It is not only Vicarino's best role, but it is better sung than anybody who has appeared in it here in recent years, except Sembrich and lovely Louisa.

Vicarino's slender figure and thin features help the illusion of the plot along, but it is to her vocal powers that she owes her high success. Contributing to the general ensemble of effect which the singer obtains with effortless means are a poetic conception of the needs of which needs but a little more repose to render quite perfect.

ART BY THE DOLLAR

IF there had been an Italian audience at the Garrick theater yesterday there would have been plaudits and shouts and she would have been called "Diva!"

HALF HOUR OF MUSIC IS WELL ATTENDED

Pianist and Vocalist Present Interesting Program

BERKELEY, Sept. 18.—Despite somewhat threatening weather, a large audience was present at the half hour of music in the Greek theater this afternoon. The program was rendered by Miss Lily Lillian, soprano, and M. M. Meyers, pianist.

MUSIC IS "CATCHY"

ITALIAN ART TO BE THEME OF A SAVANT

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE WILL BE MARRIED

MISS C. F. OTT TO BECOME BRIDE OF W. A. CHRISTEN

41 YEARS

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fectious. The music is tuneful and "catchy" with good melody and swing.

At the end of the first act there is a song in which the yells of some eight or nine collegers are introduced, followed by the entrance of frivolously clad young women in the colors of each institution. Harvard, Yale, Princeton and others appeared—even Stanford was allowed in—but finally De Leon, who was leading the chorus, threw his hat on the floor, rolled up his sleeves, tossed back his hair, fell under the spell of strong emotion and you knew what was coming. He began the familiar "Oski wow wow" yell and California's blue and gold burst on the stage. The house took it up and for a few minutes it was as good as a football game.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

"The Campus"

Book and music by Walter de Leon.

Bismarck, the janitor..... Ferris Hartman

Bobby Short, varsity yell leader.....

Richard Tellman, popularly known as "Fat"..... Robert Z. Leonard

Scott McClure, "varsity guard".....

Professor Sutton, acting president of the college..... Joseph Fogarty

Chester Sutton, his son..... Lawrence Bowers

Anthony Seldon (Tony), who tries to turn a trick..... George Poutney

Kate Seldon, his sister..... Miss Angela Finkley

Mrs. MacLauren, the college widow.....

Miss Joie Hart

Miss "Muggins" Davies

Chester Chase

Jack Martin

Will Eppley

her. Be sure that such an interpretation of Violetta as was given yesterday by Vicarino of the Bevani opera company would have been cheap at "fashionable" prices.

Vicarino is a great Violetta because of the brilliant smoothness of her voice, its unostentatious beauty, its capacity to run without friction in the tortuous grooves of Verdi's winding melodies. Its range, which, to be technical, meets no barrier of difficulty even at the third added bar of E flat above high C. She sang the tone at the end of the first act, in the famous "Sempre Libera," with an ease and positive nonchalance that were amazing and reassuring of freedom to soar higher if the melody demanded.

TONES ALWAYS MUSICAL

Vicarino is a great Violetta because where her tones fly her spirit goes, too. The upper tones are not thin, bloodless, muscular affairs, but to the last vibration musical. Vicarino's Violetta is a remarkable performance, moreover, because it is fresh with the bravura of youth.

Though Achille Alberti sang a finished, distinguished Germeto, and interpreted the familiar "Di Provenza" with rich feeling, and though Eugenio Battain was a fiery, expressive Alfredo, "La Traviata" was Vicarino's opera yesterday and a triumphant rejuvenation of the beauties of Verdi's half century old Violetta.

SWISS RIFLEMEN HONOR CHEF OF ST. FRANCIS

Clubmen Present Loving Cup to Victor Hirtzler

The members of the Swiss rifle club of this city were so pleased with the banquet given at the St. Francis hotel on September 5 on the occasion of their golden jubilee celebration that they presented Victor Hirtzler, the chef of the hotel, with a beautiful loving cup yesterday afternoon.

Alfred Monotti was speaker and in an eloquent address he gave reasons for this pronounced compliment to the chef. Hirtzler was wholly surprised that he should be so signalled out for special recognition and was at a loss to express his gratitude.

The reception committee at the luncheon consisted of A. Huguenin, C. Meuller and Dr. T. Rottanzi. On the loving cup, which stands a half a foot high and is of silver, the following inscription was written:

Presented by the Swiss Rifle Club of San Francisco to Victor Hirtzler, in recognition of his valuable services at its golden jubilee banquet at the St. Francis hotel on September 5.

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Port, California No. 1..... doz. \$2.00; bot. 60c

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White Label Porter and Ale, imported..... doz. bots. \$2.15

D. C. L. Gin, Old Tom and Dry..... bottle \$1.55

M. B. & R. Creme de Menthe, white..... bottle 85c

Berry Wine..... bottle 90c

D. C. L. Scotch Whisky, "Highland Club"..... bottle 90c

HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT

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CIGAR BLOWN UP BY DYNAMITE CAP

Smok'r Seriously Injured When He Puffs Away on Weed Presented to Him

OAKLAND, Sept. 18.—Cigars loaded dynamite percussion caps are the favors which a young well dressed mulatto is handing out to lodging house keepings. John Solodes, proprietor of the Hudson house at 1758 Seventh street smoked one of the cigars, which had been given to his brother-in-law, and came near losing his sight and his right hand in consequence. The cap exploded while he was holding the cigar in his fingers. Bits of the brass struck him in the face and arms and pierced his vest.

Solodes received the second of the loaded cigars, and took it to the police. Detectives are making search for the negro.

H. Pons, proprietor of the Crescent house, at Sixth street and Broadway, was the first victim selected by the negro. He was given a cigar, but not using the weed himself, gave it to Solodes, his brother-in-law. Solodes lit the cigar and the explosion resulted.

TWO MEN VICTIMS OF WOMEN PICKPOCKETS

I. R. Lipsett and C. F. Noels Are "Stung"

Isaac R. Lipsett of 1425 McAllister street reported to the police yesterday that while going to his home on an owl car after midnight Saturday night, a stout woman, who sat next to him, picked his pocket of his purse, containing \$15 and some rings.

While walking home along Taylor street Saturday night, Charles F. Noels of 409 Octavia street met a woman with whom he walked for a few blocks. When she left him he discovered that he had lost his purse. The woman entered a building at 162 Taylor street. Falling to find her, Noels reported to the police that he lost \$50.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

C. M. Johnson Chosen President of Student Body

At the recent annual meeting of the student body of the college of pharmacy of the University of California the following officers were elected: President, C. M. Johnson; vice president, M. Starr; secretary, G. S. Young; treasurer, M. M. Lobet; assistant editor to the Pacific Pharmacist, L. C. Marsh.

If you are not satisfied with your lot, turn it over to a real estate agent. Don't expect too much of the dirt-bag balloon that is shaped like a lemon. Sometimes it is the janitor who cleans out the bank and sometimes it is the cashier.

NEW YORK PASTOR IS PAULISTS' HEAD

Rev. Thomas J. Cullen Supercedes Father H. H. Wyman as Leader in San Francisco

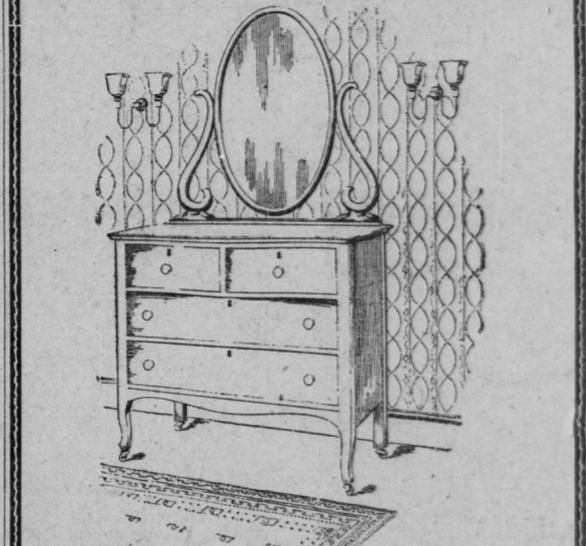
Rev. Thomas J. Cullen of New York has superseded Rev. H. H. Wyman as head of the Paulist fathers in San Francisco and pastor of St. Mary's church at California and Dupont streets. Father Cullen preached his first sermon in his new church yesterday morning.

Father Wyman, who has been at the head of the Paulist fathers in this city for sixteen years, will continue with the church here as first assistant pastor. Father Wyman came to San Francisco in 1934 with Rev. Father Brady, who founded the Paulist mission in this city. Father Brady died a few months afterward and Father Wyman was appointed to his place.

Up to 1899 he served as superior and was then superseded by Rev. M. P. Smith, who was at the head of the mission for three years. Father Wyman in 1902 again assumed direction of the church affairs and Doctor Smith became his assistant. During the intervening three years Father Wyman remained with the church in this city.

It is the custom of the Paulist fathers to change superiors every three years. However, because of the fact that Father Wyman was one of the founders of the mission in this city he has been retained as its head. Several months ago he appealed to be relieved of the responsibility of the San Francisco mission, which responsibility he has been shouldering for so long a time, and Father Cullen was appointed by Superior General Rev. John J. Hughes of New York.

Father Cullen is a native of New York and has done practically all of his work with the Paulist fathers' missions in that city. Early in 1904 he accompanied a missionary band to the Pacific coast and held a mission in this city. He is a graduate of St. Francis Xavier college in New York and studied theology at the Paulist college in Fifty-ninth street there. He was ordained in New York by Archbishop Corrigan in 1888 and spent 18 years in missionary work, for the most part in New York City. He and Father Wyman were students at the same college in New York and are old friends.



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