EVENTS IN THE COUNTIES BORDERING ON THE BAY OF SAN FRANCISCO

SMART SET ENJOY SERIES OF BRIDGE

Mrs. George Rodolph Will Entertain at East Oakland Home Thursday

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—Mrs. George Rodolph will be a bridge hostess this week, asking a number of friends to accept the hospitality of her East Oakland home Thursday afternoon. The cards will be followed by a tea. Mrs. Rodolph is one of the most hospitable hostesses on this side of the bay and during the season has been giving a series of affairs at her residence.

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In honor of Mrs. George Whitney, Mrs. H. C. Taft and Miss Chrissie Taft will give a tea Wednesday afternoon, December 14, at their home in the Lakeside district. Cards for the midwinter event were issued last evening. Mrs. Whitney is the latest acquisition to the Oakland smart set. Her marriage was solemnized in the east last month. Many of the exclusive set have been asked to meet the young matron, whose new home is to be established here and who has already found a cordial welcome among her new acquaintances.

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Mrs. J. Pym Neville gave an informal bridge party at her Claremont home this afternoon, including friends in her invitation for the first of a series of affairs which she has planned for the next few weeks. While informal, the appointments of the occasion were beautiful. Tomorrow afternoon Mrs. Neville will entertain another party at cards.

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Mrs. James Tyson and Miss Russell will be complimented guests at the luncheon at which Mrs. Kendall Morgan will entertain tomorrow afternoon. Covers will be laid for 12 guests. Bridge will be a diversion. Mrs. Tyson returned a fortnight ago from an extended tour abroad.

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Mrs. Frank Lampson Brown is spending the midwinter in Washington, D. C., where she is enjoying the social life of the capital. Mrs. Brown accompanied her husband on the trip.

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One of the large receptions of the month will be that at which Mrs. Frederick Stolp will entertain Wednesday, November 14. A number of matrons will be in the receiving line. Mrs. M. Harlan, Mrs. Stolp's mother, has decided to spend the winter in Oakland and is established in apartments in Webster street.

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Monday afternoon of the coming week Mrs. Edward Houghton will give a bridge party at her home in Berkeley, asking her guests to meet Mrs. Shepard and Mrs. Hypolite Dutard. These two matrons recently returned from a year abroad.

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Mrs. Gladys Downs Creighton is en route to Europe, where she will continue her musical studies. Mrs. Creighton is one of the most gifted pianists in this part of the state.

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Friday afternoon Miss May Kennedy will entertain friends, who will meet her sister, Miss Marguerite Kennedy, who has just returned after a sojourn of several months in the southern part of the state. Miss Kennedy was the guest of a married sister, Mrs. Boyden, at Ventura.

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Amid a profusion of yellow chrysanthemums and other floral decorations, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dickinson, parents of Mrs. Walter A. Rugg, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage last evening at the family residence, 165 Chicago avenue.

During the evening more than 100 friends called.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson were married at Wilbraham, Mass., December 6, 1860, and came to Oakland in May, 1903.

HOWE DUBS MORGAN "UNMITIGATED LIAR"

Commissioner of Streets Replies to Accuser

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—Commissioner of Streets Walter C. Howe demanded of the city council last evening that an investigation be made of the operations of the street department in paving contracts for East Seventeenth street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues. He submitted a newspaper report in which Ross Morgan was quoted as accusing Howe and two of his deputies of juggling figures in a private contract to the advantage of a street paving company.

"I have here evidence to vindicate the street department," declared Howe, "and if Ross Morgan is in hearing I want to say that he is an unmitigated liar."

Morgan was not present.

Howe produced letters written by Morgan to the Aetna indemnity company and the Pacific surety company asking the concerns to withdraw from the bonds of Howe and of Charles E. Warner and Charles Frost, attaches of the street department.

J. J. Burke, a property owner in East Seventeenth street, explained Morgan's absence. He said that Morgan had offered to appear before the council to represent persons opposed to improvement of East Seventeenth street, but had requested Burke not to contradict whatever Morgan might say to the council. Burke said that he would tell the truth if the council asked him any questions. Burke added that he knew Morgan's motive in attacking the street department, but was pledged not to expose it. Pressed for an explanation by councilmen, he said:

"Well, it was political."

EASTERN STAR CHAPTER INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

Ideal Chapter Presents Jewel to Retiring Matron

Ideal chapter No. 251, Order of the Eastern Star, had its officers publicly installed in the presence of many persons in Golden Gate Commandery hall last night. The installing officers were Mary A. Nevin, the outgoing worthy matron; Clementina Bjick, grand chaplain, and Sallie Friedman, acting grand marshal. The new officers are:

Eva Friedman, worthy matron; Theodor Wold, worthy patron; Blanche Allenberg, associate matron; Amanda Schneidewin, secretary; Daniel Hyman, treasurer; Fannie Friedman, conductress; Marcella M. Schulz, associate conductress; Blanche Leonora Sanborn, M. D., chaplain; Mary A. Nevin, marshal; Gertrude Pinkham, warder; Alice Lynn, sentinel; Rosie Mitchell, organist; Anna Shively, Minnie Israel, Nellie Gossett, Mary Eleanor Dayton and Mabel Hale, respectively, Ada, Ruth, Esther, Martha, and Electa, the five points of the central star.

The music was rendered by Mrs. Erma Campbell and Miss Garnet Morey.

After the proclamation of induction, a diamond set jewel was presented by the chapter to the retiring matron, and the patron was given a jewel of his rank.

Women of University Plan To Welcome Newcomers

Members of the reception committee for "open house" at beginning of college term.

'OPEN HOUSE' FETE TO GREET STUDENTS

Reception to Be Given Entrants the First Friday of Next Semester

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—Already the university women are planning to entertain the entrants next semester and Miss Leigh Stafford, vice president of the women's student body, has appointed committees that will begin the work of preparation. "Open house" will be held the first Friday after the opening of the university for the spring term about the middle of January. The reception will be in the nature of a welcome to the newcomers.

The committees in charge of the affair are:

Reception—Evelyn Hanna, Evelyn Steel, Jessie Harris, Ethel Lockhart, May Chase, Nelda Eaton, Anna Kidder, Clara McLaurin, Grace Gallagher, May Christal.

Arrangements—Alice Hiestand, Stella Keating, Lucy Gidney, Pearl Kenyon, Frances Lane, Elizabeth Brissenden.

Refrshments—Vera Bagot, Laura Cairns, Ethel Hansen, Leila Trewick, Dolores Bradley, Jessie Harris, Agnes Scholl, Kathryn McCabe, Charlotte Kett.

Program—Carolun Waite, Catherine Walker, Velma Lewis, Helen Eames, Bertha Bartlett, Phyllis Ackerman.

ANNUAL SYMPHONY TO BE GIVEN BY STUDENTS

Paul Steindorff Will Lead University Orchestra Tonight

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—Probably the last student activity this semester on the campus of the university will be the annual symphony concert of the University orchestral society under the direction of Paul Steindorff in Hearst hall tomorrow night. The main feature of the program will be the "Fifth Symphony" of Schubert.

Besides the playing of the students, Miss Caroline Little, Hother Wismer and the Franklin string quartet will render selections. The program in detail follows:

Overture, "Martha" ..... Flotow
University orchestra.

Overture, Martha ..... Flotow
Piano Quintet, op. 44—In modo d'una Marcia ..... Schumann
Messrs. Franklin Carter, William McKinney, George Chatterley, James de Fremery Jr., R. F. Scholz.

(a)—"Who is Sylvia?" ..... Schubert
(b)—"Fishermaiden" ..... Schubert
(c)—"Du Ring an meinem Finger ..... Schumann
(d)—"Fruhlingsnacht ..... Schumann
Miss Caroline Little.

Symphony No. 5 in B flat major ..... Schubert
Swedish dances ..... Max Bruch
Mr. Hother Wismer.

(a)—"It was a Lover and His Lass (Old English) ..... Thomas Morley
(b)—"I've Been Roaming (Old English) ..... Horne
(c)—"Jack o' Hazeldeen (Old Scotch) .....
Miss Caroline Little.

"Wein, Weib und Gesang ..... J. Strauss
University orchestra.

PRETTY GIRLS ATTEND MEETING OF COUNCIL

Civil Government Learned From Firsthand Information

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—A class composed mostly of pretty girls received firsthand information in the matter of civil government from the city council, whose proceedings they watched with considerable interest this morning. The class was that of William J. Cooper, history instructor at the Berkeley high school, who took his pupils to the city hall to attend the meeting of the city council. After the meeting the minutes of the meeting were shown to the students as well as other forms used by the city clerk.

HARRISON TO DELIVER LAST TALK OF SERIES

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—Robert W. Harrison of San Francisco will deliver tonight the last of his series of lectures before Oakland chapter, American Institute of Banking, in the chapter rooms, 512 Twelfth street. His subject will be "Escrows and Joint Accounts." Efforts will probably be made to retain Harrison for another series because of the success with which this and a previous series have met.

STRATTON PATENT DEEDED TO CITY

Railroad Company Carries Out Part of Franchise Agreement Recently Made

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—A deed, conveying to the city of Oakland all the right, title and interest of the Southern Pacific and Central Pacific companies to tide lands east of the north arm of the estuary, claimed by virtue of the Stratton patent, was placed on record today. The recording of the deed was the carrying out by the railroad companies of part of the agreement whereby the franchise granting rights on the western waterfront was given by the municipality.

The deed was a quitclaim deed, but excepted the rights of way of the Seventh street and First street lines through the Stratton patent lands. In turn, these rights of way are subject to the right of the city to extend Fifth and Ninth avenues at grade across the company's tracks.

The rights of the railroad company to the tide lands that have been ceded were based on the Stratton patent, a title disputed by the city. They were granted by the state of California to James T. Stratton, who conveyed them to the railway company. The city of Oakland, applying the law as announced by the late John E. McElroy, former city attorney, holds that the state had no right to cede tide lands to private individuals or corporations within four miles of an incorporated city. The land in the Stratton patent was not in the city of Oakland at the time the state parted with it, but adjoined it on the east.

The municipal authorities will now endeavor to induce the state legislature to cede the land included in the Stratton patent to it. This effort was made at the last session of the legislature, but it failed.

COUNCIL WANTS DATA ON S. P. FRANCHISE

Submits Lists of Questions on Seventh Street Line

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—The city council will meet Wednesday evening to consider the application of the Southern Pacific company for a renewal for 50 years of the Seventh street franchise.

President Pendleton of the council filed with the city clerk last night and submitted to representatives of the railroad a series of questions, the answers to be returned to the council Wednesday.

The replies will give the gross receipts of the line for 1910 by months; the net receipts for 1910 by months giving the method and how obtained; gross receipts for 1900; gross receipts for 1890; length of miles of the franchise; the bonded debt per mile; the percentage of cost of operation to gross receipts on Southern Pacific main lines; the percentage applicable on an interurban line; the cost of electrizing Alameda county lines, and the length in miles; the amount of capital investment for Seventh street; detailing the investment in roadbed, overhead structure and equipment, and the probable cost of a power house for the Seventh street and connecting lines.

The Southern Pacific is also asked to report what value is placed on the Seventh street line for capitalization purposes.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED BY AERIE OF EAGLES

Secretary of No. 5 Returned for Twelfth Time

San Francisco Aerie No. 5, Fraternal Order of Eagles, has elected officers for the ensuing term as follows:

Martin F. Welch, worthy president; J. J. Crowly, vice president; Edward J. Lynch, chaplain; Gustave Pohlmann, secretary; Harry D. Pohlmann, assistant secretary; Thomas Gibney, treasurer; Henry Borneman, inside guard; L. J. Conlan, outside guard; James W. Bonney, John E. Foley, Edward D. Miller, trustees; Edwin Bimmell, C. A. Glover, George W. Goodale, John S. Hanlon, George K. Herzhog, Tilton E. Tillman, physicians.

Secretary Pohlmann was re-elected for the twelfth year.

Baby's Voice

Every woman's heart thrills at the cooing and prattling of a baby, and motherhood is her highest and purest joy. Yet the suffering incident to this great consummation of her life's desire, robs the anticipation of some of its sweetness. Most of this can be avoided by the use of Mother's Friend. This great remedy prepares the expectant mother's system for the coming event, and its use makes her comfortable during all the term. Mother's Friend assists nature in gradually expanding all tissues, muscles and tendons, it strengthens the ligaments, keeps the breasts in good condition, and brings the woman to the crisis in healthful physical condition. The regular use of Mother's Friend lessens the pain when baby comes, and assures a quick and natural recovery for the mother. For sale at drug stores. Write for free book for expectant mothers.

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BERKELEY WOULD BE NAVAL STATION

Chamber of Commerce Writes to Secretary Meyer Giving Reasons for Its Pretensions

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—Berkeley would be a naval base and has offered its harbor to the navy department for the proposed site. The members of the chamber of commerce believe that the distinction of being a college town is not enough and have written to Secretary of the Navy Meyer the following reasons why Berkeley's pretensions can not be overlooked:

1. Berkeley offers a wide expanse of almost level land needed for a naval tation.

2. It is directly opposite the Golden gate, and may be reached by incoming battleships and cruisers without delay or inconvenience.

3. The price of land is lower in Berkeley than at any other location of equal availability on San Francisco bay.

4. A naval base located at Berkeley could not be easily attacked by sea or land. (a) Strategically, the position is well nigh impregnable. The distance from the ocean would preclude successful shelling by a hostile flet riding in the open sea, and the harbor forts would keep the enemy at a safe distance. (b) A foreign force, even if successfully disembarked, would be powerless against this station at Berkeley if landed north of San Francisco, for the reason that it would be compelled to make a wide detour to cross the straits of Carquinez, traversing a difficult country in order to get within striking distance. (c) An invading army landed south of San Francisco—unless it first obtained control of the shipping (and this it could not do without overpowering the land batteries and avoiding destruction by mines and torpedoes)—would have to march around the southern arm of San Francisco bay, by way of San Jose, and every step would be powerfully resisted. (d) The high hills back of Berkeley would form an almost invulnerable artillery position, sweeping and commanding every point of attack upon the naval station.

5. Berkeley is on the mainland side of San Francisco bay; is traversed by two transcontinental railways and a third skirts is municipal boundary.

6. Climatic conditions are so desirable that constructive operations may be maintained at full efficiency every day in the year, there being no oppressive heat or unpleasant cold weather. It is a most desirable home city, no saloons or other resorts being allowed within the city limits. Being the seat of the University of California, and having many high class schools and academies, it affords unusual educational facilities—a consideration which is highly esteemed and prized by the federal authorities, always solicitous for the welfare of government employes.

7. There is room in Berkeley in which the naval station could expand and become the vast establishment which the needs of the service would ultimately demand.

If objection be made that dredging would be necessary to prepare for such a naval station at Berkeley, it must be remembered that a similar objection might be raised against any available location on San Francisco bay.

The people of Berkeley feel that there is no logical reason why their city should not get the new navy yard. If they fail in obtaining what they want it will not be for lack of asking for it.

Oakland as Naval Base

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—At a meeting of the rivers and harbors committee of the chamber of commerce Wednesday morning steps will be taken in view of the suggestion lately made public by Secretary of the Navy Meyer that a new naval base be secured in San Francisco bay to take the place of the Mare island yard, to secure the yard for the Oakland estuary. This matter has been discussed at considerable length by the members of the chamber, and they state that all the objections now found to Mare island would be eliminated by having the drydock on the Oakland side.

COMPANIONS OF FOREST ENJOY A BARN DANCE

Ferrucio Circle Entertains at Coast Artillery Armory

Ferrucio Circle No. 452, Companions of the Foresters of America, gave a barn dance at the coast artillery armory in Van Ness avenue last night.

The committees in charge were:

Reception—Misses N. Cartwright, M. Frugoli, I. Gentiochio, D. Ferrera, M. Scola, V. Fowler, L. Galli, S. Demichelli and L. Devincenzi, and Messrs. M. Pond, F. Banducci, E. Fanda and Dr. L. D. Bacigalupi.

Floor—Mrs. F. Perfetto, Misses P. Oliva, H. Kessing, A. Avignone, E. Molinari, S. Caulana, G. Frugoli, A. Cerruti, N. Scola, May Finale, Frederick Perfetto, J. Bertulucci, Joseph Vien, J. Norsa, Frank Marini, J. Gallin and Dr. H. D. Bruxo.

PASTOR WILL LEAVE—Oakland, Dec. 6.—Although efforts were made at the meeting of the deacons of the First Baptist church last night to persuade Rev. H. J. Vosburgh to remain, he stated that he could not change his mind and asked that his resignation be accepted.

TECHNICAL FIGHT MADE BY OFFICERS

Indicted San Mateo Supervisors Argue That Instrument of Law Is Faulty

Another set of technical objections to the indictments against Daniel E. Blackburn, J. M. Debenedetti and J. M. Francis of San Mateo, accused of defrauding the county government in connection with a furniture contract, were argued before Judge Cabaniss yesterday on demurrer. The judge intimated that he did not think much of the points submitted by the attorneys for the defendants, but took the matter under submission to allow of the filing of briefs.

Carroll Cook and William Hoff Cook, representing Blackburn, who is a supervisor and is accused of agreeing to accept a bribe, contended that the indictment was faulty because it was not anywhere stated therein that the supervisors of San Mateo county had jurisdiction to pass on the claim of the H. S. Crocker company for furniture. They argued also that the indictment did not show that Blackburn was a member of any committee that would be called on to pass upon the claim, and that, for all that the indictment showed, his term of office might have expired before the claim came before the board of supervisors. Other points made by the Cook brothers was that more than one offense was charged, and that even if the charges were true the indictment contains matter which constitutes legal justification and excuse.

Prosecutor Brennan replied that in alleging that Blackburn was a fully qualified and elected supervisor, and as such would be called upon to give his official vote and opinion on the claim the indictment stated all that was necessary.

Attorney Walter Bacon for Francis and Attorney Charles S. Peery for Debenedetti then argued the demurrers in behalf of their respective clients, who are charged with conspiracy to defraud the county.

BOOST WEEK TO BE INAUGURATED

Chamber of Commerce to Work For More Members

OAKLAND, Dec. 5.—The progress and prosperity committee of the chamber of commerce will take up the matter of a chamber of commerce week at a meeting Friday night with the view of boosting the membership of the organization. C. F. Gorman, chairman of the committee, said that a number of workers will be put into the field, and every member of the committee will be drafted for duty.

The membership was boosted from 900 to 2,800 about two years ago during a chamber of commerce week. The committee hopes to bring the membership well above the 3,000 mark in the next campaign.

The progress and prosperity committee is now hard at work on the proposed new city charter and is also arranging to boost for the auditorium bonds, the passage of which will give Oakland a $500,000 auditorium.

SMALL DELINQUENCY IN MUNICIPAL TAXES

Total Amount Collected Nearly Reaches Million Mark

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—The smallest delinquency in first installment taxes for this city in several years occurred this year, according to the official report issued this morning by City Treasurer and Tax Collector Edwin Meese. His figures show that to date the tax payers have turned into the city treasury on both first and second installments the sum of $991,873.86. On this amount $100,164.57 is applied to the second installment taxes.

Meese reports the collection of first installment taxes as follows:

Total amount to collect on first installment	$916,237.24
Total amount collected on first installment	891,709.29
Total amount of delinquincy	$24,527.45
Annex of 1909, amount to collect on first installment	$90,150.94
Total amount collected	83,212.86
Delinquincy in annex of 1909	$6,938.08

WOMAN'S ASSAILANT MUST SERVE THIRTEEN YEARS

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—Thirteen years in San Quentin penitentiary was the sentence imposed today by Judge Brown on Mike Miller, who was convicted of assault upon Mrs. Rozee Mladinich.

VOTE

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FAILURE TO VOTE IS A VOTE IN OPPOSITION

OAKLAND TO WEAR HOLIDAY DRESS

Arrangements Being Completed for Decorating of Streets and Stores

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—The committee of businessmen in charge of decorating the city and stores for the holidays is having evergreens and festoons of greens and berries gathered, which will be hung in a few days. The plans call for a hodflay bedecked city for the two weeks preceding Christmas. The shoppers are urged to do their buying as early as possible.

The committee wishes merchants on cross streets, as well as principal streets, to volunteer their aid so that the entire city will be in keeping with the holiday spirit. The electroliers will be draped with evergreens and festoons and garlands will be wound across the streets. Several carloads of decorations used at the recent automobile show have already been obtained.

The city has been requested to decorate the city hall lot and the frontage and a request has been made for special music, bands to be stationed in different downtown sections.

The committee, which was formed upon the initiative of W. S. Mackay, president of the chamber of commerce, originally intended to hold an evening reception at which the merchants of the city were to have open house to meet the shoppers. Nothing was to be sold upon this evening. This plan met with setbacks and it was finally decided to leave this to the individual merchants. In the work of decorating the city merchants have worked together and by having a member of the committee on each of the principal blocks to see the merchants in person much has been accomplished. Another feature of the holidays will be the dressing of show windows.

The committee is composed of F. B. Taylor, Irving Kahn, H. Morton, A. H. Schlueter, Charles L. Smith, W. S. Mackay, C. J. Heeseman and R. S. Phelps.

IMPROVERS SUPPORT ORDINANCE OF CITY

Northbrae Club Opposed to the Referendum Petition

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—The North Berkeley improvement club at its meeting last night favored the call for bonds for the purchase of a combination fire patrol and ambulance. At the next meeting of the club Commissioner Hoff will explain the bonding scheme in detail.

The Northbrae improvers, who also met last night, stood behind the council in the matter of the initiative ordinance and declared that the referendum should not be passed.

The club also asked that adequate fire protection be given the district, which is being rapidly built up.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS ACCEPT CITY'S OFFER

"Open Shop," With Standard Wages, at Alameda Plant

ALAMEDA, Dec. 6.—The electrical workers' union voted last night to accept the offer of the electricity commission of this city to have an "open shop" at the municipal electric light plant and to have a scale of wages equal to that fixed by the union. Three of the six linemen who walked out recently have been reinstated at the local plant.

ASTRONOMER SLOWLY RECOVERS FROM ILLNESS

Prof. A. O. Leuschner Will Soon Be Removed to Home

BERKELEY, Dec. 6.—Prof. A. O. Leuschner, head of the department of astronomy of the University of California and director of the students' observatory on the campus, who was stricken with typhoid fever last week, is reported as rapidly recovering at the East Bay sanatorium, Oakland, where he is confined. He will soon be removed to his home in this city for the convalescent period.

ALAMEDA'S BIRTH RATE—Alameda, Dec. 6.—According to a report of the health officer, there were 37 births in this city last month, 21 boys and 16 girls. This is one of the best records.

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STUDENTS PLAN TO ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

Graduating Exercises of Manual Training High School to Be Held Thursday

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—The graduating exercises of the Manual training and commercial high school will be held Thursday evening in the common school assembly hall, Eleventh and Jefferson streets. P. M. Fisher, principal of the school, will preside.

The program will be as follows:

Invocation; overture, "William Tell" (Rossini), Miss Mary Coffey and Mrs. Kate C. Wood; introductory remarks, P. M. Fisher; song, "Gray Days," Ernest Dill; class oration, "The Student Body Organization," Emil Nielson, president of the class; double quartet, "Love's Old Sweet song" (Mallor), Wallace Kyte, George Hjelte, Frank Carson, Richard Werner, Jesse Omo, James Muir, Arthur Mack and Ernest Bernstein; address, W. R. Davis; "An Irish Love Song" (Margaret Ruthven Lang), Mrs. Kate C. Wood; presentation of diplomas, Leo R. Weil, school director, member of the school committee; "Doan You Cry, Ma Honey" (Charles F. Noll), double quartet.

The graduates of the four year course:

Walter C. Dean	Kokichi Okada
Florence M. Eschbacher	Adelaide M. Penfield
Carrie M. Hodgkins	Armide Title
Emil Nielson	Goldie A. Powell
Florence E. Nielson	Wieke Renwick

The two year graduates:

Alma L. Carlson	Laura M. E. Pamperis
Dewitt W. Coleman	Hazel L. Peterson
Olive A. Farmer	Lilian B. Petrie
Erma G. Horstmann	Hertha Rohrbacker
Ethel L. Hughes	Edna C. Roulo
Ora A. Johnson	Louisa M. Ryder
Ella M. Larsen	George S. Sato
Maud H. Likens	Irene E. Snow
Ottilia H. Mau	Edna M. Swanson
Edna Nelson	Milo W. Taber
Nina I. Nishwitz	Helen G. Vogt
Myra Lloyd	Hannah A. Young
Albert E. Norman	

ISLE CITY INSTITUTE ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

ALAMEDA, Dec. 6.—Isle City Institute No. 51, Young Ladies' Institute, selected the following officers at a meeting last night:

Past president, Mrs. Dowdell; president, Mrs. Mulvaney; first vice president, Miss Margaret Wynn; second vice president, Miss Mamie O'Connell; recording secretary, Mrs. Charles S. Grafe; financial secretary, Miss Josie Wieland; treasurer, Mrs. M. F. Purcell; marshal, Miss Rita Lane; inside sentinel, Mrs. McElroy; trustees, Mrs. Barry, Mrs. Steele, Mrs. Vandenabeele, Mrs. De Lorme and Miss Nittler; organist, Miss Loretta Du Fosse; honorary chaplain, Rev. Father Foley; chaplain, Rev. Father J. J. Hennessey; physicians, Dr. H. M. Pond and Dr. C. P. Pond.

FRUITVALE CHURCH HAS REVIVAL WEEK

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—Rev. F. W. Lloyd, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Boston avenue and School street, Fruitvale, assisted by Albert E. Fitch, an evangelist, is holding revival services this week at the church. Much interest is being taken in the meetings, which are being held nightly, and large crowds have been in attendance.

Marriage Licenses

OAKLAND, Dec. 6.—The following marriage licenses were issued today:

Edward Plechot, 30, and Adele Laborde, 28, both of Oakland.

Jordan Cravalho, 22, Oakland, and Belle Silva, 18, San Leandro.

Mario Valente, 22, and Maria Cerrato, 19, both of Oakland.

Edward F. Anderson, 27, and Elsie M. Walton, both of Oakland.

William Ironside, 30, and Louise C. Barthel, 27, both of Berkeley.

Ellis I. Thomas, 55, and Minnie D. Jenne, 33, both of Oakland.

Emil G. Champreux, 26, and Meta E. Rotermundt, 24, both of Oakland.

James Kelly, 35, and May Shaver, 27, both of San Francisco.

Garland A. Dungan, 44, and Ella S. Hyde, 33, both of Eureka.

Alexander Boe, 21, and Caroline Hendrickson, 24, both of Oakland.

PIONEER ALAMEDAN DEAD—Alameda, Dec. 6.—Harry J. Weiss, a resident of this city for many years, died yesterday in a San Francisco hospital at the age of 79. He was the father of Mrs. William Alf of 1705 Central avenue, this city.

No Relief From the "Regular" Physicians

Oakland, Cal., August 6, 1910.

To the Public: I wish to certify that I have been cured by Dr. T. Foo Yuen of chronic stomach trouble, so that others suffering from the same cause may be enlightened and go to him for treatment.

About five years ago, while living in San Francisco, I began to have attacks of indigestion, which gradually increased until I had to call in a physician, and while there I was treated by two American physicians of good repute, but obtained no relief, the attacks becoming more frequent and more severe; the pain in my stomach at that time became almost unbearable.

Since moving to Oakland I have treated with six well known physicians who exhausted their skill with no good results. I suffered such intense pain that I cried in agony and wished to die. The doctors said nothing could be done for me except to give me morphine to ease the pain. But my friends would not have it so. Last September they hurried me to see Dr. Foo, who had a short time before located at 1912 Broadway, Oakland. After he had examined my pulse he said I had serious stomach trouble. I began to take his herbal treatment at once, and after taking it for two months I noticed a decided improvement, seldom having any pain, and felt hopeful and encouraged. After the expiration of six months Dr. Foo discharged me as cured.

Five months have passed since then and I have felt no return of the trouble, so I feel the cure will be permanent. My weight taken in health was 165 pounds, which had been reduced to 114 pounds when I went to consult Dr. Foo. I now weigh 145, and think in a short time I will be up to my normal condition in every respect.

I found Dr. Foo a kind and courteous gentleman, and would advise those who are suffering to avail themselves of his wonderful skill, which far surpasses that of any physician that I have ever employed.

I believe I owe my life to Dr. Foo Yuen, and my gratitude is unbounded. Respectfully,

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