FIGHT LAUNCHED FOR FREE TOLLS

Pacific Coast States Inaugurate Campaign Designed to Favor American Shipping

Congress Will Be Asked to Pass Without Cost Ships Flying Our Flag

A campaign to secure free tolls for American vessels passing through the Panama canal was inaugurated yesterday by the commercial interests of the Pacific coast states.

In response to the invitation recently issued by the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, representatives from various chambers of the coast cities met in the assembly rooms in the Merchants' exchange and resolved upon a determined effort to induce congress to favor ships flying the American flag and to secure the co-operation of President Taft to this end while he is in San Francisco.

That the fight will be a desperate one was the opinion expressed by the congressional representation present, consisting of Senator George C. Perkins and Congressmen Knowland and Hayes, all of whom declared that the middle west states would have to be outvoted and that nothing could be hoped for unless the phalanx of the solid south, now in the majority in the house, could be broken by an alliance with southern states having seaboard interests to be benefited by the canal in a manner similar to California.

The meeting was opened by Captain William Matson, president of the chamber, who introduced Congressman J. R. Knowland, who is a member of the interstate and foreign commerce committee of the house. After explaining that it was the sentiment in Washington and the east that tolls which would pay interest on the total cost of the canal and its maintenance, estimated by Colonel Goethals at $3,000,000 annually, would be prohibitive, Knowland said:

"The question whether American shipping shall be favored over other nations depends upon the interpretation of the clause in the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, which guarantees equal rights to all nations in their use of the canal. Authorities differ as to the meaning of this clause. Some hold that we are not permitted to favor our own marine interests. Others take the view that we simply are not to discriminate against foreign nations. While the weight of authority favors the latter opinion, it is certain that it will be one of the first questions to come before congress when it convenes next December. There are two bills now before congress pertaining to this matter. They are practically the same, and the sentiment seems to favor a rate of $1 per net registered ton, American measurement. The Suez rate is $1.40 per ton, Danube measurement, or about $1.60 in our figuring. Thus we would be able to successfully compete with the Suez route. But it is extremely doubtful if the house would pass an act providing for free passage of American ships at this time, and we will be doing well if we obtain a half rate for ships of domestic register."

Joseph N. Teal, chairman of the transportation committee of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, then rose to voice the views of the northwest cities, and particularly the lumber interests of that section.

"As to the right of the United States to grant free tolls to its own merchant marine," he said, "there can be no question. Two policies prevail in the world on this subject, that method, as in Germany, where they charge tolls on rivers and other natural waterways, and the practice which has always obtained in this country, to make no such charge. Any deviation from this precedent at this time would be an extremely dangerous policy, for if a charge is to be made for the benefits from public works done by the government the disinterested states will ask why they should be taxed for improvements from which they do not derive any benefit. Economic as well as national policy is against tolls, and if we are to build up a merchant marine for the United States the canal must be free to all American vessels in the foreign or the coastwise trade alike. It must not be forgotten that the primary object of the canal is for purposes of national defense, the expense of which is properly chargeable to the war department and not in whole to the commerce of this country."

Dr. George C. Pardee, representing the Oakland chamber of commerce, stated that his organization was in favor of securing all that could be obtained in the way of congressional concessions and would heartily support whatever might be done to that end. H. Z. Osborn, vice president of the chamber of commerce of Los Angeles, voiced the same sentiments, although he declared that he was without power to act without submitting the result of the meeting to his associates.

Congressman E. A. Hayes confirmed the statements made by Congressman Knowland regarding the difficulties to be encountered in congress and recommended that some means must be found to enlist the interests of the southern seaports, such as Charleston, Jacksonville and Mobile.

"New Orleans, of course, will be with us," he said, "but it is our experience that the vote of the south has always been just sufficient to defeat us whenever we have encountered it, and unless we can reach the chambers of commerce and the commercial interests of that section as well as the New England and Atlantic states we shall be apt to have our efforts for nothing."

Senator George C. Perkins was then called upon by the chair and corroborated these views.

"Public opinion must be shaped," he declared. "We are your servants and will do our utmost for the cause. The senate could be induced to pass a rebate of 50 per cent for coastwise vessels, at least, but the main thing is to secure the assistance of the president, who has always been in favor of the Pacific coast interests, and it is for that reason that I have refrained from accompanying the congressional delegation which goes to the isthmus next month."

On motion of Teal, seconded by W. R. Wheeler, manager of the traffic bureau of the Merchants' Exchange, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the building of the Panama canal was undertaken by the people of the United States in pursuance of a great national policy, among other things of providing for the national defense, of opening up the shortest possible water route between the respective coasts of the United States and foreign countries, to provide through natural methods and to prevent monopoly of transportation means for transportation between the various sections of the union at the lowest possible cost, to build up and expand our commerce with foreign nations, and, incidentally, to encourage the upbuilding of a now decadent merchant marine; be it

Resolved, that it is the sense of this meeting that there should be no tolls charged through the canal to vessels coastwise flying the American flag; and be it further

Resolved, that we heartily approve of the legislation recommended by President Taft in his message to congress of December 6, 1910, reading as follows:

"I can not close this reference to the canal without suggesting, as a wise amendment to the interstate commerce law, a provision prohibiting interstate commerce railroads from owning or controlling ships engaged in the trade through the Panama canal. I believe such a provision may be needed to save to the people of the United States the benefits of the competition in trade between the eastern and western seaboards which this canal was constructed to secure."

As a committee to direct the campaign instituted, which shall provide for the fullest publicity and all the means which can be employed to secure congressional action favorable to the end in view, President Matson appointed the following representatives of the various chambers of commerce of the coast cities:

Joseph N. Teal, Portland Chamber of Commerce; George C. Pardee, Oakland Chamber of Commerce; Willis H. Booth, Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce; W. A. Mears, Seattle Chamber of Commerce; J. W. McCune, Tacoma Chamber of Commerce; James MacMullen, San Diego Chamber of Commerce; William M. Bunker and William Matson, San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

VULCAN COMPANY IS REORGANIZED

New Board of Directors Elects E. S. Wangenheim of Newman President

Former Official Intimates That He Can Dispose of the Balance of Stock

OAKLAND, Oct. 2.—The Vulcan Fire Insurance company, which was recently involved in difficulty with the state insurance commissioner over a stock deal with the insolvent Oils and Metals bank of Los Angeles, was reorganized today at a special meeting of the stockholders held at Lincoln hall. I Harrison Clay, the president, was retired in favor of E. S. Wangenheim of Newman. A new board of directors was chosen.

The retirement of Clay was a surprise to him. It followed a long session of the stockholders and the election of the new directorate. The directors voted 3 to 2 for the Newman representative.

CLAY APPLAUDED

After President I. Harrison Clay had told of the plans to rehabilitate the company following the operations of the promoters, J. O. Galloway and T. S. McQueen, he was greeted with much applause and elected to the board of directors.

The stock holders expressed their confidence in Clay and told him to go ahead and do what was best to put the company in operation. Then, when the new directors met at the offices of the company in the First National Bank building, they proceeded to oust Clay fro mthe presidency and instal E. S. Wangenheim of Newman. It took only five minutes to relegate him to the vice presidency, which he accepted with reluctance, and to put Wangenheim at the head of the company.

The directors appointed were E. S. Wangenheim, Newman; C. H. Wente, president First National bank of Livermore; W. T. Veitch, Oakland; Dr. C. L. Tisdale, Alameda, and I. H. Clay, Oakland.

Doctor Tisdale told of the good work done by Clay and nominated him for reelection. Wente proposed Wangenheim.

The meeting of the stockholders at Lincoln hall was a stormy one. The high finance methods of the awo promoters had made some of the investors afraid and they expressed their willingness to dissolve the company and get their money back. J. R. Gould, holding proxies for a number of country stockholders, made a motion that the company be dissolved and the money refunded. R. M. Fitzgerald made a counter proposal that the future of the company be left in the hands of the new board of directors to decide and this motion was carried.

TIME EXTENSION SOUGHT

At the first meeting of the new board it was decided to ask for an extension of time until the end of the year in which to sell the balance of stock, $300,000, which it is necessary to do before the company can secure a license to do business in the state. President Clay intimated that two San Francisco capitalists were willing to take up the balance.

A number of the outside stockholders wanted to know how the promoters were paid such large commissions for the sale of the stock and President Clay was kept busy answering questions.

The troubles of the Vulcan Fire Insurance company began early in August, when Promoters McQueen and Galloway traded $300,000 worth of the company's stock for a like amount in the stock of the Oils and Metals Bank and Trust company of Los Angeles. This was done in order that the entire capital of the company could be paid up and a license secured, but shortly after the deal had been consummated State Bank Superintendent Williams and Insurance Commissioner Cooper became cognizant of the deal and informed both parties that the state law did not permit of an insurance company holding bank stock or anything else than cash until it had obtained a license. No charge of misdealing was placed against the promoters. They claimed ignorance of the law.

When the Oils and Metals bank officials were informed of the law on the subject, they sent back the majority of the Vulcan stock, but retained $90,000 worth of it. Galloway and McQueen subsequently bought up this stock and returned it to the Vulcan company, but inasmuch as the Oils and Metals bank, which went into liquidation following the deal, is paying only 50 cents on the dollar to stockholders, McQueen and Galloway lose $45,000 on the deal, they assert.

According to the statements of the promoters, which were verified by officials of the compan, the promoters lost a large sum of money as the result of their efforts to organize the company.

They got 20 per cent of all the stock sold, and when the last $300,000 of the $1,000,000 capital was trated to the Oils and Metals bank they drew the balance of the $250,000 that was due. Out of this sum they claim they spent $150,000 on commissions to sales agents and office expenses and then invested $147,000 in stock of the company.

COMPANY OUT $47,000

The treasurer's statement at the meeting today showed that the company was only out $47,000 as the result of the sale of the $300,000 worth of stock to the Oils and Metals bank, which had to be returned after commissions had been paid the promoters on the sale. The company now holds this stock, and if Clay can dispose of it without commission, as he claims he is able to do, no money will have been lost outside of the necessary running expenses of the company.

SUIT FILED

Suit against the Vulcan Fire Insurance company to compel the return of five promissory notes for $5,000 each, totaling $25,000, fas filed by Attorneys Denson, Cooley & Denson of San Francisco on behalf of William Loftus. The complaint alleged that Loftus gave notes August 22 of this year, but has had not consideration for them, and he sued to prevent their negotiation to innocent parties. The suit is over a deal in the insurance company's stock.

SOUSA MASTERFUL AND VERSATILE

March Maker Leaps From Sublime to Ridiculous With Poise and Unconcern

Band Leader Plays Cheapest Air as Though It Had Heart of Gold

By WALTER ANTHONY

Sousa's specialties yesterday afternoon were a fine Teutonic reading of Wagner's "Siegfried Fantasia," "Waiting at the Church," Litolff's bloody "Robespierre" overture, "Bride Elect" march, Berlioz' rhythmic Rakoczy march and "Stars and Stripes Forever." No other director leaps from heights to depths with the security of Sousa. Some persons, I am told, are offended when he plays "Has Anybody Here Seen Kelly?" right after Sullivan's "The Golden Legend," or "Waiting at the Church" after a burst of Wagner's tone opulence. I regard that person with suspicion, and am convinced that he likes "Waiting at the Church" better than he wants to.

The fact is that Sousa does all kinds of music well and plays the cheapest as though its rags covered a heart of gold. Whatever he plays he plays for all its possibilities, and his audiences realizing dimly that there is a genius in charge, listens, believes, marvels and applauds.

SOUSA MASTER INTERPRETER

Yesterday Sousa played his humoresque "Waiting at the Church" and did some erudite stunts with it that would have bothered any composer less consummate a master of instrumentation. He welded the English music hall song with Gounod's "Funeral March of a Marionette" and made a masterpiece of contrapuntal, clear humor of the two tunes.

His direction of the Wagner music was without posing, but with poise. Wagner himself, I think, would have been nearly as pleased with the interpretation of the Siegfried forest music, the fire music and the Rheingold motive, as though he had waved the baton himself. Wagner in certain moods lends himself to brass with facility. The Siegfried fantasie is an example.

Of much musical interest was Sousa's suite, "Looking Upward," with its versified explanation, which was, after all, not needed. The music explained itself. First there was a "jingle bells" number with a lively, but muted, melody. The second movement of the suite was an oriental intermezzo, so to say, "Under the Southern Cross." Here the French horns of the band distinguished themselves. The oboe, over a tremulous clarinet accompaniment was a dulcet serenade. The "c" movement of the suite was all about a soldier boy, and in it Sousa mingled good business with good art. He gave the drummer boys of the band the stage, and they executed a crescendo and decrescendo that began and ended as lightly as a marble dancing on a drum head, but found a climax in deafening dynamics in the middle.

DANCE MUSIC PLEASES

Edward German's dance music of the days of Henry VIII was characteristic and Celtic. Berlioz' "Rakoczy" march called out the last talent in the talented band, and closed the program in a triumph of tone.

The programs announced for today and this evening are as follows:

THIS AFTERNOON

Fantasia, "At the Masquerade" ..... Lacome
Cornet solo, "Rondo Capriccioso" ..... Clarke
Herbert L. Clarke.
Suite, "At the King's Court" ..... Sousa
(a) Her ladyship, "The Countess."
(b) Her grace, "The Duchess."
(c) Her majesty, "The Queen."
Soprano solo, "Oh, Ye Lilies White" ..... Sousa
Miss Virginia Root.
Prelude, "The Bells of Moscow" .... Rachmaninoff
Ballet suite, "Les Erinnyes" ..... Massenet
(a) Serenade, "Rococco" ..... Meyer-Helmund
(b) March, "The Invincible Eagle" ..... Sousa
Violin solo, "Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso" ..... Saint-Saens
Miss Nicoline Zedeler.
"The Ride of the Valkyries" ..... Wagner

TONIGHT

Overture, "Thuringia" ..... Lassen
Cornet solo, "The Debutante" ..... Clarke
Herbert L. Clarke.
Suite, "Three Quotations" ..... Sousa
Soprano solo, "Ah, Nella Calma" ..... Gounod
Miss Virginia Root.
Largo from "New World" symphony ..... Dvorak
"Invitation a la Valse" ..... Weber
(a) Serenade, "Salut d'Amour" ..... Elgar
(b) March, "The Federal" ..... Sousa
Violin solo, "Caprice Brillante" ..... Agarew
Rhapsody, "Slavonic" ..... Friedemann

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Louis Wirsch to Cecilia Wirsch, lot in N line of Trumbull street, 210 E of Congdon, E 50 by N 100; $10.

B. G. Taybould and wife to Walter H. Linforth, administrator David F. Walker (deceased), lot in N line of California street, 54:3 E of Steiner, E 151, N 132:8¼, W 99, S 26:6, W 52, S 106:2¼, and 13 other pieces; $10.

Nevada W. Meyers and Albert G. Meyer to James Stevens and wife, lot in S line of Lake street, 80:6 E of Eighteenth avenue, E 27 by S 84; $10.

Frank W. and Dorothea Johnson to Anna Edler, lot in N line of Thirtieth street, 30 E of Sanchez, E 25 by N 114; $10.

William F. Fitzhugh and wife to Edward W. Putnam, lot in S line of Pacific avenue, 32:6 E of Walnut street, E 40 by S 127:8¼; $10.

Alfred G. Hanson to Marie Otten, lot in E line of Sixth avenue, 225 S of California street, S 25 by E 120; $10.

Henning P. Otten and wife to Louise Peiralli et al., lot in E line of Sixth avenue, 225 S of California street, S 25 by E 120; $10.

A. L. Dowler Realty company to Mutual Land Investment company, third interest in lot at N corner of Third street and South park, NW 137:6 by NE 76; $10.

Jacob Weissbein and wife to Edwin G. Ostendorf and wife, lot in W line of Twenty-ninth avenue, 140:6 S of A street, S 27, W 110:7⅞, NW 27:1⅝, E 113:3½; $10.

City Realty company to Fred Anderson, lot in W line of Sixth avenue, 200 S of J street, S 25 by W 120; $10.

Bayview Land company to Luigi Ramonda, lot 5, block 591, Bayview tract, subdivision 2; grant.

Elina M. Harms to Alvin H. Harms, lot at SW corner of Nineteenth and Hartford streets, W 31:6 by S 85; $10.

Rivers Brothers to Bertram W. Clark, lot 15, block 7, Lakeview; $10.

John H. Grady and wife to Rose M. French, lots 29 and 32, block 37, Sunnyside, and two other lots; $10.

Estate of Theodore H. Bush, deceased (by administratrix), to George J. McCormick and Margaret J. McCormick, lot in W line of Hyde street, 117:10 N of Broadway, N 19:8 by W 70; $2,200.

Joseph A. Bush and wife to same, same; $10.

Michael E. and Bettin Haley to same, lot in W line of Hyde street, 117:11 N of Broadway, N 19:7 by W 70; $10.

George J. and Margaret J. McCormick to Michael E. Haley, lot in W line of Hyde street, 98:4 N of Broadway, N 19:7 by W 70; $10.

Charles E. Herron and wife to James R. Martin, lot 781, gift map 2; $10.

James Troy Archibald and wife to Clara B. Lucier, lot in E line of California avenue, 75 N of Esmeralda, N 25 by E 70; $10.

Henry J. Ohlsen and wife to Clara B. Lucier, lot in S line of Army street, 78:2 W of Castro, W 25 by S 114; $10.

Henry J. Ohrlen to James Troy Archibald, half interest in lot in W line of Fourteenth avenue, 75 S of Clement street, S 25 by W 100; $10.

Clara B. Lucier to Henry J. Ohlsen and James T. Archibald, lot in W line of Fourteenth avenue, 75 S of Clement street, S 25 by W 100; $10.

John C. and George E. Miller to William H. Miller, two-thirds interest in lot in S line of Sutter street, 171:10½ E of Buchanan, E 58:9 by S 137:6; $10.

Bertha Richards to Louis A. Richards, lot in NE line of Somerset street, 150 NW of Woolsey, NW 25 by NE 120; $10.

Roundey Realty company to Louis A. Richards, lot in NE line of Somerset street, 100 NW of Woolsey, NW 50 by NE 120; $10.

Crocker Estate company to Joseph B. Moren, lot 7, block 18, addition to Castro street addition and Glen Park terrace; $10.

Lewis Magnola and wife to W. H. Dodd, lot in N line of Twenty-second street, 25 W of De Haro, W 25 by N 100; $10.

Julia Fraher to Margaret Fraher, lot in W line of Sanchez street, 133:6 S of Duboce avenue, S 33:6 by W 150; $10.

Jacob and Bertha G. Weissbein to John G. Klumpke, lot commencing at a point 203:5 S of Geary street and 135 W of Fifteenth avenue, S 90:3, E 60:11½, NW 90:6, W 47:9, and one other piece; $10.

Albert C. Aiken to John G. Klumpke, lot 13, block 17, Railroad Avenue Homestead association; $10.

DIXON, CONQUEROR OF ROCKIES, KILLED

Counter Air Currents Overturns Air Craft in Sight of Spectators

Mangled Form of Aviator Rushed to Hospital but Is Found Beyond Aid

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Rodgers started from a field half a mile south of this city. Hardly had he got into the air when a sharp wind swept the machine from his control and it swooped into an adjoining field. The aviator picked himself out of the twisted aeroplane and said he was only slightly hurt. Both planes of the machine were badly damaged and the carrying wheels were broken.

Rodgers said it would be several days before the aeroplane could be repaired.

Fowler Turns Back

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

GRASS VALLEY, Oct. 2.—Robert G. Fowler, aviator, entrained his aeroplane at Emigrant Gap today and took his departure for Los Angeles. He announced that he would continue his ocean to ocean flight from that city within a few days.

NORDICA CONCERT DATE IS CHANGED

Prima Donna's Appearance at Greek Theater Has Been Advanced One Week

BERKELEY, Oct. 2.—Prof. William Dallam Armes, chairman of the musical and dramatic committee of the University of California, announced today that the Nordica recital at the Greek theater had been advanced one week owing to other changes in dates for the prima donna, and would be held Wednesday, October 11, instead of October 18.

This change was made after the great singer had revised her itinerary, setting a new day for her Fresno appearance.

Nordica's concert will be the second professional attraction at the Greek theater this term, the first on the calendar being two appearances of John Philip Sousa's band Thursday, October 5. The march king will give old and new favorites in his programs.

The first strictly university dramatic event of the term, and the most artistic, will be the English club presentation of "Paolo and Francesca," Stephen Phillips' romantic tragedy, which will be staged Saturday evening, October 7, at the Greek theater. Garnet Holme is the coach. The student actors have rehearsed for several weeks, and it is reported that the dramatic talent displayed will equal that of the previous notable English club plays.

GARDENER IS CAUGHT BETWEEN STREETCARS

August Grunewald's Leg Fractured in Accident

OAKLAND, Oct. 2.—August Grunewald, a gardener living at 3648 Jersey street, was caught this evening while driving a horse and buggy in East Fourteenth street between two streetcars at the corner of Sixteenth avenue and East Fourteenth street, suffering a compound fracture of the left leg and bruises on the limbs and body.

He became confused, and before he could turn out of danger was struck. His buggy was smashed to bits, but the horse escaped injury.

Grunewald was treated at the receiving hospital.

OREGON PUTS BAN ON USE OF PRISON LABOR

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 2. — Contract prison labor is a thing of the past in Oregon. Today Governor West annulled the contract granting to a stove works the right to use prison labor. Hundreds of convicts have been employed in the stove department and it is proposed to use these men on road work in various sections of the state.

Army Orders

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—Army orders: Charles S. Wallace, signal corps, is relieved from duty at Fort Wood at New York to take effect at such time as will enable him to sail from San Francisco about January 5 for Philippine islands, where he will report for duty.

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THE PUBLIC, BRANCH OFFICES OF THE UNITED STATES POSTOFFICE AND THE WELLS FARGO & CO. EXPRESS HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED ON THE MAIN FLOOR, SOUTHEAST SECTION OF The White House

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INVALIDS' LIVES WORTH SAVING?

Pitiful Query of Hopeless Woman Answered by Health Expert

Duty to Friends and to the World Demands Good Health

Is an invalid's life worth saving?

That is a question that has been asked often, according to Prof. James M. Munyon, the Philadelphia health expert. He said:

"A well known woman came to see me. She asked:

"'Doctor, I am practically a chronic invalid. I have been nothing but a burden for years to myself, to my relatives and to my friends. Tell me, is my life a benefit to the world? Is it really worth saving?'

"Her despair was pitiful, but I believe that my answer inspired Hope in her breast, and Hope alone is the greatest curative agent God has given us. My reply to this woman's simple question was the answer I have given thousands of times to people who have asked me the same question. It is the very message that I want to convey in ringing tones to every sick and ailing person in San Francisco.

"'Yes!' I told her. 'Your life is worth saving! It should be saved for your loved ones and your friends. It should be saved for yourself! It should be saved for the world.'

"Every man and woman owes this as a duty not only to himself, to his relatives, but to the community at large. Health is the open door to success and happiness. Man has no right to allow disease to sap his vitality or weaken his capabilities. Society demands from him 100 cents on the dollar. If talents have been given him they must be accounted for. Comfort, success, pleasure and the highest joys can only be realized through exercising the full strength of one's mental and physical powers. The sickly person is apt to have sickly ideas, and people with sickly ideas are neither a joy to their friends, a comfort to themselves, nor a help to their fellow beings.

"If I were to write a formula for the general welfare of humanity it should be—Get well! Get well, even if it takes your last dollar. I firmly believe that the time will come when governments will pass laws compelling people to keep in good health. Such a law would lift the world out of beggary, dependency and mental and moral ruin.

"A lady asked me the other day whether I was not a crank on the subject of health? I pleaded guilty at once. As long as God spares my life I shall preach the doctrine of good health. I believe in my remedies! I know that they will do all that I claim for them. I know that with these remedies in the home a large amount of suffering can be avoided, and doctor's bills greatly reduced."

Munyon maintains headquarters in San Francisco in the Flannery building, 702 Market street, and in Oakland in the Macdonough building, Fourteenth and Broadway.—Adv.

GOOD CHEER CLUB WANTS MORE MEMBERS

Campaign Started by Women and Girls

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

SAN JOSE, Oct. 2.—The Good Cheer club, a charity organization supported by the prominent women of this city, started a campaign for 2,000 members today. The city was districted by the officers of the organization and women and girls prominent in the local smart set waged their campaign in the streets and business offices of the city.

Each worker carried pledge cards and was distinguished by a red badge.

The following leaders have been selected:

First ward—Mrs. H. W. Lownsberry, Miss Mossie Hunkins.
Second ward—Mrs. J. C. Hancock.
Third ward—Miss Margaret Hale and Miss Ida Pelton.
Fourth ward—Mrs. F. A. Von Dorsten.
College park—Misses Abbey Roberts and Rebecca Satterthwaite.
Edenvale—Mrs. W. L. Rodgers.
East San Jose—Mrs. R. L. Russell.

LECTURES WILL BE HEARD ON FILIBUSTERS

Prof. I. J. Cox to Talk to Stanford Audiences

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Oct. 2.—Prof. I. J. Cox of the University of Cincinnati, who has been conducting extensive studies among the archives of Mexico, will deliver three lectures during the early part of the week before Stanford audiences. The first will be given Monday evening on "John Hamilton Robinson, a typical filibuster of the southwest," the second Tuesday morning at 8:15 on "Early Filibustering in Texas, a phase of the Mexican revolution," and the third Tuesday evening on "Francisco Xavier Mina, Spanish Guerilla and Mexican Filibuster."

G. O. P. CHIEFS TO MEET—New York, Oct. 2. A call has been issued for a meeting of the republican national committee at Washington, December 12, to decide on the time and place for the next national convention.

"CHEAPER FOOD" RIOT IN RUSSIAN CITY

Three Jews and Two Christians Are Wounded

WARSAW, Oct. 2.—There was a "cheaper food" riot directed against the Jews here today. Three Jews and two Christians were wounded. The police quickly restored order.

DEPOSITARY AT SAN DIEGO—Washington, Oct. 2.—Among the first class postoffices designated today as postal savings banks, effective November 4, was San Diego, Cal.

WAR DEPARTMENT PLANS BIANNUAL MANEUVERS

Program Will Entail Expense of $1,300,000

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—According to its established policy of holding joint maneuvers by the army and the militia every two years, the war department is perfecting plans for the maneuvers next year. They will cost $1,300,000, which is $50,000 less than in 1910.

MANAGER RETURNS—Oakland, Oct. 2.—Henry Barker has resumed management of the Key Route inn, after several years' absence.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

Birth, marriage and death notices sent by mail will not be inserted. They must be handed in at either of the publication offices and be indorsed with the name and residence of persons authorized to have the same published. Notices restricted simply to the announcement of the event are published once in this column free of charge.

Marriage Licenses

SAN FRANCISCO

The following marriage licenses were issued Monday, October 2:

ARNAREZ — ETCHEBARREN — Jean Arnarez, 34, 2140 Lombard street, and Marie Etchebarren, 21, 467 Duboce avenue.
BANK—MALKUS—Fred G. Bank, 22, 957 Fillmore street, and Louise H. Malkus, 19, 1364 Valencia street.
COLE—RIAL—Alonzo R. Cole, 23, 802 Shotwell street, and Gertrude Rial, 21, 246 Missouri street.
BORGES—CASEY—George L. Borges, 34, and Edith Casey, 34, both of 1424 Valencia street.
EISBERG—KREIMCZES—Samuel Eisberg, 23, and Lotty Kreimczes, 23, both of 110 Oak street.
EGAMI—NAKASUMA—Yaschichi Egami, 37, and Tsumano Nakasuma, 25, both of San Leandro.
ELDRIDGE—LAWSON—Marshall H. Eldridge, 22, and Jennie W. Lawson, 28, both of 1403 Gough street.
HARRIOTT — LARKELLE — Franklin Harriott, 29, and Ellen Larkelle, 32, both of 426 Willow avenue.
HEMEON—STOUT—Frank R. Hemeon, 38, 1300 Golden Gate avenue, and Katherine D. Stout, 25, 447 Fourth avenue.
HILL—CLOONAN—Ernest H. Hill, 24, Mountain View, and May J. Cloonan, 23, 1679 Bush street.
LANCASTER—GRAHAM—Henry Lancaster, 35, 50 Third street, and Ruth Graham, 29, 50 Third street.
LEWIN—TAUSSIG—Jacob Lewin, 21, and Rose Taussig, 18, both of 1873 McAllister street.
LINDEMAN—CORSCILIA—Elmer F. Lindeman, 21, Oakland, and Edna C. Corscilia, 18, 1658 McAllister street.
McCABE—KANEWSKE—Edward F. McCabe, 22, 415 Mississippi street, and Louise M. Kanewske, 18, 63 Vermont street.
MATHEWS—MARQUARDT—Fred Mathews, 46, and Louise Marquardt, 30, both of 326 Broadway.
MORALLI—MARTINONI—Bernardo Moralli, 31, and Maria Martinoni, 21, both of Point Arena.
MOSER—McQUAIDE—Konrad B. Moser, 31, 1168 Jackson street, and Elizabeth McQuaide, 23, 834 Delores street.
O'NEAL—MEAD—Frank E. O'Neal, 28, 1859 Post street, and Monta Mead, 18, 824 Laguna street.
PARRY—HARRINGTON—William P. Parry, 21, San Francisco, and Katherine F. Harrington, 18, 120 Pierce street.
ROCHE—LAMPERT—James F. Roche, 36, 165 Third street, and Bessie Lampert, 29, 2848 Greenwich street.
ROCHE—BERNARD—Joseph Roche, 26, 840 California street, and Leonice Bernard, 20, 150 Ninth street.
ROSE—MILES—Charles A. Rose, 21, 2702 Laguna street, and Bert Miles, 18, Santa Cruz.
ROHBERG—ANSON—Karl Rohberg, 28, and Emilie Anson, 23, both of San Mateo.
SAWOBE—MAYEDA—Tokuje Sawobe, 26, and Shiki Mayeda, 21, both of Santa Clara.
STEPP—GOMMO—Ked Stepp, 24, Fort Miley, and Florence E. Gommo, 18, 1358 Eddy street.
SUZUKI—NISHIMURA—Kurajira Suzuki, 32, and Towa Nishimura, 23, both of Santa Barbara.
TEAD—SPRING—Donald G. Tead, 31, 758 Haight street, and Eva M. Spring, 26, 522 Twenty-third street.

OAKLAND

The following marriage licenses were issued Monday, October 2:

BARNDOLLAR—LENT—Charles K. Barndollar, 30, and Gladys H. Lent, 35, both of Oakland.
BELLIS—ADAMS—George Bellis, 30, Sacramento, and Ada Adams, 27, Berkeley.
BIANCI—TOSCHI—Chester Bianci, 26, San Francisco, and Agnes Toschi, 18, Oakland.
CASE—ROBINSON—Lisle L. Case, 25, and Nora V. Robinson, 24, both of Bakersfield.
CLARK—EATON—Edward M. Clark, 21, and Grace A. Eaton, 19, both of Oakland.
MAYES—MARTIN—Joseph O. Mayes, 27, and Maud Martin, 19, both of Oakland.

BIRTHS

GIRZI—In this city, September 30, 1911, to the wife of E. E. Girzi, a son.

MARRIAGES

ALLEN—DONAHUE—In this city, September 28, 1911, by Rev. James M. McElhinney, Lewis Herbert Allen and Annie Donahue, both of San Francisco.

BANK—MALKUS—In this city, October 1, 1911, by Rev. Leslie B. Briggs of Bethany Congregational church, Fred George Bank and Louise Helen Malkus, both of San Francisco.

LIGHTNER—WILLIAMSON—In this city, September 27, 1911, at Mizpah Presbyterian church, by the Rev. Frederick A. Doane, Fred E. Lightner and Margaret C. Williamson, both of San Francisco.

DEATHS

Bauchou, Joseph	68	Gray, Theodore C.	4
Blanchard, Regine	—	Henning, Cornelia	36
Bracken, Lawrence	—	Kennedy, T. F.	56
Cabanot, Lucie	19	Lloyd, Lee	32
Cavanaugh, Eliza A.	67	Lucier, Joseph	69
Cosgrove, Ellen	—	Miller, Helen G.	—
Denn, Anastasia	83	O'Donnell, Patrick	82
Dorn, Elizabeth	43	Parker, Russell J.	87
Downey, Hattie	39	Pierce, Mary	—
Duchene, Jean	83	Potter, Catherine	86
Eslick, Montgomery	69	Trowbridge, Nellie	—
Goldberg, David	37	Winter, Helen M.	10
Grave, Mary	58		

BAUCHOU—In this city, September 30, 1911, Joseph Bauchou, beloved brother of the late Benard Bauchou, and brother in law of Mrs. Pierre Bauchou and Mrs. Benard Bauchou, a native of France, aged 68 years and 4 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral tomorrow (Wednesday), October 4, 1911, at 1 o'clock p. m., from the chapel of Julius S. Godeau, 41 Van Ness avenue near Market street, thence to French church for services, thence to Red Men's hall, 240 Golden Gate avenue, where services will be held under the auspices of Ligne Henry IV. Interment Holy Cross cemetery, by automobiles.

BLANCHARD—In this city, September 29, 1911, Regine Blanchard, dearly beloved wife of Ferdinand Blanchard, and loving mother of Leon Blanchard, and beloved aunt of Rosie Blanchard of Los Angeles, Cal., and beloved sister of F. Cedley and Mrs. C. Arrouge, Mrs. A. Orra, Mrs. C. Lagrave, Mrs. B. Cabanot and Mrs. P. Larrecou, a native of Olorron, St. Marie, Basse Pyrenees, France. A member of Perseverance Circle No. 72, U. A. O. D.

Friends, acquaintances and members of above society are respectfully invited to attend the funeral today (Tuesday), October 3, 1911, from the residence of her sister, Mrs. B. Cabanot, 1544 Eighth avenue South, thence to Joan of Arc church (French), corner of Twelfth avenue and M street, where a requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. Interment Holy Cross cemetery, by carriages.

COSGROVE—In this city, September 30, 1911, Ellen, dearly beloved widow of James Cosgrove, and loving mother of James and William Cosgrove and Mrs. Herman Brockowsky, and sister of William Powers and Mrs. James Kane, a native of Wexford, Ireland.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral today (Tuesday), October 3, 1911, at 9 o'clock a. m., from her late residence, 1117 Hampshire street between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth, thence to St. Peter's church, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 9:30 a. m. Interment Holy Cross cemetery.

DENN—In this city, September 30, 1911 Anastasia Denn, dearly beloved widow of Maurice Denn, and mother of Maurice, John and Richard Denn and Mrs. A. Murphy, Mrs. Mary Humphreys and Mrs. K. Bowden and the late Martin Denn and Mrs. Margaret Wrixon, a native of Ireland, aged 83 years 9 months and 7 days. (Bisbee, Ariz., papers please copy.)

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral today (Tuesday), October 3, 1911, at 9 o'clock a. m., from her late residence, 890 Broadway, near Mason street, thence to St. Francis church, corner of Vallejo street and Columbus avenue, where a solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 9:30 a. m. Interment Holy Cross cemetery.

DORN—In this city, September 29, 1911, Elizabeth Dorn, beloved wife of Henry Dorn, and loving mother of George Dorn and Mrs. Walter Brand, a native of Bohemia, aged 43 years 3 months and 6 days. (Seattle papers please copy.)

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral today (Tuesday), October 3, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the mortuary chapel of the Golden Gate Undertaking Company, 2475 Mission street near Twenty-first. Interment Cypress Lawn cemetery, by electric funeral car from corner of Twenty-eighth and Valencia streets, at 2:30 p. m.

DOWNEY—In Oakland, Cal., October 2, 1911, Hattie Downey, beloved mother of Mary Downey, and sister of John, Frank, Charles and Vincent Henrietta and Mrs. R. Kathriner of Oakland, Cal.; Mrs. T. E. Gilmore of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. L. A. Dewease of Lawton, Okla., a native of Ishpeming, Mich., aged 39 years 3 months and 18 days.

DUCHENE—In Berkeley, October 1, 1911, Jean, beloved husband of Clemence Duchene, and father of Mrs. F. Rossi of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Charles H. Benton of Berkeley, a native of France, aged 83 years 3 months and 14 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services today (Tuesday), October 3, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the chapel of Jameson & Niehaus, 2434 Telegraph avenue (Dwight way station), Berkeley. Interment Sunset View cemetery.

ESLICK—In this city, October 1, 1911, Montgomery C., beloved husband of Katie R. Eslick, and father of Connie Eslick, and brother of T. F. Eslick, a native of Fayetville, Tenn., aged 69 years 10 months and 26 days.

GOLDBERG—In this city, September 30, 1911, David Goldberg, beloved son of