EVENTS IN THE COUNTIES BORDERING ON THE BAY OF SAN FRANCISCO

POLITICAL SPOILS GOING, COOK'S FEAR

County Clerk Views With Alarm Bill Creating Registrar of Voters

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—Consternation spread through County Clerk J. P. Cook's office today when news came from Sacramento of the introduction of a bill to create the office of registrar of voters. Cook, under the present county government act, is registrar of voters, and the prospect of being relieved of the registration is not agreeable to him.

Cook now has power to appoint 10 clerks for six months, 10 for two months and 10 for one month to take care of registration. The salary roll is $9,000. From this standpoint the registration duties have redeeming features because of the political power the appointments give him. Cook is already in straits in his attempts to pay off his obligations because of the refusal of the board of supervisors to allow him 11 additional clerks for the amendment election.

Disadvantages of the new law suggested themselves instantly to Chief Deputy County Clerk A. E. Johnstone today. Johnstone said that the present system is far more economical. He said that, even with the enlarged force needed to care for the increase in registration due to the suffrage amendment, $13,000 in Cook's hands would amply provide for all exigencies. Against this sum he set $19,500 as his estimated cost under a separate office. He also pointed out that Cook generally sets the larger part of his regular staff at work on registration during rush periods and that the new registrar would not have this force to fall back on in times of emergency.

CHURCH WOMEN WILL HOLD "JEWEL" BAZAAR

Christmas Articles Will Be Displayed

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—Arrangements are being completed by the women of the First Baptist church for a "jewel" bazaar on December 7 and 8.

A large number of articles suitable for Christmas will be on display and a hot lunch of home cooked dishes will be served between 11:30 and 1:30 o'clock. The evening dinner will be followed by an entertainment program.

The bazaar is under the management of:

Mrs. L. A. Johnson, general chairman; Mrs. William Corwin, lunches; Mrs. L. Jessmer, dinners; Mrs. S. P. Meads, Mrs. A. H. Pratt, Mrs. E. C. Lake, Mrs. L. Scott, delicatessen; Mrs. R. H. Neighbor, Mrs. Robert Gaylord, Mrs. Eugene Young and others, diamond booth. Ruby booth, Mrs. Edna Fisher, chairman; sapphire booth, Mrs. R. Bills, chairman; opal booth, Mrs. E. Sherwood, chairman; amethyst booth, Mrs. J. H. Stevens, chairman; topaz booth, Mrs. R. Doe, chairman; emerald booth, Mrs. J. C. Lyon, chairman.

Other women who are assisting are: Mrs. William Channell, Mrs. H. Meads, Mrs. George Bordwell, Mrs. E. Casewell, Mrs. L. F. Crockett, Mrs. Dr. Mackinson, Mrs. J. C. Caldwell, Mrs. A. E. Caldwell and a bevy of girls.

C. E. SOCIETY OFFERS VARIED ENTERTAINMENT

One Act Farce Included in the Program at Armory

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—An interesting program has been prepared by the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Fruitvale Congregational church for the evening of Friday, December 1, in the Fruitvale cadet armory.

The entertainment includes a one act farce entitled "The Old Maid's Association," which is under the direction of H. K. Fletcher.

The cast includes the following:

Jerusha Eliza Bangs.....Irene Cherry
Minty Clovertop.....Laura White
Marianna Mellisa Plack.....Meta Graham
May Haverman.....Gertrude Hood
Petunia Pickles.....Leona Florin
Rachael Ketcham.....Margaret McDermed
Charity Hopegood.....Meryl Horstmann
Belinda Bliss.....Dorothy Barnard
Serena Hasbeen.....Carlotta Beshlitch
Rebecca Retrace.....Myrtle Graham
Desire A. Man.....Ruth Carson
Professor Makemneau.....H. K. Fletcher

TAG DAY TO SUPPLY MONEY FOR SHOPMEN

Wives and Daughters to Act as Sales Women

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—A tag day for the benefit of the striking shopmen of the West Oakland yards of the Southern Pacific company has been arranged for December 2, when the wives and daughters of the shopmen will sell tags on the streets of Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.

Considerable money was cleared at the entertainment given for the strikers a week ago, but not sufficient to meet the needs of the men, many of whom belong to no beneficiary order. The West Oakland division has undertaken to supply each of the 300 striking shopmen with $6 a week.

There is a movement on foot to establish an employment bureau at the headquarters of the strikers at Eighth and Pine streets. If this is successful the men in need can secure temporary employment.

AARON ROBINSON DIES AT HOME OF HIS SON

Pioneer Succumbs to Infirmities of Age

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—Aaron Robinson, a pioneer of California, 97 years old, succumbed to the infirmities of age yesterday at the home of his son, 718 Twelfth street. Robinson was born in Salem, Mass., and came to San Francisco via the Horn in 1852. He entered business in San Francisco, but came here in 1864. He retired from business 30 years ago. He is survived by two sons, Howard Robinson of this city and Frank Robinson of Bakersfield, and a grandson, Albert S. Robinson.

STATE GAME OFFICIAL INJURED IN FALL

HAYWARD, Nov. 28.—J. R. Argabrite, superintendent of the state game farm, is confined to his bed as the result of injuries he sustained Monday when he fell 30 feet from a hay loft. Argabrite may have been hurt internally. He is under the care of Doctor H. W. Browning.

The conscientious parent of growing children appreciates the value of music in the education of the young. Every child should be brought up in an atmosphere of beautiful music. The delightful melodies of the masters should be part of a child's daily life. One need not have a musician in the home nowadays, for the child can easily be its own entertainer by using a Player-Piano. The Kohler & Chase Piano and Player-Piano Club offers a boon to the home maker and parent.

Students Chosen For Place in U. C. College Clubs

MISS PENELOPE MURDOCK

MISS GRACE WEEKS

GLADSTONE WILSON (RICE PHOTO)

HONOR SOCIETIES SELECT MEMBERS

Student Abilities Displayed During Term Rewarded by University Organizations

BERKELEY, Nov. 28.—With the college term drawing to a close student honors are being awarded at the University of California with the selection of members of the varius honor societies. The Mask and Dagger Dramatic society has named three—Miss Charlotte Kett '12, Miss Lurita Stone '14 and Gladstone Wilson '15.

Miss Kett is one of the leaders among the women students. She carried the role of Flatateeta in "Caesar and Cleopatra" last year. Miss Stone was the Lucrezia of the English club's recent presentation of "Paola and Francesca." Wilson, a freshman, also took part in "Paolo and Francesca." He is the son of Mayor J. Stitt Wilson of Berkeley.

The Prytanean siciety, a women's organization, elected to membership:

Miss Carolin Teichert '12	Miss Dolores Bradley '12
Miss Reid Venable '12	Miss Doris Spencer '12
Miss Penelope Murdock '12	Miss Grace Weeks '12
Miss Mildred Porter '12	Miss Alice Hiestand '12
Miss Catherine Walker '12	Miss Catherine Carlton '12
Miss Amy Waite '13	Miss May Christal '13
Miss Harriet Judd '13	Miss Barbara Nachtrieb '13

Both societies are making arrangements for their annual dramatic productions to be given in the spring term.

GARDENING CLUBS TO HAVE BANK AND STORE

Juniors Will Occupy Building on Campus

BERKELEY, Nov. 28.—With the California Junior Gardening clubs being extended into the interior of the state under the supervision of the agricultural division of the state university, Prof. C. A. Stebbins is preparing to institute at the campus garden the first bank of the clubs.

A building to be used as a toolhouse and as the co-operative store or bank is being erected under trees near the garden. President Wheeler of the university having permitted the location of a temporary structure on the campus for this purpose, despite his usual opposition to such buildings.

The tools which the children at the campus garden city use will be kept in the house under the care of the commissioner of tools elected from their own number by the children. Others of the child officials will conduct the business affairs.

NEW STATION ON S. P. AT STANTON STREET

Company Heeds Residents' Request; Horseshoe Trains Soon

ALAMEDA, Nov. 28.—The Southern Pacific company will establish a new station at Stanton street on its north side line. Stanton street is midway between the stations at Bay and Grand streets. The new station is being established at the request of residents. Trains will begin to stop there December 1.

When the Seventh street line of the Southern Pacific in Oakland becomes electric it is planned by the company to operate horseshoe trains between the Alameda mole in this city and the Oakland mole, according to representatives of the railroad.

The work on the Seventh street line is being hurried and the Southern Pacific management expects to operate the horseshoe trains in a short time.

CANAL BILL DRAWN UP BY KNOWLAND

Congressman's Measure Would Place Curb on Railroad Controlled Ships

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—Congressman Joseph R. Knowland, accompanied by his wife and two sons, left for Washington tonight to attend the session of congress which opens next Monday morning. Knowland will stop off at Los Angeles to deliver a lecture on the Panama canal.

While in Washington Knowland will act as the representative of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce in the National Rivers and Harbors congress.

Knowland announced before leaving tonight that he had prepared a bill which he will introduce at the coming congressional session aiming to prevent control of the Panama canal by the railroad interests. The proposed measure provides free tolls for American ships engaged in the coastwise trade and the highest rates to ships directly or indirectly controlled by the railroads.

TERMS OF BILL

In discussing his bill, Knowland said: "It provides that all toll charges shall be based on registered tonnage, displacement tonnage or cargo tonnage, and shall not exceed, when based on registered tonnage, $1.50 a net ton, American measurement, nor be less than 50 cents a ton.

"The United States shall have the right to pass its own vessels, troops, materials, merchandise and supplies, and any vessel engaged in the coastwise trade of the United States without the payment of any toll charge.

"My bill also provides that in fixing the charges for the use of the canal the president may prescribe that any vessel engaged in the coastwise trade of the United States, which is owned in whole or in part by any railroad company, or is owned by any company, the stock of which is owned in whole or in part by any railroad company, or which is controlled by any railroad company, shall pay the highest charges prescribed for any vessel.

"Unless we insist that the railroads can not control the vessels which are to engage in competition with the transcontinental railroad lines then there will be absolutely no reduction of rates by the water route, and one of the principal reasons for the canal will amount to nothing. I have consulted all the big independent shipping and commercial interests and commercial organizations of the coast and have endeavored to embody in the bill which I will present to congress all the features that will work the most good to the greatest number."

WILL GO TO PANAMA

Knowland, after a week in Washington, will leave with the interstate and foreign commerce commission, of which he is a member, for Panama, where the commission will make a survey of the work done.

In discussing other prospective legislation, Knowland said:

"If there is a general public building bill I shall make a fight on behalf of an appropriation for the enlargement of the Oakland postoffice. The facilities of the present building are not adequate.

"I shall also make every effort to rush the Oakland water front project and complete the canal, 500 feet wide and 30 feet deep from deep water to the tidal basin, 300 feet wide and 25 feet deep around the basin and 18 feet deep through the tidal canal."

PARTY TO AID ORPHANS OF MOUNT ST. JOSEPH'S

Catholic Ladies' Aid Society Sells Theater Seats

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—The members of branch No. 1, Catholic Ladies' Aid society, have bought the Orpheum theater for Monday evening, December 4, when they will give a theater party. The proceeds will be devoted to the building fund of Mount St. Joseph's orphanage, which was destroyed by fire a year ago. The sale of tickets is most encouraging and several boxes already have been reserved.

Rev. E. P. Dempsey, chaplain of branch No. 1, is behind the affair and is doing everything possible to insure its success. The committee in charge of the affairs includes:

Mrs. Thomas Galvan, Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. W. T. Morton (president of the organization), Mrs. Nathan Gantz, Mrs. P. Crimdon, Mrs. T. P. Hogan, Mrs. Walter Behr, Mrs. J. Martin, Mrs. James McAllister, Mrs. J. Kelly, Miss Katherine Maher, Mrs. J. C. McAvoy, Mrs. John Cox and Mrs. Ambrose Dunn.

PROPERTY OWNERS WANT ENCINAL AVE. WIDENED

ALAMEDA, Nov. 28.—Property owners and representatives of the city are working on a plan to widen Encinal avenue between Park and Versailles. The two tracks on the Southern Pacific company in that portion of the avenue take up nearly all the present width of the highway. The narrowness of the thoroughfare has caused a number of accidents and fatalities.

LA MARIPOSA CLUB WILL GIVE DANCE

Entertainment Will Take Place Saturday Night at the Home Club

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—A large number of guests will enjoy the dance which will be given Saturday evening at the Home club by the members of La Mariposa club. Several hundred cards have been sent out for the series of four dances which this popular assembly has planned for the season and of which the Saturday night event is one. Miss Florence Borland is president of the club. She is being assisted on the committee of arrangements by Miss Elizabeth Burritt of Berkeley, Miss Olive Farmer, Mis Ruby Hadley, Miss Florence Hadley and Miss Myrtle L. Holloway.

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With Mrs. Tyler Henshaw as her honored guest, Mrs. William G. Henshaw is planning an elaborate reception for the coming month, opening Rose Crest, her Vernon heights residence, on the afternoon of Thursday, December 14, for the function. The cards for the affair will be issued within a day or two. Mrs. Tyler Henshaw became the bride of the well known capitalist and clubman this summer, and with the opening of the winter's festivities will be the motif for much entertaining. Mrs. William G. Henshaw returned to town but a week or so ago after a season spent in Santa Barbara.

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The children's party at which Mrs. Ernest A. Stent entertained yesterday at the Claremont Country club was one of the prettiest events of the early season, enjoyed by more than half a hundred litle folk.

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Miss Sue Harrold will be a Saturday hostess, entertaining at her home in Fruitvale at bridge, followed by tea. The affair will be one of the larger events of the week, including a number of the younger set in the cities bordering the bay. Miss Harrold is the fiancee of Jack Van Sicklen. Her wedding will be an event of the new year.

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With Miss Eileen McCurrie and Miss Edith Porter, two brides to be of the season as her guests of honor, Mrs. Nelson Barry will entertain on Saturday, asking friends to meet them at luncheon, followed by bridge.

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At a house ceremony tomorrow evening the marriage of Miss Gladys Stanford, daughter of Mrs. M. E. Stanford, and Harold Pitchford will be solemnized. The service will be read by Rev. W. R. Hodgkin in the presence of the members of the Stanford and Pitchford families. One hundred guests have been asked for the reception, which will follow. Miss Dorothy Stanford and Miss Helen Stanford will attend their sister in the bridal party. Clyde Pitchford will assist his brother as best man.

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Miss Charlotte Morrison gave a large bridge party this afternoon at her home in Linda Vista, sharing her hospitality with 75 guests.

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Mrs. Robert Collins will open her Orange street home Saturday afternoon, claiming her guests for luncheon, which will be followed by an hour about the bridge tables.

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Miss Clara Franck, Miss May Bissell and Miss Caroline Hall, a trio of brides to be whose weddings will take place early in the coming year, shared in the compliment which Mrs. Louis R. Weinmann offered this afternoon. Sixty maids and matrons of the smart set about the bay were asked to greet the three girls and to enjoy with Mrs. Weinmann an hour at bridge. The occasion was rounded out with a tea.

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With Mrs. Arthur Goodfellow as her guest of honor, Mrs. Hugh Goodfellow entertained at the first of a series of bridge parties this afternoon at her home in Berkeley. A second affair will be given tomorrow afternoon in honor of the young bride.

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Mrs. William Williamson recently entertained at an elaborate dinner at the Claremont Country club, her guests later enjoying an hour in the ballroom.

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Tomorrow evening Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Van Sicklen will entertain at bridge and supper, their guests numbering the dozen members of one of the season's card clubs.

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At a simple ceremony this evening the marriage was solemnized of Miss Edna Gifford and Walter Griffin. Neither the bride nor bridegroom was attended. The service was read by Rev. Frank S. Brush. Mr. and Mrs. Griffin after a honeymoon of a fortnight will establish their home in Alameda.

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POLITICS WILL BE U. OF C. COURSE

Prominent Public Officials to Lecture to Students on Practical Phases

BERKELEY, Nov. 28.—A course in practical politics, which will bring to the University of California the leading men in state affairs, will be instituted by the department of political science next term. Such a course was outlined by the League of the Republic, a student organization founded by Prof. George H. Boke of the law department.

A list of speakers, including attorneys, members of the legislature and other officials, has been arranged and approved both by President Benjamin Ide Wheeler and Prof. David P. Barrows, head of the political science department.

The students enrolling in the course will receive credit. The subjects to be discussed by the visitors will be chosen by Professor Barrows and by Prof. T. H. Reed of the department of political science, who was the first secretary to Governor Hiram W. Johnson.

A similar course has been successful at Princeton university, where the lectures are directed by a man who for many years was intimately associated with the politics of New York city.

OAKLAND TURN VEREIN TO PRESENT COMEDY

New Dramatic Section Will Make Its Debut

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—The newly organized dramatic section of the Oakland Turn Verein will offer "One of Them Must Marry," a one act comedy, as its annual entertainment on Sunday evening, December 3, at Germania hall, 834 Webster street. The members have been rehearsing faithfully for several weeks under the leadership of R. Lenz. The program also includes several selections by the male chorus of the singing section, and will be followed by dancing.

CHINESE EDITOR WILL ADDRESS BANK MEN

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—The situation in China will be the subject of an address by Tong King Chong, editor of the Chinese Free Press of San Francisco, before the members of the Oakland chapter of the American Institute of Banking tomorrow evening. Tong is a fluent speaker in English as well as Chinese. He is closely connected with the revolutionary movement.

ARMED ITALIAN PUZZLES POLICE

San Francisco Man Arrested With Loaded Revolvers and Ammunition

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—Michael Christance, an Italian, was arrested at an early hour this morning with two loaded revolvers and 100 rounds of ammunition in his possession by Patrolman J. Peterson at East Fourteenth street and Seventy-third avenue. The man was questioned by Captain of Inspectors W. J. Petersen through an interpreter, but nothing could be learned from him except that he was on his way to San Leandro and lived at 510 Carolina street, San Francisco.

The charge of carrying concealed weapons has been placed against Christance. The man who was brought in to question Christance in Italian was visibly frightened, and Captain Petersen is inclined to believe that Christance intended murder.

The interpreter told Petersen that Christance had threatened him if he told the truth, and all that he would say was that the prisoner was a bad man who would bear watching.

DONATION DAY FOR AGED NEGROES' HOME

Contributions to Be Received Today for the Institution

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—Tomorrow will be "donation day" for the benefit of the home for aged and infirm colored people, which is located in Beulah. Every household in the bay region will be asked to contribute. The home is supported entirely by gifts from generous friends. All donations of foodstuffs, hospital supplies, linen, cooking utensils, etc., will be received at Marion hall, Eleventh street near Broadway, between 9:30 and 11:30 o'clock tomorrow evening. Money orders and checks will be sent to the president, Mrs. Julia A. Shorey, 1744 Eighth street.

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MISSION AT ST. LEO'S CHURCH DRAWS CROWDS

OAKLAND, Nov. 28.—The second week of the mission in St. Leo's church, Piedmont and Ridgeway avenues, that began Sunday, is drawing large crowds. Sermons will be delivered every evening this week, Rev. Thomas Meagher and Rev. Vincent Chiappa alternating. The morning services begin at 7:15 o'clock and non-Catholics are asked by the clergymen to attend to hear the doctrines of the Catholic church explained.

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