

EVENTS IN THE COUNTIES BORDERING ON THE BAY OF SAN FRANCISCO

UNIVERSITY DAYS' FRIENDS PRESENT

Bridegroom's Attendants Are All Former Students of Oxford

BERKELEY, Dec. 7.—Miss Cheryl Alice Merrill, a graduate of the University of California of last year, tonight became the bride of Richard Frederick Scholz, a professor in the department of history, their marriage being solemnized at the North Berkeley Congregational church by Rev. S. C. Patterson.

The courtship of preceptor and student ran its tenor in the college halls and campus glades. Berkeley society folk took notice when the announcement was made some time ago that the Rhodes scholar from Wisconsin had deviated from his devotion to the muse of ancient history.

The wedding was reminiscent of Miss Merrill's college days. Members of her sorority, Alpha Phi, were present, and one of these, Miss Isabel Clinch, was maid of honor. Miss Hope Mathews and Miss Ruth Turner, Alpha Phi members also, were the bridesmaids.

OXFORD MEN PRESENT The groom's attendants harked back to days in "Oxford" studios halls for the best man was Farhanu P. Griffiths, president Benjamin Ide Wheeler's private secretary, lecturer in the law department, and one of the Rhodes scholars from the University of California. The ushers were William C. Crittenden, now an attorney in San Francisco, and the first Rhodes scholar from Berkeley, and Dr. M. S. Gooden, an instructor in the department of law. It was at the English seat of learning that the friendship began between Griffiths, Crittenden and Scholz. The groom was the first Rhodes scholar to go to Oxford from the University of Wisconsin.

The bride was given away by her brother, Harry Merrill. The church decorations of gold and white was carried out in the quantities of chrysanthemums, which were used on the background of ferns and palms. Three hundred friends were present at the marriage service.

Miss Clinch as maid of honor wore a robe of yellow marquisette, embroidered in gold beads and worn over yellow satin. She carried an armful of yellow chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids were similarly gowned in white silk crepe emporte, showing an effective decoration in pearls and lace. They carried staffs of white chrysanthemums.

THE BRIDAL GOWN

The bridal gown was made on simple empire lines, white satin charmeuse being the material used. It was embroidered in pearls. The veil was held with a half wreath of orange blossoms. Lilies of the valley and knots of tulle were combined in the shower bouquet. Following the ceremony, certain of the guests were entertained at a bridal supper at the Harry Merrill home in Oxford street, and later in the evening the couple left for their honeymoon. Their destination being kept secret, and their absence from Berkeley to continue until the last of January.

Among the guests at the wedding and supper were: Mrs. Alice Merrill, mother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Merrill; Mr. and Mrs. William H. Clark, brother in law and sister of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Paton, Prof. and Mrs. C. S. Merrill; Mr. and Mrs. Warren McKibben, and the following members of the Alpha Phi sorority: Miss Barbara Nardick, Miss Edith Albertson, Miss Florence Doyle, Miss Rose Farrell, Miss Marjorie Moore, Miss Helen Weber, Miss Ruth Ryan, Miss Deborah Drer, Miss Esther Cooley, Miss Fannie Whitman, Miss Lucy Gray, Miss Josephine Lamou, Miss Mary O'Connell, Miss Josephine Lamou.

PRESBYTERIAN WILL HOLD HOLIDAY SALE

Women of St. John's Church of Berkeley Active

BERKELEY, Dec. 7.—The women of St. John's Presbyterian church, in College avenue, will hold their annual Christmas sale in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon and evening. Beautiful hand-made goods, including bags, fancy neckwear, embroideries, workwear, aprons and rugs, will be on sale during the afternoon. Tea will also be served under the direction of Miss Katherine Wickson.

Miss George White has charge of the evening program. A group of girls will sing, and "The Rag Society" will be given by young ladies of the church.

Miss Elizabeth Ferrier will assist with two violin numbers. Ice cream and coffee will be served during the evening by a committee under the charge of Miss Margaret Wyper. The various booths are in the hands of the following chairmen: The white elephant booth, Mrs. Herbert Ponting; doll booth, Miss Anita Courtney; fancy needle work, Mrs. W. H. Gorvin; infant Miss Huddart; paper booth, Miss Ruth Kinkead; fancy knitwear, Miss George Hemmer; candy booth, Miss Josephine Miller; delicatessen, Mrs. C. A. Mohrhardt; apron booth, Mrs. George Wood; rug booth, Mrs. A. L. Barry.

TIME NO OBJECT TO OAKLAND HIGHWAYMAN

Robs Man of Filthy Lucre, but Allows Him to Retain Watch

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—R. T. Woodward of 228 Thirty-second street, was held up last night at San Pablo avenue and Thirty-sixth street by a highwayman who kept him covered with a revolver and compelled him to hand over \$60, but permitted him to keep his watch.

F. J. Williams, 522 Sixteenth street, reported the theft of a carpenter's tools last night from 1226 Broadway. Mrs. Cora Patry, 3732 Piedmont avenue, reported the theft of a gold watch, a suitcase belonging to E. S. Barnett of the Roslyn apartments was stolen from the Plyater block. It contained clothing valued at \$35.

POET OF THE SIERRAS RECEIVES A TRIBUTE

High School Students Dedicate Book to Joaquin Miller

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—Joaquin Miller, poet of the Sierra, has been honored by the students of Fremont high school, who have dedicated the commencement number of the Flame, the school journal, to the grizzled verse writer of "The Heights." The aged poet has taken a warm interest in the school's affairs, hence the tribute to him by the appreciative student body.

Santa Fe to Los Angeles Daily at 4 o'clock p. m. Fast schedule, Santa Fe market street. Phones Kearny 215 or J3271.

Professor Marries Girl Whom He Courted on College Campus



Prof. and Mrs. Richard F. Scholz, figures in campus romance.

HIGH SCHOOL TO HOLD GRADUATION

Oakland Students Will Receive Diplomas at Exercises Held This Evening

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—Graduating exercises of the Oakland high school class of December, 1911, will be held Friday evening at the common school assembly hall, Eleventh and Grove streets. Charles E. Keyes, principal of the school, will present the speakers. Cal M. Orr, president of the board of education, will present the diplomas.

Ellery W. Stone, a graduate, will deliver an address on "The Development of Wireless Telegraphy," and Miss Whodone Dickinson, also a graduate, will represent the girls with a timely talk on "The High School as a Maker of Citizens." Mayor Frank K. Mott will deliver the principal address of the evening. Two songs will be rendered by Miss S. B. Culver. The graduating class is composed of the following members: Ethel Kinsler, Rose Anderson, Lillian Andrews, Harry Armes, Edna Bassett, Eleanor Bassett, Thurston Baumgartner, Martin Behlauer, Marjorie Berry, Margaret Black, Ruth Caldwell, Harold Christensen, Evelyn Chubb, Marjorie Crellin, Elsie Crose, Harjette Cutting, Valerie Dassourville, Florence Deas, Mabou de Freitas, Adolph de Fremery, Marjorie de Freitas, Mignon de Neuf, Wjodyne Dickinson, Mildred Dicks, Neville Dikes, Irene Ellis, Henry Gartner, Charles Fisher, Monroe Friedman, Gladys Fisher, Gladys Firth, Marion Gartner, Marion Greenwood, Gladys Grogan, Lydia Hausmann, Lillian Hausmann, Nellie Hermle, Helen Hobart, Hilda Hoce, Marian Hoce, Florence Woods, Calder Jones, Irene Johnson, Henriette Kahn.

TWO YEAR OLD GIRL IS DROWNED IN POOL

Body Found by Grief Stricken Parents

RICHMOND, Dec. 7.—After a search of several hours the body of Aquerie Parakentes, the 2 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Costa Parakentes of Richmond, was found floating in a shallow pool of water into which the child had fallen and been drowned. According to Mrs. Parakentes, the babe left the house yesterday morning to play in the yard and as the child was not in the habit of running away she did not watch her closely. When the little girl did not appear for dinner a search was made by the frantic parents and the body was found face downward in a foot of water near the Parakentes home.

FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF \$5,000 IN BERKELEY

BERKELEY, Dec. 7.—A fire that broke out this evening in the rear of a brick building at Berkeley way and Bonita caused a \$5,000 loss. The lower floor, occupied by the University Express and Storage company, suffered most heavily, the contents being badly damaged. The second floor, a warehouse, was also damaged by fire and water. The fire started in stables. William G. Black won the building.

LETTERS PUT FOR LIQUOR ELECTION

In the Meantime Berkeley W. C. T. U. Threatens to Make Counter Move

BERKELEY, Dec. 7.—Six copies of a new petition for a charter amendment election to permit the sale of liquor by Berkeley firms in sealed packages are being circulated in South and West Berkeley. Cognizant of this move, members of the Berkeley Woman's Christian Temperance union declared for an amendment that will make unlawful the delivery in Berkeley of liquor sold in other cities.

The W. C. T. U. resolution, unanimously adopted, declared that "for the present an amendment will not be pressed covering exclusion of liquors from Berkeley."

This resolution was recommended by the executive committee and adopted on motion of Mrs. E. Musselman. State Evangelistic President Mrs. Abbe Hobson of the Southern California W. C. T. U., who was introduced as a speaker by Mrs. G. L. Slater, president of the local branch, did not deal especially with the liquor question. She was rather "a piece for the boys," declaring that the period of adolescence is the critical time in youth; asserting that for every fallen girl there are 15 boys who go wrong. The liquor question was referred to in an address yesterday before the Berkeley center of the California Civic League by Attorney Ernest Stoddard Page, one in the course of lectures Berkeley women are hearing on political topics. Page asserted that a liquor dealers' organization was behind the unbroken package liquor amendment movement.

ALAMEDA PATRIARCH MET DEATH YESTERDAY

ALAMEDA, Dec. 7.—Franz Lindermand died this morning at his home, 460 Pacific avenue. Up to a short time before his death the aged man had enjoyed good health. Lindermand was the wife, Frederica; one son, Carl Lindermand of this city, and two daughters, Mrs. Louis Frischholz of Oroville and Mrs. Elizabeth Peterson of Berkeley. He was a native of Germany. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon. Rev. William Brandes will officiate and the burial will be in Mountain View cemetery.

WILLIAM S. SNOOK, VIGILANTE, IS DEAD

Was One of 258 Passengers Who Arrived in 1849 on Ship Tamaroo

BERKELEY, Dec. 7.—William S. Snook, senior member of the firm of Snook & Son of San Francisco, a pioneer of that city and one of the vigilantes, died at 9 o'clock this morning at his home, 1422 Arch street. He was 85 years old, and until he was taken ill a few days ago was active in his business affairs across the bay.

He was married in 1854, and his wife, Mrs. Susan Snook, is still living. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the home, with interment at Mountain View cemetery. The services will be Masonic, Snook having belonged to that fraternity for many years. He was also a member of the Society of California Pioneers.

ALLENDALE SCHOOL READY FOR GRADUATION

Closing Exercises of Christmas Class Arranged

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—Graduating exercises of the Christmas class of Alendale school will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at Alendale assembly hall. The program will include a debate on the question: "Resolved, that San Francisco has a greater future than New York." George Conitt and Will Rees will handle the affirmative, Oscar Thompson and Herbert Lewis the negative.

CONTRA COSTA PLANS EXHIBIT AT CHICAGO

Business Men and Supervisors Believe in Advertising

WALNUT CREEK, Dec. 7.—The Business Men's association last evening passed resolutions asking the supervisors of Contra Costa county to take steps immediately to have Contra Costa county represented at the next Chicago land show. The board has already taken this matter under consideration and plans to have an exhibit at the next exposition.

HILLSBOROUGH WILL DISCUSS BOND ISSUE

HILLSBOROUGH, Dec. 7.—A mass meeting will be held in the town hall tomorrow night to discuss proposed municipal improvements. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the board of trustees. George H. Howard is chairman in charge. The topics of discussion will be the proposed bond issue for highways and fire protection.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES GIVEN THEIR DIPLOMAS

Commercial and Manual Training Pupils Finish Courses

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—The senior class of the Oakland manual training and commercial high school was graduated this evening at the common school assembly hall, Eleventh and Grove streets. District Attorney William H. Donahue delivered the address. Diplomas of graduation were presented as follows:

- Two year commercial course—Alice Bowser, Charles Wesley Codrington, Sarah Louise Cole, Emily Gertrude O'Neil, Helen Bernice Davis, Walter Hawthorne Ellissen, Grace Freeman, Lettie Gertrude Hess, Florence Irene Jacobs, Irving Harold Johnson, Mary Kathleen Kelly, Max Elizabeth Lyman, Blanche Emma McCarthy, Gladys Albertine Merrill, Signe Carolyn Nelson, Helen Elsie Rees, Mary Winifred Piching and Emma Antoinette Wittchen. College preparatory course—Francis Norton Carson, Howard Dana, Edward Felix Elcher, George Kravus, John Wallace Kyle, Stanley Fountain Lemore, Francis Edward McKay, Etha Claudine Kono, Edna Stutz and George Alay Thiberg.

MISS M. MOORE JOINS DEBUTANTES

With Brother's Bride Popular Girl Is Presented to Bay Shore Society

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—Miss Margaret Moore, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, joined the season's debutantes this afternoon and was presented formally at a brilliant reception at the family residence in East Oakland. With Miss Moore was Mrs. Stanley Moore, the bride of the son of the house, also introduced to the friends of the family. Several hundred guests were asked to meet the young women, who will receive a large share in the winter's entertainment. Mrs. Moore and Miss Ethel Moore were assisted in receiving by a half hundred of the smart set from the bay cities.

Choosing the one hundredth anniversary of the marriage of her great-grandmother, whose namesake she is, Miss Baxter Howe will wed Charles Canfield on Saturday evening at a quiet house ceremony, to which only the closest friends have received cards. Miss Grace Rowe and Miss Adele Kellogg will be the only attendants. Louis Osterlock will serve the bridegroom as best man. Rev. George Ash of Fruitvale, assisted by Rev. Willard Martin, will read the ceremony.

At a dinner given in Berkeley last evening by Mrs. George F. Reinhardt, the engagement was announced of Miss Mary W. Henry and Gerald H. Hutten, a prominent mining man of Nome, Alaska. The dinner was held at the Reinhardt home in Durant street, which was decorated in a color scheme of pink and white blossoms. Among those bidden to hear the news and to offer their felicitations were Miss Margaret Moore, Miss Dorothy Taft, Miss Dorothy Churchill, George F. Buckingham, Roscoe W. Myles, L. R. Broughton and W. W. Henry Jr.

Miss Henry is a tall, willowy girl of the pure blonde type and is one of the most popular belles of the college town. She is the only daughter of a prominent social position. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Henry and a sister of Mrs. George F. Reinhardt, wife of Doctor Reinhardt of the University of California. She completed her education in her home city, having graduated from the University of California with the class of 1909. The wedding will be an event of the early spring.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Otto Bean McElroy, a young business man of Coalinga, and Miss M. Gertrude McCallan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McCallan of this city. The ceremony took place yesterday, Dr. F. X. Morrison, pastor of St. Joseph's church, officiating. The young couple departed at once for Coalinga, their leave taking being hastened by important business demands upon the bridegroom.

DRIVER RIDES TONGUE AND ESCAPES DAMAGE

Fresno Man Guides Maddened Team Through City Streets

[Special Dispatch to The Call] FRESNO, Dec. 7.—William Craig, driver for a local produce company, had the good fortune to escape in a runaway which occurred in the downtown district. Craig was standing at the head of the wagon when the horses became frightened and ran down the street. He attempted to stop them by hanging to the bridles, but was unable to hold them.

Seeing that he would be trampled to death if he released his hold, Craig jumped across the tongue and hung there, guiding the horses through the congested traffic until they were exhausted.

Patents for Californians

[Special Dispatch to The Call] WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—California patents were issued today as follows: Daniel Anthony, San Francisco, holder for darning; George H. Burlingame, San Francisco, cheese case; Harold W. Clapp, Berkeley, and E. C. Eiger, San Francisco, spring adjustable trolley cradle; Adoniram J. Collier, Yreka, fish screen ashboiler gate; Knut M. Dahl, San Francisco, liquid atomizer; Charles D. Stoeckel, San Francisco, machine for unloading can bodies and beads; Frank J. Herd, Point Richmond, bottling machine; Clarence H. Lecher, San Jose, pneumatic jack; John A. MacLaughlin, San Rafael, horsehoe; Nathan M. Niskan, San Pedro, removable coil bed spring; Chester P. A. Rasmussen and F. M. Targatz, Coalinga, saw; John C. Schenker, Los Angeles, kaleidoscope; Carl G. Sigurd, San Jose, weed cutter; Robert D. Stone and W. E. Baxter, Los Angeles, compression sale lubricator; William P. Sweeney, San Francisco, sange setting tool; William D. Towler, San Francisco, cranking device for tools; Frank Vitell, Healdsburg, wheel tire; Clyde R. Zuerer, Maricopa, plow.

BE SURE TO GO

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NOW, DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND

Gertrude Comfort, Vice President U. C. Architects



UNIVERSITY SOCIETY CHOOSES OFFICERS

Members of Student Organization Name Leaders for Next Term's Work

BERKELEY, Dec. 7.—The Architectural association of the University of California, which expanded its activities during this term by becoming allied with the state architectural association, and by undertaking to publish a year book, has elected the officers who will direct the organization on these lines next term.

The new officers are: J. H. Mitchell, '11, president; Miss Gertrude Comfort, '12, vice president; Miss Margaret Logan, '13, secretary; W. J. Graham, '13, treasurer, and Charles Claudius, '13, master. The association will bring out its first year book next term. The members have decided to hold their annual exhibition and jinks January 24-26.

OAKLAND TRACTION RE-ELECTS DIRECTORS

Annual Meeting of Stock Holders Held

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—At the annual meeting this afternoon of the stock holders of the Oakland Traction company the board of directors and the officers at the head of the corporation were re-elected for the present year.

The meeting today had been postponed from November 8, the regular day of meeting being the first Tuesday in November. While none of the various activities of the company was discussed at today's session, it is known that a number of improvements are being planned and that work will begin on them in a short time.

GAS IMPERILS LIFE OF AGED MAN SECOND TIME

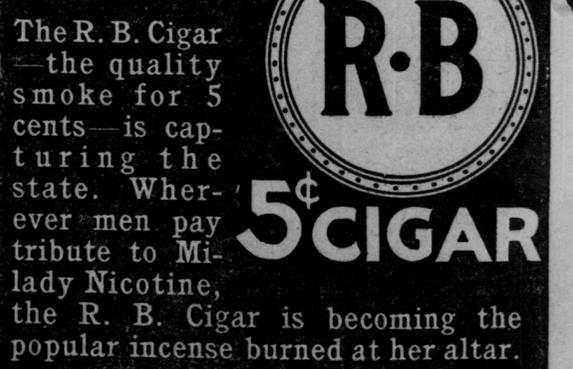
Shoe Maker Found Unconscious in His Room Recovers

OAKLAND, Dec. 7.—For the second time within a year Ambrose Brechtle, a shoe maker, 75 years of age, was saved from death from gas by emergency treatment at the receiving hospital. Brechtle was found unconscious in a little room back of a jewelry shop at 954 Broadway, overcome today. A gas jet had accidentally exploded. The same jet caused the first asphyxiation.

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