PETITION URGES NEW LAW FOR SCHOOL BOARD

Charter Amendment to Make Superintendent Superior to Directors

Park Head Recommends the Purchase of Twin Peaks Acreage for Park

A proposed charter amendment which, among other things, would increase the powers of the superintendent of schools and decrease in proportion the importance of the school directors, was placed in Mayor Rolph's hands yesterday and is also in circulation among teachers and other members of the school department.

The amendment would increase the superintendent's salary from $4,000 to $6,000, and would reduce the $3,000 which directors now receive to $1,200 a year. The qualifications for superintendent would be an academic degree from a university on a par with the University of California, the highest teacher's certificate which the state can grant and six years' successful teaching or supervision of teachers. The alternative suggested is six years' experience as superintendent or deputy superintendent of San Francisco schools.

The superintendent and his four deputies, the latter to receive $2,000 a year each, would control the course of study, the choice of textbooks and the general school policy. At present the superintendent can not act in these matters without the approval of the school directors.

The proposed change of salary would not affect Superintendent Alfred Roncovieri or the incumbent directors during their present term, but future superintendents would be elected at the same time as the governor of the state.

A printed announcement on the copies of the suggested amendment says that Roncovieri favors the proposed changes in the school laws, but he is not named as the author of the amendment.

TWIN PEAKS PARK FAVORED

Park Superintendent John McLaren, in a report submitted to the park commission and the supervisors yesterday, recommended the acquisition of Twin Peaks for a park of 51 acres, as suggested recently by Mayor Rolph. McLaren called attention to the striking outline of the peaks, the splendid panorama of ocean, bay and city, and the possibilities of connecting the property by means of scenic drives with Golden Gate park.

McLaren's communication to the park commission, by which he was detailed to investigate the site, was transmitted by the commission to the supervisors. In part it is as follows:

"I find it admirably adapted for the purpose, first, because it is the most striking topographical feature of our city, and second because of the beautiful outline of the peaks, and also because of the splendid view that they command, embracing ocean, mountain ranges, our bay, wooded valleys to the west and the city itself.

"The property contains fifty-one acres, every acre of which is valuable for park purposes. In addition to the fifty-one acres I suggest that you recommend the acquisition of a right of way not less than 150 feet in width connecting Corbett avenue with the Twin Peaks property, this strip of land to be used as an approach to the park.

"A good point for this junction is about Burnett avenue. A driveway could be built on easy grades and on pleasing lines to the park around the Twin Peaks and connecting with the high pressure reservoir drive to Claredon Heights road, to Ashbury street and Golden Gate park.

"This addition to the project would make the park easily accessible from the south and would obviate the necessity of entering and leaving at the same point."

INSURANCE CONFERENCE

To bring to an issue the proposal that fire insurance rates should be reduced because of the auxiliary high pressure water system, the supervisors' fire committee yesterday suggested that Mayor Rolph should hold a conference with the board of fire underwriters. This had been suggested by Rolph and advised by the supervisors, but charges that the auxiliary system was deficient have evidently caused delay. The time for the conference was left to the mayor.

Contractor Michael Murphy's request for an extension of 30 days from tomorrow on contract No. 50 of the high pressure system was denied.

Murphy is said to have found unsuspected obstructions while laying pipe in Market street. He was to have appeared before the committee yesterday. He failed to do so, with the result that he received no extension, although it was recommended by the board of works.

LIGHTING SYSTEM CHANGES

A reorganization of the city's lighting system, including the abolition of arc lights that illuminate the sky instead of the streets, is planned by Supervisor Koshland and other members of the lighting committee.

Electroliers that give more light for less money will be installed and modern globes and methods of street illumination will be investigated.

The committee was forced to defer action on requests from half a dozen districts that more lights be installed and certain special lighting systems taken off the hands of organizations that had installed them. Among others was the proposal that the city should take over the extra lights in Clement street, between Tenth and First avenues, which were installed and are maintained by merchants and property owners.

Koshland explained that if all these requests were granted the appropriation for meeting the light problems of the city for the fiscal year would be exhausted, leaving no funds for the regular expenses. He hopes, by a reorganization of the entire lighting system, to meet the difficulties of the various districts.

SPRING VALLEY CONSIDERS OFFER

Mayor Rolph, City Attorney Long, Judge Curtis Lindley and Supervisor Vogelsang, members of the city's advisory water committee, met in executive session at the mayor's office yesterday and adjourned without having received any answer to their tentative offer of $38,500,000 to the Spring Valley Water company for its plant. The committee indulged in a general discussion of water affairs in lieu of something substantial to act upon in connection with the bid. It is understood that the offer is being considered by a special committee of Spring Valley directors and an intimation has been given out that the answer will come within 14 days.

GRADE ESTIMATE ORDERED

The long delayed question of reducing the grade of Hayes street between Steiner and Scott, which residents of the neighborhood have been seeking through three municipal administrations, was pushed toward a solution yesterday by the supervisors' street committee when the city engineer was directed to furnish an estimate of the cost of the work.

An estimate exclusive of the paving which the United Railroads must lay between car tracks was also asked of the engineer. A large delegation was present to urge the reduction of the grade.

Delegates from the Mission Promotion association were given the assurance by the committee that Howard street from Ninth south would be paved with asphalt by the city as soon as funds could be obtained. Superintendent Legare of the United Railroads was present and said that the company was willing to lay asphalt on the railroad's portion of the street provided the city paved the rest with the same material.

The committee recommended that $35,000 be set aside for paving Geary street from Kearny to Van Ness avenue. P. J. Garthland was the lowest bidder for the work, at $32,697.

A resolution was passed directing the board of works to transfer to the bureau of streets all equipment, material and machinery belonging to the city and no longer in use for the construction of the Geary street road.

To give more width in Geary street along Union square, recommendation was made that the sidewalks in that block be reduced to nine feet.

Rev. D. O'Sullivan, Pastor, All Hallows Parish, This City

COLUMBIA PARK BOYS TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

Large Program Arranged by Members of Walking Club

An entertainment by the members of the Columbia Park Boys' Walking club will be given this evening in the courtyard of the club headquarters, Guerrero and Sixteenth streets.

The program will be the same as that given by the boys throughout the towns of northern California while on their recent walking trip to Eureka and Point Arena under the leadership of Eustace M. Peixotto, for which they were everywhere accorded the highest praise. These trips are made every summer during the school vacation by the boys who bear the expense of the undertaking by their entertainments besides doing all their camp work.

A large audience will attend this evening's performance, which will consist of the following numbers:

Overture, "Quite Right," orchestra.

Farce, "When the Cast Is Away," played by Elmer Brown, George Bridgman, Frank Ray, Andrew Piercy, Ben Katz, George Murray and Charles Weil.

Clarence Hastings in coon songs.

"Kids and the Circus," an acrobatic skit by George Bridgman, Andrew Piercy, Charles Weil, William Dawson, Jack Simon, George Dawson and Ernest Bell.

Frank Sheldon in catchy melodies.

Demonstration of scoutcraft by a picked team of 14 boys.

Intermission. Selection by the orchestra.

College football rally.

Hamill and Dawson, in gems from the Italian opera.

Three color pyramids, an acrobatic act by 20 boys.

Jack Schneer, in a queer little skit.

"Ding-a-Ling," a farce, played by Elmer Brown, George Murray, Frank Weber, Clarence Hastings, Frank Sheldon and Frank Traschler.

The program is under the direction of Eustace M. Peixotto.

POLICE MAKE RAID ON GAMBLING DENS

Chinese Hangs in Air While Detectives Work

When Ah Bing, a Chinese lottery man, heard the detectives breaking in the door of his fourth story loft at 545 Grant avenue last night he slid gently out of the window, loosed his hold and dropped—about one foot. A sharp piece of iron protruding from the bare brick wall caught in the folds of his flowing oriental trousers, and Ah Bing remained suspended on high, kicking wildly and waving his arms, but to no avail.

Detectives Joe Redmond and Tom Murphy, who were making the raid, let their quarry wear himself out while they ransacked the place for a basketful of lottery tickets. Then, with the aid of a long ladder, Ah Bing was brought down from the wall and taken to the police station, where he was charged with violating the gambling ordinance.

Detectives Redmond and Murphy next went over to 823 Kearny street and found a game in progress, conducted by William Abbott. They sent a man past the elaborate signal system Abbott had rigged up, and when he returned with the evidence they raided the place, arresting Abbott and 19 others. All were charged with gambling.

GOVERNMENT GOING AFTER MILK TRUST

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—An investigation into the existence of an alleged milk trust to fix prices in restraint of trade will be started in Chicago by the federal government, according to a report at the federal building this evening. The inquiry will go hand and hand with the prosecution of the Chicago butter and egg board, and the contemplated filing of a suit for the dissolution of the Elgin Board of Trade, which latter organization controls the price of butter.

CHICAGO SOCIETY TO BE FORMED FOR 1915

A Chicago society, to be composed of former residents of that city now living in the cities around San Francisco bay, is now being formed with the intention of arousing interest among Chicagoans in the exposition in 1915 and of creating a common center of interest for them when they visit the fair as part of the object of its formation. Former residents of Chicago who send their names and addresses to W. F. Owens, 1021 Golden Gate avenue, will be notified of the place and date of the next meeting.

ANNUAL PICNIC OF CHURCH TOMORROW

Fourth All Hallows Parish Reunion to Be Held at Shell Mound

The fourth annual reunion and picnic of All Hallows parish will be held tomorrow at Shell Mound park, near Berkeley. Father O'Sullivan and Father Galvan, assisted by members of the parish, have completed arrangements for the affair and nothing has been left undone to insure happiness and pleasure to all.

Those desiring to reach the park should take a Ninth street loop car, which connects with all boats at the Oakland mole. Music for the affair will be provided by Fitzgerald. Professor McMahon will furnish music for Irish dancing.

The following are members of the various committees:

Rev. Father D. O'Sullivan	Miss H. Walthers
Rev. Father Galvan	Mrs. T. O'Day
Mrs. Charles Reddy	Arthur Dolan
Mrs. John O'Day	Frank Hanlon
Mrs. J. D. Barry	Bernard Dowd
Mrs. Boece	George Richards
Mrs. S. Wolcken	Joseph Hoare
Mrs. Griffiths	Frank Coyle
Mrs. J. Hennessy	George Reddy
Mrs. John Ryan	J. Regan
Miss R. A. Kelly	John Ryan
Mrs. F. Coyle	Stephen Wolcken
Mrs. Van Laak	T. R. O'Day
Miss A. Ayers	P. F. Wienholz
	W. Riegelhuth

MRS. LICHTENSTEIN TELLS OF ALLEGED CONSPIRACY

Appears as Witness Against Husband and Others

Mrs. Anita Feder Lichtenstein, prosecuting witness in the case against her husband, Nat Lichtenstein, his brother Sam, Milton A. Nathan and H. I. Joseph, who were indicted recently by the grand jury for misdemeanor conspiracy, occupied the witness stand yesterday morning in Judge Cabaniss' court and told her story of the alleged plot to blacken her reputation.

She denied vehemently that she was guilty of wrongdoing at the time she was found by her husband in a room in a downtown hotel in company with Joseph, but said that she went to the room because she was ill. She said she took luncheon with Joseph, and that after taking her to an upstairs room he went out to telephone. A few minutes after he had returned her husband and Attorney Nathan burst into the room, she said, and found her with her hat off and Joseph partially disrobed.

During the course of her testimony she turned suddenly to the jury and dramatically denied her alleged guilty relations with Joseph.

The witness was cross examined in the afternoon for the defense by Attorney George Knight. The case was continued until 10 o'clock this morning, when the prosecution will close its case. Assistant District Attorney Brennan is conducting the case for the state.

EXPERTS ARE WORKING ON CONTINENTAL BOOKS

Examination May Determine Concern's Solvency

A thorough examination of the books of the Continental Building and Loan association, to determine for the benefit of the petitioners in the federal court whether or not the concern is insolvent, was commenced yesterday morning by attorneys representing several stock holders who have asked that the association be declared an involuntary bankrupt.

They appeared at the Continental offices at 9 o'clock and found the safe open and all the accounts and files ready for their inspection, which probably will require more than a week before it is finished. Martin L. Haines and Andrew Schottky, attorneys from the office of C. C. Boynton, are making the investigation.

The offices of the association remained open throughout the day, with Secretary William Corbin in charge. Many investors and depositors called to discuss the situation with the official, but no new business was taken nor was any money paid out. Corbin stated that nothing would be done except what was necessary to protect the property of the concern.

BONIFACES MAKE MERRY AT ACME CLUB SMOKER

More Than 300 Hotel Men Gather at First Jinks

The Acme club, whose membership is made up of hotelmen, held its first smoker last evening in the hotel from which it derives its name in Mission street, and more than 300 participated in the festivities. An interesting program was made up of vaudeville selections, with two or three boxing matches added.

John Griffin, president, was master of ceremonies. Talks were made by James Woods, manager of the St. Francis and police commissioner; Judge Thomas F. Graham, Judge Edward P. Shortall and Judge E. P. Mogan.

Refreshments were served. The following members were on the committee in charge of the jinks:

John Griffin, president; Neil Campbell, vice president; Lyle Kent, second vice president; James Reilly, treasurer; Guy S. Rowell, secretary; Thomas Keating, James J. Hall, John McDermott, George Kelley, Fred Clausen, P. P. Shanley, Victor Hirtzler, J. E. Alexander, Eugene Davis, Ted Grethen, Arnold Weible and J. J. Glynn.

PRINCE S. B. N. E. LEMKI FINDS NO ONE AWAITING

American Girls Not Lured by His Title

Prince Suleiman Bin Nasor El Lemki, a member of the royal family of Daressalem, arrived last evening from the southland on a belated train. In the dusk he could discern no line of plump, little women to greet him, and he was whisked away from the depot by his secretary without having a peep at a pretty face.

The Indian prince declared in Los Angeles that he was in search of a fifth wife, one of American blood, to fill a vacant couch in his harem in German East Africa.

But strange as it may seem, there was no waiting line at the depot when the African prince arrived.

The prince is a man of small size, with a black beard, rather thinly parted at his chin. He is 47 years old, and, with his four wives and five children, has a comfortable family. He dresses in European garb with a fez of red and long, black tassle.

He leaves for Japan on Saturday on the Chiyo Maru.

"Wishbone" Excursion, $1.00.

On Sunday, September 1, there will be a reduced round-trip excursion over the popular "Wishbone" route to San Jose, through the ever beautiful Santa Clara valley. One dollar for the round trip. Tickets good going on all regular local trains of the 1st, returning same day. See Agents, Southern Pacific.

MACKWORTH BERTIE WINS MAYOR'S CUP

Bluest of Blue Blooded Bulldogs Was Entered by Mrs. A. B. Korbel

The mayor's cup for the best dog in the Ladies' Kennel association dog show last night was awarded to Mackworth Bertie, a bulldog entered by Mrs. A. B. Korbel. While there has been some dissatisfaction expressed in some quarters with a few of the awards, there was no questioning of the decision last night. Mackworth Bertie is not only of the bluest of blue blooded canines, but he shows it in practically every point. Affectionate and enthusiastic, he informally has been one of the favorite of the smart set attendants at the bench exhibition.

SIRED BY THURSFIELD PRINCE

Mackworth Bertie was sired by Thursfield Prince. His mother is Smallshaw Duchess. Both animals are well known in London shows. He was bred by T. R. Lord.

Mrs. Charles Sutro's English toy spaniel, Anna Belle, took the Miss Alice Wilkins trophy for the best opposite sex and also the Shreve trophy for the best toy spaniel. Anna Belle is by Ashton More Challenger-Ashton More Ripple and was bred by H. W. Phillips.

The trophy offered by Mrs. Anton B. Korbel for the best dog owned and shown by a lady was awarded to Champion Endcliffe Raven, the famous Pomeranian from the Carro-Beth kennels, owned and entered by Mrs. Carroll Cook.

The Eilers trophy for the best sporting dog in the show went to H. Donohoe's greyhound, Rolph Jr., bred by T. J. Cronin.

CROWD SEES AWARDS MADE

The trophies offered last evening, 24 in number, constituted a beautiful array when aranged on the tables in the judging ring. The presentation speech was made by Judge Carroll Cook. Mrs. Anton B. Korbel, president of the Ladies' Kennel association, handed the cups to the various winners. The presentation of the cups occupied the entire evening and drew a large number of the smart set.

Yesterday some talk of protesting decisions in the awards of prizes in the airedale opposite sex developed among some of the exhibitors, who, while not questioning the integrity of the judges, declared that some mediocre entries received decisions over higher bred entries. There also was some dissatisfaction with the decisions in the airedale dogs and fox terriers. Show officials last night said that the decisions in the present show were defensible on a question of points, and that they tally with remarkable fidelity with decisions made by James Mortimer of New York, one of the best known judges in the country, who officiated at the Golden Gate show.

CONSOLIDATION MAY BE BLOCKED

It is probable, however, that the talk of protests and appeals, however inevitable in every show, will prevent the consolidation of the American Kennel Affiliated clubs, such as the Golden Gate and ladies' associations and the so called National "outlaws," as any tendency toward friction in A. K. C. circles will tend to prevent the unanimity desired to bring back the Nationals to the American fold.

The judges for the dog show were: G. L. Israel of Chehalis, Wash., who judged the bull terriers; S. Christenson of San Francisco, who judged the pointers and setters, and E. W. Wrightson Thorp of New York, who judged all other breeds and unclassified specials.

Yesterday morning some of the last decisions in the various breeds were announced as follows:

IRISH WATER SPANIELS

Novice, bitches—First, Frisco Bedelia, Dr. Rodley.

American bred, bitches—First, Lady McShane, Dr. Herbert Rodley.

Winners, bitches—First, Frisco Bedelia; reserve, Lady McShane.

Special for best—Frisco Bedelia.

COCKER SPANIELS (Black)

Novice, dogs—First, Corona Bob, A. J. Bullerdieck.

Limit and open, dogs—First, Mission, Mission Cocker kennels.

Winners, dogs—First, Mission; reserve, Corona Bob.

Puppies, bitches—First, Sonoma, Mrs. T. J. Blight; second, Roma, John Rutten.

Novice, bitches—First, Uvas Doris, G. A. Nieborger; second, Nellie Bly, Mrs. T. W. Chinn; third, Lady, H. Sachsey.

American bred, bitches—First, Lady Pan Can, Mrs. E. F. Shane.

Limit, bitches—First, Highlight, Miss Ethel Tompkins; second, Denniston Zoula, Denniston kennels; third, Uvas Creole Belle, G. A. Nieborger.

Open, bitches—First, Brynwood Camille, G. A. Nieborger.

Winners, bitches—First, Brynwood Camille; reserve, Highlight.

Pacific coast bred, bitches—First, Uvas Vesta, Professor Zeach; second, Toodles.

Bred by exhibitor, bitches—First, Uvas Alcha, G. A. Nieborger.

Puppies, dogs (other than black)—First, Denniston Bobby, H. F. Gordan.

American bred, dogs (parti color)—First, Denniston Nugget, Miss Louise Hering.

Limit, dogs (parti color)—First, Mepal's Olaf; second, Denniston Chief, Miss Louise Hering.

Open, dogs (parti color)—First, Champion Mission Rone, Mrs. Ted Kielhofer.

Limit, dogs (solid color, other than black)—First, Virginian, Miss Louise Hering.

Winners, dogs—First, Mepal's Olaf; reserve, Virginian.

Puppies, bitches—First, Juanita K, Mrs. Ted Kielhofer.

Nove, bitches (other than black)—First, Mission Cressida, Harry Chipman.

American bred, bitches (other than black)—First, Denniston Florizel, Denniston kennels.

Limit, bitches (parti color)—First, Denniston Cherie, Denniston kennels; second, Doll Girl, Mrs. Frances Dakin.

American bred, bitches (solid color, other than black)—Bonnie Francisco, Mrs. Frances Dakin.

RUSSIAN WOLFHOUNDS

Limit and winners, dogs—First, Kola II; second, Miss Irene Sabin's Orloff II.

Limit, bitches—First, Miss Alice Wilkins' Soudarka III; second, Mrs. M. Dietschy's Alla O'S. V.

Open, bitches—First, Soudarka III; second, Czarina o' Valley Farm; third, Pavolca o' Valley Farm.

Winners, bitches—First, Soudarka III; reserve, Czarina o' Valley Farm.

Best Russian wolfhound—Kola II; best, opposite sex, Soudarka III.

POINTERS

Special for best pointer—Professor Nap; best, opposite sex, Bessie T.

ENGLISH SETTERS

Puppies, dogs—First, Miss Tot Redmond's Milo.

Novice, dogs—First, V. D. Goodrich's Howdy Pap.

American bred, dogs—First, Carroll's kennels' Judge Post.

Limit, dogs—First, Mrs. Otten's Handsome John; third, F. Fischer's Jack Fischer.

Open, dogs—First, Handsome John.

Winners, dogs—First, Judge Post; reserve, Howdy Pap.

Puppies, bitches—First, A. C. Wilson's Blue Kate; second, A. C. Wilson's Lady Lucy; third, Sophie Anderson's Princess Fairfax.

Novice, bitches—First, Lady Lucy; second, J. D. Williamson's Lady Lou.

Limit and winners, bitches—First, J. J. Sinclair's Orkney Snowflake; second, Mrs. C. H. Edmunds' Arbutus Victoria.

Pacific coast bred bitches—First, Arbutus Victoria.

Bred by exhibited bitches—First, Blue Kate.

Best English setter dog—Judge Post.

Best bitch—Orkney Snowflake.

Best owned by member L. K. A.—Arbutus Victoria.

Best puppy—Blue Kate.

Best puppy dog—Milo.

GORDON SETTERS

Puppies, dogs—First, Mr. Heitman's Teddy.

Limit dogs—First, Ed Viser's Gordon II.

Open dogs—First, Joe Rose's Bill Taft; second, D. H. Heitman's Pat'D.

Winners, dogs—First, Ed Viser's Gordon II; reserve, Bill Taft.

Puppies, bitches—First, C. F. Heitman's Lil.

Limit and winners, bitches—First, J. M. Sauter's Miss S; second, Charles C. Cohen's Glen.

Best Gordon setter—Miss S; best opposite sex, Gordon II.

IRISH SETTERS

Puppies, dogs—First, Willis Lawrence's Dublin Boy.

Novice dogs—First, Thomas Bannon's Chicken a la King; second, Dublin Boy.

American bred dogs—First, J. J. Donovan's Buck.

Limit dogs—First, J. J. Donovan's Pal.

Winners, dogs—First, J. J. Donovan's Buck; reserve, Pal.

Limit, open and winners, bitches—First, J. J. Mitchell's Nell.

Best Irish setter—First, J. J. Mitchells's Nell.

Best Irish setter—First, J. J. Mitchell's Nell; best opposite sex, J. J. Donovan's Buck.

Best puppy—Willis Lawrence's Dublin Boy.

A Thrifty Housewife

The happiest homes are the ones that have been gradually furnished by economical housekeepers. Women who watch for opportunities should read about the eight day clock on the first want page of this paper.

KAHN SAYS TAFT GAINS IN STRENGTH

Refusal to Be Bulldozed by Democratic House Wins Support for President

Congressman Julius Kahn returned from Washington yesterday, admittedly glad to get out of the sweltering heat of the capital and back to the cool fog of San Francisco and ready with strong commendation for the work of President Taft during the recently finished session and a feeling of satisfaction over the success of the Panama canal bill.

"President Taft's refusal to be bulldozed by the democratic house into signing appropriation bills that contained features which he knew to be objectionable has strengthened him materially, and his support seems to be growing all the time," said Kahn when asked about the part the president played in the workings of congress during its last session.

TARIFF TINKERING RESISTED

"The president refused to sanction the tariff bills passed by the house on the ground that they were not based on sufficient information regarding the conditions of the industries and the necessities of the country or on a knowledge of the difference in the cost of production in this country and abroad. The regular republicans have generally sided with him.

"He recommended the industrial commission formed to investigate labor conditions and sent to congress a special message urging the necessity of action at this session on Panama canal tolls, so that people who expect to operate ships through it may know a reasonable length of time ahead what the conditions will be under which they must operate. He also urged that the kind of the government for the canal zone be determined as soon as possible. The bill denying railroad owned ships the use of the canal had his approval. Minority Leader Mann asserts that much of the remedial legislation passed by the present congress was drafted by Taft or by members of his cabinet.

PROGRESSIVES WITH PARTY

"Many of the so called progressives have not gone out of the party and numbers of these undoubtedly will take up Taft's cause, besides the regular republicans, though it is too early yet for much to be doing."

Kahn did not lay much stress on the results accomplished by the democratic house, saying that the session was one of the seven longest ever held and that probably less was done in the way of remedial and beneficial legislation than in almost any case during recent years.

"The principal accomplishment of the session was the Panama canal bill, which was a great victory for the Pacific coast, and I think it a satisfactory bill," continued Kahn. "The people in San Francisco gave us loyal support in the fight for it. The ships which will now go through the canal will be the actual competitors of the transcontinental railroads."

SERVICE FOR MERCHANTS

Kahn explained how San Francisco merchants, who had bills against the United States government for $320,000 were threatened with a long standing account because of the fight made by four states for old claims that nearly blocked the urgent deficiency bill.

"Just before the senate adjourned," he said, "I explained the state of affairs to Senator Brandegee, who put it before his colleagues. Then I wired to President Robbins of the Chamber of Commerce here to get busy with the Oregon commercial bodies and see that Senator Chamberlain gave up his claims, and this was successful."

Kahn said that he was going to stand on the record of things he had done since his last election in 1910 for campaign material this fall. Among those he enumerated were the leadership of the fight for San Francisco for the exposition, leadership of the fight to prevent the closing of the mint, support of the bill providing free tolls for American ships in the Panama canal bill, several appropriations for California and a part in the bill insuring a mail contract for the Oceanic Steamship company to Australia, thus re-establishing an American steamship line to the antipodes via Honolulu and Pago Pago.

Army Orders

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—So much of orders of August 24 as relates to Captain Charles R. Lloyd, Sixth field artillery, is revoked.

So much of orders of August 19 as assigns Lieutenant Colonel Joseph A. Gaston, cavalry, to the Tenth cavalry and relieves Lieutenant Colonel Charles H. Grierson, cavalry, from assignment to that regiment, is revoked.

Lieutenant Colonel Gaston is relieved from attachment to the First cavalry and is assigned to the Tenth Cavalry.

MILLIONAIRE IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

Domestic Troubles Rise for Wealthy Head of Yeast Concern

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Andrew P. Callahan, millionaire member of the yeast firm of A. P. Callahan & Co., was sued today by his wife, Mary C. Callahan, for an absolute divorce. Unfaithfulness and extreme cruelty is charged in the bill. They have been married 41 years.

A housemaid employed in the Callahan mansion is named. Mrs. Callahan alleges that the millionaire, with the maid, Minnie Sullivan, has made several trips to nearby resorts. A woman who has a large suite of offices in the Masonic temple also is named, Mrs. Callahan declaring that her husband pays the rental for a luxurious apartment for this woman.

Included in the suit is a request for an accounting from her husband on 40 notes given him which she avers now amount to $100,000, with interest. She also asks that the contracts signed by her be declared null and void.

AUTO LICENSES ARE ISSUED FOR STATE

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 29.—The following are the automobile registrations to August 29, 1912:

80462—San Mateo Feed and Fuel company, 401 First avenue, San Mateo; Mack truck.
80463—Mrs. E. N. Richmond, 309 South Eighth street, San Jose; Little.
80464—O. W. Renius, Rialto, San Bernardino county; Overland.
80465—J. N. Lamb, Tracy, San Joaquin county; Studebaker.
80466—H. A. Paulsen, King City, Monterey county; Studebaker.
80467—William Bickmore, 85 Ocean street, Santa Cruz; Northern.
80468—Walter Johnstone, Eagleville, Modoc county; Hupp.
80469—H. S. Keley, Santa Maria, Santa Barbara county; Ford.
80470—Ethel M. Phillips, 446 D street, San Bernardino; Studebaker.
80471—E. G. Hill, Hotel Montgomery, San Jose; Chalmers.
80472—W. J. Funk, 637 Twenty-ninth street, Oakland; Interstate.
80473—J. C. Walser, Caliente, Kern county; Studebaker.
80474—H. J. Beauford, Bakersfield, Kern county; Studebaker.
80475—S. J. Walser, Caliente, Kern county; Studebaker.
80476—Joaquin Quintana, 230 North First street, San Jose; Mitchell.
80477—C. M. Bailey, 221 Main street, Porterville; Studebaker.
80478—J. Pancera, 598 South First street, San Jose; Studebaker.
80479—Charles Pearson, Mountain View; Studebaker.
80480—Williams & Enos, Santa Clara; Studebaker.
80481—K. W. Hildreth, Teralta, San Diego county; Metz.
80482—Thomas Arnold, McArthur, Shasta county; Ford.
80483—George C. Koenig, 98 North Morrison avenue, San Jose; Overland.
80484—R. E. Bensen, Merced; R-C-H.
80485—C. L. Kilburn, Newman; Chalmers.
80486—J. W. Breedlove, El Centro, Imperial county; Maxwell.
80487—S. L. Spencer, Covina; Oakland.
80488—E. G. Sangle, Pomona; Overland.
80489—Joseph Thornton, Upland; Buick.
80490—A. L. Wiseman, Famoso, Kern county; Chalmers.
80491—Louise A. Christensen, 906 East Villa street, Pasadena; Auburn.
80492—John Olsem, 1928 D street, San Diego; Buick.
80493—P. L. Yarbrough, 1112 Eighth street, Sacramento; Stoddard-Dayton.
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80497—James Thompson, 124 Sierra avenue, San Jose; Flanders.
80498—Steele & McLaughlin, 1630 Third street, Eureka; International.
80499—O. E. Grossbeck, 1580 North Wilson avenue, South Pasadena; Pierce Arrow.
80500—Palo Alto Laundry company, 644 Emerson street, Palo Alto; Studebaker.
80501—J. D. Morgan, 1402 I street, Fresno; Studebaker.
80502—Valley Lumber company, H and Mono streets, Fresno; Maxwell.
80503—Dr. Robert G. Reynolds, 455 University avenue, Palo Alto; Buick.
80504—Robert E. McCormick, Sonora, Tuolumne county; National.
80505—E. E. Cloud, 1444 Granda avenue, San Diego; Overland.
80506—Electric Laundry company, 2360 I street, San Diego; Overland.
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