

EVENTS IN THE COUNTIES BORDERING ON BAY OF SAN FRANCISCO

TWO HOLDUP MEN ROUTED BY VICTIM

Oaklander, Ignoring Pistol, Knocks Down Assaultants and Chases Them Does Not Interfere With Footpads Until They Begin to Search Him

OAKLAND, Nov. 19.—Henry Veals, 710 Eleventh street, gave battle to two highwaymen this morning and routed them when they stopped him at Eleventh and Castro streets. Veals was on his way home when the men stepped from behind a tree, one of them covering him with a revolver. Veals threw up his hands and did not interfere until the robbers began searching him. Veals then struck the man with the pistol on the jaw, knocking him down. He then aimed a blow at the other, who was not armed, and stretched him on the sidewalk. The men started in pursuit, but he gave it up after a chase of several blocks, and hurrying to a telephone asked the police for help. By the time Captain Lynch responded with a posse the men had disappeared. A speedometer and clock valued at \$50 was stolen from the automobile of R. A. Stolp, 639 Vermont street, from in front of the Central Bank building. Lewis C. Hoffman reported the loss of a diamond stickpin valued at \$150. Other burglaries reported were: Arthur Mohr, 1225 Market street, bicycle stolen; J. J. Smith, 2035 Chestnut street, house entered, nothing taken; E. E. Harton, 430 Ninth street, suitcase, jewelry and clothing stolen, valued at \$30; A. S. Kaul, 1219 Tenth street, jewelry, clothing and money stolen from child's bank, valued at \$20; Frank Suza, 1481 Third street, jewelry, coin and razors stolen, valued at \$87.

Suburban Brevities

SEEKS VOTE ON LIQUOR QUESTION—Berkeley, Nov. 19.—Harry Platz, leader in the Temperance Research club of the state, said today that 5,000 petitions by individuals had been made to President C. M. Torrey of the associated body. Platz is making a fight to have that body amend its constitution prohibiting liquor at all university student affairs. TO LECTURE ON "CITIES AMUSEMENTS"—Oakland, Nov. 19.—Rev. Albert W. Palmer, pastor of Plymouth church, will speak at Plymouth center tomorrow evening on "The Cities Amusements." The lecture will be illustrated with 50 lantern slides sent out by the American Institute of Social Service, which will show the undesirable types of city amusements as well as the various kinds of social center work in vogue. RECOVERS DAMAGES FOR SON'S DEATH—Oakland, Nov. 19.—Charles A. Mahy was awarded \$2,500 damages against Dr. E. E. Tiffany by a jury in Judge Wells' court today. Mahy alleged that his son, Clate F. Mahy, aged 16 years, was killed in a collision with Dr. Tiffany's automobile at Twenty-third avenue and Foothill boulevard. The son was riding a bicycle when the accident happened. MANUFACTURERS TO MEET—Oakland, Nov. 19.—The regular meeting of the manufacturers' committee of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce will be held on Thursday evening in the commerce chambers. The speaker of the evening will be Dr. A. S. Kelly, chairman of the board of education. He will speak on "First Aid to the Injured Employee." SOCIAL EVILS TO BE DISCUSSED—Oakland, Nov. 19.—Social evils will be discussed by the Oakland center of the California Civic League at its meeting Friday afternoon in Chabot hall. Dr. Minora Kibbe, president and addresser, will be assisted by Dr. R. N. Moody, Mrs. Mary Roberts, Corliss E. Water, Frank L. Goodspeed and Miss Jessie J. Wood. SCHOOL DANCE—Oakland, Nov. 19.—A dance will be given by the Parrot-Teachers' association of the Franklin school, at the school auditorium Friday evening. The funds will be used to buy pictures with which to decorate the school. FUNDS FOR LIBRARY BUILDING—Oakland, Nov. 19.—The Citizens Improvement club has undertaken to collect funds to erect a new West Berkeley branch public library building, which will have club and smoking rooms for patrons. DAIRYMAN ROBBED—Hayward, Nov. 19.—James Smith, a dairyman, was held up this morning by two highwaymen and robbed of \$165.

Richmond Grasps Chance Votes Bonds for New Harbor

First Effective Step Taken for \$1,170,000 Project; Industrial and Shipping Center Predicted for Future

RICHMOND, Nov. 19.—Pinning their faith on harbor development, which is expected to bring extensive shipping and manufacturing expansion, the people of Richmond today gave a favorable vote on the bonds for the construction of the inner harbor and the tunnel. The total amount is \$1,170,000. The progressive spirit here is shown by the large percentage of the total vote polled, there being 2,645 ballots cast out of 4,900 registered voters. There were 2,342 votes cast for the inner harbor project and 291 against, and 2,292 for the tunnel and 415 in opposition. There has been great enthusiasm about the propositions, and though the usual campaign was carried on, there need have been no doubt about the result from the time the election was called. The people want to build a large city, and they feel that the new harbor facilities and the industrial and warehouse land that will be acquired will develop Richmond as nothing else could do it. The main harbor proposition, the inner harbor, has been developed by the Richmond industrial commission promotion organization in the last two years and brought to a successful culmination with the aid of the citizens in general. OUTLET THROUGH HILLS The tunnel project was put forward by the people of the western part of the city to give a direct outlet through the hills to the outer water front and secure a landing especially for local traffic. The campaign committee consisted of Councilman E. J. Gerrard, chairman; Levi Boswell, H. A. Johnston, Julius Stiefvater, H. W. Pulse, H. E. Pettillon, C. A. Lang, Dr. Charles R. Blake and Dr. C. L. Abbott. Secretary Knowles attended to the details of the campaign. A woman's campaign committee was also organized and did effective work. Its members were Mrs. Dr. Blake, Mrs. L. Boswell, Mrs. Sisson, Mrs. Henry Torrey, Mrs. C. H. Robinson, Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. T. G. Cramer, Mrs. Kate Smith, Mrs. T. Repposa, Mrs. L. Adams, Mrs. Wm. Luce, Mrs. John Bouquet, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Mary Lucas, Mrs. H. W. Murgenthal, Minnie Doorman, Mrs. August Carlsson, Mrs. M. A. Hayes, Mrs. E. H. Harlowe and Mrs. Oids.

NEW DEAN TO TAKE CHAIR AT VARSITY

Berkeley, Nov. 19.—Formal announcement of the new policy of the University of California in promotion of agriculture in the state will be made tomorrow by Dr. Thomas Forsyth Hunt, who will be invested with the office of dean of the college of agriculture at the dedication of the new administrative building, Agriculture hall. Doctor Hunt was engaged to make the college the foremost in the nation. Statewide measures in anticipation of the opening of the Panama canal and of the influx of immigration, will be directed so far as possible by the college to prevent congestion in cities and to build up the rural sections. Governor Hiram W. Johnson, ex-officio president of the board of regents, also will speak. President Benjamin Ide Wheeler will open the exercises at 9:45 o'clock in Harmon gymnasium. Addresses will be made by Judge Peter J. Shields of Sacramento and E. P. Clarke of Riverside, and Doctor Hunt will be invested with his office. The audience will march to the new hall, where Dr. Eugene Waldemar Hilgard, a former dean, will speak and the governor will dedicate the building. A bust of Hilgard will be presented to the university by students and alumni. The hall will be open for public inspection in the afternoon. The dedication will be concluded at 8 o'clock in the evening, when addresses will be made by Prof. E. J. Wickson, the retiring dean, by Doctor Hunt, his successor, and by Prof. F. R. Marshall of the university farm at Davis.

NEW OFFICERS ON HEALTH BOARD

Berkeley, Nov. 19.—The city council will at once put into effect plans prepared by the board of health for a reorganization in part of the health department. The council, on recommendation of Dr. A. F. Gillihan, president of the health board, directed City Attorney Staats this morning to draft an ordinance creating the offices of food inspector, bacteriologist and chemist. If a qualified man can be found, the positions will be assigned to him; otherwise the places will be kept separate. Doctor Gillihan has recommended Carl L. A. Schmidt, who is in Berkeley on indefinite leave of absence from the Remsen board of inquiry at Washington, D. C. The health board desires that Schmidt be appointed at a salary of \$175 a month. "I doubt if one man will be able to handle all this work," Gillihan said; "but we must have an expert to begin it." The official will have charge of food inspections. For furtherance of the health work a city bacteriological and chemical laboratory will be established at once in the city hall.

TO BE TRIED ON THEFT CHARGE

Oakland, Nov. 19.—Joseph Lodi, a young man arrested for robbing Fred Ward of the Oakland department of a diamond scarf valued at \$150, was held to answer to the superior court today on a charge of grand larceny.

U. OF C. ORCHESTRA CONCERT TONIGHT

Miss Fannie M. Bailey and Herbert Riley to Assist Fourth Annual Event

Berkeley, Nov. 19.—Miss Fannie M. Bailey, soprano, and Herbert Riley, cello virtuoso, will be the assisting artists at the fourth concert by the University of California Orchestra society tomorrow evening in Hearst hall. Paul Steindorff, university choragus and director of the society, will wield the baton. The program will be: Overture, "Mirella"; Gounod; Recitative and aria from "Xerxes"; Handel; Miss Fannie M. Bailey; Herbert Riley; Cello obligato; Miss Fannie M. Bailey; First movement of symphony B minor (unpublished); Schubert; Allegro moderato; University orchestra; "Adante From Concerto"; Haydn; (b) Gavotte; Schlemmiller; "Spanish Dance"; Schlemmiller; Herbert Riley; "The Last Sonnet of the Virgo"; (for string orchestra); Massenet; (in memoriam); University orchestra; (a) "The Robin Sings in the Apple Tree"; MacDowell; (b) "Winds in the Forest"; Goeing Thomas; (c) "Sweet Wind That Blows"; Chadwick; Miss Fannie M. Bailey; Herbert Riley; Strauss; University orchestra.

CIVIL MARRIAGE WAS A FAILURE

Oakland, Nov. 19.—"Marriages of Justices of the peace lack lasting qualities. This time we will be married by a real minister and will have everything done right and it will stay done," said James C. Sheeley and Alta Sheeley in securing a license to remarry today. "We were married by a justice of the peace the first time," Sheeley explained, "and see what happened. Right away we got into a jam and there was a divorce. Then we figured it out and found that we could not do much alone. I talked it over with Alta and we decided to try it again. Nothing but a real religious marriage for us this time. None of this legal business for us." Sheeley is a locomotive engineer and lives at Pasadena. Immediately after the Sheeleys left, William F. Wright and Ethel M. Wright applied for a license to Deputy County Clerk Matt Riley. "Have you made up, too?" Riley ventured. "Made up, too?" demanded Wright. "What is the idea?" "I thought possibly you had been divorced and were anxious for another start," Riley explained. "We are anxious for a start, all right," said Wright, "but we were never married, and, furthermore, we are no relation. The fact that the names are the same is an accident." "Wright is a rancher living in the annexed district." "The Paper of Authority" in San Francisco and California is The Call.

EAST OAKLAND WANTS POLICE SUBSTATION

City Council Agrees to Provide More Protection

Oakland, Nov. 19.—A committee representing the Vernon, Linda Vista, East Oakland, Piedmont Heights and other improvement clubs of the eastern section of the city asked the city council today for more adequate police protection. This has been agitated for a long time, and today the council was asked to establish a police substation in the neighborhood. P. C. Turner, commissioner of public health and safety, informed the committee that he and Chief of Police Peterson had had several conferences and were agreed to place a police station in the district, the site decided upon being on a triangular piece of property at Grand avenue and Perry street, known as Lake park. If permission be granted by the park commission, it is intended to erect a small structure there and detail additional patrolmen. The subject was referred to Turner, and he will confer with the park commissioners.

U. of C. Senior Dance Friday Last Class Hop for Term

Varsity Orchestra to Furnish Music in Gymnasium

Berkeley, Nov. 19.—University of California seniors will hold their assembly Friday evening at Harmon gymnasium. This will be the last dance of the term by the class. The patrons and patronesses will be members of the faculty and their wives, and the reception committee will consist of officers and members of the class. E. H. Clausen, class president, is aiding the assembly committee in arranging the affair. On the committee, which was selected by Clausen in the first college month, are: F. B. de Lano, chairman; K. Q. Volk, A. C. Dicker, R. P. Shields, R. R. Randall, D. L. Oberg, Miss Elinora Shannon, Miss Irma Foveaux, Miss Mildred Genter, Miss Evelyn Hanna and Miss Dorothy Wilkinson. The gymnasium will be decorated in class colors and music will be provided by the university orchestra.

BOSTON STAR FOR ORPHEUS CONCERT

Oakland, Nov. 19.—Miss Nina Fletcher of Boston will make her initial appearance in coast musical circles at the Orpheus concert at Ye Liberty theater, tomorrow evening. Miss Fletcher's event has been eagerly awaited by the club's membership, following reports of her work in the east. As a member of the Boston symphony orchestra and also as solo violinist for that organization, she achieved rank among the leading women performers of the country. Miss Fletcher stayed for a short time with relatives in San Diego before being invited to play here. Her numbers for the program follow: (a) Aria; (b) Andante; (c) "Schoen Rosmarin"; (old German). The second group which Miss Fletcher will play includes: (a) Prelude; (b) Polka; (c) "Wienersack". Her selections are sufficiently varied to afford Miss Fletcher abundant opportunity to display her notable technique and thorough training. Tonal affects, which she produces from her instrument, are said to be remarkable for a woman.

THOMAS BRUTON, GROCER TRADE EDITOR, IS DEAD

ALAMEDA, Nov. 19.—Thomas Bruton is dead at the home of his sister, Mrs. Kate Lyons, 1630 Lincoln avenue. He was 76 years old and a native of Ireland. Bruton came to California in 1882 and with his brother, Daniel Bruton, engaged in the tobacco business in San Francisco. Later he was the editor of the Grocer and Country Merchant. Bruton leaves three other brothers, Maurice Bruton of Australia, James Bruton of Chicago and John Bruton of Los Angeles. Trunks! Trunks! Trunks! At Osgood's, Seventh and Broadway, Oakland.—Adv.

GOLD COURTROOM MAKES JUDGE HOT

Judicial Wrath Boils After Six Weeks' Delay in Installing Radiators

Oakland, Nov. 19.—For an hour today Sheriff Frank Barnett faced personal directions to turn steam fitter after Superior Judge Waste had despaired of getting action from the board of supervisors toward installing three new radiators in his courtroom. Six weeks of delay was noted by the jurist because of the cold room. "Mr. Clerk," said the court, "enter an order directing the sheriff to proceed forthwith with the fitting of radiators in this room." The order was duly entered in the official minute books by Clerk Wuthe, who then notified Sheriff Barnett. News of the summary action reached Supervisor Mullins, and he pleaded for a little more time for the board to act. Later, Judge Waste withdrew the direction to the sheriff. "Six weeks ago I put in a requisition for radiators, one in the juryroom, one in the court chamber and one in the main courtroom," said Judge Waste. "There was no action. Then somebody on the board got some bids on the work, and then they asked me to open the bids and make the award of the contracts. I was disgusted with the whole business. Now I'll wait again for the board to comply, but I shall not wait until summer."

SONS ARE PALLBEARERS AT MRS. AUSTIN'S FUNERAL

Oakland, Nov. 19.—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Austin, wife of William Austin, an old resident of this city, was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 944 Thirty-fourth street. The services were attended by a large number of friends of the family. The officiating clergymen were Rev. W. H. Cooker and Rev. H. H. Haller. A trio comprising Charles B. Andrews, Miss Alice Andrews and Mrs. Maggie Hastings rendered appropriate music. The remains were cremated. Mrs. Austin was the mother of Mrs. John Anderson of Oakland, Mrs. Robert W. French of Oakland, Robert H. Austin of Los Angeles and John L. Walter F. French H. and George W. Austin, all Oakland. The pallbearers were her five sons and John Anderson.

PLACED ON PROBATION—Walter Johnson, charged with embezzlement by the Allied Printing Trades' council, was placed on probation yesterday by Superior Judge Cabanis for a period of five years.

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