

MODERN PORTIA WILL DEFEND ACCUSED

Vassar Graduate Studies Jurisprudence and Specializes in Criminal Law

Putting away the 'lures of social gaiety that she may help enforce the laws of the land, defend the unfortunate brought before the bar of justice and dispense justice as Portia did of yore, Miss Ruth Valentine, graduate of Vassar of 1909, daughter of Mrs. John J. Valentine of Oakland, is winning scholarship honors at the school of jurisprudence of the University of California.

Safety First Prizes Are Awarded by S. P.

The feature of the "safety first" campaign of the Southern Pacific company is the annual competition among the 11 divisions of the system for banners awarded those sending in the largest number of practical suggestions for safety and the elimination of carelessness and hazardous conditions and practices.

Free School Book Prospect Brighter

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 4.—The outlook for meeting the great demand for free school books is brighter, as last month the state printing office broke all previous records by putting in the warehouse 172,817 books.

City to Take Over Railway on Thursday

By the terms of an agreement reached between the board of supervisors and the board of directors of the San Francisco and North Beach Railway company the city will take over the line next Thursday, the day after the expiration of the franchise.

Night Clerk Held Up and Till Robbed

Night Clerk A. C. Cotterell of the Athens hotel, 1516 Broadway, and George Johnson, an elevator boy of the same place, were held up by two youthful highwaymen shortly after midnight this morning and Cotterell was forced to hand over to the bandits all of the funds in the office.

Returns in Time To Rout Burglar

On returning home at 8 o'clock last night, Milton Glaze, 1961 Harrison street, Oakland, found all of his valuable silverware piled high on a spread out newspaper on the parlor table.

San Mateo Man Is Victim in Holdup

Three unmasked highwaymen held up and robbed Michael Nicholas at Fifth and Minna streets at an early hour this morning. Nicholas, who intended remaining in the city overnight from his home in San Mateo, was robbed of \$15 and a watch.

CRABS AND SALMON FOR INMATES OF HOSPITAL

Seattle crabs and Columbia river salmon are on the menu this week at the city relief home and the city and county hospital. The fish and game commission seized the consignment while it was en route from the north to this city, the shippers hoping that the crabs and fish would arrive here just in time to be placed on sale December 1, when such sale became legal.

SPECIAL SERVICE PLANNED

The San Francisco Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis is making every effort toward a general observance of tuberculosis Sunday, December 7. The Y. M. C. A. will have special services.

BETTER JOIN FREE CALL DANCE CLASS AND LEARN TANGO



Miss Alice Lloyd to Give Instructions on Stage of the Cort Theater After Matinee Performance Each Day

Come on everybody who wants to learn to dance the tango, the turkey trot or any of the other latest terpsichorean crazes.

The Call has arranged for Miss Alice Lloyd, who comes to the Cort theater next Sunday, to teach you.

Fill out the coupon, present it at the Call's business office and you will receive a card that will admit you to the Cort stage and entitle you to a lesson.

Miss Lloyd will open Sunday afternoon at the head of her own company. After the matinee each day, the curtain will be lowered and Miss Lloyd, assisted by her 30 expert dancers, will proceed to teach the Call's guests the steps that have made her famous.

This is your opportunity to learn the dance of your choice under a master of the art.

The young folk of the nation—and many of the older ones—have gone dancing mad. The lilt of the waltz, the fancy intricacies of the tango, the riotous fun of the turkey trot have assumed tremendous popularity.

A feature of the performance in which Miss Lloyd is starring is a dance revue of all nations called "Dance Mad." It offers a realistic glimpse of the famous Jardin de Danse atop the New York theater.

The engagement of Miss Lloyd will last until the night of December 14—3 days in all—so lose no time in getting your dancing lesson cards.

CUT THIS OUT Coupon for The Call-Alice Lloyd Dancing Class CORT THEATER

THIS Coupon, when presented at the BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE SAN FRANCISCO CALL, entitles the bearer to ONE CARD admitting to the TANGO and MODERN DANCING classes which MISS ALICE LLOYD will conduct every afternoon, after the matinee performance, at the CORT THEATER.

Indiana Exposition Commission Dined

Members of the Indian exposition commission are guests of the exposition directorate at a luncheon at the Fairmont today. The woman's exposition board is entertaining the wives of the commissioners at the same time.

Acid Stomachs Are Dangerous

"Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer.

EADE'S GOUT PILLS

GLASS OF SALTS CLEANS KIDNEYS

If Your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers You, Drink Lots of Water

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract.

Western Fuel Wants \$2,000 Fine Remitted

A petition for a rehearing has been filed by the Western Fuel company in the United States circuit court of appeals in the matter of the \$2,000 fine imposed upon the company for its original refusal to produce its books before the federal grand jury.

START RECALL AGAINST SAN BRUNO SUPERVISOR

Residents of San Bruno have started a recall movement against James T. Casey, supervisor of the first township, San Mateo, and Dr. J. C. McGovern of South San Francisco has been induced to be a candidate for the place.

Deposition in Lord Divorce Suppressed

Judge Murasky today granted the petition of attorneys for Dr. Charles E. D. Lord for the suppression of a deposition given by Mrs. Annie I. Lord at Kennebunk, Me., in the doctor's suit for divorce on the ground of desertion.

Auction of Pledges Nets Owners Surplus

The first public auction of unredemmed pledges was conducted yesterday by E. Taylor Curtis for the Remedial Loan association and the 200 articles sold netted \$4,300, or \$800 above the amount loaned on them.

WEATHER FORECAST

For San Francisco—Fair tonight and Friday; light frost tomorrow morning; light north winds.

Two Sacramento Men Flyin gto Oakland

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 4.—Patrol Aviator Robert Fowler took to his wings this morning with Patrolman R. S. Kitto for his second flight from Sacramento to Oakland and return.

WILL STAGE PLAY

"Robert and Bertram, or the Merry Tramps" will be staged Sunday at Mission Turn Verein hall, Eighteenth and Valencia streets, by the German Theater camp, under the direction of Hugo Bretler. The play will be followed by dancing.

In Jail Two Years; New Trial Ordered

REDDING, Dec. 4.—The remittitur from the supreme court reversing the judgment in the case of Daniel Fleming, Southern Pacific guard, convicted of manslaughter two years ago this month, was received here today.

DISCUSS FRUIT PEST

SAN JOSE, Dec. 4.—California fruit growers, in session here, are today discussing the Mediterranean fly, and the government will be asked by resolution to guard against its entrance by stopping the importation of fruit from Honolulu.

Alice Lloyd Says— "To live in a normal manner, to work hard and play often, to strive to excel in one's profession, no matter what that profession may be, is life. I keep happy and always look healthy because I exercise and give proper attention to face and complexion." Miss Lloyd is a wholesome, healthy girl, who realizes that success in her profession is not accorded the worn, wrinkled, tired face. On the stage or off, in business or society, success, recognition and homage are given to the healthy, hearty, glowing face which expresses so much. The best way to obtain a pleasing complexion is to keep the pores open and free from dust, and this the Sempre Giovine method will do for you. The remarkable results attained by using this treatment will surprise you.



Alice Lloyd England's Dainty Comedienne, to Appear Next Week AT THE CORT.

"Owl" Specials For Friday Buyers THESE PRICES FOR OAKLAND AND SAN FRANCISCO "Owl" prices and values are never more strikingly in evidence than on Friday. Listed below are many of the most favorably known toilet articles and proprietary medicines made. All are reduced far below our regular cut prices for Friday. The increasing response to our Friday advertising indicates that "Owl" patrons appreciate the opportunity offered.

If While Strolling in the park you should lose your pocketbook, watch, ring or stickpin, just remember there are others strolling, too, who will probably find it. They, like you, are readers of The Call, and Call WANT ADS will send the lost back to you when they see your LOST AD in The Call. Phone Kearny 86.

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