

GREAT WEEK IN SAN FRANCISCO

City to Celebrate Anniversary of the Discovery of Bay by Portola in '69.

WILL HOLD PAGEANTS DAILY

During Three Days of Observance There Will be Features of Interest on Both Land and Water—Warships on Hand to Assist—Big Electrical Display—Sham Battles and Balls.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 18.—San Francisco and her neighbors are to make merry this week in celebration of the 140th anniversary of the discovery of San Francisco Bay and the site of the present city by Gaspar de Portola in 1769. The carnival will last three days and will be the greatest affair of the kind ever attempted here. The celebration will be typical in every respect of the progress and development of the growth and problems solved during the one hundred and forty years that have elapsed since the hardy Spanish commander and his little party stood upon the mountains and gazed with admiration upon the site of the present Pacific coast metropolis. The carnival, coming as it does at a time when San Francisco has been completely rebuilt, is intended to draw the world's attention to this fact more directly and with greater force than has yet been done despite the fact that columns have been given to the subject in thousands of publications.

San Francisco flourished from the very beginning, but not until the rush of goldseekers sixty years ago did she begin to assume those qualities of hustle and bustle which have characterized her ever since. The complete recovery from the appalling disaster of 1906, when the greater part of the city was destroyed by fire, is regarded as one of the marvels of the century. The San Francisco of today is once more a city of homes, of towering business structures, of mammoth factories, of palatial hotels and fine churches. It is known as well as for its beautiful residences and boulevards and the large total of its bank clearings.

Three Days of Pageants. During the three days of the celebration there will be daily pageants on land and water. Warships representing the navies of Great Britain, Germany, Italy, The Netherlands and the United States are in the harbor and will assist in giving the carnival an international tinge. During the week there will be athletic and equestrian events of every description. Amateur boxing and wrestling champions, a professional Marathon race, automobile contests, swimming events and a monster track and field carnival in the park stadium are included in the program of sports.

The pageantry will begin with the arrival of the carnival king representing Gaspar de Portola. The king will be accompanied by a gorgeous retinue and an escort of soldiers representing Don Gaspar's band which accompanied him up to the coast from San Diego. Mayor Taylor will hand the keys to Don Gaspar. As Don Gaspar enters the city he will for the first time meet his royal consort the "Queen of Beauty," who will be surrounded on her throne by a large suite of fair maids.

Big Electrical Parade. Another of the most decorative features of the carnival will be the big electrical parade of wonderfully decorated floats, showing various scenes in the history of California.

During the four days of festivity there will be balls and receptions, public and private, in all parts of the city. At all times hundreds of men and women in Spanish carnival costume will keep the gaiety of the occasion at the highest pitch on the streets.

Sham battles over the hills of San Francisco by national guard companies have been planned and hundreds of militiamen will participate.

MYSTERY IN DEATH OF U. S. DIPLOMAT IN LONDON

London, Oct. 18.—The inquest into the death of William I. Buchanan, the American diplomat, whose body was found in Park Lane Saturday night, will be held Wednesday. The investigation thus far has failed to throw any light on the movements of the diplomat during the few hours preceding his death. There are no evidences of assault or robbery, and it is supposed death was due to heart trouble or an apoplexy.

MOTHERS MEET IN DALLAS.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 18.—Representatives of Mothers' clubs throughout Texas assembled in Dallas today to take steps to form a state organization and to take part in the celebration of Mothers' day at the State fair. The delegates are to be formally welcomed at the First Methodist church tonight. The business sessions will begin tomorrow and continue over Wednesday.

Frisco to Have Greatest Week of Celebration in its History



FINISHING THE FLOAT TO REPRESENT THE DRIVING OF THE LAST SPIKE IN THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD. MISS VIRGINIA BOGUE, QUEEN OF THE PORTOLA WEEK, AND DON NICHOLAS COVARRUBIAS, WHO REPRESENTS GASPAR DE PORTOLA.

BANK CASHIER ENDS HIS LIFE

Tragedy Follows Mineral Point Failure; Woman Dies at Sight of Body.

Mineral Point, Wis., Oct. 18.—F. E. Hanscom, cashier of the wrecked First National Bank of Mineral Point, shot and killed himself last night. The remains were removed to the home of his mother-in-law. At the sight of the lifeless body the woman, Mrs. Gray, dropped dead. Since the failure of the bank Hanscom has been working night and day and was very despondent.

POLICE OFFICIAL'S TRIAL

Are Accused of Aiding and Abetting Bookmaking at Races.

New York, Oct. 18.—In Brooklyn today Police Inspector John J. O'Brien, Lieutenant Hugh Reynolds and Sergeant Hugh Myers, together with several private detectives, were arraigned for hearing on charges of aiding and abetting bookmaking at the Sheepshead Bay and Gravesend race tracks. The charges brought against the police officials and others mark the culmination of two years of agitation against race track gambling in this state. The crusade began with the passage of the drastic anti-betting bill, generally called the Hart-Agnew law. For a time after the law went into force there was a tendency on the part of the racing associations to observe its provisions in the strictest sense, but later they permitted the introduction of the system of "oral betting." It was the increase of oral betting conducted by the so-called "memory bookmakers" that resulted in evidence being laid before the Kings County grand jury and led to the indictment of the police officials whose duty it was to enforce the law. In addition to the police officials indictments have been returned against the Coney Island and Brooklyn Jockey clubs among whom are many men of high standing in business and financial circles.

OSHKOSH LUMBERMAN DEAD.

Oshkosh, Wis., Oct. 18.—Leander Choate, aged 75, a former lumberman and banker, is dead as the result of injuries received in a runaway accident several weeks ago.

FOUR MEN BURN TO DEATH.

Wichita, Kas., Oct. 18.—Four men sleeping in hay were burned to death and one man fatally burned in a feed yard fire here today.

DR. FRITCH IS ARRAIGNED.

Detroit, Oct. 18.—Dr. George A. Fritch was arraigned today on the charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Maybelle Millan, whose dismembered body was found in Ecorse Creek. Fritch refused to plead. The examination was set for October 22.

MAKES A GREAT FLIGHT.

Paris, Oct. 18.—Count de Lambert in a Wright biplane, this afternoon flew from Juvisy aviation field to Paris, at times reaching a height of a thousand feet, and then returned to Juvisy.

CLEMINSON TRIAL PUT OFF.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—The trial of Dr. Haldane Cleminson, charged with the murder of his wife, was today postponed one week at the request of the defense.

OFFICIALS WILL LEAVE COUNTRY

Nicaraguans Prefer Exile to Imprisonment at Hands of General Estrada.

ESTRADA ISSUES AN ADDRESS

Leader of Revolutionary, Who is Rapidly Gaining the Upper Hand, Declares His Sole Ambition is to Rehabilitate Liberty on Native Soil—Will Push Forward.

New Orleans, Oct. 18.—Several prominent officials of the Zelaya government in Nicaragua have accepted banishment at the hands of General Estrada in preference to prison, according to dispatches received here. Among the number is former Governor Lopez of Bluefield district, a relative of President Zelaya.

Following his proclamation heralding himself as provisional president, Estrada issued an address in which he said in part:

"My sole ambition is to be of service to my country and I hope to accomplish with the aid of my patriotic and honest fellow citizens the rehabilitation of liberty on this soil, to be forever the shrine of Nicaraguan patriotism. Our brethren of the interior, armed and ready, are awaiting us. With lips set in grim determination let us hasten there that we may obtain our liberty."

INQUIRY TO BE MADE INTO THE MONEY ORDER SYSTEM

Conference Called by Postmaster General Hitchcock to Make Thorough Investigation into the Money Order Business—Postoffice Officials Will Attend the Meeting.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 18.—Money order superintendents from the post-offices of the larger cities throughout the country are arriving in the capital to attend a conference called by Postmaster General Hitchcock. The purpose of the conference is to make a thorough investigation of the money order system, with a view to reducing its expenses and increasing its efficiency. The conference will be attended by representatives from the post-offices of New York, Milwaukee, Denver, Seattle, Louisville, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Detroit and a number of other cities.

MANY DIE FROM PLAGUE.

Amoy, China, Oct. 18.—It is officially reported there were 77 deaths from the Bubonic plague, and 61 fatal cases of cholera in Amoy during the two weeks ended Saturday last.

WISCONSIN WANTS ITS CASH.

Madison, Wis., Oct. 18.—State Treasurer Dahl today made a formal demand on the First National Bank of Mineral Point for the money which the state had in that institution, amounting to over nine thousand dollars.

JAP-AMERICAN BANK CLOSED.

Los Angeles, Oct. 18.—The Japanese-American bank, deposits \$200,000, was closed today by order of the state bank superintendent. Practically all of the depositors are Japanese.

The statement that Isle Royale is in debt between \$50,000 and \$100,000 was circulated Saturday near the close of the market. The truth is Isle Royale owes the United Metals Selling company about \$40,000, which money was advanced against copper, in its hands for sale. As the copper is sold this amount is paid off. It is a common custom for mines to receive such advances and they are not anything more than a technical indebtedness as they are always secured by copper in the hands of the selling agencies.

SPANIARDS REPEL ENEMY.

Melilla, Morocco, Oct. 18.—Spanish forces, while reconnoitering yesterday near Nador, engaged and defeated the enemy. The Spaniards then retired, having lost their commander and two captains killed; and fourteen wounded. The Moorish loss was heavy.

Representatives of patriotic and historical societies will assemble Monday at Yorktown, Va., to attend the unveiling of a monument erected to commemorate the surrender of Gen. Lord Cornwallis, commander of the British forces during the revolutionary war, to Gen. George Washington.

The 700-foot level of the crosscut at the Wyandot has penetrated a very rich copper bearing amygdaloid vein. The extent at present is unknown. The lode is the one located by the diamond drill last fall.

MEAT PACKERS IN SESSION.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—The fourth annual meeting of the American Meat Packers' association began at the Hotel La Salle in this city today with an attendance of several hundred members from Cincinnati, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph and other leading centers of the packing industry.



WHERE THE INTERNATIONAL BALL WILL TAKE PLACE DURING SAN FRANCISCO CELEBRATION.

ANNIVERSARY OF YORKTOWN

Exercises Are Held Today and Tomorrow Fine Monument Will be Unveiled.

Yorktown, Va., Oct. 18.—Representatives of various patriotic and historical societies, including nearly the entire of the battle of Yorktown, which marked the virtual ending of the war for American independence. Exercises were held at the old Nelson house, where the final papers of the surrender of Lord Cornwallis to Gen. George Washington were signed. Tomorrow a monument erected to commemorate the surrender will be unveiled.

NEW HAVEN COAL MINES.

Promising Property in Which Local People Are Interested.

Concerning the New Haven Coal Mining Co., the officers of which are copper country men, the Mining World says: The coal mines of this company are located near the center of the great manufacturing district of Michigan, and Michigan is now one of the leading manufacturing states. Not only are there hundreds of factories within close proximity to the New Haven mines, but in that district there are a great number of other large users of coal.

The New Haven was operated upon a small scale until Lake people took hold of it, but they have now made a complete transformation of the mine and its equipment. Formerly the coal after it was mined, was hauled to Owosso by teams, but the present owners have built a railroad six miles long connecting the mines with the city of Owosso, where connection is made with the Michigan Central, Grand Trunk and Ann Arbor railroads. The company is also preparing the underground workings for employment of a large number of miners. New entries have been driven and rooms turned and improvements made that will enable the most economical mining. A large new hoisting shaft has been put down and fully equipped with rapid self dumping cages. In the boiler and powerhouse everything is new and of ample capacity. A large steam power ventilating fan is operated at this shaft, keeping the mine fully ventilated. For the purpose of screening, sizing and loading the coal on railroad cars a fully equipped modern coal tipple has been erected. A complete outfit of scales has been installed and the safety sprinkling apparatus protects the engine building from fire.

J. W. Edwards, formerly with the Con. Coal Co. of Saginaw, one of the ablest coal mining superintendents in the state, is in charge of the mining operations.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY.

Several Hundred Delegates in Attendance at Texas Convention. Houston, Tex., Oct. 18.—Several hundred delegates, including representatives from every state that formed the Confederacy and many from other states, north, east and west, arrived in Houston today to attend the annual general convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. The convention will have its formal opening tomorrow and the sessions will continue until the end of the week. The local chapters have made great preparations for the entertainment of the visitors.

OFFICIAL IS LET OUT.

Washington, Oct. 18.—Secretary Nagel today, on recommendation of the commissioner of immigration, removed from office Daniel D. Davies, immigration inspector in charge at Chicago. The action of the secretary was based upon information which had come to him that Davies had made overcharges in connection with meals and attendance furnished detained immigrants.

DAUGHTER OF REVOLUTION.

Galesburg, Ill., Oct. 18.—Mrs. Marie Blake Ringleka, a daughter of the revolution, is dead, aged 91. Her father, Francis Blake, fought with the Continental army.

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ROOSEVELT HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Ex-President, While Hunting, is Charged by Bull Elephant at Close Range.

IS SAVED BY A COMPANION

Had Killed an Elephant and Before He Had Time to Re-Load Was Charged by Bull Which Dashed Out of Herd—Got Behind Tree—Another Hunter Shoots in Nick of Time.

Nairobi, British East Africa, Oct. 18.—Croswell, a government engineer in the public works department at Nairobi, came into Nairobi this afternoon and brought word that Roosevelt had a narrow escape when shooting his first elephant bull. When shooting an elephant it is often necessary to creep into the herd and shoot a selected bull at a range of 15 to 30 yards. Roosevelt, accompanied by Cunningham, a big game hunter, and guide, followed his procedure and killed an elephant at the second shot. Suddenly before Roosevelt could reload, another elephant bull charged him at close range from the herd. Both Roosevelt and Cunningham got behind trees and Cunningham fired and turned the bull from Roosevelt just in time.

RATES MUST BE REDUCED.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The reduction of freight rates from eastern points to Des Moines, Iowa, was ordered by the interstate commerce commission to go into effect next Wednesday, despite the protests of the railways involved. On the 14th inst. the Rock Island railroad filed suit in Chicago, seeking to enjoin the commission from putting into effect its order on what is known as the "Greater Des Moines Case." By that order the commission reduced the proportional rate from Rock Island, Illinois, to Des Moines, on all traffic originating east of the Indiana-Illinois state line, from 42 cents a hundred pounds to 37 cents on first-class freight, the rates being proportionately less on other classes of freight.

NEW PRESIDENT INSTALLED.

Dr. Donald J. Gowling Now Head of the Carleton College.

Northfield, Minn., Oct. 18.—Carleton college today installed Dr. Donald J. Gowling as president of that institution. The ceremonies were witnessed by a large number of the most distinguished educators of this section of the country. The exercises of the day were begun with the inaugural procession, composed of the students and faculty of the college, together with invited guests. The installation exercises took place in the First Congregational church. William Laird of Winona, president of the board of trustees, officiated.

PENNSYLVANIA I. O. O. F.

Annual Grand Lodge Meeting is Opened at Lock Haven Today.

Lock Haven, Pa., Oct. 18.—Substantial appearing men wearing the familiar three-link insignia in the lapels of their coats were much in evidence here today. The occasion was the opening of the annual grand lodge meeting of Pennsylvania Odd Fellows, the sessions of which are to continue four days. In addition to the business sessions, a big parade of uniformed Patriarchs Militant and many bands will be held tomorrow. Competitive drills for prizes will also take place.

I. O. O. F. at Davenport.

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 18.—From all parts of Iowa, members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows assembled in this city today for the annual session of the grand lodge and the department council of the Patriarchs Militant. The sessions began this morning and will continue until Thursday. Several thousand members are expected to participate in the big parade Wednesday.

ALFONSO HAS A VIOLENT QUARREL WITH PREMIER

Paris, Oct. 18.—Madrid report says King Alfonso had a violent quarrel with Premier Maura because of the latter's failure to give his majesty an opportunity to exercise his royal prerogative of pardon in the case of Herber.

Anti-Government Meetings.

Madrid, Oct. 18.—Large crowds of workmen held anti-government meetings at Bilbao and Corunna yesterday. Violent speeches were made. Troops were held in readiness to check possible disorders. The impartial announces the government is concentrating troops at Madrid to take place of those sent to Morocco.

PRINTERS MEET IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—A national conference of employing printers met in this city today to formulate a cost system which would eliminate cut-throat competition. The movement was inaugurated some months ago by the New York Typothetae.

WEATHER FORECAST
Partly cloudy tonight. Tuesday fair. Killing frost tonight. Light north-west winds tonight, becoming variable Tuesday.