EVENTS IN THE SOCIAL WORLD.

The Wedding of Mr. Percy P. Moore and Miss Inez Macondray.

THE BEULAH CLUB SOCIAL.

Marriage of Mr. J. H. Madison and Miss Charlotte Rice at El Verano—The Foresters' Entertainment—Nuptials of Mr. D. Lucey and Miss Nellie Coakley — An Oakland Charity Gathering.

On Thursday at noon there was a quiet and interesting wedding at Menlo Park. The contracting parties were Miss Inez Macondray, granddaughter of the late Captain F. W. Macondray, the founder of the house of Macondray & Co. in this city, and Mr. Percy P. Moore, a well-known gentleman in society and business circles, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin D. Moore of Pacific avenue. The bride's maternal grandfather was the late Faxon Atherton, who was well known both in this State and South America.

The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. D. G. Atherton, at Menlo Park, in the presence of the immediate relatives and a few friends of the two families. The house was appropriately adorned with floral treasures, together with a wealth of exotics from the home conservatories.

A string orchestra rendered the "Lohengrin" bridal music as the wedding party entered in the following interesting order: First came little Miss Carmelita Selby, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percival W. Selby, followed by the groom and his brother, Mr. Charles A. Moore, as best man; then advanced the bridesmaids, Miss Miriam Moore, Miss Claire Ralston, Miss Julia Tompkins, Miss Otis and Miss Eyre; the maid of honor, Miss Christine Barreda, walked next, and last of all came the bride upon the arm of her brother, Mr. Frederick Macondray. The service was impressively read by Rev. Father Reardon, and upon the pronouncing of the benediction the happy pair turned to receive the warm congratulations of their friends.

A delicious wedding breakfast with many happy toasts was afterward enjoyed in the pleasant wide verandas surrounding the house. In the course of the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Moore came up to this city and left immediately for a bridal trip in the Eastern States. Upon returning to this State they will proceed to Kern County, where Mr. Moore has business interests.

Among those present at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Selby, Mr. and Mrs. Faxon Atherton, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Eyre, Colonel and Mrs. E. R. Eyre, Mrs. Alice Eyre, Miss Simpkins, Miss Claire Ralston, Mrs. A. J. Ralston, Mrs. John Skae, Miss Alice Skae, Miss Fanny Doyle, Mr. John Blanchard, Mr. Will Macondray, Mr. Percy P. Eyre, Mr. S. Lent, Miss Eleanor Dimond.

Notes.

The engagement of Mr. R. Isenbruck to Miss Annie Shrakkart, both of this city, is announced. The wedding will take place in the near future.

The usual weekly hop will be given by the guests of the Hotel del Monte this evening. During the next two months there will be dancing on each evening.

The engagement of Mr. William Smith and Miss Mamie Mehan of East Oakland is announced.

An entertainment and hop will be given this evening by the members of California Guild, No. 1, Fraternal Guild, in honor of the retiring Guild Master, Walter S. Brunt, at Mystic Hall in Union square Building.

Mrs. J. W. Hellman was tendered a reception by the Ladies' Benevolent Society of Los Angeles last Wednesday. It is said to have been a brilliant affair.

The Bunker Hill Association will commemorate the one hundred and fifteenth anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill by a picnic and celebration to Glenwood on Tuesday, the 17th inst. The St. Alban and St. Peter Sunday-schools will join in the picnic.

The United Friends of California will hold their fourth anniversary ball next Saturday evening at B'nai B'rith Hall.

Phœnix Council, No. 730, American Legion of Honor, will hold its second quarterly hop at Washington Hall, 35 Eddy street, on Wednesday evening, the 18th inst.

The Madison-Rice Wedding.

The wedding of Mr. J. Harry Madison and Miss Charlotte Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Morris, took place last Thursday at Home Farm, a mile north of El Verano. It was an open air wedding, the ceremony being performed under the overarching branches of a grove of mulberry trees.

The altar had been built under the wide-spreading bough of a stalwart mulberry tree that reached down with its lower limbs and touched the ground, forming a large natural bower. Over the center of the altar was suspended a massive bell, beautifully wrought of roses, wild grasses and ferns, and behind it was a background of evergreens, relieved by the waxen petals of calla lilies and immaculate roses.

Twelve o'clock was the hour set for the wedding and at that time Rev. H. H. Wyckoff of the Green street church, San Francisco, took his stand at the altar. The groom, accompanied by his brother, Mr. Frank Madison, entered the bower from the right and they were soon joined by the bride's party, which came down the path from the house to the left.

The party was led by Miss Avis Morris, the bridesmaid. She was followed by two maids of honor, Miss Lavinia Morris and Miss Lucy Ring, who scattered flowers before the bride as she followed, leaning upon the arm of her father. The bride's mother and brother Ralph brought up the rear. As the light of the altar saw the grandparents of the bride, both of whom are octogenarians. The bride was quaintly dressed in the wedding costume worn by her grandmother on the occasion of her marriage.

The bride and groom departed on the train for Blue Lakes, Lake County, where they will sojourn for a month. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Madison will take up their residence on the Madison ranch, near El Verano.

The Beulah Club Entertainment.

The regular monthly entertainment and dance of the Beulah Club took place last evening at Mission Music Hall, on the corner of Twenty-first and Howard streets. The management reports that the members and their friends are delighted with their change of venue, and that a new zest appears to have been added to the festivities of the club. The old place of meeting had become too small.

Certainly the hall, with its different colored lights and wide stage, looked very attractive last evening when the large and select audience had assembled. The following programme was pleasingly presented: Overture, Blum's Orchestra; barytone solo, "Oh, Fear No Foe" (Pinsuti), Mr. Gage; contralto solo, Mrs. J. W. Madden; song, "When the Heart Is Young" (Dudly Buck), Miss Webster; vocal trio, "La Sera" (Lucantoni), Mrs. J. W. Madden, Miss Saidee Howard and Miss Vera Cameron.

Dancing was afterward enjoyed under the direction of Mr. W. T. Barnes to the appreciated music of Blum's Orchestra, ice-cream and cake being served on the stage during the pleasant wind-up of the evening's entertainment. The affair was given under the following auspices: Mrs. G. H. Morrison, President; Mrs. J. B. F. Davis, Vice-President; Mrs. W. H. Loring, Treasurer; Mrs. H. N. Stevens, Secretary; Mr. H. F. Marsh, Literary Director.

The Gundlach-Wulzen Wedding.

The wedding of Mr. Max Gundlach and Miss Augusta Wulzen was performed in the Congregational Church, in Oakland, last Saturday. The bridesmaids were Miss Martha Doerr and Miss Edith Hagerman. The groom's best men were Messrs. Edward Owens and Otto Wulzen. Messrs. William Hagerman and George Wulzen were the ushers, while little Miss Esther Wagner and Miss Freda Wulzen attended to the pretty custom of scattering flowers throughout the church. After the ceremony the happy bride and groom, with a number of their friends and relatives, were conveyed to the home of the bride's parents, Captain and Mrs. John Wulzen, at the corner of Kings avenue and Christian street, where they received the congratulations of their numerous friends. Mr. and Mrs. Gundlach will make their home in the residence recently purchased on St. Charles street, near Railroad avenue.

The Bellini Musicale.

The pupils of the Bellini Institute gave their first concert on Saturday evening last. The junior pupils had their closing yearly musicale on the same day at 2 o'clock. Both juniors and seniors were greeted by a large and appreciative audience. The following programme was pleasingly rendered: Quartet, "Moonlight Will Come Again" (Thompson), class; "Moonlight on the Hudson" (Wilson), Miss Larsen; vocal solo, "Take Me Back to Home and Mother," Mr. G. Ryan; "Sonatine" (Beethoven), Miss L. Riordan; vocal solo from "Martha," Mrs. Bumstead; duet (Schubert), op. 43, Miss N. Duffy and Mrs. Mulvihill; "Consolation" (Mendelssohn), Mrs. Hvisdos; "Dear Heart," vocal solo, Miss Eccleston; waltz (Strauss), Miss P. Gosliner; "Homeward Bound," Mr. Schraeder; "Lilies of the Valley," Miss M. Kerrigan; "Moonlight Dance" (C. A. White), class; "Dying Poet" (Gottschalk), Miss M. Bumstead; "Oklamena" (White), Miss Cassie O'Donnell; "Nocturne B Major" (Chopin), Miss F. Bernard; "Coral Caves" (Ryan), Miss N. Duffy; barytone solo, "Anchored" (Watson), Mr. Larsen; "Tripping Through the Meadows" (Wilson), Miss A. Kenny; "Birds of Forest," Miss M. Keelen; "Good Night" (Steele), quartet by class.

The Lucey-Coakley Wedding.

The wedding of Mr. Dennis Lucey and Miss Nellie Coakley, the oldest and accomplished daughter of Mr. C. Coakley, took place on Tuesday last at St. Teresa's Church at the Potrero. The ceremony and mass which followed were performed by Rev. Father O'Connell.

As the happy pair entered the sacred edifice the organ pealed forth its notes of welcome.

The beautiful ceremony over the happy couple repaired to the home of the bride's parents, where a bountiful repast was prepared for the numerous friends and guests, among whom was the reverend clergyman who officiated.

After breakfast there was music, dancing and singing until the newly married couple left by the afternoon train for Santa Cruz.

The Foresters' Party.

A pleasant party and distribution of prizes, under the auspices of the Ancient Order of Foresters and the Companions of the Forest, took place last evening at B'nai B'rith Hall. The list of prize-winners here honored has already been published in the columns of THE CALL.

A large attendance of friends of the "universal" order enjoyed the select and carefully prepared programme of dances. The music was furnished by the Second Regiment Band. Dancing continued after the prize distribution at 9:30 o'clock until nearly 1. It seemed to be a thoroughly enjoyable affair.

The various committees of the evening were composed as follows: Reception Committee—Mrs. M. Asher, Mrs. W. E. Kimball, George Marshall, Mrs. St. John, Miss A. Hildebrandt, Charles F. Bergman, T. J. Miller, W. A. Paulsen, M. Boehm, Mrs. E. Fisher, Mrs. J. M. Coffey, G. Friedman; floor manager, George B. Peterson; R. D. Cunningham, first assistant; W. N. McCaw, second assistant; Floor Committee—J. F. Lindstrom, Mrs. Beverson, Mrs. F. Kimball, P. George, Mrs. A. M. Phillips, N. Gresty, A. Cole, Mrs. Kreager, Mrs. A. Jones, E. Zachau.

Pacific Coast Weddings.

Last Sunday, at the residence of the parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Boatman, on Madison street, Red Bluff, Mr. J. W. Boatman and Miss Elba Smith of Deer Flats, Shasta County, were married by the Rev. J. George Gibson.

At the residence of Mr. J. R. True, on Ocean avenue, Santa Cruz, Wednesday, Mr. Aubrey W. Hodge, son of Mr. L. C. Hodge, was united in marriage to Miss Josie E. Thomas, the Rev. Edgar Leavitt performing the ceremony. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present.

The marriage of Mr. Robert Lee Cameron and Miss Kate Florence Lucas took place at noon on Tuesday at the Lucas ranch on the Humboldt road, near Forest Ranch. Rev. Jesse Wood was the officiating minister.

A quiet wedding took place on Monday evening at the residence of Mr. J. E. Bishop, in Tulare, the contracting parties being Mr. Arthur H. Dimock, formerly of Tulare, now of Seattle, and Miss Anna B. Bishop of Tulare. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. W. Webb.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fitch, 415 Fifteenth street, Sacramento, on Wednesday, Miss Beatrice Fitch and Mr. Thomas Dwyer were married, Rev. Dr. McKevlin officiating. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Irma Fitch, as bridesmaid, and the groom was attended by Mr. Aaron Wilson. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Dwyer left for a bridal trip to the southern coast.

An Oakland Charity Entertainment.

The young ladies of the Circle of Flowers Society gave an entertainment last Thursday evening in the Twelfth-street Christian Church, Oakland. The organization is charitable. Each member assumes the name, and, when called upon to do so, the character of her favorite flower. Such was the case last evening.

The following took part in the entertainment with their characters: Miss Eva Farber, Violet; Miss Mabel Weaver, Rose; Miss Edna Luse, Lily; Miss Bertha Luse, Forget-me-not; Miss Laura Treutnuth, Heliotrope; Miss Bertha Quitzow, Lilac; Miss Alice Sturges, Marigold; Miss Adele Pressley, Mignonette; Miss Mary Horan, Pansy; Miss Sadie Baker, Pink. Mrs. I. A. Conklin represented the century plant in an amusing manner.

The programme consisted of dialogues, songs and choruses by members of the circle; instrumental solos by Misses Bertha Luse and Mabel Weaver; vocal solos by Misses Edna Luse and Mary Horan; recitations by Miss Adele Pressley, Miss Mabel Weaver and Miss Mary Horan, and an essay by Mrs. Conkling. Miss Emily Bowyer presided at the piano. Refreshments were served after the literary programme.

Personals.

Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Logan, after visiting the principal cities in the East, leave on the steamer Umbria for Europe to-day.

Mr. George C. Gorham Jr. and family will make their home in Alameda during the summer, having secured a residence on Grand street.

Dr. Merritt, Mrs. Garcelon and Miss McClellan left on Thursday afternoon on Dr. Merritt's yacht Casco for a cruise about the bay and up the Sacramento River. They will be gone about a week.

Mrs. F. Dohrmann and Mrs. J. Paulsen have left Dresden for Paris.

Mrs. Robert Ferral and son are now visiting relatives in Monterey County. About the end of the month Judge Ferral will join them, and all will proceed to the Yosemite and Big Trees.

Mrs. M. A. Rosekrans, Miss Eugenia Rosekrans, Masters Chester and George Rosekrans are spending the summer at the Ætna Springs.

Miss Barbara Ware has gone East to visit relatives.

Mrs. Colonel H. R. Williar and children are at their country place, Williar villa, Ben Lomond, Santa Cruz Mountains.

Mrs. P. Maloney of 1620 Lincoln street, Oakland, has gone to New Mexico to visit Mrs. J. D. O'Brennan.

Mrs. Adolph Levy and children are spending the summer months at the Island House, Bay Farm Island, Alameda.

Mrs. A. J. Pope and Miss Mary Pope have gone to St. Helena, to remain at their country residence until July, when they go to the Hotel del Monte for the summer.

Mr. Charles W. Deardorff left New York on the steamer Auranla for Liverpool last Saturday. He will visit England, Scotland and Paris.

Mrs. Alfred S. Iredale and Mrs. M. A. Wanamaker of San Francisco are in New York City, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Shick.

Misses Katie and Emma McFadden and Miss Minnie Heffernan left last Tuesday for an extended tour of the Eastern States.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hopkins are at the Hotel del Monte with the following party of New Yorkers: Miss F. S. Lockwood, Miss Bertha Benedict, Miss A. A. Bliss and Mr. and James H. Benedict.

Mrs. N. E. Stewart of 966 West street, with her three children, has gone to her father's mills at Whitesboro, Mendocino County, to spend the summer.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Younger will leave to-day for the East and Europe. The Misses Maud and Bessie Younger go to Blythedale the same day for the summer.

Rev. H. Schwartz left Tuesday for Guatemala. He will return about July 12th.

Miss Helen Coe, for the past eleven years organist in the First Congregational Church, Oakland, is spending her summer vacation with a party of friends in Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Gray, Miss Mabel T. Gray and Miss Bessie F. Gray left Oakland for Sissons Thursday to spend the vacation season.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Fish have moved back from San Rafael.

Miss Maggie and Miss Jennie McGovern left last Wednesday for Zeigler's Springs to spend the summer.

Mrs. D. S. Sherman has returned to Oakland from Ukiah, N. Y., where she went to visit her mother, who is in feeble health.

Ex-Governor Newton Booth has reached New York from his extended travels in Europe, Egypt and the Holy Land.

Mrs. S. Sachs and Miss Bertha Sachs are spending a few weeks at the Hotel del Monte.

The Misses Hush, daughters of Mr. V. G. Hush of Fruitvale, will return next week from Brooklyn, N. Y., where they have been at school.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac M. Johnson left Oakland on Thursday, on the Northern Pacific, on a visit to friends in Ohio. They will be absent about three months.

Mrs. Theresa Zekind, Miss Esther Jacobs, Miss Lizzie Jacobs and Miss Dora Cohn left for a week's visit on the Adler ranch, at Windsor, Sonoma County.

Miss Cecile Hoffman, daughter of Mr. Henry Hoffman, left on Thursday for St. Louis, where she will enter the novitiate of the Order of the Ladies of the Sacred Heart.

Mr. Frank P. Jacobs and sister, Miss Jacobs, will soon leave for Angwin's, Howell Mountain, for the summer.

Messrs. A. B. Ford, W. E. Allen, Frederick Tyrrell, W. Callahan and George Crocker are at the Hotel del Monte.

Miss Mollie Scanlker is making a visit of some weeks upon Mrs. Alexander McBean of 217 Dupont street, Oakland.

Mr. John S. Drumm and family will leave next week for Skaggs Springs, where they will spend a couple of months.

Miss Rebecca Levy of 2609 Fillmore street went up last week on a visit to her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Judah S. Hart, at Ukiah.

Mrs. W. L. Elliott and the Misses Elliott have taken the Bolinerworth Cottage, on Laurel place, San Rafael, for the summer.

Mr. George Bonny has returned from a short visit to Monterey.

Mrs. George H. Wheaton will remain a few weeks at the White Sulphur Springs, St. Helena.

Miss Aggie Zacharias is stopping at San Rafael for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hoffman and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sessions of Oakland will camp at Sunol for six weeks.

Mrs. Hager has secured apartments at the Redondo Beach Hotel, Los Angeles County, for the summer season.

Miss Kate Hinkle returns to-day to her home in Petaluma.

Miss Sophie Kaufmann has gone to the Blue Lakes with a party of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Green went down to Monterey this week to remain some time.

Mr. Frank J. Kraiith and family, of Oakland, have gone to Sonoma County to spend their vacation.

Miss Florence Reed leaves next week for the Napa Soda Springs for a short visit, previous to going to the Hotel del Monte for the season.

Mrs. G. A. Lowe of 1317 Harrison street, Oakland, has gone to Pescadero to spend the summer.

Miss Rebecca Rich of Alameda has gone to San Jose on a visit.

Miss Kittie V. Rose and Mrs. George Luther have gone on a visit to Mrs. Frank B. Moore (nee Rose) at Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Merrill and Mr. Henry C. Merrill are visiting at Monterey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Trowbridge have returned to Oakland from Bartlett and Highland Springs.

Miss Cora Perkins and Miss Annie E. Nylan have returned to the city after a visit to Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Plunket have started from Oakland for the Yosemite in their own wagon.

Mr. John McComb has left for the East en route for Europe, where he contemplates traveling until autumn.

Mrs. W. H. Smith and Miss Belle Smith leave next week for the Coronado Beach Hotel, to be gone several weeks. Upon their return they will visit the Hotel del Monte.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph A. Son and family are at the Hotel Rafael.

Mr. J. B. Chapman went down to the Hotel del Monte last Tuesday.

Miss Sophie Ashmore left Oakland yesterday morning for a visit to friends in Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Rideout of Marysville are guests at the Palace Hotel.

Mrs. John D. Spreckels and family are at the Coronado. Mrs. Spreckels is accompanied by Miss Bigley, Miss Siebein and Mrs. Baumgarten.

Mr. and Miss E. Kirkham have returned to Oakland from a trip to Mount Hamilton.

Mr. F. Birdsall, accompanied by Miss Birdsall, is visiting here from Sacramento.

Mr. Alexander Heyman of Bakersfield is on a visit to his relatives here.

Dr. H. H. Lane went down to Monterey last week for a short trip.

Mrs. S. T. Gage and children, of Oakland, are at St. Helena for the summer.

Miss Alice Mooser, daughter of Mr. William Mooser, the architect, is the guest of the Misses Cole at the Mountain House, Sierra County.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cuvellier and family will move over from Oakland to this city for the summer, having taken apartments at the Pleasanton.

Mr. D. Brown of the firm of Brown & McKinnon left on Thursday for Nevada City with his daughter, Miss Ella Brown, to be absent a few days. His daughter will remain for about six weeks.

Mrs. Tormey and Miss Tormey of Pinole will go to the Yosemite Valley next week and later will visit Lake Tahoe.

Miss Ray Levy is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frankel, in Los Angeles.

Messrs. A. S. Baldwin, C. W. McAfee and H. M. Hall visited Hotel del Monte last week.

Miss Ina L. Peterson of Oakland has gone to St. Louis on a visit to relatives. She will be absent a month or six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Wensinger have been spending a few days here from their country residence, Rosedale, Sonoma County.

WHAT'S IN MARKET.

Meat Sales Dull—Veal and How to Cook It.

Fish Moderate in Price—Chickens Now in Demand—Muirs' Eggs for Omelettes.

Apricots, Peaches, Etc.

"What's the news in your department to-day?" was the question that a CALL reporter put to the jolly butcher, who has just been using his cleaver with good execution.

"Nothing particular," was the reply, "but I can tell you one thing that I dread, the approach of hot weather. That is the time that we butchers lose a great deal of money. In fact I may say that our dull season has already begun. In the first place, ever so many of my best and most regular customers have gone away for the summer. As you may imagine that makes a big difference in my daily sales, for although nearly all these families have left some one in charge of the house, the orders cannot be so large for one or two people as if all the family were at home. And let me tell you another thing, too, when the families are away, it is no uncommon thing for the head of the house to betake himself to his club and get all his meals there, particularly his dinner, for that gives him a chance to spend his evenings there, too. Some of my best customers would never have this little diversion, this change of cooking, were it not for the absence of their families in the country. All this is easy enough to see how it must affect my business.

"Another thing that is bad for the retail men is what I have told you before—in hot weather the meat won't keep. We lose a good deal in this; and, again, at the slaughter-house they kill only according to what is ordered, and therefore we

HAVE TO PAY JUST WHAT THEY ASK.

There is no buying at our own price because they have the stuff and must get rid of it. No, indeed, they are too sharp for that sort of thing nowadays."

"But don't you have a chance to make up for the shifting of trade? I mean can't you make something by selling to the summer resorts?"

"Hardly. Once in a while we get a little business of that sort, but as a general thing they have their own butchers, who bring their carts to the door. By the way, have you ever noticed what poor meat they always have in the country? It is because meat is so hard to keep. It is very seldom that one can get any mutton at all any distance from the city. You know that mutton will spoil very quickly. Beef, by all means, is the best for a long stretch. Generally, in country places, the proprietor buys a quarter of beef, and the boarders have to begin at the very beginning, at the neck in fact, and eat their way through. By the time that they have finished the last scrap the beef, from being horribly tough, has become quite tender, and just as they are beginning to enjoy their steaks they have to begin all over again. Many of my customers have complained about this to me, and declared that their jaws have ached after an unsuccessful attempt to get enough to eat."

"Do people show any particular fondness for any one kind of meat?" was the reporter's next question.

"Well, I can't say that they do," was the reply. "As a general thing they seem to average pretty much about the same. Perhaps you do not know that in America people have meat a great deal oftener than they do in Europe. The vegetarian theory may be all right as a theory, but I have noticed that facts seem to carry out the idea that we were intended to eat animal food. I have a friend who is

A LEADING GERMAN PHYSICIAN.

He has studied in all the principal capitals of Europe and he told me that he was convinced that the reason that so many of the lower classes were so terribly deformed was because they did not have enough meat. Why, think of it, a year sometimes those poor creatures, both father and mother, go without animal food and working hard all the time. What kind of a constitution can they give to their children? None at all, and so what wonder that deformities are to be seen on every side in the most shocking of shapes. You know it is a cant saying with my trade now, 'better pay a butcher than a doctor,' and there's a great deal more in it than you might at first imagine.

"But, somehow, Americans do not take very kindly to anything but roasts, steaks and chops. Hamburg steaks, beef a la mode, and such prepared dishes are patronized more by my foreign customers. Perhaps it is that you Americans are in too much of a hurry to stop to prepare anything that can be used as it is, without any further trouble. I think is any exception to this rule, I may say that it is to be found in connection with veal. Oh, how fond most Americans are of veal, and what nice things they know how to make with it, even to chicken salad that would defy even the prince of gourmets to detect from the flesh of the fowl!

"Some people, particularly the English, have a prejudice against it. One reason is that it is a delicate meat which will not stand being kept long, particularly in warm weather, but must be used perfectly fresh. So you see a good deal depends upon the intelligence of the cook.

"Another thing, the greatest care must be exercised in watching for the tracks of the big blow flies that infest meat safes in summer. This pest seems to have a special fondness for cold veal, and seeking a little nook in the roast, in it crawls, deposits its eggs and flies away

TO COMMIT A SIMILAR NUISANCE.

At the next chance it gets. Now, I know it's not a very pleasant subject to talk about, but it is one to which every housekeeper should give attention, or she may have cause to regret her negligence some time whenpertain discoveries would be very mortifying. Prime veal is now selling from 10 to 15 cents a pound, tender and juicy a meat as it is, it is often ruined by poor cooking. In cooking cutlets, they should always be covered, the steam arising from them keeping them tender, while if cooked rapidly in an uncovered pan they will dry, and the fiber become hard and woody. I cannot imagine a more delicate dish than veal-cutlets fried in an egg batter, or rolled in bread-crumbs and fried in hot fat. They are simply delicious, especially if with the bread-crumbs the cutlets are served with lime-juice. Of course you know that proper seasoning while meat is cooking will do a great deal to bring out the full flavor of the meat, but this is a fact generally ignored by the average cook. Speaking of bread-crumbs, they are so serviceable in so many ways that I wonder that good cooks do not always keep some on hand. It is easy enough to do. Gather all the stale crusts about once a week, set them in the oven in a large, open meat-pan, and let them bake to a crisp, brown brittleness. Then a little exercise with the rolling-pin will furnish a goodly supply of bread crumbs always ready for a meat batter or for fried fish. They should be kept in a tightly corked jar. A big-mouthed preserve jar is the best and most convenient. And shall I give you a point as how to make bread crumbs stick? Beat a raw egg and before rolling the meat in the crumbs lay it in the egg, then the crumbs will adhere to the meat and not fall off, frying themselves into a burned black mass. Oh there are lots of things a good cook must know and practice so as to help us butchers keep up our reputation for serving good meat.

VEAL LOAF IS ANOTHER DAINTY

Very much in favor with those who like a cold lunch or an evening tea. Any good cook-book will give directions how to make it, but not one of them that I have ever heard of will tell you to take some beef instead of making the loaf entirely of veal. This, by all who have tried it on my recommendation, is declared to be a great improvement. As dishes go, veal loaf is a little expensive, for it requires eggs, and plenty of them, veal, crackers, beef and some salt pork. But it's worth all the trouble, particularly to take on a picnic.

"Stuffed veal is fine, too, if people would only learn to make a dry dressing. Generally cooks make the bread sopping wet before they stuff the veal, and the result is a soggy, tasteless mess. But the best dressing for stuffed veal or for fowls is grated stale bread, plentifully seasoned with pepper, salt and thyme and bountifully sprinkled with butter. This packed into the receptacle for stuffing is a grand success, but it is not generally used.

"The haslett or calf's liver, lights and heart is sold for 35 cents and the head for 50 cents each. Together they make a fine dish. Porterhouse steak is 18 cents a pound, so is tenderloin. Sirloin is 15 cents and hamburg steak two pounds for a quarter. Soup meat is five pounds for a quarter, roast beef from a bit to 18 cents a pound. Mutton and lamb chops are from 10 to 15 cents a pound. Roast pork is 15 cents a pound and chops a bit. The leg and loin of lamb are 15 cents a pound and suet is a drug at four pounds for 25 cents. You see this is not the season for mince pies or plumb puddings. In winter we are glad to pay 10 cents a pound for them can sell it at a large profit; it is in such demand then. Legs of mutton are 10 cents a pound. Did it ever strike you that there is considerable art in cracking a piece of meat? If it is not well cracked the carver will bless the butcher; if it is cracked too much or in a bungling manner, the roast will make its appearance on the table in a disreputably ragged style. There is

A RIGHT WAY TO DO EVERYTHING.

"The poultry market is dull, very dull," said the knight of the chickens; "broilers are selling for three or five bits, roast chickens for $1 25, hens six and eight bits, squabs $4 a dozen, ducks 75 cents and $1, geese $2 and $2 50 and turkeys 23 and 25 cents a pound."

"Does warm weather have much effect upon your stock in trade?" was what was asked the fish-dealer.

"Not so much; because nearly everybody who buys fish intends to use it within a few hours of its purchase, and smelt, cods, flounders and shad are fish that will keep well anyway. We cook crabs as soon as they reach us, and so save them the trouble of dying. Clams, the large soft-shelled ones, are 25 cents a quart. Tomales clams, the small hard-shelled ones, 7 cents, are 50 cents a quart. This has been a very poor year for mussels. Seven years ago we had a poor year just like this. Those who catch them say that it is owing to so much fresh water that has been washed down into the bay. But they also report that next year will be good for mussels, as the places everywhere are covered with small ones. Rock-cod salmon are 15 cents a pound. A bit is the price of codfish, sole, flounders, perch, smelt and kingfish. Mountain trout is 35 cents a pound, salmon trout 6 and 8 bits apiece, tom-cod 20 cents a pound, sturgeon 10 cents, smoked salmon 25 cents, and German carp the same. Halibut and barracuda are scarce. Pompano is $2 50 a pound. Yes; some private families eat it even at that price. One day this week it was as low as $1 50. The price depends entirely upon the amount received in the market. It comes from Soquel and Monterey Bay. Occasional some are caught in San Francisco Bay. Picked shrimps are 50 cents a pound. There is considerable demand for the livers of cod, rock-fish and sea-bass. They are put in with stewed fish, which is cooked with oil and garlic, and a very tasty combination it is, I can assure you. Nothing spoils the flavor of a fish more than too much lard.

HAM-FAT IS THE BEST OF ALL.

"Green corn has come in. Not very tempting, certainly," said the green-grocer, "but it finds ready customers at 60 cents a dozen." Tomatoes are 60 cents a dozen, and the same price must be paid for a pound of fresh green peppers. Artichokes are 25 cents a dozen, asparagus 10 cents a pound, peas 5 cents a pound, string beans a bit. New garlic is 25 cents a pound, rhubarb 5 cents a pound, spring onions 5 cents a bunch, new onions eight pounds for a quarter, old onions 5 cents a pound and summer squash 10 cents a pound.

"Blackberries have just come in and are 35 cents a pound-basket. Raspberries are much cheaper, being two baskets for 25 cents. Strawberries are 40 and 75 cents a box, currants 40 cents a box, fresh figs 75 cents a pound, cherries 10 cents and a bit, gooseberries 5 and 12½ cents a pound, apricots a bit a pound, and fresh peaches, the first of the season, are 25 cents a pound. Oranges are from 30 cents a dozen to $1, green apples are 5 cents a pound, pineapples 75 cents and bananas 40 cents a dozen.

"Muirs eggs from the Farallon Islands are in just at present, 30 cents a dozen. They have a slightly fishy flavor, which is not noticeable in an omelet," said the produce man, "fresh eggs are 30 cents a dozen, Eastern eggs from Iowa and Nebraska are 20 cents a dozen, the best butter is 50 cents a roll."

THE BLYTHE CONTEST.

Its Trial Has Already Consumed Over 781 Hours.

A statement of the time consumed in the trial of the celebrated Blythe case has been prepared by Judge Coffey, and is as follows:

In taking evidence from July 15, 1889, to April 10, 1890, 653 hours and 1 minute. Two hundred and eight witnesses were examined and 139 depositions introduced. In arguments in plaintiff's case 48 hours and 1 minute; in the Blythe company's case, 7¾ hours; in the case of the Williams heirs, 30 hours and 25 minutes; in the claim of James Witt Pearce, 1 hour; in the case of the gypsy Blythes, 29 hours and 5 minutes; in the claim of William and David Savage, 3¾ hours; in the claim of the London Savages, 8¼ hours. The grand total is 781 hours and 15 minutes.

E. D. Wheeler will commence his argument for Alice Edith Blythe on Monday next.

JAPANESE NEWS.

College Students Manifest Hostility to Foreigners.

Missionaries Attacked—War-Vessels Absent. The Legations—Illness of Mrs. J. F. Swift—The Portfolios.

Special by the W. A. P.

YOKOHAMA, May 21.—Some uneasiness prevails among foreigners in the Japanese capital owing to developments which have followed the murder of the Canadian missionary, the late Rev. T. A. Large. Excitement occasioned by the news of the murder had just died away when one of the best-known foreigners in the city found himself the victim of circumstances which compelled his departure, and following close upon that another missionary was set upon by a crowd of students and seriously cut by knives.

On May 6th Rev. James Summers, for many years past proprietor of an English school in Tokio patronized by the nobility, was driving in one of the principal thoroughfares of Tokio with his wife, when the carriage of the dowager Empress, mother of the present Mikado, approached with a cavalry escort. When a member of the royal family passes it is customary for the people along the street to uncover. This was done by the natives at this point, and Mr. Summers reined his horse in to the side of the street and halted. As the carriage approached he took off his hat, replacing it as soon as the carriage was past him. One of the escort in the rear of the carriage noticed the hat and brought his lance in line with it, so that by accident the cavalryman struck Mr. Summers a severe blow on the head. The soldier was at once arrested and court-martialed. The native press immediately took up the matter, and much feeling against foreigners was manifested by the young student element, known as the shosei, who were inflamed by a report that Mr. Summers had been guilty of an act of disrespect toward the Empress Dowager. They called repeatedly at his school, and so alarmed Mrs. Summers that he left the school in the hands of the police and left on the 16th inst. by steamer for his home in England, leaving his family in care of friends. The shosei are greatly excited, and foreigners are fearing a serious outbreak. Unfortunately Mr. Summers is the same man who, about forty years ago, caused the death of the Governor of Macao, in China, by refusing to remove his hat when a Corpus Christi procession was passing. He was thrown into prison by the Portuguese, but was rescued by the English Admiral, and in the pending excitement the Portuguese Governor and one other person was killed.

On the 17th inst. the Japanese students of the Presbyterian school, known as the Gakuin, started to play a game of base-ball with the students of the Koto Seigakko, a preparatory school, and feeder to the Imperial University of Tokio, on the grounds of the latter school. Rev. A. W. Knox, an American missionary and a teacher in the Meiji Gakuin, accompanied the students from his school. While the game was in progress another American missionary, Rev. W. Imbray of New Jersey, a teacher in the same school, went to the grounds and stepped over a low hedge into the field. He was set upon by the shosei and beaten about the head and body, and sustained serious injuries from blows and kicks about the head. No cause is given for the attack. He will, however, recover. Less fear is being shown by the shosei for the police and the outcome of the excitement is a topic of general surmise.

C. M. Duff, an Englishman, Manager of Rokumei Kwan, a club under the patronage of the Government, was fired upon a few evenings ago as he was going to his home from the club and barely escaped being wounded. This was supposed to be also the work of the Shosei.

The American squadron on the Asiatic station have not had a vessel stationed in Yokohama harbor since the flagship Omaha left two months ago for Kobe, at which port she is still stationed. The Monocacy is in Chinese waters and the Swatara is at Chemulpo, whither she carried the family of United States Minister Herd. This vessel is expected within a week at Nagasaki, whither she brings ex-United States Minister Dunham. No English warship has been stationed in the harbor for several weeks. During the recent visit of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught a German man-of-war came up from Nagasaki for the Duke's reception. Rear-Admiral Belknap has his family at Kobe and Flag Secretary Reamey who has recovered from injuries sustained in the Samoan storm, is with his wife and her sister, Miss Brewster of New York, at the same port. The American Legation has just moved into the new legation buildings erected for it at Yenokisa-nanachi, Tokio, only a stone's throw from the Foreign Office and the other departments and legations. The old legation buildings in the foreign quarter, Tsukiji, for thirty years a landmark for tourists, are being transformed into a tourist hotel.

Mrs. Swift, wife of the American Minister, is just appearing in society again after a long and severe illness. Minister Swift will not leave the capital for the summer. Professor Ernest Fenalosa of Salem, Mass., who has had charge of the Art Department of the Imperial University for the past twelve years, leaves with his wife and child for Boston early in June, where he has been appointed a Director of the Boston Museum.

At the Corean capital affairs are in a very unsettled state. For many years Mr. O. N. Denney, an American, has directed the Government from his position as adviser to the King. Two months ago General Charles W. le Gendie, a Frenchman, who won his title in the Union Army during the Civil War, was called to Seoul to take the appointment, but when he arrived Denney refused to give up his official residence. Le Gendie sought for some method to oust the American, but has not yet succeeded. Le Gendie has accepted the position of Vice-President of the Home Department.

Sir Edwin Arnold has a house in Tokio with his daughter, where he is at work upon a companion poem to the "Light of Asia." Last week Miss Arnold received information that her brother, who had been lost to his family for six years, was in Yokohama Harbor. She secured a sampan and an interpreter and quickly set out into the harbor, hailing every vessel until she came upon an English captain who knew her brother, who was third mate on a tramp steamer. He found him out and when Sir Edwin arrived a touching reunion took place. The brother had been trained for the British navy, but failed and had run away to sea, drifting around the world until he brought up in Australia, where he fell in love and married, but was forced to go to sea again to earn a