

THIS LOS ANGELES MAN MUST BE DEAF BLIND AND DUMB

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—E. S. Bresbach of Los Angeles never heard of the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times. Clarence Darrow and the McNamara brothers might be Chinese health officials so far as his knowledge of them extended, and for him newspapers might as well not be printed, for he never read one. Admission of these trifling differences from the average citizen caused Bresbach to be peremptorily challenged by the defense after he had been temporarily passed today as a juror to try Clarence Darrow on a jury bribing charge.

A. V. Frasier of Pasadena also was peremptorily challenged by the defense. Darrow acted personally in each case, challenging after the talesmen had been temporarily accepted by both sides.

The defense now has but two peremptory challenges and two more jurors must be chosen.

SHALL CONGRESS PRESCRIBE YOUR RELIGION FOR YOU?

Prof. C. S. Longneer of Washington, D. C., international field secretary of the Religious Liberty association, delivered a lecture last night in College building on the above subject. In part he said: "In politics there are many voices that cry against the money trust. Why are politicians and honest business men afraid of financial trusts? Because they are fully acquainted with the past history of these trusts. But there is another great trust that is organizing in this country which promises to be more dangerous to American liberties than any financial trust and that is the great religious trust which is sending its petitions to congress and the halls of state legislatures demanding drastic religious laws. It is time that voices are raised against the religious encroachments, of religious combinations that are beginning to set aside the individual conscience in religious matters. Have we forgotten the bloody history of the past when religious trusts influenced and swayed the civil sceptre to coerce the consciences of all dissenters. Two years ago the religious organizations of New York state introduced twenty-six religious bills into their legislature. When I opposed those bills in the legislature I informed the religious promoters of those bills that they were departing from the principles which the great founders of our republic laid down, and to make good my position I quoted from George Washington, Jefferson, Adams, Madison and Franklin. "What do we care what those men believed or taught," said a leading minister. "They belonged to the old school, we belong to the new school of reformers. The old school is fast dying out, and what is needed today to stop the present day evils is religious legislation." Well, sir, I belong to the old school that believes in an entire separation of the church and religion from the civil enactments of the state.

DAUGHTER DESERTED, FATHER IS MISSING



HILDA RAAB

If Bruno Raab, a farmer of Lineroft near Red Bank, N. J., was on board the Kaiserlin Victoria Luise, of the Hamburg-American line, when she left her pier at Hoboken (N. J.), he just missed the Chief of Police Wymbus, of Red Bank, who had a warrant for his arrest. He also missed his daughter Hilda, eleven years old, whom he carried away from the Lineroft school in an automobile and who was found abandoned on the pier.

Raab is accused by his neighbors in several warrants with having signed their names to notes upon which they say he realized several hundred dollars.

While Hilda was waiting for her father on the pier while he went on board to get a stateroom Chief Wymbus arrived. The vessel was searched, but Raab was not found.

WILSON CONFERS WITH GLASS OVER CURRENCY BILLS

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 30.—President-Elect Wilson conferred here this afternoon with Representative Carter Glass of Virginia, chairman of the house subcommittee drafting new banking and currency bills. The Wilson administration probably will stand back of the measures.

Asked whether he would recommend new banking and currency legislation at the extra session, Wilson said:

"I will not announce any policy regarding that until I go to Washington, because I am too far removed from the men with whom I must confer. This also applies to the whole extra session program."

Gossiping regarding the inauguration, Governor Wilson said:

"I regret to say I will have to submit to the conventions long enough to wear a silk hat. It will be the first time since I reviewed the state guard at Sea Girt, a year ago last summer."

MEDFORD CATS ARE CHAMPIONS

The humble felis domestica has spread the name of Medford from coast to coast during the past month. That felis domestica, which is another term for cat, does well in this climate and altitude is evidenced by the fact that Medford cats have taken first prizes within a month, in Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles and New York City.

The cat that went to New York was sent by Mrs. Paul Jauney of Perrydale. It is a Persian cat of the Silver Tabby variety and journeyed across the country with a litter of kittens. The kittens died on the way but Tabby arrived safely and within a few days of her arrival took second prize at a show in the Plaza hotel. Later she took first prize in two shows over the cat that took first at the Plaza, for Tabby had time to pile on a thicker set of furs and fatten up after its long journey. Tabby also took first prize for being the prize winner which had taken the longest journey to the show.

Mrs. Frank Clark of Perrydale won prizes at Portland with her Rogue River valley Persian cats and Mrs. Fred Renner, a former resident of Medford, has won firsts at Los Angeles and San Francisco.

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Mashed potatoes Stewed Carrots
Cabbage Salad
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