

ORPHANS' HOME TO BE BENEFIT BY MONSTER SHOW

Promoter Coffroth Completes Program With Amateur and Professional Entertainers

Sprinters, Baseball Players, Wrestlers, Boxers and Stage Favorites Promise Stunts

The monster benefit performance at the Auditorium next Thursday evening gives promise of attracting a record crowd from persons in every walk of life.

After several days of hard, conscientious work, Coffroth has about completed the program. One glance at this is enough to convince all admirers of amateur and professional sports and high class vaudeville that it is worth many times the 50 cents asked for admission.

Every athletic, amateur and professional, who was asked to aid the worthy cause volunteered without a second's hesitation. The same can also be said of the theatrical folk.

The match race between four of the speediest sprinters in the Coast league stands out as one of the prominent features of the program. The men who will take part are Maggart and Hogan of Oakland and Vitti and McAdie of San Francisco.

The proposed speed contest has stirred up interest among all the followers of the game. Last night Henry Berry, manager of the Los Angeles baseball team, bet \$100 with Ed Walters, president of the Oakland club, that Vitti would beat Hogan.

Accurate Throwing Contest The accurate throwing contest is another act which should prove close and exciting. Maggart, Vitti, Madden, Hogan, McAdie and Mitze will take part in this. The distance will be 127 feet 6 inches, just the same as from the home plate to second base.

Handsome cups will be given the winners of each of these baseball contests. The two wrestling contests for the amateur welter weight and lightweight championships of the coast should prove very exciting.

Each bout will be decided on the best two out of three falls, under the strict rules of the Pacific amateur association. John A. Hammersmith and Charles T. Krelling, the prominent Olympic club men and authorities on the sport, will referee the contests.

DASH BY FAST RUNNERS The special 75 yard dash will bring together the fastest bunch of sprinters on the coast. The entry list includes Svedikar of the Olympic club, Rogers of Lick school, Claudius of the University of California, Starratt of St. Mary's college and Meding of the United States army.

These men have never faced each other in a like event, and it goes without saying that the finish will be close and exciting.

Three well known athletes are entered in the shotput. They are Svedikar and Wallisch of the Olympic club and Scott of the University of California. This trio is very proficient in the art of hurling the heavy weight, and much rivalry exists between each of its members.

The potato race will furnish the fun of the evening. This event has the largest list of entries of any on the program. All the members of the speedy Olympic club Rugby football team will compete in the race.

Battling Nelson promises to show the crowd how he "came back" when he takes part in the three round sparring exhibition with Eddie Dennis, the champion amateur feather weight of the coast. Nelson is anxious to make a good showing on that particular occasion and he will overlook no opportunity to show the crowd that he is still the "Durable Dane."

In addition there will be another three round exhibition between "One Round" Hogan and Johnny Frayne. Hogan is known as the best four round lightweight in the country, while Frayne recently returned from New Orleans, where he fought 10 round draws with Owen Moran, the noted British lightweight, and Harlem Tommy Murphy, looked upon as one of the cleverest men in the American ring today.

Antonia La Grave, the young boxer from Butchertown who made such a wonderful showing against Nelson last Monday night, has also volunteered his services. He is willing to box any man whom Coffroth picks out for him and it is likely that the promoter will arrange a bout for La Grave some time today. This will complete a great little card.

Eddie Smith, the famous referee, will officiate in one contest and John T. Clark, one of the best known sporting men in the country, will referee the other.

Artists and Vaudeville Performers Will Assist Mount St. Joseph's Asylum



Some of the entertainers who will appear at the Auditorium Thursday evening at monster benefit for orphans.

assure the crowd of a theatrical treat, one that will be worth going miles to see. Gilson and Tolon, the renowned sketch team, will be there to entertain the crowd for several minutes, thanks to Morrissey's efforts.

Then there will be the Bestyet trio, which starts its tour on the Orphan circuit next week. Rice and Provost, the knockout town performers from the Wigwam, will have a few new stunts for the crowd.

William Kidd Nelson, the American Caruso, well known to all the local clubmen, will sing several songs, and also tell some of the funniest stories at his command and he generally has quite a stock of them on hand.

Tickets may be had at the Call office and the Palace and St. Francis hotels. The price is a mere nothing, 50 cents.

Movement for Peace of World Taken Up Berkeleyans Active in the International Cause

Berkeley, Nov. 6.—An international peace movement will be started in Berkeley at the meeting of the North Berkeley improvement club tomorrow night.

The action taken by the club is following out the movement, indorsing international peace agitation, which was begun in Berkeley some time ago.

Petaluma Pastor Is Called to This City Plymouth Congregational Invites Rev. R. W. Rogers

Rev. Robert W. Rogers has been called from Petaluma to Plymouth Congregational church in this city. He will be welcomed by the local congregation, which has been without a pastor since January.

Boy Bicyclist Hurt in Car Collision Youth's Leg Is Broken by Fall to Pavement

Oakland, Nov. 6.—Chester Jordan, a 14 year old schoolboy living at 6412 Essex street, in the annex territory, was run down by an east bound streetcar in East Fourteenth street, Fitchburg, this morning, sustaining a broken right leg.

Socialists Hold a Parade in Oakland Oakland, Nov. 6.—The socialists closed their state campaign tonight in Oakland, with a street parade of men and women, followed by a mass meeting at Rice institute hall, at which J. Stitt Wilson, the socialist candidate for governor, was the principal speaker.

Girls Give Thanks for Public's Help

The joyous voices of 301 reunited orphans were lifted in thanks yesterday for the shelter and comfort which a generous public has afforded the little ones burned out of their home at Mount St. Joseph's orphan asylum four weeks ago.

The day was one of reunion, of thanks, of keen gratitude, enjoyed and participated in not only by the children themselves but by parents, guardians and friends who had received word from the presiding sister that the new home would be open to all yesterday.

While the large structure at Ellis and Franklin streets is yet somewhat cheerless and barren of many comforts, there was a genuine hospitality offered by the sisters and their charges and all through the great halls and spacious rooms of the place the happy laughter of the children could be heard.

Organ for Home Chapel Father, Hannigan, who has been deeply interested in the work of the orphanage, sent an organ to the little improvised chapel yesterday, where the service was held.

During the morning and until late in the day little blue gowned figures were constantly crowded at the door of the new home waiting for the familiar face and the soft voice, in most cases, of "mother." Up the stone steps a constant parade of men and women trooped with sweets, clothing, toys and the inevitable doll that speaks and sleeps and weeps, with a broken sawdust heart.

It was like a great Christmas yesterday, with all the liberty in the world permitted to children and relatives. Numbers were taken out into the fresh air in carriages and automobiles, to return to a hearty, wholesome dinner with their small companions.

Gratitude and Needs Yesterday's thanksgiving service, participated in by Father Hannigan, was a formal expression from the orphanage and its charges of the debt of gratitude it owes the public for its response to the call for aid.

A wise expenditure of the furnishing funds has resulted already in making the children comfortable and affording them ample protection against the wet and cold of the winter. Beds, clothing, clothes and furnishings have been purchased in quantities, and the routine so rudely interrupted by the fire has been completely restored.

Sister Helena, who is in charge of the home, has already re-established the regular school work of the children. Great assistance has been given by the various Catholic ladies' aid societies and sodalities in forwarding to Sister Helena a great quantity of clothing. This has saved not only the money which such clothing would cost, but the time and trouble which would have been taken attention from matters of greater moment.

Through the entire work of bringing the orphans back to their home Sister Helena has worked with great patience and good judgment, and though greatly wearied by the effort, smilingly continues, though it is probable that she will take a temporary leave of absence from the home shortly.

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Alumni Opposes Tax Amendment

Berkeley, Nov. 6.—Action opposing the proposed state constitutional amendment No. 1, which is to be voted on Tuesday, was taken at a meeting of the alumni council of the University of California, held in California hall last night.

A statement declares that the law would cut off the university's present source of revenue. The members present were President James H. Moffitt, Prof. O. K. McMurray, Dr. Wallace Terry, Frank Otis, Max Thelen and Milton T. Farmer.

The alumni council of the University of California deems that the threatened situation in regard to the finances of the university if constitutional amendment No. 1 is adopted demands public explanation.

There is no doubt that the amendment will repeal the present statute providing the annual three cent tax on each hundred dollars of assessed valuation of the property in the state. This tax is the backbone of the university's income. The amendment repeals all ad valorem taxes, and this tax is manifestly an ad valorem tax.

It has been claimed that the three cent tax is protected by this sentence: "Nothing herein contained shall affect any tax levied or assessed prior to the adoption of this section; and all laws in relation to such taxes in force at the time of the adoption of this section shall remain in force until changed by the legislature." The clause following refers by its grammatical construction to "such" taxes, that is, taxes that are levied or assessed prior to the adoption of this section.

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New Cunard Liner May Consume Oil

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The Cunard line's order to a Scottish shipyard for a new mammoth liner to be of about the same length as the new White Star steamers the Olympic and the Titanic, but with greater steam and larger tonnage and of about the same speed, shows that the speedy Mauretania type of ocean carrier has not proved entirely successful, despite the heavy booking of passengers of both the Mauretania and the Lusitania.

It is said that the coal consumption is too big an item for profit in the case of the Mauretania and also in that of the Lusitania. Each burns at top speed about 1,300 tons of coal every 24 hours.

The greatest secrecy is being observed respecting the machinery of the new craft, but according to report through a new method of fuel consumption showing an astonishing saving of expense. The system to be adopted has been worked out successfully through a series of experiments, demonstrating its economy. Whether it is oil fuel or internal combustion with a spark is unknown.

Falls from Car—An alighting from a street car at Second avenue and H street, Fritz Mayer, 1209 Ninth avenue, fell and probably fractured his skull. He was taken to the park emergency hospital.

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Marin's Society at Harvest Dance

Amateur Vaudeville Performance Is Followed by the Annual Ball

[Special Dispatch to The Call] KENTFIELD, Nov. 6.—The clubhouse of Tamalpais center was thronged with Marin county's most fashionable set last evening, when the annual harvest dance and entertainment was held under the auspices of the Woman's club.

Soft lights from fantastic goblin lanterns cast a warm glow over richly gowned women. Weird looking owls blinked with candlelit eyes from the overhead beams. The walls were green with boughs.

Before the dance a number of talented members of the smart set gave a vaudeville show. Miss Alice Hanner reviewed little girls in uniform, who performed a difficult flag drill. Mrs. Sidney Barclay, in a monologue, was followed by Miss Victoria Orr's dancers, a dozen young women who executed harvest dances. The Misses Edith and Jane Sherwood completed the performance with musical selections.

Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gunningham, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. H. Templeman, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Roe, Mrs. Elizabeth Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. D. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Arnsby, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cunningham, Mrs. Lila Book, Mrs. A. E. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. J. Davis, Miss Sarah Coffin, Miss Irene Hund, Miss Mary Arnsby, Miss Alice Tyler, Miss Lila Book, Miss Jennie Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. Naspar, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Cleary, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Mr. and Mrs. George Vandevoort, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thomas.

DOMESTIC DISAPPEAR—Alameda, Nov. 6.—Mrs. Mary Kane, 20 years old, employed as a domestic at J. M. Levy's home, 1738 Alameda avenue, was reported to the police this afternoon as missing since last Tuesday, when she disappeared, leaving behind her clothes. Her relatives at Point Richmond have not seen her.

Convicts Erect Large Cellhouse

Prisoners Will Be Classified When Building Is Completed

[Special Dispatch to The Call] SAN QUENTIN, Nov. 6.—One of the finest state prisons in the country is nearing completion at San Quentin through the efforts of Warden John E. Hoyle, and it is expected that early in the new year the prisoners now confined in the old buildings without respect to the nature of their crimes will occupy the new cellhouse. The additional cells will permit of many reforms, most important of which will be the classification of convicts.

First term prisoners will be confined apart from second and third "timers," while young prisoners who show an inclination to reform will not be permitted to associate with older and more hardened criminals.

The cellhouse is 600 feet long and contains 500 cells. Three hundred prisoners are doing the work. The outer walls, of reinforced concrete, are five feet thick. The cells are far above the average in size, being four and a half feet wide, seven and a half feet long and nine and a half feet high and are lighted by electricity.

A bakery, kitchen, pantry, storeroom and dining room large enough to seat 1,630 prisoners are being built, as well as 30 houses for the guards and their families.

The work on the building is in direct charge of H. C. Halverson, general superintendent of construction. Among the prisoners, nearly 2,000 in number, are men expert in practically every kind of trade, and they appear to enjoy showing their skill to please Warden Hoyle.

HAVANA BUYS PAVING BLOCKS FROM NORWAY Consul General James L. Rodgers reports that the granite blocks now being used in the repaving of the streets of Havana, following the sewer construction are being imported from Norway. It is alleged that cost, insurance and freight total a much smaller amount per unit than can be obtained under importation from any port of the United States. The figures sustaining these conclusions are withheld, but it is said that the low Norwegian freight rates, when combined with the low cost of material, prevent competition.

It takes as little to start some men to arguing as it does to start some women gossiping.

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