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## CHURCH NOTICES.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**—Rev. F. W. Bold, Pastor. Services: Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday-school at 10 a. m.; Y. F. S. C. E. service at 6:30 p. m., on first Sunday on or before the full of the moon; Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 2:30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor meeting Fridays at 8:15 p. m.; Ladies Aid Society and Missionary Society meet the second Tuesday of each month.

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**CATHOLIC CHURCH**—Commencing Sunday, October 17th, 1904, mass will be celebrated in St. Francis church at 8 a. m. and 11:30 a. m.; on the fourth Sunday of each month, mass will be said in Mervyn Hall, Glen Ellen, at 9 a. m.; on the same day in St. Francis, church at 11 a. m. until further notice.

## LODGE NOTICES.

**TEMPLE LODGE, No. 14, F. & A. M.**—Meets in the Masonic Hall on the Tuesday evenings on or preceding the full moon of each month. H. W. GOTTENBERG, W. M.; S. RINGSTROM, Secretary.

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**SONOMA GROVE, No. 75, U. A. F.**—Meets on the first and third Friday in each month at Odd Fellows' Hall. A. BARETTA, Secretary.

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**BEAR FLAG CAMP, No. 758, O. O. F.**—Meets the third Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m. L. H. GREEN, Secretary.

**YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE, No. 45**—Meets the first Wednesday evening of each month at Odd Fellows' Hall. JOSEPH DOWDALL, President; A. D. GRAHAM, Secretary.

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## POLLY LARKIN

I left you at Willits last week with a promise to get to Sherwood valley in this week's issue. "Change for Sherwood," announced the genial conductor, Robert Brown, who had kindly given me a great deal of information in regard to the attractive features of this picturesque run from Ukiah to Willits. The passengers who desired to go through to Sherwood the same day were given an hour at Willits for dinner. Most of them took advantage of the opportunity and dined at one of the various hotels before continuing their journey northward. It was again my good fortune to stop at the Hotel Willits, the finest hotel north of San Francisco excepting the Hotel Rafael. Its equipments are perfect and it is an ideal place for summer sojourners, and, judging from the number of guests resting, chatting, reading and even knitting beautiful fleecy wools into dainty shawls by the pretty summer girls, who were scattered about in the easy chairs on the broad verandas with which this hotel is blessed, the attractions and advantages of this abiding place for a season is no longer a secret. Guests who came for a week lengthened their stay into double the time and then sighed to think that the summer vacation had ended while they murmured:

"Tomorrow, to-day and yesterday,  
So runs the beautiful world away."

The hotel this season is under the management of W. G. Graham & Co., and very popular are mine hosts, W. G. Graham and William Chamberlain. Everything possible is done for the comfort and pleasure of the guests. They have a fine bowling alley, which is thoroughly enjoyed by young and old. A fine swimming pond is another attraction, and a model tennis court and croquet ground are being made ready. One of the principal features of enjoyment, however, is horseback riding, and besides of young people enjoy this healthy exercise, visiting the hills and enjoying the picturesque scenery which abounds on all sides. In fact, you cannot get away from it, for there are no treeless unburned hills and nothing to break the monotony in this mountainous country. If you want a delightful walk there is a spring possessing all the mineral elements, clear as crystal and as cold as ice, within a short distance of the hotel, and a little farther on is a fine soda spring. Then there is a jaunt to Muir's mill, once the leading lumber mill in this part of the county. In the opposite direction lies the Diamond D mill of the Northwestern Redwood Company, which is the biggest logging camp in California and the most complete and best equipped mill in the State. Frequently the guests of the hotel enjoy a fifteen minutes' ride on the train, which takes them into the heart of this great lumber district, which is a busy little world of its own and a sight well worth the seeing and one of which you never tire. This great hotel, so thoroughly and perfectly managed, is certainly an ideal spot to summer in, with its picturesque scenery, pure mountain air and its fishing and hunting to woo the anglers and nimrods from the wear and tear of business life.

But I forgot. We are going to Sherwood valley and have no time to loiter at Willits. A number of people are on the train, but most of them get off at Millville. This section of the big lumber mills has grown so extensively in regard to population that it has been dignified by the name of Millville. A number of pretty cottages, beside the rustic redwood homes of the hands, have been erected on the hillside of this pretty place, where the whirr of machinery is heard night and day as it saws, planes, cuts and finishes the beautiful redwood timber making it ready for the market. Here the pond is filled with logs, many of them the mournful reminders of what were but lately giants of the redwood forests. These gigantic monarchs, after hundreds of years' existence in these great temples of nature are sacrificed by the hand of man who cares not for their grandeur, beauty and age, their value to him being reckoned in feet and cords, and how much coin will be produced. What an ignominious fall!

Leaving Millville we speed down to Sherwood Junction, making the loop; back we come for a short distance and then branch off on the road to Sherwood. It brings a thrill of pleasure, for this is a part of the road I have never been over, and my expectations and anticipations are about to be realized. Then again it is pleasant to know that it is fast reaching out to the terminal of this branch of the California Northwestern Railway to Eureka, which will open up this vast area of magnificent and valuable timber land. Around the curves we go, stopping occasionally at some new station; we are climbing the crest of the mountains now, and away beyond, as far as the eye can reach is a shimmering wave of green, russet and gold. There rushes a silvery brook gleaming like a silver

ribbon, and even in this far and out-of-the-way place the campers' tents are pitched, and the train which the occupants would not deign to bestow a second glance at in busy San Francisco or their home town, brings the whole band of campers out of their tents as it goes dashing past.

Fourteen miles from Willits is En Cima, at an elevation of 2500 feet. Here you command a good view of the Pacific ocean twenty miles away, and vessels can be distinctly seen on a clear day. It is at this point that you get one of the grandest and most sublime views of timber land. Range upon range rises up before you in panoramic view which is so densely covered with redwood and fir that it would seem impossible for a jack-rabbit, much less the feet-footed deer, to penetrate. It is stated that at El Cima you can see more virgin redwood than in any part of the world. The beauty of the scene was simply overwhelming for the moment, then everybody in the car gave expression to their delight at the grandeur before them. Gradually we came down the grade into Sherwood valley, the terminal of the California Northwestern Railway at present. Here a stage meets the train to take passengers still farther north. Near the station is the Sherwood Hotel, formerly known as the "Cornucopia" farm, which is kept by Mr. Kirk.

A short stay here, which is 152 miles from San Francisco, and we are again winding our way home, and as we are again at El Cima I must not forget to tell you that this magnificent expanse of redwood timber slopes gently back for forty miles from the Curly Cow creek or Noya river. [Polly was given both names by different parties.] One more look into the heart of this great wonder of the world and we are again on our way to Willits, passing Woodpecker Crossing, Camp Barnwell, which is the abiding place of a large number of section hands, and all of them are Greeks. It is really a Greek colony, and they are happy among themselves and not bothering about outside matters. Dutch Henry's, which might be called Tentville, for it is a little villa of snowy tents, Fowler's Flat and various stations along this branch of the road glow with picturesque effect as far as the eye can reach. One young lady, with an eye to business, remarked, "What a lot of toothpicks that tree would make." The giant of the forest she had reference to was fifty-four feet five inches in circumference and two hundred and fifty feet high. I wish every person in California, tired and weary of the turmoil and trials of every day life and with a love for the beautiful in nature, could take this trip over the California Northwestern Railway, for they would surely feel that they had gained a new lease on life and that it was well worth the living.

## BRIEF REVIEW.

### War Canoe Found After a Century.

The Bishop Museum at Honolulu has just been notified of what is considered a very important find in Polynesian archaeology, which has just been made in Fiji. This is the discovery, in a good state of preservation, of an enormous war canoe, which was belonged to the kings of Fiji and was one of the emblems of the crown. Nearly a century ago it disappeared, except for the mainmast and other portions of the gear. The mainmast was given to Professor Agassiz some years ago and is now in the Philadelphia Museum. The canoe itself was taken to pieces at the time it disappeared and the portions sunk in an artificial lagoon excavated for the purpose. Then the matter was forgotten. Lately the hiding place, which is not far from Bau, has been found, and the local Fiji chief, Kadavu Levu, has had it taken out and put together, and proposes to offer it to the British Museum.

### Four Squirrels Mothered By a Cat.

While rambling over the country Henry Miller, of Hanover, Pa., found a squirrel's nest that had fallen from a tree and which still contained four very young gray squirrels. Miller brought the squirrels home and as an experiment placed them in the nest of a cat whose kittens had been drowned. The cat took kindly to the squirrels and is giving them complete attention, with the result that the children of the forest are thriving splendidly under the care of their foster mother.

### Strange Request of Murderer.

Albert, alias "Dutch" Fisher, under sentence of electrocution for murder committed in Toledo, Ohio, has made a formal request that the date of his execution be changed from July 7 to July 17, on which date three others are to be electrocuted. Fisher refused to permit his attorneys to take any steps to save his life, saying that he committed the murder and should be punished.

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## PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

### Current Events Specially Selected and Condensed.

Mrs. Rachel Bailey died in Petaluma at the age of 77 years. She came to Petaluma in the early fifties and was married to the late James B. Bailey.

Joseph Muscrop, a shoe and leather merchant of San Francisco, fell from the porch of his cottage at Camp Meeker, and was instantly killed. It is believed that he was seized with a fainting spell.

The following California Postmasters have been appointed: Charles Stanislaus county, Edward Y. Foley vice J. B. Bougard, resigned; Lakeview, Riverside county, Mary R. Grimes, vice A. P. Venable, resigned.

William R. Page, the colored lad who was brought down from San Francisco to answer to the charge of stealing a bicycle from Jack Castro of San Jose, was released. It was found that there was no evidence to connect him with the crime.

George Hurdon, who was employed at 10 Liberty street, San Francisco, as a window cleaner, fell two stories from that building and was removed to the City and County Hospital. He died later from fracture of the skull.

Frank Hastings, a contractor of Watsonville, committed suicide by hanging himself in an outbuilding in the rear of his residence. Hastings had a large number of contracts under way and the fear that he would lose money on his undertakings made him despondent.

An extension of the Imperial branch of the Southern Pacific twelve and a half miles long, from Imperial, Cal., to Calexico, on the Lower California line, has been opened for traffic. The telegraph line paralleling the new road will be completed within two weeks.

C. C. Williams of Dinuba, who is a juror in a Superior Court case at Visalia, failed to be in the box on time. He was found in a saloon by an officer. Judge Wallace reprimanded Williams severely, dismissed him from the case and sentenced him to serve one hour in jail.

Joseph Ferrari who practiced with an air gun in Golden Gate Park and killed a quail was found guilty by Police Judge Conlan, who decided that a fine of \$100 or 100 days in the County Jail would be the proper penalty for Joseph to pay for his morning target practice and its result.

Seized with an insane frenzy, Biunomo Maranta, a brawny young Italian ranchman, fell on Robert Allen, a helpless cripple of 70 years, with whom he was shut up in a room at the City and County Hospital, San Francisco, and beat and pounded the life out of the old man. Nobody heard Allen's cries for help until it was too late.

Norville B. Young was arrested in Eureka by Deputy United States Marshal George W. Rager on a warrant charging him with forging a material signature to a Postoffice money order. Back of this charge lies the story, the Federal officials say, of a good time in San Francisco's Tenderloin by an up-country dry goods clerk on another's money.

The Kosmos line of steamers has been sued by Haas Bros., San Francisco coffee importers, for damage to 400 sacks of coffee, alleged to have been injured by carelessness on the part of the officers of the steamer Mera on the voyage from Ecuador. The complainants assert that by wrong stowing the coffee became impregnated with cresote and put their damages at \$1400.

Owing to the rapidly increasing output of the California oil fields at Coalington, Bakersfield and McKittrick, orders have been given by the Southern Pacific for 250 tank cars, each of 12,500 gallons' capacity, or fifty tons. The cars will cost approximately \$300,000. Most of the oil is consumed domestically, although there is considerable exporting to the Hawaiian Islands.

W. Bradley, a miner employed at the Dead Tree mine, on Platte mountain, near Bakersfield, was killed by the explosion of a blast. Bradley had set the blast and went to dinner. It failed to go off, and supposing it had missed fire, he went to investigate. While in the mine it exploded, blowing the whole side of his face off.

James Cowan, the Mojave miner charged with the murder of J. Cummings, the negro who was lynched at Mojave on March 19, has been convicted of manslaughter. The jury was out nearly twenty-four hours and recommended the prisoner to the mercy of the Court. One juror stood out all night for murder in the first degree with the death penalty. The other members of the mob who went to the jail with the intention of tarring and feathering the negro will probably not be prosecuted.

How Gin, a Chinese, long sick and despondent, crawled out of his sleeping quarters on the third floor of the building at 717 Sacramento street to the roof and threw himself to the sidewalk below. When picked up by a watchman and Autopsy Surgeon Baicalpalpi found that his skull had been badly fractured. Hoo Jung, claiming to be a cousin, stated to the San Francisco Coroner that the man had been long ailing, and that his death was undoubtedly due to a delirious wandering.

The appointment of Professor William Frederic Durand as head of the department of marine engineering at Cornell University has been officially announced by President Jordan. Professor Durand is at present acting director of Sibley College of Mechanical Engineering and head of the department of marine engineering at Cornell University. He will succeed Professor A. W. Smith, who recently resigned from Stanford to become head of Sibley College at Cornell. Professor Durand is one of the most prominent marine engineers in the United States.

The gas company is charged with the death of William Gearhardt, who was killed by asphyxiation at 6 Charles place, San Francisco, on June 19th, by the verdict brought in by the Coroner's jury. Gearhardt was an employee of the Harmon Lumber Company and slept in a room over the stable. He was found dead and investigation showed that a leak in the meter, situated directly below the room, had allowed a great amount of gas to escape into his sleeping quarters. Testimony before the Coroner developed the fact that the gas company had been notified of the leak and had neglected to fix it.

## GLEN ELLEN COLUMN

### SOCIETY NOTICES.

W. W. Ellenwood Camp, No. 487, meets the first and third Saturday evenings of each month in Native Sons' Hall.

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Glen Ellen and Intermediates.  
Leave Sonoma—week days—10:30 a. m., 7:30 p. m.; Sundays—10:30 and 11:40 a. m., 7:30 p. m.  
Arrive Sonoma—Sundays—6:18 a. m., 3:36 and 6:37 p. m.; week days—6:18 a. m., 3:36 p. m.  
Healdsburg, Cloverdale, Ukiah, Guerneville, Sebastopol, Willits, Sherwood and Intermediates.  
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FRIDAY, JULY 15, 1904.

THE average educated man get a salary of \$1,000 a year. He works 40 years says an exchange making a total of \$40,000 in a life time. The average day laborer gets \$1.50 a day for 300 days, \$450 per year. In 40 years he earns \$18,000. The difference between \$40,000 and \$18,000 is \$22,000, which represents the value of an education in dollars. To acquire this earning capacity requires 12 years at school of 180 days each or a total of 2160 days. Divide \$22,000 value of an education by 2160 number of days required in getting it and we find that each day in school is worth a little more than \$10 to the pupil. Can't afford to keep them out can we?

For the past few years the C. N. Ry has spent a large amount of money in judicious advertising of the various sections through which its lines pass and the good work has borne fruit beyond the expectations of the most sanguine.

The officials of the road predicted the incoming of a large crowd of summer people and their prediction has come true.

Great credit is due the company in their efforts to build up the valley with a desirable class of settlers and our people should not fail to appreciate it.

THE sexton reports the grass in Mountain Cemetery as being very rank this year.

This being the season of the year when grass fires are common it behooves those who have lots there especially those on which there are valuable monuments, fences, etc. to clean off the dry grass immediately as a safeguard against possible injury or destruction in case of fire.

Wise Woman

A Chicago club woman recently gave to her club the following motto "There is so much that is bad in the best of us and so much that is good in the worst of us that it doesn't behoove any of us to say anything about the rest of us."

PEOPLE who are in the habit of criticizing and ridiculing other people to you are giving you a going over to others in your absence. Be wary of such friends so called.

THE defective vision of some people allows them to see only the faults and imperfections in their neighbors.

IT is still a question whether things are wicked because they are nice or nice because they are wicked



ESTRAY

Surrel Mire, weight about 900; Blistered shoulder. White stripe on forehead. Stayed to my place Sunday July 3rd. Owner can have same by paying charges. Wm T. Jones Glen Ellen

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of Sonoma, State of California.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, NATHALIE H. DAVIS, executrix of the last will and testament of Hugh H. Davis, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at her residence, on the corner of Broadway and Patten streets, in the City of Sonoma, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in said county of Sonoma, State of California.

NATHALIE H. DAVIS, Executrix of the last will and testament of Hugh H. Davis, deceased. Dated June 9th, 1904. ROBERT A. POPPE, Attorney for Estate. First publication June 9th, 1904.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of PAUL ROBIN, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of PAUL ROBIN, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the law office of Joseph P. Berry, in the Dougherty and Shea Building, Santa Rosa, Sonoma county, California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate.

FRANK L. BLACKBURN, Administrator of the estate of Paul Robin, deceased. JOSEPH P. BERRY, Attorney for said Administrator. Dated at Santa Rosa, June 23, 1904.

Notice of Time and Place

In the Superior Court of Sonoma County, State of California. In the Matter of the Estate of David Burris, Deceased. Notice of Time and Place Appointed for Hearing Petition for Conveyance.

Pursuant to an order of a Judge of said court, made this day, notice is hereby given that Monday, the first day of August, 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court room of Department One, of said court, at the court house, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, has been appointed for hearing the petition of Ada E. Ashford, praying for an order that Julia Ann Burris, the executrix of the last will and testament of David Burris, deceased, be authorized and directed to make a conveyance of a certain tract of land, lying and being in the former Pueblo or ex-city of Sonoma, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, to Ada E. Ashford, upon payment by said Ada E. Ashford of the amount of money due by her to said estate as a part of the purchase price of said real estate, and at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same, by filing their objections in writing.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1904. (Seal) F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of said Superior Court. Robert A. Poppe, Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice of Dissolution of Co-partnership

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Gaige & Lewis, butchers, Sonoma, composed of Walter L. Gaige and Samuel B. Lewis have this day dissolved partnership. The latter, Samuel B. Lewis, has bought out the interest of said Walter L. Gaige and will conduct the business of the aforesaid firm in the future as sole proprietor. Mr. Lewis agrees to assume all bills of the firm and amount now due the latter firm are payable to him.

(signed) Samuel B. Lewis Walter L. Gaige Dated, June 15, 1904.

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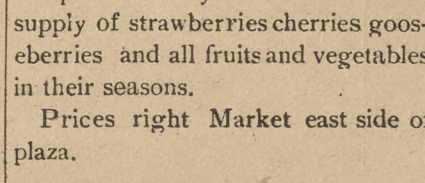
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Mrs. Frances L. Sales of Missouri Valley, Ia., writes "I have been afflicted with kidney trouble five years: had severe pains in my back and a frequent desire to urinate. When riding I experienced much pain over the region of the kidneys. I tried five physicians without benefit and concluded to try Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three \$1 bottles I was completely cured. For sale by L. S. Simmons.

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A suitable reward will be given for the return of an old style "Rambler" wheel taken last Sunday night from the sidewalk on Na pa St. near Hotz's store. G. F. WHITE

Listen

All Ice orders must be given in Saturday as Weems' Cash Store will positively remain closed on Sunday. We must have some rest. Have you tried Weems' Broadway Creamery Butter. It's fine.

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The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by R. G. Shoults.

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"I would cough nearly all night long" writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumed so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood but when all other medicines failed three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. Kings New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs and Colds La Grippe Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Shoults Drug Store.

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Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick of Colusa Calif writes, "for 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. G. Shoults Drug-gist.

Pure California olive oil, guaranteed at Schocken's. \*

Doctors said He would not Live

Peter Fry Woodruff Pa., writes "After doctoring for two years with the best physicians in Waynesburg and still getting worse the doctors advised me if I had any business to attend to I had better attend to it at once, as I could not possibly live another month as there was no cure for me. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me by a friend and I immediately sent my son to the store for it and after taking three bottles I began to get better and continued to improve until I was entirely well." L. S. Simmons Druggist.

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Mr. Robert O. Burk, Elnora, N. Y. writes: "Before I started to use Foley's Kidney Cure I had to get up from twelve to twenty times a night and I was all bloated up with dropsy and my eyesight was so impaired I could scarcely see one of my family across the room. I had given up hope of living when a friend recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. One 50 cent bottle worked wonders and before I had taken the third bottle the dropsy had gone as well as all other symptoms of Brights disease." Sold by L. S. Simmons.

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## Glen Ellen Notes.

Several darkies enlivened the Glen last Wednesday with vocal and instrumental music.

J. G. Cromwell the proprietor of "Idle Wild," summer resort, is taking a short vacation and is now visiting points of interest in Napa Valley.

The little son of Wm. Roberts broke his arm last Tuesday by falling from a swing. Drs. Dawson and Gray set the limb and the little fellow is now resting easy.

At the regular meeting of the trustees of the Glen Ellen School District held July 2 Miss L. A. Howard was again elected teacher. It was decided to re-open the school August 1st and to continue same for five months.

Percy Quien, while out riding with some of the guests of Glen Oaks last Sunday, was thrown from his horse and quite seriously injured. He was found lying in the road unconscious and was taken to his home near-by. From latest accounts he is gradually improving.

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## N. S. G. W. Installation.

At a meeting of Sonoma Parlor No. 111, N. S. G. W. last Monday evening there was a large attendance. The following officers were installed for the ensuing term by District Deputy Grand President W. O. Hocker: President, Fred Fouts; First Vice Pres. George Gies; Second Vice Pres. Theodore Kiser; Third Vice Pres. Wm. Rambo; Trustee, R. E. Mullen; Marshal, Albert Weyl; Inside Sentinel, Benj. Dohrman; Outside Sentinel, Geo. Goess; Secy. L. H. Green; Treasurer Granville Harris.

## Deeply Wooded.

In boring a well on the Jones Ranch the other day when at a depth of 148 ft., the drill passed through 2 ft. of well preserved wood. Specimens were brought to town and shows the timber in a fair state of preservation.

## Entertainment At El Verano.

The El Verano Villa Dramatic Society gave a fine literary and musical entertainment at the villa last Friday evening. It was largely attended and heartily enjoyed. Following is the program rendered:

Address P. J. McCormick; Solo Miss L. Hulbaeher; Rec. Mr. Wm. Barringer; Song Charles Russell; Spanish Solo, Mrs. Olson; Rec. Miss K. McLaughlin; Song Miss Holton; Rec. J. F. Lally; Song Miss M. Foley; Song and piano selection Little Zeldia; Song Miss J. Maloney; German song and monologue Mr. F. Kelpsch; French song Mrs. M. Lamotto; Song Miss Purcell; Specialty Lane Sisters; Female Impersonator, John Bovey; Song and Dance Mr. L. Kehler;

## PUBLIC INSTALLATION AT GLEN ELLEN.

### NATIVE SONS AND MODERN WOODMEN INSTALL OFFICERS.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season took place last Saturday evening in Mervyn Hall, the occasion being the joint installation banquet and dance given by the local camp of Woodmen and the local parlor of Native Sons.

District Deputy Grand President, W. O. Hocker, of Sonoma, acted as installing officer for the Native Sons and C. O. Dunbar for the Woodmen. The ceremonies of both orders were very interesting, and its rictive oratory relative to Woodcraft and early California history was indulged in by Mr. Carter and C. O. Dunbar of Santa Rosa and members of the camp and parlor.

The following officers of the parlor were installed: Past President, Wm. Van de Waten; President, Henry J. Chauvet; 1st Vice President, A. M. Hardman; 2d Vice President, Frank J. Herd; 3d Vice President, Ed Mann; Recording and Financial Secretary Chas. J. Poppe; Marshal, Jas. W. Bones; Trustees, Jas. W. Gibson, B. M. Bones, C. C. Weise; Inside Sentinel, C. C. Weise; Outside Sentinel, J. C. Frideger.

The Woodmen installed as follows: Consul Commander, B. M. Bones; Advisory Lieut., J. H. Hornsby; Banker, A. M. Hardman; Clerk, F. H. Case; Escort, J. D. Cozad; Manager, J. H. Cozad; Sentry, R. Jones; Watchman, Geo. Vincent.

After the installation, dancing was indulged in and a banquet followed.

## Married in San Francisco.

George S. Borba of Sebastopol and Miss E. Freitas of Haywards were married at St. Brennan's church in San Francisco at high noon, Wednesday, July 6, 1904. Rev. Father Rodgers performing the ceremony. Emanuel I. Borba, brother of the groom, acted as best man and Miss Annie E. Freitas, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid. Mr. Borba is employed in the Pacific States Type Foundry, San Francisco, but they will reside in Oakland.

## At the Toscano Hotel.

The Toscano Hotel is taxed to its utmost capacity these days. Following is a partial list of registered guests:—Margaret L. Stack, Mrs. E. Harrington, John Andrews, May Kelley, Gus Hulten, Margaret H. Hall, of San Francisco; Mrs. P. Johnson, Monterey; O. Torre, Louisa Lazzarini, Manager Jones and wife, S. S. T. & T. Co., E. S. Dowd and sisters, Frank De Groat, Fred Miller, Jas. Flynn and family, L. C. Tubbs and wife.

Democratic Primaries will be held throughout Sonoma county on Friday July 29th.

## GENERAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Dr. Nichols was in Sonoma a few days this week.

Wm. Clewe had business in San Francisco Monday.

Mr. Harenberg spent a few days this week in San Francisco.

W. H. Daly, wife and child, are spending a few days in Sonoma.

W. L. Murphy has joined the Sonoma Volunteer Fire Co.

City taxes are now due and payable and will be delinquent after Aug. 1.

The Republican County Central Committee will meet in Santa Rosa tomorrow.

Mrs. Fredrickson is spending a few days with her mother Mrs. Harenberg.

Miss Mabel Winkle and brother Henry are visiting friends and relatives in Sonoma.

Miss Silvia returned home Monday after a few weeks visit at the Gies home on Spain Street.

J. H. Albertson and Miss Nellie Sullivan returned from a brief stay in the metropolis Monday evening.

F. T. Duhring and family are rusticated at beautiful Carmel by the Sea; They are expected home soon.

Ed. Gies came over from Benicia Tuesday evening to be with his family who are visiting here for a few weeks.

Jack Knight has taken the place of Mr. Guyot, the regular rural mail carrier who is enjoying a vacation in the bay city.

J. E. Clement the Mendocino lumberman and capitalist was the guest of J. Milton McGimsey one day this week.

Pioneer Ed. Gillan has been quite seriously ill this week. His many friends hope to hear of a speedy recovery to health.

Miss Minnie Cooke left Saturday morning for a two week's vacation with friends and relatives in Berkeley and San Francisco.

S. Schocken has placed a new stone curbing around his property on Spain st., and is making improvements to his store building.

G. H. Hotz has something interesting to say to the purchasing public in another column. Read his new ad and learn how you can save \$'s

At a recent meeting of the Sonoma Baseball Club Judge J. B. Small was chosen manager, Ed. Hogard Captain and Roy Pauli Treasurer.

Editor J. C. Keene of the Sotoyome Sun, Healdsburg, has turned his paper over to his daughter, Miss Florence Keene. Bro. Keene will take a much-needed rest.

The regular meeting of the Sonoma Valley Womens Club will be held at the usual time and place next Saturday (to-morrow) and a full attendance of members is desired.

Sonoma Parlor, No. 111, N. S. G. W. will celebrate the Seventeenth Anniversary of the institution of the parlor by a grand banquet at the City Hotel, the 20th of the present month.

So well did our popular County Assessor Frank Dowd perform the duties of his office that no complaint has as yet been filed with the Board of Equalization for a change of assessment.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Campbell and daughter and Miss Bertha Campbell, sailed Tuesday morning on the S. S. Corea for the Philippines. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Campbell accompanied them as far as the metropolis.

A committee of Sonoma Parlor, N. S. G. W. are considering the question of having a celebration here on the 9th of Sept. and will see what encouragement the citizens are willing to give in the matter.

A. C. Olney Principal of the Fresno High School was the guest at the Clewe home a few bays this week. Mr. and Mrs. Olney are the happy parents of a bouncing native daughter who arrived the first of the month.

C. T. Rea and wife have sold their poultry and farn on the Haraszthy tract to Jas. Tracy of San Diego. Mr. and Mrs. Rea have purchased a place in San Diego Co. where they will hereafter reside.

## CITIZENS HOLD MASS MEETING.

### An Interesting and Enthusiastic Gathering to Discuss City Hall.

Quite a number of interested citizens both ladies and gentlemen assembled in Union Hall last evening in response to the call of the city trustees to consider plans for a new City Hall to be built in the plaza.

J. E. Poppe, Pres. Board of Trustees, called the meeting to order and announced the purpose of the meeting. Nominations for chairman were called for and Wm. Clewe was unanimously chosen to preside.

W. O. Hocker was elected secretary.

Chairman Clewe urged all present to speak their minds freely upon the subject under consideration and called upon A. C. Lutgens, the architect of San Francisco, who gave a clear detailed statement of the plans under consideration. He cheerfully answered all questions put to him by the audience.

Among those who spoke and offered many timely and wise suggestions were: Trustees Poppe, McDonnell, Breitenbach, and Hotz, Mrs. Empanan, Mrs. Appleton, Miss Doris Clewe, Wm. Trudgen, V. Bulotti, J. H. Seipp and others.

After a full discussion was had by all present, by motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously decided that the plans of Mr. A. C. Lutgens were entirely satisfactory and recommendation was made that they be adopted by the Board of City Trustees.

A lengthy discussion followed in regard to the location of the building. The motion to have building placed in the center of the plaza, prevailed and the recommendation was made to the board that the new building be placed there.

Before adjournment, Pres. Poppe expressed regret that a larger number of citizens were not present when all were given the opportunity to come and make any desired suggestions. The trustees intend to go right ahead and complete the building as soon as possible.

### A light shower of rain fell last evening.

Mrs. Murphy and daughter Miss Florence are visiting friends in Berkeley.

The friends of Mrs. F. C. Poulson will be sorry to learn that she is quite seriously ill.

The new transformer was put in place this week and in consequence the electric lights are more satisfactory.

John W. McNeil is slowly improving after the serious operation performed upon him a few days since.

A marriage license has been issued in San Francisco authorized the marriage of Miss Ada Riley and Jas. Serres.

The fall of the bastille dance at El Verano Villa was largely attended last evening and a jolly good time was had.

Mrs. J. T. MacQuiddy has been quite sick the past few days. A speedy restoration to health is anxiously looked for.

Architect A. C. Lutgens of San Francisco, has donated to the Woman's Club plans for the proposed fountain. The plans are consistent with the style of architecture of the new city hall.

Jos. Hopper a former Sonoma boy son of the late Col. Hopper was shaking hands with old friends here Wednesday. Mr. Hopper is the Cashier of the First National Bank of San Francisco.

The large petition filed with the Board of Supervisors asking for a new ordinance regulating saloons outside incorporated cities was not granted by the Board by a vote of 3 to 2 last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fouts, Wm. Clewe, F. T. Duhring, were among the Sonoma people who attended the joint installation of the N. S. G. W. and W. O. W. in Glen Ellen Saturday night.

William J. Cummings station agent of the C. N. Ry. at Willits has been assigned to Petaluma depot. The change is a pleasant promotion for the Mr. Cummings and his many friends here extend congratulations.

Miss Dena Carter who has been visiting Sonoma friends for the past month left for Santa Rosa last Saturday. This week she will go to Sacramento and after a brief visit there will return to her home in Madison, Nebraska.

A warrant is out for the arrest of F. Franklin representing a Los Angeles life insurance company. He operated in Marin Co. and then went to Glen Ellen and Sonoma for a brief time. It is alleged that he had a good forgettery when it came to paying bills and turning over money collected. Judge Gibsonsore out the warrant.

## WILL TRY TO HAVE SONOMA CREEK DEEPENED.

### COMMITTEE APPOINTED AND EXAMINED THE CREEK LAST SUNDAY.

At a meeting of the citizens of Sonoma Valley recently held, a committee was appointed to carry on a campaign to secure the improvement of Sonoma Creek. Since the movement is one in which every resident of the valley is directly and deeply interested and in which all must take part if success is to be assured, it seems proper that the committee should make a brief statement of its aims, and of how it hopes to accomplish them.

That the creek is becoming more and more shallow year by year, that unless conditions are changed it will be but a short time before navigation of any kind will be impossible, that as a result of the shallowing the water is back up and overflows are caused destroying crops, ruining orchards, washing away public roads, and impeding traffic by railway as well as by other conveyance, that by reason of these things the people of the valley are put to an expense of thousands of dollars each year—these facts are known to all, and need not be dwelt upon. They establish the pressing necessity for relief, but how is that relief to be obtained?

It is a notorious fact that congress is always so overwhelmed by the mass of business pressing upon it that even important measures fail to be acted upon; moreover, while the annual appropriation for rivers and harbors averages more than seven million dollars, this sum amounts to but a small fraction of what was asked for. The secret of success is united and energetic action on the part of those interested. Success in this undertaking is to be gained only by united action on the part of the people of this valley, the endorsement and support of influential people elsewhere, and the effective presentation of the subject to members of congress and others whose support is desired.

### WHAT THE COMMITTEE PROPOSES TO DO.

The final and crowning step of the campaign is a petition to Congress signed by every tax-payer and landowner in the valley. This is the final step, but time will be required to obtain the signatures, so the petition will be circulated betimes.

The first step to be taken is to determine what improvement is most desirable and at the same time most likely to be secured.

When this is determined the consent of property owners to the proposed changes must be obtained, for the suspicion that the intention is to unload rights of way upon the government would defeat the whole movement.

The next step is to secure skilled assistance to estimate the cost of the proposed improvements so that congress may have an idea of the expense involved in granting the petition.

An address is then to be prepared setting forth these facts, the acreage and population to be affected, the benefits to be derived from the development that has resulted in other localities for similar improvements. This address is to be accompanied by a map showing the present course of the creek and the scope of the proposed improvements. As has been said, copies of this address are to be sent to those whose influence and assistance it is desired to gain.

When the political campaign opens a meeting is to be held to be addressed by the congressional candidates—Republican and Democratic—in this district, and these candidates are to be given an opportunity to view the creek and learn for them selves the necessity for the improvement. The support of the senators from this State is also to be sought.

The committee purposes further to seek the endorsement of the measure by every influential body in the State as a movement looking to State development.

The campaign for the improvement of Sonoma Creek opened last Sunday with an excursion by the members of the committee for the purpose of gathering ammunition. Mr. Chas. Cutter had placed his launch at the disposal of the committee, and Captain Hauto accompanied the expedition to furnish information and advice. A number of plans were discussed, and the party returned satisfied that they had gained in information besides enjoying themselves.

E. I. VASSAULT Sec'y  
ROBERT POPPE Chairman

## SWISS HOTEL PROPERTY SOLD

Mrs. Rosa Sartori has sold her property on 1st St West now leased by Baccala & Co. proprietors of the Swiss Hotel to C. Aguilon the pioneer distiller and wine merchant. The consideration was not learned.

## High School Trustees Meet.

At a meeting of the High School trustees last Saturday afternoon, De Witt Montgomery was re-elected principal of the school. The other teachers are Miss Maud Frazer and A. T. Lewis who comes from southern California.

Mr. R. E. Dowdall was elected chairman and Mr. R. P. Hill, of Eldridge, was re-elected secretary.

School opens the first Monday in August.

## BIG IMPROVEMENT.

Theodor Richards, Prop. of Agua Caliente Springs, contemplates more great improvements at his popular resort. This time he is going to erect a fine stone structure near the main entrance to contain a business office, Post office, smoking and lounging room, telephone, and express office and a large grocery and general merchandise store.

## WILL HAVE EXHIBIT

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisor on Wednesday that body took an appropriation of three hundred dollars towards the placing of an exhibit in San Francisco during the coming triennial convale of the Knights Templars on which occasion many thousands of people will be there from all over the United States and from abroad.

## Fall of the Bastille.

The 14th of July was celebrated in a fitting manner by the family of Wm. H. Chapman, Esq., of Arbor View Ave., El Verano. Mr. Chapman and his friends gathered at the home of Mr. A. W. Weaver where they set off all kinds of fireworks. The evening was closed by a rendering of the "Marseillaise" by Miss Ida M. Day. Peculiarly appropriate was the presence of Miss Nina Vensano of S. F., the guest of Miss Chapman, since Miss Vensano is the lineal descendant of Monseigneur de la Vensaneau, a French noble of some note, who was among those who regained their liberty by the Fall of the Bastille.

The battle is now on between Parker and Davis as the standard bearers of Democratic principles in the national campaign and Roosevelt and Fairbanks representing the G. O. P.

A Covelo, Mendocino Co. Indian Bill Garfield by name raised a check from \$2.50 to \$17.20 and cashed it. His arrest soon followed. Bill should take a post-graduate course.

The Sonoma County Board of Education at a meeting held last Saturday suspended indefinitely the certificate of James Ferguson, the ex-principal of the Petaluma High School. The Board found him guilty of unprofessional conduct on several counts.

Paul Kruger the celebrated ex-President of the Boer Republic, died Wednesday in Switzerland. When the success of the British arms become assured, Kruger made his escape in a German vessel and has since made his home in Europe.

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**RULED BY THE MOON**

ODD BELIEFS BY DUTCH FARMERS OF NORTH CAROLINA.

**They Kill Hogs, Plant and Build According to the Tilt of the Moon. How to Keep a Dog and What One Must Do to Make a Good Tree Dog.**

The Dutch farmers of Rowan county are among North Carolina's most prosperous and most interesting people. They live well, save money and improve in every way. Thrift is a virtue with them. They are great believers in signs and old sayings. They do things by the moon.

Before building a worm fence the Dutch always watch the moon, says the Charlotte (N. C.) Observer. It must be right or the fence will sink into the ground. The bottom rail must be put down when the little moon is turned up, so that it will not sink into the ground. To prove that this is the right sort of doctrine let a person make an experiment with two bricks. Put down one while the little moon is up and the other while it is down, and it will be noticed that the one laid when the moon was down will go into the ground and that the other will remain as left.

If one would cover his house well he must make the boards when the little moon is turned down. That is easy. The boards will keep their shape if turned then. But, on the other hand, if made while the little moon is turned up the boards will cup up at the ends when exposed to the weather. I have seen many a board turn up at the end, but never knew what did it till now.

The moon must be right when a Dutchman kills his hogs. If the hogs are killed when the little moon is on the decrease the meat will shrink, but if killed when the little moon is on the increase it will swell.

To have good turnips one must plant on Israel's day—that is, in August. If corn is planted when the little moon points up the ears will grow too near the top. The ear gets more nourishment near the ground.

No work is done on Ascension day. It is a day of rest and pleasure. If the first visitor to a home that day is a man all the eggs that are setting will hatch roosters; if a woman, pullets will prevail. Therefore a man is an unwelcome guest early in the morning on Ascension day.

It is not right to carry out the ashes between Christmas and New Year's day. That brings bad luck.

If a farmer puts out manure or fertilizer when the little moon points up it will stay, but if the little moon points down it will teach out.

There are a thousand and one of these signs and sayings if they could be collected. Many of them are met in other Dutch communities.

Lived there a country boy in Mecklenburg who did not know how to treat his old hound for various shortcomings? If when you get a new dog he will not stay with you cut the hair tip off his tail and bury it under the front steps, and then he will abide with you forever. Nobody can take him from you. If you would have the dog love you better than he could anybody else wear a bit of meat in the heel of your shoe a day and then give it to the dog to eat. It is strange doctrine, but true, for I have tried it.

Some folks find it better to measure a dog with a stick and bury it under the steps than to nick the tail. Either way will do.

It so happens now and then that a fine dog refuses to bark at the tree. That sort of hunting is unsatisfactory, for most of the hunter's time is wasted in hunting for the silent dog. That defect, however, is easily got rid of. The hunter goes to the woods and listens for the squeaking noise that is made by the rubbing together of two trees. He gathers the bark from the point of friction, makes a soup of it and gives it to the dog. If anything will help him after he is grown that will. But if the puppy is taken in time there will be no silent dog at the tree. As soon as the puppy is large enough to stand the blow the hunter should burst a green gourd over his head. That will make two dogs—barking dogs. But he cannot refrain from giving a word of warning here. I hit one of my puppies too hard once and broke his head instead of the gourd.

In certain sections of the south there is a saying that if you rub a teething baby's gums with warm rabbit brains the teeth will come through the skin without difficulty. It was my good fortune once to see the trick tried. One day I was traveling in the lower part of Mecklenburg county when I saw two small boys running, carrying something. The youngsters were red in the face and hot. I could see that they were bent on purpose. The larger of the two, a red topped boy, was in the lead. He held in his hand something that he seemed to be jealous of and was trying to protect.

"What have you there, boy?" I shouted.

"Rabbit brains—hot rabbit brains," was the quick reply.

"What are you going to do with them?"

"We're going to rub sister's gums, so she kin cut teeth."

I followed the boys and watched the operation. It was all right, and I have learned since that teething was made easier by the act. The boys had chased that rabbit and killed him far ahead.

But all that trouble could have been avoided had the child been supplied with a bag of moles' feet. If the mother will take the feet of a ground mole, sew them up in a sack and tie them around the baby's neck all will be well. I do not know why this is so, but it is. The baby must chew the rag.

**Be Just a Man.** Don't be a gentleman. Lincoln was a man. Who ever spoke of the "gentlemanly Shakespeare?" Think of describing Grant as a gentleman! How would it look in history to read about our great gentleman, George Washington? Nobody ever dubbed Solomon with the name of "gentleman." A gentleman is the snob's title for a do nothing, a fellow about town, a tailor made loafer, a confidence shark or a society stork. Be a man.—Hayfield Mower.

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**Starting.**  
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The next day they secured the flat. Then Mrs. Veeder went to a large establishment downtown and bought a complete outfit of furniture and house-keeping supplies, ordering its delivery two days thereafter.

Punctually at the appointed time the outfit came in two large wagons. The men unloaded the things, carried them into the house and at Mrs. Veeder's request took off the wrappings.

She checked off the articles one by one and inspected them carefully. Not a thing was missing. Nothing was broken. There was not a scratch on any article of furniture.

This was so obviously impossible that Mrs. Veeder could not believe her eyes. She was convinced that she must be going crazy.

In alarm she ran out into the hallway, called loudly to her husband—and awoke.

It was all a dream.—Chicago Tribune.

**A Blasted Hope.**  
"I cannot help telling you again that I love you," said Mr. De Trop. "Can you not hold out one hope?"

"I did hold out one hope," replied Miss Pechis, wearily, "but that's gone now."

"What was it?"  
"I had hoped you wouldn't mention this subject again."—Philadelphia Press.

**Prompt Acquiescence.**  
Algy De Staylate—Father thinks it would be a good thing if I should travel.

Helen De Wise—I think so too. How soon do you intend to start?

**Often So.**  
"What are the Smiths going to name their new baby?"

"Oh, Mrs. Smith says she is going to think a long time over it and get something striking and unusual to go with 'Smith.'"

Three months later—"There goes Mrs. Smith, wheeling little John in a gocart."—Detroit Free Press.

**She Had Arms.**  
"Ah, Miss Strong, you're a regular Venus," said Jack Nervey, as he attempted to kiss her.

"Indeed?" she replied as she gave him a right arm jolt on the nose and followed it up with a left arm swing on the jaw. "but, fortunately, I'm no Venus de Milo."—Baltimore News.

**Alternatives.**  
"Unhand me!" she cried.  
Lawrence only pressed her closer in his mad embrace.

"Unhand me, or you'll have to foot it!"

Even as she spoke the roar and clang of the last car broke the stillness of the night.—Puck.

**Truthful.**  
"Didn't you say you had all the comforts of home?" asked the indignant guest.

"Well," answered Farmer Cornstossel, "after you folks are gone we do have 'em. That's what we take boarders for."—Washington Star.

**How He Did It.**  
"That man keeps up entirely on stimulants."  
"Poor fellow! In the last stages, I suppose?"  
"No; he's in the saloon business."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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