

# NEWS OF OAKLAND, BERKELEY, ALAMEDA, HAYWARD AND SAN LEANDRO

## SAENGERFEST IS BROUGHT TO CLOSE

Prizes for Excellence in Vocal Work Awarded in Greek Theater  
German and Austrian Consuls Present Cups Donated by Their Monarchs

BERKELEY, Sept. 5.—Germania turn Verein singing section of Los Angeles won the Kaiser Wilhelm II cup for general excellence in singing at the Pacific coast saengerfest, which closed tonight with the award and presentation of prizes at the Greek theater. The Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria cup for the best Tyrolean singing was won by Sacramento turn Verein harmonie. For composition the first prize gold medal was awarded to A. Buchse of Philadelphia. Theodore Vogt of Alameda won the second prize, a silver medal.

Other awards were as follows: Tyrolean singing, diplomas—First, Pionierschenschaft saengerbund; second, Gesangssektion of the Gruettel Verein of San Francisco; third, Gesangssektion Harmonie of San Francisco; fourth, Hessen Verein of San Francisco; fifth, Gesangssektion Verein Osterreich of San Francisco; sixth, San Francisco turn Verein; seventh, Oakland turn Verein; eighth, Gesang Verein Alpenrosen.

### SAN FRANCISCANS WIN

For general excellence in group C the diploma was awarded to the Gesangssektion of the San Francisco turn Verein. The other group awards were: Group A—first prize, Hammersmith slipey, Liederkreis of Seattle; second, diploma, Gesangssektion Gruettel Verein of San Francisco; third, diploma, Gesangssektion Bayernbundes of San Francisco; Group B—first prize, Shreve turn Verein, Gesangssektion Oakland turn Verein; second prize, diploma, Mannerchor Fidelia of Los Angeles; third prize, diploma, Freundschaft Gesangsbund of San Francisco.

The winning societies were all represented in the large audience and laurel wreaths were presented to each of the victors.

Dr. Max Magnus, president of the saengerfest, presided. President Benjamin Ide Wheeler made an address of welcome. After the awards were announced the Francis Joseph cup was presented to the winning society by Karl Ruiz de Roxas, Austrian consul at San Francisco. Herr Franz Bopp, German consul, made the presentation of the German emperor's trophy.

Those who attended the performance of four plays by the cobbler poet, Hans Sachs, in the Greek theater this evening were transported into the romantic atmosphere of medieval days in the good old city of Nuremberg. Everything, from the four shrovetide plays, presented in the original German by students of the University of California to the majestic choral numbers with which the great choruses of the saengerbund ended the program, contributed to the enjoyment of the lovers of things Teutonic.

### LARGE AUDIENCE

The audience was large. Among the auditors were the members of the chorus, about 1,000 strong, together with friends and relatives. The presentation of the plays tonight concluded the week which has been taken up by the Saengerfest in San Francisco.

After the prologue written by F. von Jeger, came the four plays. The works presented were "The Court of Venus," "The Vagrant Student in Paradise," "The Peddler's Basket" and "The Peasant in Purgatory." The last three being written about 1550 and the first in 1517. The lines were well spoken by the students and showed the results of Herr Fritz Huber's coaching. The stage direction was attended to creditably by Herr Ernst George, while the stage decoration and costuming, which was under the direction of Prof. F. H. Meyer of the California School of Arts and Crafts, did more than anything else to create the desired atmosphere.

### CHORUSES EFFECTIVE

The numbers sung by the great chorus were among the most attractive features. Arthur Claassen, the director, obtained excellent effects with his choir of almost 1,000 trained voices. The four numbers which they sang on the program were "Spin, Spin," by Feyhl; "Haldenroeselein," by Werner, and arrangement by Van der Stucken of "My Old Kentucky Home," and Silcher's "Lorelei."

The cast of characters in the Sachs' plays were:

Prologue and Epilogue  
Von F. von Jeger.  
Eulenspiegel ..... Fritz Huber  
Pfeifer ..... Max Young '12, Leo Cohn '13  
"THE COURT OF VENUS"  
Ehrenhold ..... E. F. Crikler '11  
Getreide Eckart ..... G. F. Michelbacher '12  
Tausendseiner ..... L. Nicol '11  
Frau Venus ..... M. Reinhaus '12  
Ritter ..... W. L. Calkins '11  
Doktor ..... J. B. Newman '12  
Bauer ..... E. C. Berry '11  
Landknecht ..... H. Ehrenberg '11  
Trinker ..... M. L. Lippman '13  
Jungfrau ..... Helen Young '14  
Fitterfaedele ..... Emma Fauvart '13  
Gefolge der Venus ..... Edith Anderson '10, Hope Matthews '11, Rose Farrell '12, Gladys Ostrander '12, Helen Weber '12  
"THE VAGRANT STUDENT IN PARADISE"  
Bauerlein ..... Katharina Heiss '09  
Schnigel ..... Hugo Scheidel '12  
Bauer ..... R. G. Sharp, '11  
"THE PEDDLER'S BASKET"  
Knecht Heiss ..... H. Steindorff '14  
Kraemer ..... M. Reinhaus '12  
Rasmer ..... W. L. Aschenbrenner '12  
Herr ..... W. D. Bushnell '13  
Frau ..... Edna C. O'Connor '11  
Knecht ..... L. C. Newby '10  
"THE PEASANT IN PURGATORY"  
Abt ..... F. Schneider '10  
Herr Ulrich ..... E. G. Sharpe '11  
Bauerlein ..... Alice E. McComb '12  
Eberlin Grotzenbrei ..... J. F. Frawley '12  
Herr Rubeandant ..... W. D. Bushnell '12  
Heinz Duessel ..... E. G. Browne '10

### LIST OF PATRONS

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## GERMANIA TURN VEREIN WINS KAISER'S CUP FOR SINGING



From left to right: Miss Irma Fauveaux, L. Nicol and H. Ehrenberg, who took part in production of "The Court of Venus" at the Greek theater.

## MUSEUM HAS A GREWSOME HOST

Hundreds of Skeletons and Rich Collection of Interesting Exhibits Are Shown

Visitors to the wonderful museum of the Royal college of surgeons need no longer be bewildered by the endless array of pathological and other specimens. The new illustrated guide, prepared by Professor A. Keith, the conservator, makes it possible to obtain a general idea of the richness of the collection and at the same time fill him with an acute sense of the mystery of life, growth and death.

A student of the science of human anatomy will be deeply interested, but the timorous and sensitive will be subjected to "creeps." Row upon row of grinning skulls, some with gleaming white teeth, others toothless, skeletons of all sizes, from an 18 inch dwarf to a 7 foot 8 inch Irish man, found by the Galloway Hill man, found by Byrne or Brien, hundreds of cases and jars, filled with portions of the human body, sections of once living things culled from all quarters of the globe, meet the eye at every turn, says the London News.

The catalogue is written for the use of those who make their first visit to the museum. As Professor Keith says, "the museum may be regarded as a discourse on the human body. The animal kingdom has been ransacked to show the meaning of its structure and the manner in which it works." While the museum makes its chief appeal to the medical student and the anthropologist, it has a distinctly human interest.

Among the skulls may be seen several of the earliest known European race—the Neanderthal—and the cranial and other bones of prehistoric inhabitants of England. The earliest human form discovered in England is represented by the Galloway Hill man, found near Dartford eight feet down in a bank of gravel which showed undisturbed stratification. The great collection of skulls brings us up through the neolithic, bronze, ancient British, Roman and Anglo-Saxon periods—in fact, up to the present time.

An examination of the skulls of various races reveals some striking features. The early Tasmanians show a remarkable size and strength of teeth and jaw. The ancient Peruvians reveal a peculiar deformation caused by artificial compression of the skull. The work of the primitive dentist is in evidence in some of the Bornean skulls. The front teeth are deformed by filing and drilling and the cavities filled with shining metal.

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Students of criminology have an opportunity of examining the skull of Eugene Aram and the skeleton of Jonathan Wild, executed at Tyburn in 1725. Readers in other fields may see the fractured rib of Robert Bruce King of Scotland, an injury sustained in a hunting match during a visit to England in his youth. This rib was obtained when his skeleton was discovered in 1819. There also are a cast of the arm of Dr. Livingstone, mauled by a lion, the brain of Professor Charles Babbage, and a series of specimens representing deformities of the spine, and skeletons of women whose bodies have been deformed by tight lacing.

A great collection of calculi, over 1,000 in number, illustrates the danger to which the human secretory organs are subject. These form the collection of Sir Henry Thompson, the famous surgeon, and include the calculi he removed from Leopold, king of the Belgians, and Napoleon III.

There is sufficient in this weird museum to fascinate the visitor for hours at a time, ranging from the oldest mummy in the world to the tattered and shredded clothing of a man struck by lightning who marvelously escaped personal injury though his clothes were destroyed.

## CLOTHES ARE MADE OF SIBERIAN STONE

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POLICEMEN EXPECT RAISE IN SALARIES

Alameda City Council Said to Favor Increase

ALAMEDA, Sept. 5.—At the meeting of the city council to be held tomorrow night it is expected that an ordinance will be introduced to increase the salaries of the members of the police department. It is planned to increase the chief's salary from \$150 to \$175, two detectives from \$100 to \$125, two sergeants and a clerk from \$100 to \$110, patrolmen from \$90 to \$100. The police and fire commissioners also have asked that the pay of the members of the fire department be advanced. It is said that a majority of the council is against the increase asked by the firemen, but favors more pay for police department members.

BOARD DEADLOCKED ON BUILDING PLANS

School Directors Unable to Choose Design

ALAMEDA, Sept. 5.—There is a deadlock in the board of education on the selection of plans for the Washington school to be erected at the corner of Santa Clara avenue and Eighth street. Ten designs recently were submitted by architects. Directors H. G. Ward and Gavin Altchison are said to favor the plans submitted by Rogers & Smith. Directors J. B. Lanktree and Dr. W. T. Um are reported to favor the plans submitted by Lewis Stone. President D. L. Randolph has thus far declined to vote for any of the designs submitted. An effort will be made to break the deadlock at a meeting to be held tomorrow night.

DEATH CALLS AN OLD RESIDENT OF OAKLAND

Supervisor John F. Mullins' Mother Passes Away

OAKLAND, Sept. 5.—Funeral services for Mrs. John F. Mullins, a pioneer resident of West Oakland, who died yesterday at her home, 1115 Poplar street, will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the family residence. Commencing at 9:30 o'clock a solemn high mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church. Mrs. Mullins leaves a husband, William Mullins, and four children—Daniel J. Mullins, William J. Mullins, Supervisor John F. Mullins and Miss Sarah A. Mullins. She was 60 years old and a native of Ireland.

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## DINNER TO PRECEDE THE CROCKER BALL

Mrs. Andrew L. Stone Invites Members of Younger Set to the Peninsula

OAKLAND, Sept. 5.—One of the most elaborate dinners of the week will be that at which Mrs. Andrew L. Stone will preside as hostess at the Peninsula Thursday evening, preceding the brilliant ball at which Mr. and Mrs. William Crocker will formally introduce their daughter, Miss Ethel Crocker. Covers will be laid for 24 of the younger set.

A number will cross from this side of the bay to accept Mrs. Stone's hospitality, the Oakland guests including the hostess's sister, Miss Vera Havemeyer and Miss Ethel Havemeyer, Miss Harriet Stone, Chapin Tibbs and Jack Neville. Among the others who will accept of Mrs. Stone's hospitality are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin and a coterie of the amateur set of Burlingame. Since their Burlingame residence was destroyed by fire last year the Stones have lived at the Peninsula.

Mrs. Frank Proctor gave a dinner Saturday evening at the Claremont country club, which was followed by an informal dance in the ballroom.

One of the notable events of last week was the silver anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce Johnson. A dozen friends were entertained at dinner at the handsome residence of the Johnson family in Monte Vista avenue, the appointments of the table being in keeping with the occasion. Miss Josephine Johnson, who spent the summer on the Atlantic coast, returned to California a fortnight ago, joining her mother at Del Monte over the golf tournament. Mrs. Johnson and Miss Johnson have been at their Oakland home more than a week.

Mrs. M. Bucheney of 2542 College avenue, Berkeley, with her daughters, Miss Octavine and Miss Violet Bucheney, left tonight for a trip of three months in Europe. They will stop on their way and make visits in Chicago, Pittsburg and Albany.

A group of friends went down to Idlewild over the week end, enjoying a reunion of those included in one of the early summer outing parties. In the number were:

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Lundborg  
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Brown  
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Morgan  
Mr. and Mrs. William M. Walsh  
Mr. and Mrs. Giles Nelson Easton  
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Morgan  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morgan  
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Walsh

Mrs. James Moffitt is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. John Hampton Lynch, as her house guest during the early fall. The New York matron arrived in California a week ago and it will be her last visit to the old family place in Twenty-second street, as the Moffitts are planning to take possession of their new Piedmont residence.

The wedding of Miss Jane Cooper and Frederick Wells is announced for Wednesday, October 5, in New York, upon the arrival of the bride to be with her mother and sister from abroad, where they have been for the past year. The ceremony will be a simple one. After a short honeymoon Wells and his bride will return to the bay cities, where they will establish their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neville and Jack Neville have reopened their Claremont residence after three weeks spent at Del Monte, where Jack Neville distinguished himself on the golf field during the tournaments.

In honor of Miss Kate Field, Miss Leslie Greig has sent out cards for one of the largest bridge parties of the month on Wednesday afternoon, September 14, at her home in Alameda. Miss Field has recently returned from a year abroad, where she went after completing a two year course in one of the finishing schools of the east.

Admission day will be celebrated at the Country club in the usual way with a series of luncheons and dinner parties and a ball in the evening. Some interesting sports are announced for the morning and afternoon.

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SAN LEANDRO WILL FIGHT WHITE PLAGUE

Local Branch of County Society to Be Organized

SAN LEANDRO, Sept. 5.—A local branch of the Alameda county society for the prevention of tuberculosis will be established shortly in San Leandro. This step follows an enthusiastic open air meeting that was recently held in Estadillo avenue. Kenneth A. Millican, president of the county society, instigated the organization of the local branch and will assist in its work of spreading the crusade against the white plague.

## WIDOW OF BANKER CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Emily Morrell Page, the Mother of Physician, Will Be Buried Today

BERKELEY, Sept. 5.—Mrs. Emily Morrell Page, widow of Francis Stoddard Page, who was well known in banking circles of Oakland and Berkeley, died yesterday at the home of her son, Ernest Stoddard Page, 2423 Stuart street. She was a native of New York and came to this state many years ago. She was the mother of Dr. Clarence Winslow Page, a physician of this city; Ernest Stoddard Page, whose wife is at the head of the Twentieth Century club, and Mary Page.

The funeral will take place from her son's home in Stuart street, Tuesday morning, at 10 o'clock, when many friends and relatives will gather to pay their respects. The interment will be private.

## PIONEER WOMAN IS LAID IN HER GRAVE

BERKELEY, Sept. 5.—Attended by many friends and relatives, the funeral of Mrs. Catherine Daly, pioneer of West Berkeley, was held from her late home, 818 1/2 Page street, this morning followed by the celebration of a requiem high mass at the St. Joseph's Catholic church. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery. Mrs. Daly, who lived or many years in the west end, was 73 years of age. She is survived by a husband, Thomas Daly, and two sisters, Mrs. A. Connolly and Mrs. Peter Wherity.

## ONE-QUARTER OF ALL SWEDES ARE IN AMERICA

According to an estimate by Prof. W. Lundstrom, forwarded by Consul General E. D. Winslow of Stockholm, there are 8,250,000 Swedes in the world, of whom 5,450,000 are in Sweden, 2,800,000 in America and 375,000 in Russia.

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