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# EVENTS IN COUNTIES BORDERING SAN FRANCISCO BAY

## WOMEN CHORUS DENUNCIATION AGAINST RECALL

Members of Good Government League Lead Big "Anti" Meeting at Oakland

Prominent Men Sound Warning of Danger in Threatened Socialist Rule

OAKLAND, July 22.—An anti-recall meeting of the Women's Good Government League was held tonight at the Oakland College of Medicine, Thirty-first and Grove streets, and was largely attended. Mayor Frank H. Mott, as the principal speaker, outlined the reasons why the recall should be defeated and explained that the only issue was not between order and disorder between law and anarchy.

The hall was thronged with women. Dr. Hayward H. Thomas, president of the college, presided and introduced the speakers, among them Mott, Charles H. Stock and Miss Rachel Moore, a member of the playground commission.

The committee consisted of prominent women, among them Miss Annie T. Brown, Mrs. H. C. Hancock and Mrs. Nellie Brown. President among the members of the league are Mrs. J. N. Porter, Mrs. J. J. Valentine, Mrs. John Mole, Mrs. W. T. Blackburn, Mrs. W. A. Seely, Mrs. J. H. Farrell, Mrs. H. Graham, Mrs. F. W. Truett, Mrs. Carolyn Holman, Mrs. W. M. Moore, Mrs. Nellie Nelson, Miss Ethel Ross and Miss M. Collins.

Miss Moore confined her remarks to the women voters and pointed out the importance of the anti-recall forces winning the election.

"We must work hard," she said. "It is incumbent upon every woman in the city to make a stand for her home and family."

"The I. W. W. are to respect of women and it would be calamity if the voice of government were tossed over to them. The Women's Good Government League has been organized to help fight for law and order and everything possible is being done by this organization for the success of Mayor Mott and Commissioner Turner and Deacon, whom the recall forces would remove from office."

**TRUE STORY OF RECALL.**

Doctor Thomas, in introducing Mayor Mott, said:

"This neighborhood meeting is called to hear the true story of the recall. It is a vital question for every voter, every taxpayer, to learn that the injustice of the recall is not so much an injury to the officials, but a direct injury to us; that we are the ones who

## City Officials Preparing for Exchange of Municipal Ideas

### Convention at Berkeley Will Work for Much Good

BERKELEY, July 22.—Preparations for the convention here in September of the California League of Municipalities will be undertaken this week by city officials. M. L. Hancock, the city auditor, in accordance with instructions from the city council, will make up for use during the convention an exhibit of his methods of accounting.

At the close the new charter went into effect, Hancock devised a system of keeping the city's accounts, which he has since perfected, making some improvements after his return from the national convention of controllers and accounting officers at Buffalo, N. Y. He believes the system he uses "can be applied in cities of any size."

Health Officer Dr. J. J. Hensley and the members of the board of health are preparing also for the convention of the state health officers, whose sessions will be part of the general meeting.

As soon as the fall term of the University of California opens next month Prof. Myer E. Jaffe, state pure food expert, will take up the organization of the pure food show which will be held at the seating building during the convention.

The Chamber of Commerce will assist Professor Jaffe in preparing this exhibition, and probably will have charge also of an industrial show, which will be made up of appliances and machinery used in municipal im-



M. L. Hancock, city auditor of Berkeley, who will set forth advanced accounting methods before convention of California League of Municipalities.

provements, such as street work, dock construction and street lighting.

The board of trade plans to hold a trade show, with exhibits of California products, in a tent which will be erected in the main district of the city.

## ACCUSED WOMAN A STRANGE PROBLEM

### Takes Husband's Roll; Buys Apartment House; Weeps When Spouse Is Adamant

OAKLAND, July 22.—Mrs. Grace de Loyess Wright, arrested on a grand jury charge for the alleged swindling of her husband, T. J. Wright, to the extent of \$2,000, is the proprietress of the Lake Merritt apartment house where she was taken into custody. It is believed by the police that the major portion of the money she obtained from Wright went into his purchase. The place was bought June 12, Mrs. Wright paying \$2,000 down and signing her name to the papers "Mrs. Grace de Loyess."

## MESERVE-PORTER WEDDING IS SET

### August 27 Is Date for Quiet Home Ceremony; Other Social Chronicles

OAKLAND, July 22.—Miss Edith Porter has named the date for her marriage with Shirley Meserve, for Tuesday, August 27, the wedding to take place at the Porter family residence. The event will be one of the elaborate affairs of the season and will be witnessed by the Porter and Meserve families and a few of their closest friends. Miss Porter has not yet announced the very of attendants whom she has chosen for the bridal party. Meserve is a young business man of Los Angeles. His betrothal

## WHITE QUITS YEARLY MODEL

### Cleveland Factory to Change Cars Only When Necessary—Notes From Row

By LEON J. PINKSON

Another of the big motor car factories of the country has decided to abandon the yearly model idea. The latest concern that will no longer announce and bring out new models at a certain specified time each year is the White company. According to official announcement received at the local White branch yesterday, hereafter the various cars will be known by their model letters, without reference to date, and a model will continue, irrespective of the year, until it is found advisable to change it. At that time the current model designation will be dropped and a new one used to differentiate between the old and the new cars.

C. R. Hawkins, manager of the Pacific coast branch of the White company, says the following relating to the new order made at the Cleveland factory:

"Any change in models that is found advisable will be made as soon as it is apparent that such a change will be a real improvement to the car, instead of waiting and holding all changes until the end of the season, so that the purchaser of a White car will at all times be none of getting the latest and most highly developed car that the White company can produce at the time that he makes his purchase."

"This policy has been decided upon by the White company because it seems to be the logical and common sense method. The practice of making changes in a car, sometimes so important as to be absurd, at a certain time each year, for the mere sake of bringing out something different, places a false appreciation as a car of last year's design, and creates an artificial demand for the so-called new models, which practice does not seem to be in accord with sound business principles. For this reason there will be no '12' announcement made by the White company."

Fraser OK for East—Phil Frazer, manager of Don Lee's northern California Casino organization, left yesterday for the Cadillac factory at Detroit. He will remain in the east about three weeks.

## AUTO LICENSES ARE ISSUED FOR STATE

### SACRAMENTO, July 22.—The following are the admissible registrations to July 22, 1912:

- 2022—Mrs. E. P. Scherzer, San Mateo; Chalmers.
- 2023—A. E. Toney, Palo Alto; Flanders coupe.
- 2024—Veranda-Campus Carriage company, San Jose; Flanders coupe.
- 2025—America 175 company, 10 North Main street, San Jose; Buick.
- 2026—H. P. Stone, Berkeley; National.
- 2027—J. McDonald, San Jose; Buick.
- 2028—J. A. Hutchins, 228 Throckmold building, San Diego; Maxwell.
- 2029—J. E. Dwyer, garage, 1225 First street, San Diego; Maxwell.

## BOHEMIAN CAFE ALARMS OAKLAND

### Council Confronted With Plans for Restaurant That Will "Ginger Up City"

OAKLAND, July 22.—An Oakland to have a Bohemian restaurant, which is to cater to the night life and put some "ginger into the city after the sun has set," to use the words of Commissioner of Streets W. J. Barnes? M. L. Chell, one of the proprietors of Cappa's restaurant of San Francisco recently appeared before the city council and showed plans for a \$15,000 cafe, which was to be opened in the basement of the First National bank building at the intersection of Fourteenth street, Broadway and San Pablo avenue.

Mayor Frank H. Mott said at a special meeting today that P. E. Bowles, president of the bank had told him that no arrangement had been made for this innovation and that he intended to use the space for safety deposit vaults. Mott has favored the idea of a bank and has been more or less opposed to the restaurant, saying that the city already had enough eating houses.

In addition to Mott's statement, a protest, which has been filed with P. C. Turner, commissioner of public health and safety, was read today. This was signed by the Public Service club, of which W. C. Hayward is president.

Turner's communication to the council was in part as follows:

"The men who wish to establish this cafe came to see me last week and desired that the character of the restaurant was not all that it should be. I have written a letter to W. C. Hayward, president of the Public Service club of Alameda county, which protesting first in the matter, and told them to explain it to him, but I also said that I personally did not believe that the city council would favor their plans, especially if the club continued in its opposition after hearing the statement."

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