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WHY A LIBRARY

PLEA FOR THE BETTER SUPPORT OF THE CARMEL LIBRARY

Few people realize the benefits of a library of any sort in a small town. The prime reason for the existence of such an institution lies in the collection and bringing together of a varied mass of literature beyond the means of a single individual.

There are at present in the Carmel library 2843 volumes, with more being added from time to time. This does not include the County library of fifty books which are changed several times during the year.

More than any other agency, a library elevates the general standard of intelligence throughout the community.

It doubles the value of the education the child is receiving in school by encouraging the reading habit and gives an impetus to continue the education after leaving school.

natural order, family name, botanical name and common name of each. A glance is sufficient to identify any plant by simple comparison.

The value of the library to the town as a business asset is unsuspected except by those in immediate contact with its supervision. This may be judged, not only by the expressions of gratification by the visitors who use it and who do not expect to find one in so small a place, but by the fact that the principal revenue is the five-cent charge for the books, magazines, etc., collected from them.

The library Board is anxious to extend the usefulness of the library in several ways. Not only shall it be a mere collection of books, but it shall be a headquarters and an authority for information concerning the town, such as the principal points of interest, rides,



Library Building as it Appeared Before Addition was Built

A very short time ago some children made the complaint that they had no place to sit down and read in the library. That children should make such a complaint is significant. They shall have their corner with a saved off table and chairs immediately. At the last yearly meeting of the Library Board the library was made free to resident children under twelve years of age. Arrangements are being made to have a story hour for them once a week.

The library furnishes books and periodicals containing up-to-date matter on science, invention, engineering, manufacture, etc. It supplies information on the names and habits of plants, birds, shells, insects, etc. of the neighborhood. In this library is a collection of sixty hand-painted flowers of the immediate vicinity, giving the

drives, walks, etc., the authors and artists, their studios, the days and hours when their work may be seen; entertainments about to be held; Forest Theatre and what it stands for; legends and romance of the Peninsula; hunting and fishing, etc.

The library asks for the financial support of the permanent residents of this town and their personal interest as well. Library dues are 25 cents per month or \$3 per year. Some say that they cannot remember to pay the 25 cents monthly and rather object when the sum reaches a dollar or two. For convenience it has been arranged so that a collector will wait upon them monthly if they so desire and avoid the bother of it.

We want your interest in a town asset that has a direct measurable value.

Editor Defeated by Ex-Druggist

Automobiles and Election Hours too Much for the Former

A statement that was made prior to the election to the effect that W. L. Overstreet was not the choice of those who voted in Carmel for high school trustee is borne out by the election figures.

For the term which expires in May of next year, W. T. Kibbler was elected by a large majority, carrying not only his home precinct, but many others as well.

The hope of those interested in school matters that a large vote would be cast was not realized. In Carmel only 110 votes were polled, while in Monterey but 66 persons voted.

Mr. Kibbler, with the aid of Philip Wilson and others, conducted a vigorous campaign, both by advertising and personal solicitation. Wilson also visited various sections of the district in Kibbler's interest.

The position, which carries no salary, was not sought for originally by the defeated candidate nor by Kibbler. Both men were put forward by the Monterey Chamber of Commerce.

For the confidence shown by those who voted for him, Mr. Overstreet desires to express his thanks.

The other trustees elected are as follows: 2-year term, Frank Mauk, Dr. Martin McAulay. Three-year term: Carmel Martin, John Scudder Jr.

Getting Mail Not Yours

The postoffice authorities at Washington, recognizing the ability of postmasters to make mistakes in getting letters in the wrong boxes, have fixed a penalty of \$200 on persons taking mail out of an office other than their own, and not returning it immediately.

This law includes newspapers. The excuse that it is the postmaster's fault makes no difference. If you have been getting other people's mail, you better take warning or you may get yourself into trouble.

Ocean Avenue to be Improved

Work to Begin Shortly and Will be Rushed to Completion

What changes will greet the eye of many a non-resident Carmelite on their next entry into the business section of Carmel.

Broad, tree-lined Ocean avenue, from Junipero street to the bath house on the white sand beach, is to be leveled and thoroughly oil-soaked.

Through the civic pride and generosity of the property-owners and merchants along the line of the proposed improvement, financial arrangements have been consummated for the carrying out of this needful work.

For years queries such as, "Why don't you fix up Ocean avenue?" and "How do you expect people to come here with your main street in such a condition?" have been directed at us.

The work will be completed before the beginning of the heavy winter rains, and this means that many of the cross streets which formerly carried the Ocean avenue overflow, will be relieved.

An arrangement has been made with the county officials for the use of machinery and labor for the performance of the work.

In a short time the job will be completed, and we will gaze upon it and saw to ourselves, "How did we tolerate the old conditions so long?"

"Pave Ocean Avenue" is a dead slogan.

Gathering School Data

School Superintendent Geo. Schultzberg has return to the county seat from a visit to the schools in the coast section below Carmel. He has made photographs of the school buildings and grounds, and has gathered data of historical interest concerning the schools.

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 (PUBLISHER)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S.
 LAND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO, CAL
 September 23, 1915
 NOTICE is hereby given that
 Harry H. Gilmore, of Monterey,
 Cal., who on March 12, 1912, made
 Homestead Entry, No 05382, for
 NE 1/4, Section 17, Township 16 S,
 Range 2 E, M.D. Meridian, has
 filed notice of intention to make
 Final Three Year Proof, to estab-
 lish claim to the land above de-
 scribed, before the United States
 Land Office, at San Francisco,
 Cal., on the 6th day of November,
 1915.
 Claimant names as witnesses:
 G. Large, Walter Durham, Grady
 Gardner, all of Monterey, Cal., A.
 C. Dayton, of Salinas, Cal.
 J. B. SANFORD,
 Register

Story of Fremont's Great Ride

In his diary for March, 1847, William Colton gives an interesting account of the ride of Colonel John C. Fremont from Los Angeles to Monterey and return.

The story is full of excitement and remarkable achievement of man and beast, and is a tale well qualified to be the subject of living verse, such as "The Ride of Paul Revere" and "Sheridan's Ride."

The distance covered in this ride by Fremont and party was 840 miles in the actual riding time of 76 hours.

The party was composed of the colonel, Don Jesuse Pico of San Luis Obispo, and his servant, David Dodson.

The party road out of Los Angeles on March 22 at daybreak. Each rider had three unshod horses, one to ride and the others to drive ahead, changing whenever one tired.

The first night found them at the Robbin ranch, 125 miles from Los Angeles. The horses were turned out on the grass for the night, and early next morning they resumed their journey, arriving at the home of Don Jesuse Pico at 9 o'clock that night, making 135 miles since morning.

At 11 o'clock the morning following they started anew and by 8 that evening arrived at the gloomy base of the steep range that guards the headwaters of the Salinas river, some 70 miles from San Luis. Here they started to sleep, but a large band of grizzly bears that infested the pass where they were stationed, stampeded the horses.

The horses were rounded up and at the break of day the next morning the little party set out for Monterey, reaching there at sundown, and having rode 90 miles since leaving their last stopping place.

The business which required their presence in Monterey being completed, the riders started on the return journey to Los Angeles at 4 o'clock the next afternoon

Don Jesuse Pico, who had presented Fremont with two cinnamon colored horses (Los Canelos) and he asked him to try them out. They were brothers, a year's difference in age. The elder was taken for trial and led off gallantly as the party struck the plain which stretches south toward the Salinas. Forty miles on the hand gallop, and they camped for the night.

Another day dawned and the elder canelo was again under the saddle of Colonel Fremont, and for 90 miles carried him without change or fatigue.

It was 30 miles to San Luis, the next halting place, and Don Jesuse insisted that the canelo could easily perform it, but Fremont would not put him to the test and shifted to the other horse. The elder animal was turned loose to run without a rider. Immediately he took the lead and retained it all the way, entering San Luis on a sweeping gallop.

The other horse, with equal spirit, kept the lead of the horses under the saddle, bearing on his bit and requiring the constant check of his rider.

After a detention of half a day at San Luis by a rain storm, the expedition entered Los Angeles town, making the same time they had made on the way north.

The only food the horses had, except a few quarts of barley at Monterey, was the grass on the road.

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Think Before You Write

The wills of two authors were probated recently, showing that each left an estate of only \$500. If these two authors had been average hack writers or nothing more than journalistic jitneys they would never have had even \$500 to leave to their loved ones. But these particular writers were what is referred to as "popular."

They were Paul Armstrong, the playwright, and Alfred Henry Lewis, both looked upon as "successful." Armstrong had as many as three plays produced in one year, but, it appears as though he got very little of the profit his plays brought.—Appeal to Reason.

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If you read it in the Pine Cone,
you may safely repeat it.

Probable Peace Terms.

After one of the most remarkable sieges of which we have record, when Paris fell to the Prussians, the victors refused to negotiate terms with the representatives of the Commune government. The victors would deal only with a body representative of France in its entirety.

In concluding peace terms of the present war, should the allies win, it has been intimated that they will refuse to deal with the Kaiser, but will call for the election of a body representative of the German people.

It is pointed out that the Socialists are the largest political party in Germany, and that they are in theory not militarists, nor are they anxious to uphold a mere dynasty and military cast at the expense of the people.

Having agreed to disarmament and a reversal of the policy which provoked this war, the Socialists will be in exact accord with the principal object of the western allies, which is the abolition of militarism for all time.

Further, the Socialists, will very likely cooperate in any policy which will forever free the people from war debts, holding that as the common people have been forced to yield their lives, the financiers should pay the debts.

It is quite apparent that, with these and other possibilities in view, the greater are the opportunities of the masses wresting lasting benefits from the war.

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The Literacy Test

Complete reports from the recent New York state constitutional convention show that the literacy test for voters was abandoned because Tammany did not want it and because of the trend of the times toward unrestricted suffrage.

But a considerable element supported the change for reasons that have heretofore been overlooked. They argue that it has become very clear of late that the welfare of the United States requires that its foreign population acquire as fast as possible American ideas of government. Confinement to a foreign tongue puts these at the mercy of foreign books and newspapers, decidedly not an aid to Americanization.

It requires no great effort to acquire a working command of the country's language. If such a requirement will check immigration as its opponents claim, such immigration ought to be checked.

When to be Neutral

The lady was a German and her husband a Britisher. Perhaps she crowed a little at the beginning of the war as the central powers forged ahead.

Anyway, the thing got on the husband's nerves and he blamed the wife for everything the Germans did or didn't do. They quarrelled faster than the war progressed and the court granted the lady a divorce.

Neutrality is never safer than in the bosom of the family. It is both wise and gentle in the case of friendships also. Good taste should dictate silence about the war where one knows that opinions are sure to differ.

A Chicagoan, deaf and dumb, had his speech restored while attending a moving-picture show. Some of the screen productions are enough almost to wake the dead. However, on the whole, motion-pictures in this vicinity are clean and entertaining, and many are instructive and uplifting.

Kentucky Democrats get in early with a declaration favoring the renomination of President Wilson. As matters now stand but one name will be presented to the convention, though there is likely to be some controversy regarding the platform pledge of a single presidential term.



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Mrs. M. B. Place Passes Away.

Many Will Mourn the Loss of a Fine Woman

At the home of Mrs. Myrtle LaMaitre, in San Francisco, on Monday night, there passed away Mrs. Emma Place, wife of M. B. Place, after a long illness.

Mrs. Place, who was a sister of M. J. Murphy, the well-known contractor, was long a resident of Carmel, where she had many relations and friends.

During her long illness every comfort and the best medical skill were provided.

Her immediate family consisted of a husband and two children, Bernice and Margaret.

On receipt of the sad intelligence from Mrs. Ivy Basham, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy left yesterday morning for the city. Walter Basham went up last night.

The funeral will take place to-day or to-morrow.

Will There be a "Savior Day" in San Francisco?

Whether or not to have a "Savior Day" in San Francisco is the subject of much discussion just now.

A correspondent of the S. F. Chronicle writes as follows:

"We do need a Savior day, and very badly, too, especially at the present moment and especially in this town.

"We have had an Empire day for the British and it caused resentment among the Germans. We had a German day and it caused bitterness among the English and the French.

"Now a Savior day would be welcome to all the races which make up this great American family of ours. And if by such a day we could secure for our town, with the help of the exposition, the beautiful monument of Christ, as Mr. Taylor suggests, that would be a great deed.

"Can you imagine anything more symbolic than a whole population making, in such times of hatred and bloodshed as these are, the gift to their town of a statue of the divine friend of humanity?"

"As Emerson says, 'our faith comes in moments, our vice is habitual.' Let us, then, help to lengthen the moments of faith by the vision of the Savior. Let us put this monument of Christ in the busiest part of the city, so that thousands may see it every day and at every hour of the day. The vision will be soothing to all men, effacing the scars of our mistakes and disappointments."

Figures Concerning Our County

The following statement, showing the values of property in, and indebtedness of, Monterey county, has been prepared at the office of the State Controller:

Number of acres of land assessed, 1,421,861.

Value of real estate \$20,870,055.

Value of improvements on real estate, \$4,826,151.

Value of personal property, \$4,440,860.

Money and solvent credits, \$2430.

Value of non-operative property, \$30,175,503.

Value of property assessed on operative roll, \$741,901.

Total value of property as returned by auditor, \$30,917,404.

Value of railroads assessed by the Board of Equalization, \$3,654,939.

Grand total of all property, \$34,572,343.

Funded debt, \$612,000.

Total debt of county, \$612,000.

Tax rate \$1.49 inside; \$1.89 outside.

Statements of the Ownership, Management, Etc.

Of the Carmel Weekly Pine Cone, published at Carmel, Cal.

Editor, W. L. Overstreet, Carmel, Cal.

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Known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities: None.

W. L. Overstreet

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of September, 1915.

[SEAL]

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The Original Non-Partisans

The Stockton Record says:

"The Democratic and Republican party bosses were the original non-partisans of California. They used to meet together and divide the spoils.

"For instance, in the good old convention days it would be agreed that the state treasurer should be a Democrat and the controller a Republican. A weak Republican and a strong Democrat would be nominated for the first office, and a strong Republican and a weak Democrat for the other. The work of the conventions was tongue and groove. The bosses fixed the slates and the people fell for the slates.

"And if some man won a nomination that it was not intended he should have, he was quietly knifed by his devoted party friends. A 'straight ticket' was advocated in public and a sharp knife used at the polls.

"Nobody more than the bosses knows that there are no such things as straight party tickets.

"The bosses always have been non-partisans in secret, but manipulated party prejudices in the accomplishment of their plans. Now they object most piously to the people making their own slates and voting for their favorites irrespective of meaningless party designations. They object to wiping out those designations which for more than twenty years have meant nothing but hypocrisy and bad government."

Christmas is Coming

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PINE NEEDLES

Dr. J. E. Beck is expecting his wife home from the East the last of this week.

The Waterburys and Miss M. Zaro got away yesterday for the city. They will return in about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huggins and Mrs. Alexander Cameron of Berkeley are guests of Mrs. T. C. Warren.

The guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delos Curtis departed on Sunday morning.

This is the off season for news and social items. If you have any, bring or send them to the Pine Cone office.

John T. Gribner is now in the southern states, playing in "Omar, the Tent Maker."

Miss M. D. Otis, who has been here for several weeks, has gone to Berkeley.

On or about December 1 the Ladies Guild of All Saints will hold an apron sale.

Louis B. Sands, who with his mother, has been a guest at La Playa, left for the city Monday morning.

If you read it in the Pine Cone, you may safely repeat it.

Perry Newberry and wife have returned from Fresno. The pageant there was successfully "put over."

Miss Helen Parkes and Miss Stella Vincent are among the Carmelites visiting the exposition.

The Willards are contemplating an early departure for Redlands.

W. N. Dingle has been appointed dues collector for the Carmel library.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Taylor and daughter went up to the city last week.

Mr. George W. Collis has gone to Pasadena. His family remains here through October.

Miss E. L. Williams accompanied Mrs. Overstreet and Phyllis to the city Saturday.

Bonnie and Donald Hale gave a dancing party at their home on Friday evening.

Mrs. G. F. Wakefield and Anne Whitney, who have been at the Monte Verde for a fortnight, returned to San Jose Monday morning.

Mrs. A. V. Cotton is back from the city. She went up to her Black Rock place Monday, but returns to Carmel today.

The mother of Mrs. William Ordway died in Monterey last Friday morning.

Miss Kate Miles has returned to Carmel after quiet a lengthy absence in the East.

The local library needs your support. Come through.