

JULY 12, 1917

CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA, CAL,

Trustees Hold Session

The evils of the present competitive system of doing business were never better illustrated than when two men, having practically the same quality of goods to sell, and at duality of goods to sell, and at identical prices, had to talk their heads off to land an or-der for fire hose, at the meet-ing of the City Trustees, last Thursday night. The decision of the Trustees to install ten hydrauts decided

to install ten hydrants decided the board to purchase 300 feet of California-made hose

One of the results of the discussion on the garbage ordi-nance was a provision forbid-ding the burial of garbage in private or public ground.

Chairman Fraser appointed a city board of health, as fol-lows: G. F. Beardsley, Dr. J.

Have You Family Keepsakes? Why don't you

keep a Sate Deposit Box at the Bank of Monterey? It will cost you only \$1 a year.



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Pine Needles

Capt. and Mrs. L. T. Ward came down from Alameda last week, the guests of the Hands. Mrs. Ward and children will be here two weeks or more. The three Prob

The three Rask girls--Mrs. Parker from San Francisco, and Mrs. Rankin and Mrs. Winsleet from Dallas, Tex.— are all visiting here just now.

Herman Whitaker and wife were here last week from the south. The filming of "The Planter" is now complete, and the pictures will be shown in New York shortly.

Sophie Treadwell-McGeehan arrived here a few days ago, intending to remain several weeks, but was called home because of the illness of here mother.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Beards-ley departed on Saturday for Oakland. Before returning they will spend some time at Lemon Grove, San Diego Co.

Mrs. L. C. Horn left yesterday morning for a brief visit at Tassajara Springs.

Dr. J. A. Beck, brother of our own "Doc" Beck, is the new county health officer, by appointment of the Board of Supervisors.

J. A. Webster and family, with Mrs. Homer Rowell, are here from Fresno, arriving in time to witness "The Blue Bird." They will remain two months.

E. Beck, Miss Catherine Mor-gan, and H. P. Larouette. In the near future a build-

ing ordinance will be enacted and an inspector appointed. Several bills were approved.

Clerk Nichols read the Marshal's monthly report.

PERSONAL ITEMS News of the marriage of Frieda Hauswirth-Munger has just been received here. She is now the wife of Khan Das, a Hindu sugar merchant. The public and the Red Cross or-ganization should bear in mind the fact that the bouquets anent the success of last week's For-est Theatre plays are being passed around, the general public and the Red Cross or-ganization should bear in mind the fact that the bouquets anent

Big Sur, bearing the following

defunct Civic League, the municipal water trough, long in a dilapidated state, has been

All Saints rectory is about completed; that is, the build-ing is up. The next thing is to furnish the interior.

"As I cannot run with the fire laddies, give this to the Department," remarked an old resident, as he handed the editor a \$2-bill.

City Marshal Englund has forwarded to Sheriff Nesbitt, at Salinas, the names of twelve citizens. who form a Home Defense Committee.

Over, under and through the fence to witness the Forest Theatre plays was reduced to a minimum by the vigilance of special policemen Harry Tur-ner and Wade Stewart.

"The Woodland Dancers," with Jeannette Hoagland, will be the attraction at the Forest Theatre on Saturday evening, July 21. For years Miss Hoag-land has given freely of her time and talent for numerous affairs. It is up to us all to be "among those present" at her affair. Tickets are now on sale at the offices of the Pine Cone and 'he Development Co.

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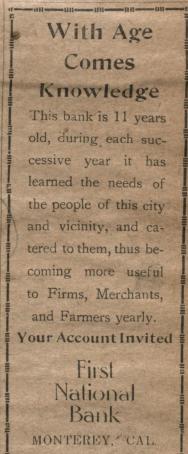
Carmel Celebrates

With the stage of the For-est Theatre set for a scene in in China "A Thousand Years Ago." a hundred Carmel resi-dents assembled last Wednesday afternoon for an "appre-ciation" of Independence Day, an events which occured 141 years ago.

Marriage took place in Hono-lulu. Mr. and Mr. G. A. Scott of Berkeley are occupying their Monte Verde street residence here. Carroll Scott, home from the Colorado School of Mines, is with them Banner.

Following the excellent read-ing of the 'Declaration of In-dependence' by Michael Williams, a sincere, straight-fromthe-shoulder patriotic address was made by Frank Powers. "America" closed the meet-

ing. Thus Carmel celebrated the



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John N. Hilliard Writes Candid, but Good=natured, Criticism of the Plays

to find good, honest romance in the ton, it follows that the task of the ascendant at the eighth annual season producer who would stage "A Thouof the Forest Theater Society. For sand Years Ago" is beset with diffimy part, I have a keen relish for ro- culties. I venture to say that Mr. mance, for the once-upon-a-time Perry Newberry himself would be the drama, so long as it keeps to its own first to admit frankly that he did not environment and frankly wears its realize the possibilities he had to his own colors. It is when romance goes hand. When I think of what might the Forest Theater Society are quite local stage. rasquerading in historical or moral have been done with a scene at the or othical frippery, when it becomes Court of China, I am churlish enough tawdry, unilluding pretentiousness, to regret that those who saw to the that I cannot away with it. And it mounting and the producing of the must be confessed that the Forest play did not allow their imagination beater Society has not always been a little more latitude. The stage 1 uppy in its choice of such plays, or should have been a feast of color. As in the producing and the acting of it was, there was very little except a scenes is not his fault. He had no est Theater. them.

But nothing could be more delightful and unpretending than the "Thousand Years Ago" of Percy MacKaye. not at all. Then, too, there was 'a matic form of expression for his sense It is fairy gold quarried from the lack of invention, thought and taste of all romance mother-lode the "Thousand and One Nights." Mr Mac-Kaye has reshaped for us the worldold tale of the Princess of Pekin to meet the demands of the modern theater, and retold the story in suave easy verse that falls on the ear like "a chorus of sweet and most romantic vocables." Mr. MacKaye has in him an undeniable strain of the poet, and even of the dramatic poet. The fact that he has not notably enriched our dramatic literature must be ascrited, I think, to one reason; his sense of form is defective. This defect warps the symmetry of "A Thousand Years Ago." In it he shows h's wear ness in the most important art o the dramatist, the art of foreshadowing the complexities of a character that without forestalling his effects. This typifies the spirit of romance. In the art is half the secret of theatrical story telling. He repeats himself unnecessarily, and his paralleling of the riddle motif is a piece of unskillful parture by way of the harem was inconstructive counterpoint. It is this lack of form that makes for a certain obscuring of the story. There are times when the auditor does not know what it is all about. But even these defects in dramaturgy can not destroy to the suave and mobile Venetian vaga story so romantic and delightful, so abonds: and Ernest Schweninger was appealing to the make-believe that is in all of us-big or little children- Cooke played the Princess excellently as that which has come down the ages to us out of the "Nights."

Mr. MacKaye's play is a most sympathetic transcript of the old tale; true to the spirit of the original, yet owing curiously little to the actual text of the "Arabian Nights," or to those playwrights who have drawn so freely upon the story of "The Princess of Pekin" for dramatic inspira tion. In other words, Mr. MacKaye has not merely paste-and-scissored a play out of an ancient romance; but he imbued himself with the humor although I regretted that it was not and the sentiment of the original, and then proceeded to an almost independent act of invention and creation. simplicity as well as technical skill T. Kibbler and Effie McLean as Daddy The invention of - Capocomico alone in her solo dance. Joseph Von and Mummy Tyl, Alice MacDougal is justification for this pouring of o'd wine into a new bottle.

It was quite refreshing last week | In view of the defects of construcgateway to suggest that the scene was choice of materials. It happens that oriental. The eye of the flesh was not quite satisfied; the eye of the mind, larly beautiful and poignantly drain the arrangement of ensembles and man's little life in the midst of the in the devising of business. But in Immensities, and he himself has conthe face of these reservations, it must fessed that he takes no pleasure in be borne in mind that one is judging an amateur, not a professional, production.

The acting was up to the usual standard of Forest Theater productions. John Gribner was a virile Capocomico. If I had any criticism to make, it would be that perhaps the producer did not permit Mr. Gribner ple stage with plain black curtains as to realize his own conception of the character and to bring to his task all have provided an ample and convincpossible charms for the eye and the ear. It did not seem to me that he always brought the imagination which realizes and the art which expresses last scene, for example, where Capocomico goes back into the world with only a rose for his reward, the deept, if not ludicrous. But for this assuredly the blame cannot be laid upon Mr. Gribner's shoulders Bechdolt was a picturesque and effective Emperor, a dramatic antithesis excellent as the lover. Katherine well, as indeed she plays all fairy parts well. As Alice, of Wonder.and days, as the Princess of China, she was, in fact, playing her own character; for what is she but the Princess of a fairy tale? If one of these days a pumpkin should change before her door into a fairy equipage, and Dana Newberry and Marian Ohm she rides off in it Cinderellawise, I, for one, will not blink an eye of as with unaffected charm, and their suptonishment.

The ensemble dance before the Court of China was clever of its kind, done on a more colorful stage; and Grace Wickham showed a charming Ende's Harlequin dance was one of as Fairy Berylune, Mrs. Overstreet

of the dances.

methods of scene painting and stage realize the stage-craft. lighting, and have adequate funds to A word must be said here in praise inapplicable to the portrayal of this the Flemish poet has devised a singuof the strangeness and the pathos of the performance of this worl

If I may venture a criticism of Mr. Newberry's method, it would be that he would have achieved much more satisfactory results by throwing his claptrap and cumbersome auxiliary stages with their makeshift doors on the junk heap, and substituting a sima background. These curtains would ing entrance for the supernatural elements and preserved the verisimlitude of make-believe. As it was, the stage setting took away every vestige of illusion, and at times was ridiculous. There are two ways to produce such a play as the "Blue Bird." Either with a stage equipped with all necessary mechanical apparatus, or after the simple but illusory manner of the Elizabethan stage.

But by all means let us admire and encourage the enthusiasm that inspires any sort of representation of so beautiful a play. Better a "Blue Bird" with a poverty of scenic apparatus than no "Blue Bird" at all. At any rate, we have Maeterlinck's "fragil word-music," as George Bernard Shaw happily puts it. Shall we carp because it is beyond the capacities of children and amateurs to treat it delicately and sympathetically!

The children Mr. Newberry trained handled it as well as was humanly possible under the circumstances. carried through their difficult parts port, particularly Katherine Cooke as the Cat, Charys Boke as the Dog Doris MacEntyre as Light, Austin James as Bread, Jeanette Hoagland as Fire, Grace Wickham as Water Bonnie Hale as Sugar, and William clever interpolated bits. Miss Wick- as Milk, Frances Pudan as Night, and

ham deserves praise for her arranging Phyllis Overstreet as Pierrot, appealed to the eye, the ear, and at times to Frankly, I was surprised that Mr. the imagination. They proved the pos-Newberry succeeded so well as he did sibility of putting on a Maeterlinck in his staging of "The Blue Bird." He play with understanding. It was not had insuperable difficulties on his their fault, and it was not the fault hands. One would have to invent new of the producer that they did not

provide a Max Reinhart mechanical of Miss Jeanette Hoagland's arrangestage that would give an ocular real- ment of the dance numbers, and of ization of the exquisite pictures the her solo fire dance. She had fire in play contains. Of course, the Forest her veins, in her feet and her hands. Theater stage is wholly inadequate, It was the best expression of the coryand the abilities and the resources of bantic art I have seen her give on the

And last, but by no means least, I drama of will-less characters moving wish to give my meed of praise to through a dream. Mr. Newberry did Miss Alberta Livernash, pianist, Miss remarkably well with the materials Helen Von Ende, violinist, Miss Janet he had at hand. That he did not Shavitch, 'cellist, and Elias Hecht. achieve the crepuscular and Rem, flutist, for. For the first time we had brandtesque effects of Maeterlinck's Music with a capital "M" at the For



CARMEL ASTONISHED BY MERCHANT'S STORY

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Lost July 4, on or near Carmelo ave., on way to river, boy's navy blue-white wool sweater. Leave in Pine Cone office.

Mrs. Alice P. Bristol and daughter are here from Seatte. Mrs. Bristol is a sister of Mrs. Peter Taylor.

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WEEKLY GREETING

The eternal life is not the futu e life; it is life in harmony with the true order of things-life in God. -Amiel

The Annual Plays

Be it a problem play, a comedy, a tragedy, a pageant, or a farce, which is put before the public, the primary idea in its production is to please.

That "A Thousand Years Ago" and "The Blue Bird," presented at our Forest Theatre last week, did please was testified to by each night's increased attendance, and the generous and spontaneous applause accorded the efforts of the players and the producer.

A most commendable result of this season's work is the fact that the Forest Theatre Society was enabled to place in the hands of the local Red those who put these things through less of a burden.

Enjoyable Outing

Mr. and Claude Smallwood of Pleasanton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hart of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton of Santa Clara, Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Morse of Berkeley, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Overstreet, and ten children, climbed into three big automobiles last Sunday and had a glorious outing on the 17-Mile Drive. The af-fair gave opportunity also for the celebration of Paul Morse's birthday



St. Anne's Guild meets tomorrow afternoon at the resi-dence of Mrs. R. B. Hughes.



The get-acquainted affair at Arts and Crafts Hall, on Sunday afternoon, was a grand success. Musicians, writers. and painters, not only of Carmel, but from Monterey and Pacific Grove, got together, and, with a cup of tea in one hand, and a slice of cake in the other, talked of those things of mutual interest.

Carmel School of Dramatic Art Lincoln and Seventh ave Physical and Vocal Expression Drama Study Singing and Music History Raine Bennet's Bedouin drama, "The Talisman," proneed at the Forest Theatre in Cross organization \$500, a sum which in other years was ex-pended to make the task of there who are the task of there who are the task of there are the roles of the are the Greek Theatre on July 21, by the Players' Club, with Beat-riz Michelena in the leading rola.



Walter N. Brunt, head of a large S. F. printing concern, isited the Pine Cone office list Thursday. With members of his family and Miss Ruth Sues, Mr. Brunt has been visiting points of interest in this county and vicinity

TRIPS AUTO PARTIES OF FOUR Carmel Highlands and re-turn, 50c. each Point Lobos and return, 75c. each Big Sur and return, \$5 each Palo Colorado and return, \$1.50 each Order at 11th and Casanova or Pine Cone office

La Playa News Notes | Red Cross Meeting

The guests of La Playa are loud in their praise of "A Thousand Years Ago." Every scene was a picture without a jarring note, the dancing fine, and the costumes wonderfully correct. The various parts in "The Blue Bird" were well done, and little Dana Newberry proclaimed herself a worthy member of an unusual family. Do we as a community appreciate the ability, as well as the untiring efforts, of Mr. Perry Newberry?

Mr William C. Crittenden, with his bride, who was Miss Margaret Clark, and who is a niece of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, paid a honeymoon visit to La Playa on their way south. They were married at La Hacienda.

Mrs E Simon and her daughter, Blanche, who is an expert angler, with Mrs Kauffman, are motoring back to the St. Francis, after a prolonged stay at La Playa.

Mr. and Mrs A. J. Penfield and son motored to Mill Valley on Sunday, leaving Barbara and Mrs. Snow for another month here.

Dr. and Mrs. H Richards have arrived at La Playa for the summer. Dr. Richards, professor of botany in Columbia University, is one of the best known botanists in the United He is a member of the States. board of directors of the New York Botanical Gardens, and is the author of several works on botanical subjects, one of which deals with the life of the desert cacti.

Recent egistrations:

J. F. Pieper, Sacramento, Mrs. W Bissell, Livermore; Miss Faunie W McLean, Margaret Witter, J E. Howard and Mrs Howard. Berkeley; R W Poindexter, Los Ange-les; Mrs. G. L Whitney, Miss Ada Whitney. Miss Buelah Whitney, J Richard Hardy, Frederick A. Zimmerman, Detroit; Dr. and Mrs. Herbert M Richards, New York; Mrs. L B Rieber, Mrs E R. Kidde, Master G. Edgar Kidde, Portland, Ore; Mrs E. J Mitchell, Ted Michell, Prescott. Ariz; Dr. H. W. Fenner, Tucson; Grace Weeks, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs J B. Coryell, Royal, Gordon and Sibyl Coryell, Menlo Park; Mr. and Mrs. W C Crittenden, Miss B. Coffey and Master Laffin, Mr and Mrs. B. J. Hirsch, Mr and Mrs. C. B. New-man, Will Waugh, W. A. Daggett, Mrs. Albert Raas, Miss Elinor Rass, Miss Aline Rass, San Francisco

HOUSES RENTED

PROPERTY SOLD

INSURANCE

mel before long.

A public meeting, having for it purpose a discussion as to means of arousing interest in Red Cross work, was held at Manzanita Hall last Monday afternoon.

All business of a routine nature was suspended. The report that the Forest Theatre Society was prepared to turn over to the local chapter approximately \$500 was received with applause. The suggestion that this money be set aside for local civil relief was heartily endorsed. A vote of thanks was tendered to all who contributed to the success of the Forest Theatre plays.

Mrs. J. G. Powers, in charge of the meeting, introduced the speakers, each of whom presented a particular phase of the great work. The speakers were: Dr. D. T. MacDougal, F. R. Bechdolt, Perry New-berry, Rev. S. C. Thomas, and W. L. Overstreat W. L. Overstreet.

The following committees, to prosecute vigorously the work here, were appointed by the chair:

Civilian Relief-W. E. Mar-tin, W. T. Kibbler, F. R. Bechdolt, Mrs. E. J. deSabla, Mrs. G. F. Beardsley, Mrs. F. S. Schweninger.

Finance and Revenue-A. P. Finance and Revenue—A. P. Fraser, Peter Taylor, James Hopper, G F. Beardsley, Mrs. J. W. Hand, Mrs. H. Bremner, Publicity and Printing—J. N. Hilliard, W. L. Overstreet, Michael Williams, H. L. Wil-son, John T. Gribner, Entertainment and Trans-portation — Perry Newberry, Paul Prince, C. O. Goold, Miss

Paul Prince, C. O. Goold, Miss. M. E. Mower, Miss Katharine Cooke, Miss Charys Boke, Miss Marian Boke, Miss Alice Mac-Dougal.

Membership and Promotion, Roy Newberry, Rev. S. C. Thomas, Rev. W. G. Moffat, Dr. D. T. MacDougal, William Ruschel.

Bandage and Garment Making and Forwarding-Mrs. Ritschel, Mrs. Josselyn, Mrs. L. S. Slevin, Mrs. Duveneck, Mrs. Criley, Mrs. McGillicuddy, Mrs. Willard, Mrs. Heron, Mrs. Dummage. Forwarding – D Dummage. Forwarding – D. T. Willard, G. F. Beardsley, W. T. Dummage.



Notice to TAXPAYERS CHURCH NOTICES

All taxpayers are required by the constitution to annually make and deliver to the Assessor a statement, under oath, setting forth specifically ALL the real, personal, or other class of property, owned by such persons, or in their possession, or under their control, as the same stands of record at 12 o'clock Meridian on the first Monday of March.

The Political Code provides, that ail property must be assessed at its "full cash value," and defines "full cash value" as being 'the amount at which the property would be

Unsecured Personal Property

The taxes on all unsecured personal property are due and payable and must be paid at the time the assessment is made.

Exemptions

Any person or association, claiming any property to be exempt from taxation, MUST make the claim and affidavit, for such exemption, every year, in the manner provided by law, Phis applies to the \$100 allowed on personal property of householders; the \$1000 allowed soldiers, sailors, marines, etc., and property used solely and exclusively for religious worship.

Assessments Any information desired relating to assessments will be gladly furnished on application, and all ob jections should be made before the Board of Equalization adjourns, inpay tax s.

Remember, that if you fail to make a statement you fail to comply with the law and you law yourself liable to arbitrary assessment, which is expensive to yourself and causes much trouble to others.

GEO. S. GOULD, Jr. m8 tf County Assessor

The Fowler famiyl have departed for their home at Willits, where they will remain several months.

Mrs. A. Hall is here from Palo Alto with her daughters. Russell Hall is "somewhere Russell Hall is in France.



Day-light High and Low "The Lion" Takes Place Tides at Carmel of "The Toad" of "The Toad" "Androcles and the Lion," not "The Toad," will be the month-end play to be given on two nights, under the auspices of the Arts and Crafts Club. "The Lion" is one of Bernard Shaw's best comedies, and if we cannot have "The Toad." because of Perry Newberry's inability to play the title role. let us rejoice that a work of the eccentric Irishman wil be presented here. New Auto Bus Auto Service 17-Mile Drive and all points ofinterest Regular Time Table

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PICTURE SHOWS IN CAR. MEL THIS MONTH.

July 17-Hazel Dawn in "My Lady Incog."

July 21-Blanche Sweet in "The Ragamuffin."

July 24-Pauline Frederi k "The Spider." in

July 28—Dustin Farnum in "The Call of the Cumberlands." July 31-Anna Held in "Mame La Presidente."



PERSONAL ITEMS

Miss Margaret Clark is home again, after three very pleas-ant weeks with friends at San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. John Galen Howard and some of the child-ren arrived last week from Berkeley

The President of Stanford ford University, who is in Washington with Hoover, has as his private secretary Miss Tessie Tag, well known here.

Our Weekly Recipe

SCOTCH OATCAKE.

SOUTH OATCARE. In the dense of a state of a