

WRECK VICTIMS SEEK REDRESS

MANY DAMAGE SUITS ARE FILED

Railways and Gas Companies Made Defendants in Several Cases. Abbot Kinney Company Sues Individual

LIST OF DAMAGE SUITS

May E. Anderson vs. Los Angeles Gas Company, \$50,000. Harry L. Yerger vs. L. A. Gas Company, \$7,500. Henry Standemann vs. Pacific Electric, \$7,500. D. E. Moore vs. L. A. Redondo, \$20,500. Abbot Kinney Company vs. Clarence V. Reynolds, \$1,644.

It was a record day yesterday in the Los Angeles superior courts in the filing of heavy damage cases against the various corporations for the many accidents of the past few months.

Of the four suits filed against corporations one alone filed by a corporation against an individual appeared on the list, and that was for a small amount.

May E. Anderson's suit headed the list. Miss Anderson lost her limbs through amputation after the terrible disaster at the Cressaty restaurant. The young woman was the sole support of her invalid mother.

Explosion Victims Sue At present Miss Anderson is in the hospital, and as the suit will soon be set for trial it is more than probable that she will have to be carried into court on a stretcher to give her testimony when the suit is called for settlement by a jury.

Railway Companies Sued Echoes of two other terrible disasters in which the street railways are held to blame are heard in the suits of Henry Stademann and D. E. Moore, filed yesterday in the superior courts.

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BRAKEMAN CARRIES GUN TO DEFEND HIMSELF

G. C. Speer, a brakeman, who was arrested Wednesday night charged with carrying concealed weapons, was fined \$10 yesterday morning by Police Judge Rose.

MEN LEADING IN LETTERS TO MAYOR

ASK HELP FROM MARRIAGE BUREAU

Some of them Have Homes Which Only Lack Nice Little Wives to Make Them Ideal Places

More men than women are writing this week to be entered in the municipal matrimonial bureau started by Mayor Arthur C. Harper.

They range from men in their teens to others in the 70s. Many of them say they have real estate and private investigation reveals that this is true.

Dear Mayor—I am a lonesome woman desirous of meeting some worthy man. Am 36, dark-haired, weigh 140 pounds, and come from the east.

Dear Mayor—Don't neglect the middle-aged. I am a widow a little past 40—fair, fat and forty, in fact—but have found no suitable companion.

Dear Mr. Harper—I am young, beautiful, twenty and a widow. That ought to tempt someone. I am not fooling either when I say I am looking for the right kind of a husband.

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AMERICAN MAIL BAG AND \$400,000 MISSING

By Associated Press. PARIS, March 21.—An American mail bag, the contents of which are valued at approximately \$400,000, has been stolen on board the French steamer La Provence, which left New York February 26, and arrived at Havre March 6.

A man giving the name of Butlers was arrested here recently and is believed to be an accomplice of the thieves. He also is thought to have been attempting to negotiate the proceeds of the robbery.

HAVE CLEWS TO MUSHET FORGER

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It has been practically established that one of the auditor's clerks permitted the rubber stamps in question to be affixed in his presence without any wronging of the bank.

TWO MEN IN JAIL SAID TO BE INSANE Two men said to be insane were taken to the receiving hospital yesterday. Both are thought to have escaped from sanitariums.

CONFESS ROBBERING NORTHERN HOMES Police Say Suspected Characters Have Admitted Complicity in Burglaries Occurring in San Francisco

Confessions that they have been implicated in several holdups and robberies in San Francisco are said by the police to have been made by Fred Modeno, H. G. Donnelly, H. Lynn and W. J. Harvey, the men who were arrested early yesterday morning and booked at the police station on suspicion.

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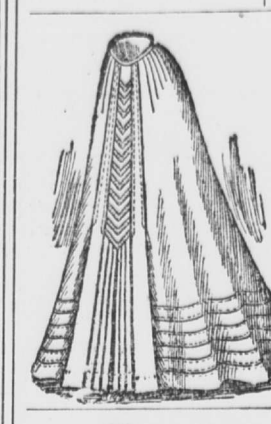
75c Cuff Buttons 50c Pretty, gold-plated cuff links and buttons in two dozen different styles and about 50 different plain and engraved patterns; worth 75c; Friday, 50c per pair

Lane's 327-29 S. BROADWAY 20c Laces 7 1/2c Pretty Platte Val. laces and insertions to match, 3 to 5 inches wide and worth up to 20c. On sale today, per yard, 7 1/2c

The Popular Jumper Suit Black silk jumper suits made of fine taffeta, trimmed with lace, straps of silk and silk buttons, \$10.00 Other styles at \$11.50, \$12 and \$15

Furniture and Rugs Splendid Values for Friday \$4.50 Axminster Rugs \$3.19 Pretty Axminster rugs in floral and oriental patterns; 6 feet long, 3 feet wide; sell at \$4.50 regularly. Today only, \$3.19

\$3.25 Rugs \$1.98 Axminster rugs in same quality as above in 3x4-foot size; worth regularly \$3.25. Today, \$1.98 each



Skirt Sale Continued Friday Big Skirt Values \$5.00 Black and navy blue brilliantine skirts, made in knee pleated models, effectively trimmed with silk stripes. A fine skirt for hard wear at \$5.00

50c Persian Striped Tapestry 32c 50 inches wide—heavy Persian stripe tapestry—come in all colors—a fine goods for upholstering. Regular 50c value. Friday, per yard, 32c

Pretty Spring Dress Fabrics At Prices You'll Appreciate New Dress Fabrics 45c About 50 pieces of pretty new suiting in light and dark gray, and black and white plaids and checks; 36 and 38 inches wide. Bought to sell regularly at 50c. Special offering for one day only, Friday, per yard, 45c

J.R. Lane Dry Goods Co. 327-329 South Broadway Sewing Machines \$10. Lock and chain stitch sewing now in use in our alteration dept.

PROMISE OF SUNSHINE FOUND IN CLEAR SKIES Total rainfall for the storm, .49 of an inch. Total for the season, 17.75 inches. Rainfall to date last year, 15.43 inches. Minimum temperature yesterday, 44 degrees. Maximum temperature, 60 degrees.

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