

SOCIETY

The engagement of Miss Catherine V. Kelly was announced at a tea given recently in the Rose Room at the Palace hotel in San Francisco by Miss Ruth Peterson. The groom-to-be is Sean H. Gallagher of County Donegal, Ireland. Miss Kelly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Kelly of Las Vegas. The wedding is set for September in Ireland.

The Community Bridge Club met with Mrs. W. E. Ferron for luncheon Tuesday. The afternoon was devoted to contract. The following ladies were present: Mesdames Sims Ely and Glenn Walters of Boulder City, Bracken, Schuyler, Squires, Watters, John Cahlan and Robert Griffiths.

The Guild of St. Agnes of Christ Episcopal church met at the home of Mrs. E. A. Frances on South Second street Monday afternoon. The business session was followed by a social hour during which refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. P. Squires with Mrs. Elizabeth Downing acting as hostess.

Charge Gypsies With Robbery

If the two Gypsy women who are accused of robbing William Robertson at his cabin in Central Ely, can be apprehended, it is the determination of the local authorities to return them here that they may be dealt with according to law. Sheriff J. E. Orrock is in communication with police authorities where they are supposed to have gone and believes he has better than an even chance of early results.

The women entered the Robertson home without ceremony. They were strong and husky. Mr. Robertson is an old man and alone.

One of them grappled with him and held him while the other got her hands on three ten-dollar bills. She secured two of the bills, but Robertson held to the third one and it was torn in two pieces. The half that he retained is at the courthouse.

They were arrested at Eureka and held until the arrival of the sheriff, accompanied by Robertson. He was not sure of being able to identify them, but the women offered to return the money and that offer was accepted. They paid \$5 more for the cost of making the trip.

On Wednesday of this week Justice of the Peace L. C. Branson ruled that the case could not be dismissed under that procedure, and directed the sheriff to carry out the instructions in the original warrant of arrest.—Ely Record.

MISS NILA KAY DEPUTY CLERK

Miss Nila Kay has been appointed chief deputy in the county clerk's office and will begin her duties on Monday, March 8. She has been employed as secretary at the high school the past year. She will occupy the position in the clerk's office which has been so efficiently filled by Mrs. Charles Keeler.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dobson of Los Angeles spent Tuesday and Wednesday in this city.

Judge W. D. Hatton of Tonopah spent several days of the past week in Vegas.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Beckley spent last week end in Los Angeles. Before returning home, Mrs. Beckley will visit her son and daughter who are attending school at Palo Alto and Reno.

Ely Lions Hear Mining History

J. A. Richards of Kimberly, addressing the Ely Lions club Wednesday afternoon, choosing as his subject a discussion of the tin mines of Cornwall.

He said in part that mining began some two thousand years ago in Cornwall, the first charter being given to a mining company under Richard, the Lion Hearted. Claims were staked out by digging up the turf on the four corners of the claim.

Early tin mines may be likened to the placer mines of California. Lode mining not coming into existence until the beginning of the fourteenth century. The change to underground mining began when the surface supplies were depleted.

Mining came under three headings, river mining, cliff mining, and the sinking of shafts. The first mines of Cornwall are known today as the "Old Men's Workings," not because of the age of the men but because of the centuries that have passed since their day.

Mr. Richard also touched on the type of machinery that was first used, stating that men were lowered in stirrups as far as 300 feet. Then in 1794 men were lowered in buckets and in 1841 the first hoist was invented. In many of the mines men had to climb down to their work sometimes as far as 200 fathoms (1200 feet). It took three quarters

of an hour to climb down and an hour and a quarter to climb back up again.

Bill Walker spoke for a few minutes on road conditions at Cherry Creek, stating that they had been snowed in since January 1. The club went on record as favoring the extension of the road from the depot in Cherry Creek on to the main highway instead of using the present road. There would be, it was said, five and a half miles less road to maintain if the road asked is put through.—Ely Record.

D. T. SWING OF SALT LAKE CITY LECTURES HERE

D. T. Swing, of Salt Lake City, is lecturing each evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Mesquite Club at 607 South Fifth street. The lecture series opened last Monday and many have been attending regularly each evening. Those who have heard him

agree that he is a forceful and convincing speaker, and that his lectures are educational and deeply spiritual.

Mr. Swing, in his lectures, specializes on Bible prophecy. "The Bible is a most interesting book," he stated in his lecture the other evening. "It is the one book in the world that contains God's foreknowledge. It is unique, in this regard. In the Koran of the Moslem, there is no prophecy. In the classic of Confucius, no prophecy. In the Vedas of the Hindus, no prophecy. The Bible is the only book out of millions written by men and women of all ages that reveals the future."

The invitation is extended to all to attend the lectures each evening. There is no admission charge.

Industry Organizing Schools To Develop Skilled Workmen



A group of apprentices during a study period, and (below) a foundry apprentice studying the intricacies of a blueprint.

SECRETARY of Commerce Roper's recent suggestion that industrial concerns give greater consideration to the organization of plant or company schools for the development of skilled workers among their employees comes at a time when many concerns are already well-embarked upon such a program, according to D. C. Vandercook, Director, Personnel Training Division, International Correspondence Schools.

"Within the past six months," Mr. Vandercook says, "industry has become increasingly aware that a serious shortage of skilled labor impends in many lines in addition to those in which it has already appeared. Since 1929 many of the older skilled men have passed beyond the active age or have died. Other skilled workers have drifted off to other localities or into other ways of making a living. In the meantime, the supply of skilled men has not been replenished. The problem of re-training America is becoming an urgent one if we are to retain our supremacy in the many fields of manufacture and production in which it has been recognized that we excel."

Among the industrial concerns and associations which Mr. Vander-

cook lists as having established training schools for the development of employees into skilled workmen are The American Rolling Mill Company, Frick Company, Champion Fibre Company, Fox River Valley Manufacturers Association, E. I. Du Pont De Nemours & Company, General Electric Company, Caterpillar Tractor Company.

During 1936, Mr. Vandercook states, there was an increase of 114 per cent in the number of employees enrolled in apprenticeship and general employee training programs through cooperative arrangements made with the International Correspondence Schools by more than 2500 industrial concerns throughout the country.

TESTED RECIPE

By Frances Lee Barton

CHILDREN who show signs of culinary ambition should be encouraged and not shoo'd out of the kitchen. Start them off on some simple recipe, but above all make it a recipe that will be fun to eat when it's made. These fudge drops are welcome in the school lunch box and equally welcome for an after-school bite. And they're so easy to make that we're sure you won't be interrupted in your work by "Mother, what'll I do next?"



Baked Fudge Drops

1 square unsweetened chocolate, melted; 1 1/2 cups sweetened condensed milk; 4 cups (1/2 pound) shredded coconut; 1/4 teaspoon salt. Combine chocolate, milk, coconut, and salt. Drop from teaspoon on greased baking sheet. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 15 minutes. Makes 3 dozen drops.