

Sunny California City Has First Snow; Says Fruit Crop Not Hurt

Los Angeles, Jan. 18.—From a half inch to a half a foot of snow covered southern California last week. The occurrence marked the first time the 54 year-old Los Angeles weather bureau marked down such a report.

The measured Los Angeles snow fall was two inches.

"People will say it has snowed here before," said Col. H. B. Hersey, of the weather bureau, "but it never has. What we got early Friday morning can be put down as a real, old-fashioned eastern snow fall."

The fall was accompanied by a low temperature of 34 degrees, the coldest since 1922 in Los Angeles.

The snow began falling above five a. m. and continued for an hour and a half. It remained on the ground for about two hours.

The storm got the populace as excited as though a major catastrophe had happened. Newspapers issued "extra" editions with large headlines. The whole city was out of bed hours earlier than usual to see what had happened.

Children, many of whom never had seen snow, pelted snowballs in

LOCAL and PERSONAL News

Mr. and Mrs. Early Sarratt spent the day recently with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Duke in Lincolnton.

Mrs. A. D. Brabble spent the week end in Charlotte with her husband.

Mr. A. P. Liebig of Middleboro Ky., was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brooks, South DeKalb street are announcing the birth of a little son, James Edwin, on January 13.

Misses Hazel and Madge Harrill entertained a number of their friends at their home on East Marion street Saturday night.

Miss Marion Harrill, of Charlotte, spent the week-end here as guest of Miss Louise Tedder at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ceph Blanton.

Miss Victoria Young, high school librarian, spent the week-end in Rock Hill, S. C., with her family.

Mr. Bright Carrick, of High Point, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Carrick and their children at the home of Mrs. J. T. Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lineberger with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sherrill, the latter of Charlotte, are in Chattanooga, Tenn., for the opening of a new S. & W. Cafeteria at that place.

Mrs. E. A. Morgan who has been visiting her son, Mr. P. R. Morgan and Mrs. Morgan at their home here has returned to her home in Gaffney, S. C.

Mrs. Hal Schenck returned to her home at Lawndale on Saturday after a delightful visit of several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson of Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Morris visited the former's mother, Mrs. S. M. Morris, in Gastonia yesterday.

Friends here will be interested in the announcement of the birth of a daughter, Dovie Lee, to Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Morrison, who now live at Statesville. They were formerly located in Shelby for a number of years.

Workers At Still Get Thirty Months

Charlotte.—Thomas Grice and two negroes arrested at a huge distillery here, were convicted in county recorder's court last week of possessing and manufacturing whiskey and sentenced to 30 months each on the roads.

A negro woman, also arrested in the house, was liberated. She said she was only the cook.

Grice testified he was operating the still for J. T. Lawing of Greenville, S. C., but officials there said they knew no one of that name.

Back In The Old Days.

The Altoona Times.

"When I was a boy," recalls a well-to-do Altoona citizen, "we lived in a house without electricity, gas or water. In winter we let the fire go out to save coal. On many a morning, everything freezable would be frozen—water, milk, ink, the clock, the bread. My mother

did all her work, carried in the coal, drew water from the cistern, cooked, made clothes, performed other endless tasks that came to women then. She lived a life that seemed unbearable today, yet she sang at her work. When shall we learn that material wealth is only a small factor in bringing happiness?"

"GENERAL" COXEY IS TO BECOME A CANDIDATE

Massillon, O.—"General" Jacob S. Coxe, who went to jail in Washington 38 years ago, would like to go back there in state—President of the United States.

Coxey, grizzled campaigner for "money at cost" and now mayor of Massillon, announced himself a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination.

The quaint, gray-haired "general," now in his 76th year, said a "wide circle" of friends would file his petition in the North Dakota presidential preferential primary of March 15.

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We need unity of purpose to maintain our high standards in agriculture and manufacturing, keeping from our ranks any spirit of dissatisfaction that may be brought in by outsiders and agitators. Purposeful determination to live thriftily and within our incomes should be our aim this new year.

We need unity of interests with every man, woman and child taking honest pride in his town and county, in our enterprises, our agriculture, homes, churches, schools and banks. Let us realize it is the individual's efforts that count—our own—and not the other fellow's.

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Mystery Solved



Grilled since December 22, when he "found" the body of six-year-old Marian McLean in the basement of his tenement dwelling, Charles Bischoff, the supposedly mentally defective shoemaker of Cincinnati, Ohio, has confessed to kidnapping the child. He told authorities how he had left the little girl in the cellar to die after he had bound and gagged her. Photo was made as Bischoff scowled through the bars of his cell after his confession.

MR. HARRIS CUTS HIS FOOT, CHOPPING WOOD

Mooresboro, Jan. 16.—Mr. John Harris, aged citizen of Mooresboro, cut his foot severely here yesterday while chopping wood.

Remarkable strides have been made in Burke county during the past five years in the improvement of dairy cattle and their management, says F. R. Farnham, dairy extension specialist.

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Mrs. B. C. Houser returned home last evening from Burlington.

Mr. R. E. Campbell left Saturday night for a business trip to New York City, in the interest of Campbell's department store.

Miss Helen Hunter, of Greensboro, is visiting Miss Jane Stamey at her home at Fallston.

Mrs. Meredith Hennessa and little son, Meredith, Jr., of Charlotte, spent the day here on Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. John Honeycutt and two children, Patsy and Marjorie, spent the day yesterday in Concord visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Honeycutt.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Green and children and Mrs. Dexter Lee and son, David, all of Charlotte spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Crowder.

Mr. W. T. Sinclair, of Charlotte, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Laughridge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Twitty, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Oates, Miss Vera Webb Oates, Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Ferguson, and Mr. Dick Ferguson, all of Charlotte, spent the day here yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. George Blanton and Mr. C. C. Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Lewis moved last week from the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Laughridge, where they have been boarding since coming to Shelby, into the Griffin Smith house on N. Morgan street.

Mrs. Thompson G. Daniels and two children left this morning to return to their home in Tampa, Fla., after spending a month here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hull. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller Jr., who will spend some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daniels at their home in Tampa.

Mr. Steve Woodson who has been working with the Enka company, at Enka, spent the week-end at home with his mother, Mrs. C. J. Woodson, before leaving for Raleigh where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. Clifton Brooks and little daughter, Joyce Ann, of Charlotte, are spending this week here with the former's sister, Mrs. John Honeycutt, and Mr. Honeycutt.

Friends of Miss Mary Gault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Gault, who is ill with diphtheria, will be glad to learn that her condition is much improved.

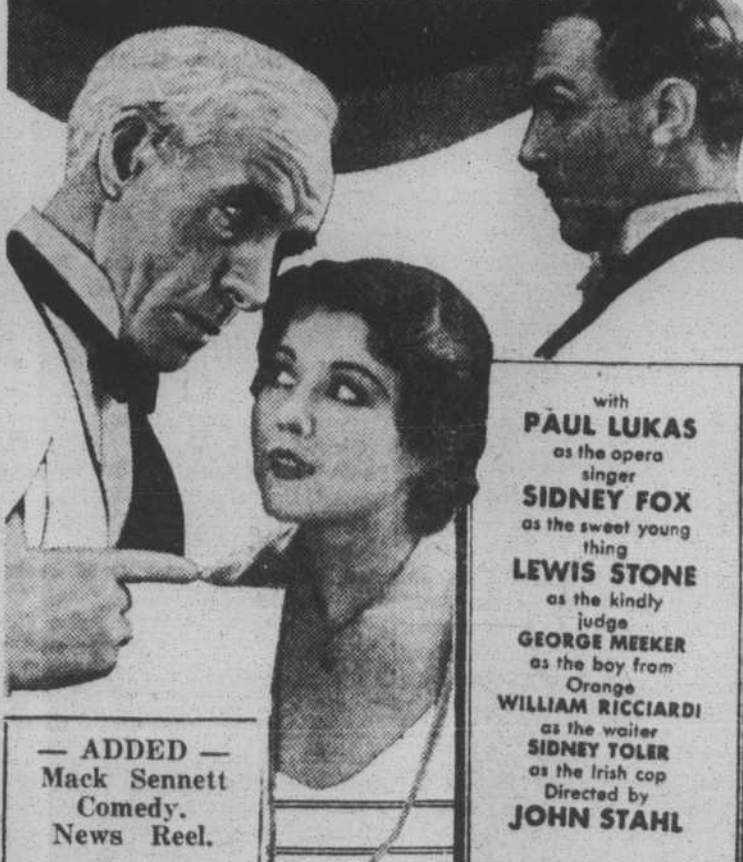
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