

IN SUNNY CALIFORNIA

Interesting Letter From Mrs. Thomas Kane, Formerly of This City

NOW AT YREKA, CAL.

Was Disappointed With the Weather at First, But in Later Weeks was Fine

This office is in receipt of a long, but interesting letter from Mrs. Thomas Kane, formerly Miss Jessie Magley, of this office, and it will of necessity have to be printed in parcels, as it could not possibly be run in one issue. It probably will not be completed for several weeks, so if you are interested, you will have to watch the columns of this paper from day to day. The first section of the letter follows:

Yreka, Cal., March 12, 1920.
Dear Friends: Well, here we are at Yreka, California, gradually going north where the country and climate are more to our liking. It will be eleven weeks tonight since I landed in California. Eight weeks were spent in Visalia, in the San Joaquin valley on the edge of the Mohave desert, midway between Los Angeles and San Francisco. The climate was pleasant there, and conditions in general, including the salary fine, but the place was beginning to grow monotonous, and the prospect of 100 degrees in June not pleasing. So three weeks ago tomorrow we left for Antioch, on the San Joaquin river near the place it empties into San Pablo bay, Antioch being about fifty-four miles from San Francisco. The place in the shop there offered exceptional advantages and with the cooler climate and the proximity to the water, we were anticipating a pleasant place. We stopped Saturday night at Fresno, and sight-saw in the raisin town and

reached Antioch, which is 205 miles north at noon Sunday, February 21. Antioch has the largest almond orchard in California, the Santa Fe guide says, and the flowering trees which were then in bloom, were beautiful, the blossoms having a pinkish cast. Acre after acre lined the road from the depot to the town some distance away. The mountains, which are green in this section, stretched away at the side and the blue waters of the San Joaquin completed a pretty picture. But alas! We were unable to get a place of live—everything crowded. So we left in the afternoon by stage to Pittsburg, and thence to Oakland where we stayed all night, and visited San Francisco, across the bay, on Monday. We decided to spend the greater part of the week seeing the country, going north to Yreka, in time for Tom to take up his place on the News here Monday. The ride across the bay to 'Frisco is beautiful, with Cliff House, the noted hotel, looming up on its island in front; the tents of the naval training station on the pine-covered cliffs of another island, and with the "golden gate" opening to let the blue waters of the bay to the ocean beyond. How good, too, it was to see the green-covered mountains of "Superior California" in contrast to the brown, bare ones of Southern California! We visited mile after mile of waterfront; saw the great ocean steamers of all nationalities come in and leave, including the U. S. Transport America, which left for Vladivostok, while we were there. We visited points of interest in 'Frisco, including its noted Bohemian cafes, navy yards and part of its 35-mile waterfront. Returning to Oakland we met Mr. Gleason, a former printer of Visalia, who wanted us to wait and make a part of our trip north in his auto, but we wanted to hurry, and so left Tuesday morning for Antioch to get our trunks and continue north. We passed through Berkeley, the California university town, opposite the Golden Gate, through Richmond, and many others, until arriving at Sacramento, where we stopped, visited the state capital, on the grounds of which grew a tree of every kind in the state. From

there we made several side trips. Notable new features here were the hop-ranches, large poles, 10 or 12 feet high, placed in squares and wired like arbors, cover. Water here, too, is very scarce, threatening even the electric power. We spent Tuesday night at Woodland, and then went to Marysville and ran out to Orville, an old mining town. This was a most delightful place, too, one of the prettiest I've seen. We ate dinner at the old "Tin Can" restaurant, a "49"-miner's eat-house, I suppose. From there, we went to Chico and thence to Redding, arriving at Montague Friday morning about 2 o'clock. That is 9 miles from Yreka, and we were obliged to transfer to a dinky little closed auto-truck car which ran here on the railroad track. It was dark and we couldn't see, but the scenery in daylight would have been beautiful, leading through mountain pass, by swift streams, and high crags. It was rather rough, though, rougher than any auto back at home. Our trip from Chico to Montague was fine, as it lay through the mountains. Mt. Lassen, the only active volcano in the country, was visible near Redding, while Mt. Shasta loomed 14,000 feet and more, eternally snow-covered. It is visible here, from the gap in the mountains, three and one-half miles away where we went Sunday to 60 rods of tile in farm, we give immediate possession, a bargain. See us.

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A FAVORABLE REPORT

(United Press Service)
Washington, March 19.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—The senate foreign relations committee today ordered a favorable report on the nomination of Bainbridge Colby to be secretary of state.

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MARKETS-STOCKS

Daily Fiscal and For-

New York, N. Y. 19—(Special to Daily Democrat)—Market opened strong (Special States Steel opened stock Bethlehem B 96 1/2. United 135 1/4, up 1/4; Union 3 1/2; 113 1/2, up 1/4; Texaco 10 1/2; Republic 10 1/2, up 1/4; Chandler 150, ex-dividend, up 1/4; General Motors 339, up 4. Sterling was up 5 1/2 and this strength reflected in other foreign exchange quotations, having a favorable effect on market prices. General Motors sold at 343, up 8 and Republic sold up to 109 1/2.

Chicago, Mar. 19.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—Grain opening: Corn: Mar. down 1/4c; May and July nominal; Sept. down 1/4c. Oats: May down 1/4c; July down 1/4c. Provisions: Steady.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Mar. 19.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—Receipts 4,800; shipments 1900; official to New York yesterday, 1710. Hogs closing steady. Medium and heavies, \$15.50 @ \$16.75; Yorkers and mixed, \$17.00 @ \$17.25; few \$17.35; pigs, \$16.00; rough \$13.50 @ \$13.75; stags, \$10.00 down; cattle, 325, steady; sheep, 4200, steady; lambs 2000, down; best ewes, \$13.50 @ \$14.50; calves, 1200; tops 2400.

Cleveland, O.—Produce market: Butter—Creamery in tub extra 72 1/2 @ 73c; extra firsts 71 1/2 @ 72c; firsts 70 1/2 @ 71c; prints 1c higher; seconds 66 @ 67c; packing 35 @ 40c. Eggs—Northern extras 48c; extra firsts 47c; northern firsts new cases, 46c; extras 45c; southern and western firsts new cases 44c. Poultry—Chickens 45 @ 50c; light fowls, 35c; heavy grades 39 @ 40c; roasters old 23 @ 24c; springers 38c; ducks 36 @ 38c; geese 34 @ 35c; turkeys 35 @ 40c.

LOCAL MARKETS.

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LOCAL MARKET.

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March 24—C. C. Doehrmann, 4 miles north of Prohle, Ind.

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