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Cross, an Old Offender, Gets Five Years.

Frank Cross this morning pleaded guilty to the charge of burglary in the first degree and waived time for passing sentence. The court sent him to San Quentin for the term of five years.

Cross's offense was in connection with one Murphy, robbing the Hobson Bros.' slaughter house at Santa Paula, from which a lot of hides, etc., were stolen. Murphy pleaded guilty and got off with a year's sentence.

Cross pleaded not guilty, but changed his plea. He said he wanted to make a statement and was allowed to do so. He said he was innocent of this crime, but that he could not prove it. "Murphy," he said, "was the real culprit and had laughed and hoasted of how he had put me forward as the scapegoat." The prisoner admitted the prior convictions against him, saying he was a mere boy when he first went to the penitentiary and that the second time he was sent up simply because he had been previously convicted; that the third time, when he was sent from this county, he had been working here on ranches and the two farmers he worked for cheated him out of his wages and he had to steal then to live.

The court said that the first cases against the prisoner were aggravated ones, but that the present one was not, since the robbery was committed in an old shed, which was practically open to the public, and in view of this fact, though he could send Cross up for life, he would let him off with but a five years' sentence.

Cross, who looks every inch the criminal, and who has served eight years of the nine he has been in California jail, slouched away muttering his innocence.

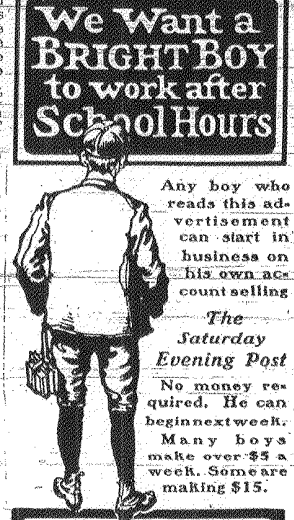
Judge Ewing read the riot act to several people this morning before passing sentence on Frank Cross. Court should have been opened at 10 a. m. It was not. Sheriff McMartin had gone to Whittier with Harry Wiley in charge and Jailer Saleido was in Santa Barbara. Under Sheriff Reilly was busy as a bee and did not know of the court and arrangements and Deputy Russell was at the rock pile "wid de gang."

Theattorneys gathered, as did the clerk and court, but no prisoner at the hour named. At 10:30 the Under Sheriff put in an appearance and by this time the clerk had gone to his office on some business. The court sent for him and had continued to grow pretty warm over the delay. He then proceeded to read a lecture to the officers. "This court is supposed to be in session when called," he said, "and the next time a delay occurs of this kind, a penalty will be delivered on the offenders."

Then business proceeded.

Will Hold an Institute

Several of our leading fruit growers have asked me why we do not hold a seaside institute, a sort of summer school, where lectures may be given by competent authorities upon subjects of vital interest to the rancher. If there is a demand warranting such an institute, one will be held at Long Beach during some week in July, probably late in the month. There will be at this institute lecture upon



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A Happy Surprise

Thursday night was the occasion of a very happy surprise party. The ladies of the South Methodist Missionary Society and their friends met at the depot and in a body marched down to the Starkweather home.

Mr. and Mrs. Starkweather were surely very much surprised, as it all had been kept a very profound secret. The evening was spent in playing those good old games, fruit basket, telephone, Bob bobbed Bob, etc.

Misses Esther and Annie Starkweather rendered two violin and mandolin solos which were much appreciated.

After dainty refreshments were partaken of, Mrs. Wade Hamilton presented to Mrs. Starkweather in behalf of the Missionary Society, a beautiful silver and gold cream spoon. The Society regrets Mrs. Starkweather's departure very much, both from their society and social functions, as she has always been a faithful f member and friend. Mr. Starkweather, although he has had very little time to get out among his friends, has won the friendship of all who have met him and he will be very much missed.

The evening was closed by singing, "God Be With You," and after bidding Mr. and Mrs. Starkweather farewell and much pleasure in their new home, they made their departure. Those present were: Mesdames Argabrite, Stewart, Stover, Brooks, Sevy, Hamilton, Cannon, Dodds, Starkweather; Messrs. Stewart, Stover, Argabrite, Starkweather, and Misses Stella Beach, Essie Starkweather, Anna Starkweather, Susie Starkweather, Kitty McKay.

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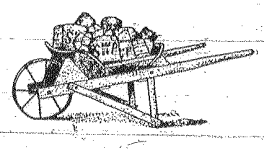

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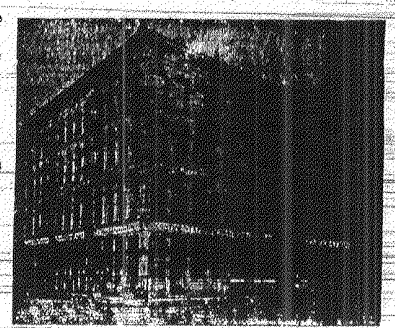

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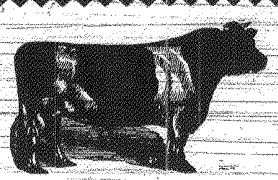

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