

### 'Catfish' Simpson Sued for Alimony

#### Can Put Three Billiard Balls in Mouth, But Can't Succeed to Provide for Wife.

Los Angeles, March 10.—"Catfish" Simpson, said to have the largest mouth on Catalina Island, was recently allowed to return to his home after he had promised Judge John W. Sherk that he would pay \$30 back alimony to his wife.

Simpson had been brought to Los Angeles on complaint of his wife that he had failed to support her and their four children. Simpson told Judge Sherk he had not paid the money because he had only two children, and if there were four, two of them were not his.

"Catfish" told a story of woe. When he went to the boat landing at Avalon, on Catalina Island, to come to Los Angeles the deputy sheriff who had been sent after him told the crowd on the island who he was after and why, "Catfish" told the judge.

"When I went down to the boat," he said, "everyone I owed money to was waiting to collect. And they collected," he added sadly.

"Catfish" has been prosecuted 16 times for failure to provide.

He says he is a good singer and can place three billiard balls in his mouth at one time.

### R. V. Cole Improving.

R. V. Cole, president of the Cole-McKay company, undertakers, is reported to be convalescing at his home and will be able to be about in a few days.

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### Former Omahans Visit City Without Resident

#### Travelers View Beautiful Public Baths, Temples, Palaces and Shops in City of 40,000 Without Seeing Single Inhabitant.

By C. W. MCASKILL, Pastor of the Methodist church at Hastings, Neb., and former pastor of Hancock Park Methodist church in Omaha, who is touring Europe with his wife. This is one of a series of articles he has written for The Sunday Bee.

How strange to spend a whole day wandering about in a large city of 35,000 or 40,000 population and not to find a single person at home. No inhabitant of the city was on the street anywhere. There were no children playing about.

We went to the theater, a magnificent building. The door was open but there was no doorman. We went in and all about, but not a spectator in any of the seats, not a player on the stage.

We found several fine temples and a number of smaller chapels. There were the marble altars, the places of worship, exquisite frescoes about the walls, but no priest, no preacher, no attendant, no worshippers. A deathlike silence was everywhere.

We knew this city was noted for its public baths. Maybe the people were there, at least we would find some of them. We went. We expected an attendant to meet us and to get our fee for the bath. But no, not one. There was the dressing room where the people had been. Marble benches lined the walls, used by them in their dressing. In an adjoining room were the receptacles where the people checked their clothing and valuables, but no clothes were there.

Marble lined. While waiting for the attendant we ventured to look about. We first entered a circular shaped room, used for cold baths. It was lined with marble, had a vaulted stucco ceiling with bas-reliefs of cupids and horses. The bath was a large circular basin of exquisite marble and the water entered through a large fountain.

Next came the room of the tepid bath, beautiful, richly decorated, and about the upper part were terra-cotta statues of herculean men. Atlas and Telemion, their brazen arms upraised supporting the cornice.

The room for hot and vapor baths was especially interesting. It had a beautiful white marble mosaic floor and a vaulted ceiling, decorated with stucco bas-reliefs. It was heated by means of calorifers and by a large bronze brazier standing at one end of the hall. The walls were hollow and there was a hollow space under the floor for the passage of heat. At one end a wonderfully beautiful white marble fountain, its rim inlaid with bronze inscriptions, furnished running water for washing, while a large rectangular bath at the other end was for hot water bathing. In the open court of this immense building was a well-equipped gymnasium. The attendant had failed to lock up all the paraphernalia so I got a man who was also a visitor to lift one of the large stone balls used in the "shot put" while I snapped it.

Visit Shops. Falling to find anybody at the baths we thought surely we would find someone at the shops or in the market. We visited many of the shops. They seemed to be grouped around the large mansions. We had to imagine why, as there was no shopkeepers to tell us. We took it for granted that these were the places where the rich proprietors of the large palaces offered for sale the produce which came from their country estates. One place was undoubtedly a soap factory. Another a wine shop, for the great wine casks were sitting about, but for some reason were all empty. Another was a bakery, but very different from ours. There we saw hand mills for grinding corn; two immense lava stones, the under one of conical form made to fit into a cavity in the upper one which was turned by means of levers. It also had a large cone-shaped cavity into which the corn was poured. Four of these were in one shop. Back of them were the large built-in ovens and in a side room were some very large terra cotta mixing bowls fully four feet in diameter. In one place we saw a bronze water boiler sitting on a small fire box, but the all had boiled out.

There were two public markets, one for the common people, which was large, but quite ordinary. The other was very elegant, was surrounded on three sides by porticos with doric columns of white marble, above which were other porticos with ionic columns. All about were statues of the illustrious citizens of the city, part of them equestrian statues and part standing figures. But not a living soul anywhere.

Break Into Homes. It must be some holiday or some sacred day when the people are all in their homes. We hesitated to break in upon the sacredness of the home, especially on this home day, but we were anxious to learn about this strange city. We passed the house of the leading banker, a Mr. Cecilius Jucundus. We lifted the handsome bronze knocker, but as there was no response we ventured to step inside. It was a magnificent home with white and black marble mosaic floors. All about were handsome marble tables, marble benches, and marble fountains. The bedrooms were lined with marble below and the upper part of the walls decorated with rich paintings. Funnel shaped openings through the thick walls had the smaller outer ends covered with glass. These were windows.

At one side, not far from the dining room, was a well whose marble curb was like part of a Corinthian column, and its upper rim was deeply grooved by the constant rubbing of ropes. Near this were lead pipes which carried water to different parts of the house and at one of the junctions of the pipes was a bronze tap very like the taps in our water pipes at home. On a marble pedestal in the atrium, or room which you first enter, was a bronze bust of Mr. Jucundus. I remember this was very lifelike, and from it I gathered that he must be a very pleasant as well as a very intelligent gentleman, and we were sorry not to have met him.

"Beware of the Dog." We quietly passed out of this house, looked up and down the street, but seeing no one, went on. All along we noticed that nearly all the doors were standing open. We knocked at many of them, but could get no response; no one was at home, not a sign of life anywhere, not even a dog or a cat or a chicken was about. On the threshold of one home we did see a fine likeness of a dog worked out in the marble mosaic, and near it a sign in Latin, "Beware of the Dog." On the walls of some of the homes we saw very lifelike frescoes of chickens and birds of various kinds, also on the walls of the garden of one home we saw splendid likenesses of wild animals being pursued in the chase. But this was as near as we came to finding anything alive in this silent city.

We were getting bolder now and we entered many houses, some of them better palaces. We found the general plan of the homes, especially the better ones, much alike. All the houses were flush with the street, with no lawns in front. Each had two inner courts. They were surrounded by marble colonnades, and outside these were the various private rooms of the house.

Beside the marble columns there were here and there bronze or marble busts of members of the family. But where were all the inhabitants? As we walked over the well-paved streets and saw the deep-worn grooves made by wheels of the carts of commerce, the of the carriages of

pleasure, of the chariots of war, we knew that people must have been living here and must have been living here for a long time. Seeing a white-haired old man I asked him if he lived here. "Oh, no," he said. I asked him where were all the people? He shook his head. I said: "Does no one live here?" He said: "No," I said: "How long since they left and what made them leave?" He replied: "I am Father Time. These people all left 2,000 years ago. No one has lived here since. This is Pompeii, the city that was buried by the eruption of Vesuvius in the year 79 A. D. Most of the people rushed out from their homes and escaped, leaving everything just as it was. Some were too late, could not escape, and were buried beneath the ashes and lava. In one house, the house of Diomedes, were found the traces of 18 bodies, among them one of a child clinging to a young man's breast. Near to the garden gate, with the key still in his hand and a slave at his side carrying money and objects of special value, was found the body of the master, Diomedes, trying to escape, but overcome and buried as he fell. The houses, so perfect in their ways, were mostly without roofs. The roofs were of wood and burned before the downpour of rain and ashes put out the fire.

Mrs. Maria Hayes, Aunt of Omaha Undertaker, Expires

Mrs. Maria Hayes, 69, aunt of Mrs. and Mrs. W. J. Hayes, of the Cross and Moore Funeral Home, who was a frequent visitor in Omaha, died in Los Angeles last week.

Mrs. Hayes, whose home was in Minneapolis, visited in Omaha two months ago, and then went to Los Angeles, where she expected to stay the remainder of the winter. Mrs. Hayes was with her when she died. Burial took place Saturday afternoon in Minneapolis.

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