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ANNIE C. MASSEY,

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All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 7th day of August, 1920, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

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CALIFORNIA SCENERY

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 27, 1920.
Miss Mary Parsons,

Dear Niece: I came to San Diego on December 9th. Scenery along the route from Los Angeles included orange groves at Santa Ana, ruins of the old mission at the little town of San Juan Capistrana, a range of snow-covered mountains on the east and the blue Pacific on the west.

San Diego, (pronounced San De-a-go), possesses the most ideal winter climate of the state, and a large class of tourists are here from the East, Middle West and Canada to enjoy the balmy air and warm sunshine afforded by proximity to the mild equable Pacific Ocean. Grass and trees are green and flowers blooming.

The city is built upon the sloping shores of the Bay of San Diego, locally called the "Harbor of the Sun." Its beauty is sung by artist and poet. Upon its broad bosom float ocean liners and gray battleships of the Pacific Fleet. Against its outer rim, beat restlessly the waves of the blue Pacific. The long, dark headland Point Loma, like a range of mountains, guards the narrow entrance to the harbor.

The following lines are extracts from a poem by an Eastern writer, now living in California:

In the Land of Heart's Desire, in the dreamland of my soul,
And my boat on the shore with its rudder and its thole,
With its white sails agleam and the soft winds blowing free,
And the Bay of San Diego shining blue against the sea.

The lemon was in blossom, and, shimmered in between,
Glowed the gold of the orange and the olive's flash of green;
I could see them from the waters that rippled, blue and bright,
On the Bay of San Diego in the golden morning light.

'Tis still as God has made it in the gladness of his dreams,
With the never-ending summer forever o'er it gleams—
The mystic seas beyond it in the sunlight's golden fire,
On the Bay of San Diego in the Land of Heart's Desire.

Into this bay sailed Cabrillo from New Spain, Mexico, nearly four hundred years ago.

A few miles east of the city, and forming a background in the picture, are the Cuyamaca Mountains. A few miles south, is Old Mexico and its border town Tia Juana (Te-a-Wanna) which most tourists visit, passing through an orange and lemon district and the towns of National City and Chula Vista.

Recently, a bull-fight was held in Tia Juana and, naturally, some curious people went over to see it. San Diego ministers preached against it and the papers here gave no account of it.

In the business section of San Diego, white and light stone buildings predominate. Naming a few, there is the handsome gray stone Hotel U. S. Grant on Broadway, facing the Plaza with its Electric Fountain and palm trees. Cabrillo Theatre is on the opposite side. There is the large, white Hotel Casa Loma, the white stone Carnegie Library and Park; the handsome, new, white Santa Fe Depot, of Spanish Mission architecture, with arched corridors and bell-towers.

Residence streets are bordered with palms, acacias and red-berried pepper trees (not producing edible pepper.)

Remote from the modern city, is a section that visitors feel much interest in, called "Old Town." It is the site of the first settlement in California, by New Spain in Mexico, one hundred and fifty years ago. The ruins of the mission church and bell-tower, built at that time, may still be seen. Here, also, is "Ramona's Marriage Palace," a low, abode building, made famous by Mrs. Helen Hunt Jackson's novel "Ramona." Ten years ago the building was restored to its present condition. An inner court contains beautiful flowers. To each group of visitors, a lecture is given on Old Town and the twenty-three other missions afterwards scattered along the coast, by the early priests, to Christianize the Indians.

You will see why names of California are in Spanish. They give half its charm, I think, and spring from a romantic history.

It was to emphasize the fact that San Diego is the "Birthplace of California," that a branch of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition of 1915 was held here. In Balboa Park, covering fourteen hundred acres, may still be seen the fair buildings—beautiful white structures in Spanish architecture. Rows of small acacia trees border the walks throughout the park.

There are trips to Mission Cliff Gardens with its palms, flowers and Tea Pavilion, and adjoining Ostrich Farm; to Point Loma by auto-stage; by ferry across bay to Colorado City and the famous Hotel Coronado; North Island, Silver Strand and the ocean beach.

General Pershing is in town and is being given a royal welcome. He was honored last night at a citizens' banquet, and is to speak today at Balboa Park.

President Wilson, when here, spoke at the Stradium of the High School, an amphitheatre where sports are held.

I had great pleasure in hearing a lecture by Richard Pearson Hobson, of Spanish-American war fame, on "America and the Destiny of the World." Also, an educated, young Indian of a Montana tribe. He wore a handsome, beaded costume and was pleading for citizenship of the Indian race.

We felt a slight shock of the earthquake that occured three days later in Mexico.

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