

SKETCHES AND PICTURES
OF
MAYORS
AND
COUNCILMEN OF SAN DIEGO
UNDER WHOM
ALLEN H. WRIGHT SERVED

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WALTER W. AUSTIN



Former Mayor Walter W. Austin 8/21/32

Formerly head of the Austin Safe & Desk Co.

Served short term as mayor, ending May 1932.

Has been president of San Diego Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution.

Candidate for Congressman in 1932.

Was born in Kendall, Wis. Served in Spanish American War.

Married 1903; came to San Diego 1912; became president of Austin Safe and Desk Co.

Imperial Past Prince, Dramatic Order of Knights of Korassan; past Chancellor commander, Knights of Pythias; past senior councillor, United Commercial Travelers; Past international second vice president and past local president of Executives' Association; member of San Diego Club, San Diego Press Club, San Diego Rotary Club, San Diego Ad Club, United Veterans of the Republic; Veterans of Foreign Wars; United Spanish War Veterans, John D. Spreckels Lodge of Masons, San Diego Scouts, San Diego Consistory, Al Bahr Shrine and San Diego Elks.

JOHN L. BACON

His first service with the city was as assistant manager of operation, under Fred M. Lockwood.

Was elected councilman 3 April 1917 but left the city service in December to enter the army engineers corps in the World War. He returned from overseas in August, 1919.

Was elected Mayor 5 April 1921; 3 April 1923 and 7 April 1925.

Served as president of the Boulder Dam Association for nine years.

Was an unsuccessful candidate for Congressman.

Chairman 1931 Community Chest campaign.

Chairman of the California Colorado River Commission 1927-31.

Active in Boy Scout, Red Cross, Y.M.C.A., Salvation Army and other work.



FOR
MAYOR
JOHN L. BACON

CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER

FOR
CONSTRUCTIVE ADMINISTRATION
IMPARTIAL ENFORCEMENT OF LAW
PUBLIC BUSINESS PUBLICLY TRANSACTED



Republican



EDWIN M. CAPPS

BORN AT KNOXVILLE, TENN., .

Elected Mayor 6 April 1915 (over John S. Akerman).

Was city engineer and harbor engineer.

Married Elva Walsh 15 February 1887.

Moved to Los Angeles.

DIED AT LOS ANGELES, CALIF., 16 JANUARY, 1938, AGED 77 YEARS.

BECAME CITY ENGINEER IN 1893 AND

HE FIRST SETTLED IN SAN DIEGO IN 1886, AND IN 1899, WHILE CITY ENGINEER, HE

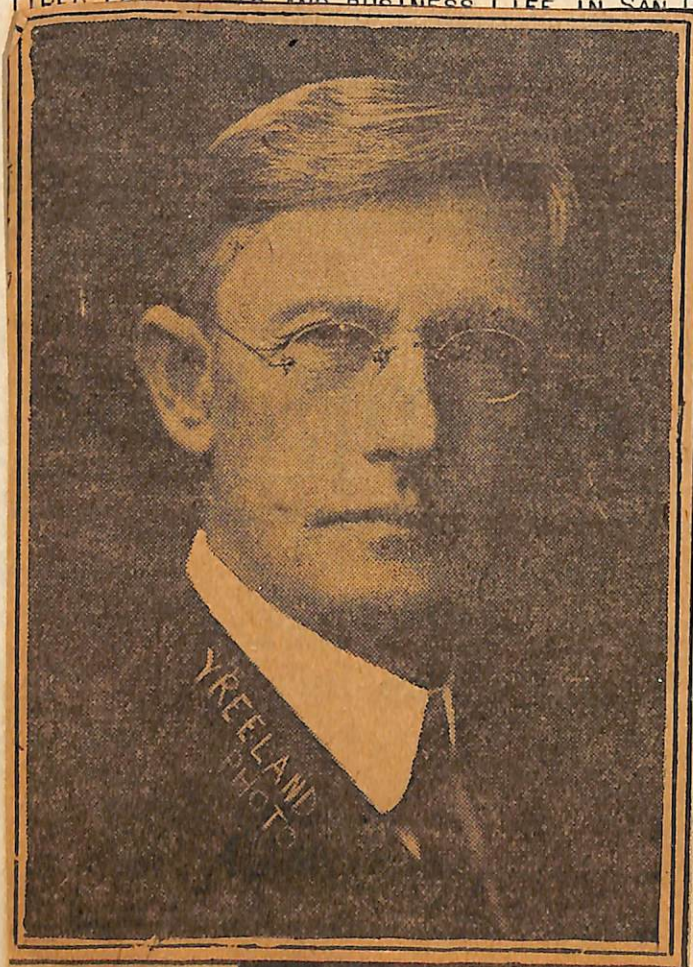
WAS ELECTED TO THE OFFICE OF MAYOR, SERVING ONE TERM. (2 YEARS)

AGAIN APPOINTED CITY ENGINEER IN 1908, SERVING UNTIL 1911

HE BECAME HARBOR ENGINEER IN 1911, AND SUPERVISED THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE

BROADWAY PIER. IN 1915 HE AGAIN RAN FOR MAYOR AND WAS ELECTED. IN 1923 HE RE-

TIRED FROM CIVIL AND BUSINESS LIFE IN SAN DIEGO AND MOVED TO LOS ANGELES TO LIVE.



EDWIN M. CAPPS
MAYOR CITY OF SAN DIEGO

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Harry C. Clark

Harry C. Clark, former mayor.

Graduated from the University of Vermont in 1907.
Admitted to the California Bar in July 1915; having come here about 1911.

Served for a time in the army during World War.

Mayor of San Diego from May 1927 to May 1931.

Member of American Bar Association; California Bar Association and San Diego County Bar Association; served as president of last named in 1927.

Candidate in 1936 for superior court judge.



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GRANT CONARD

Elected Mayor April 1909 (over John F. Forward).

Elected Member of Assembly, November, 1914, and served on term, 41st session.

Republican in politics.



TRADE MARK F & S

FOR RE-ELECTION

MAYOR GRANT CONARD

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1. I stand on my record for clean and honest government, independent of politics.
2. I favor Municipal Improvements for San Diego Harbor, with modern wharves and docks, and attractive inducements to Commerce and Manufacturing.
3. If honored by re-election to the office of Mayor, I shall continue to devote my time and energy to the best interests of San Diego.

ELECTION APRIL 4

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YRELAND PHOTO
Honorable
JOHN F. FORWARD, Jr., Mayor

Republican

Born in Pittsburg, Pa., son of John F. Forward sr., who served as Mayor of San Diego 1907-09, and later as county recorder. John jr. great-grandson of Walter Forward, a former Congressman and secretary of the Treasury under two presidents.

Came to San Diego at age of ten, with his parents. Succeeded in 1926, at father's death, as president of the Union Title & Trust Co. Married 2d time, Martha Thomson. Has daughter by first marriage, Mrs. Leonard H. Brown.

Mason, Sciot, Knight Templar, Shriner; director of Auto Club of Southern California, and of Chamber of Commerce. Member of Cuyamaca Club, San Diego Club, Realty Board, Elks, San Diego Historical Society, Fine Arts Society, State Chamber of Commerce, San Diego Zoological Society, Y.M.C.A., Calif. Taxpayers' Association, etc.

Retired from active work with title company about 1934.

Elected Mayor 1932 for term ending 1935, but resigned 1934.

Had served many years on Park Board before becoming Mayor.

DIED 28 MARCH, 1938.

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Dr. Rutherford
B. Irones, Mayor
of San Diego

ELECTED BY COUNCIL TO SUCCEED JOHN F. FORWARD JR., AS MAYOR, WHEN THE LATTER
HAD RESIGNED IN 1934. DID NOT RUN IN 1935 TO SUCCEED HIMSELF.

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C H A R L E S F. O'N E A L L

Elected Mayor 8 April 1913. Served one term.

Promoted oil well projects in Texas, where he spent his last
years.

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J O H N L E I C E S T E R S E H O N

Retired Army captain.

Served in old council under bi-cameral system.

Elected Mayor 1905 and served two years.

Elected Councilman April 1909 and served four years; then
defeated for re-election.

John L. Sehon

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J A M E S E . W A D H A M

Attorney.

Elected Mayor 4 April 1911; served two years.

Born in Macomb, McDonough Co., Illinois. Came to California in 1870, at age of 5 years, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Wadham. After grammar schools he studied law with Maj. Levi Chase and began practice on his 21st birthday. After five months he went to Harvard Law School for 2 years and returned to San Diego, where he practiced until his death in 1930.



JAMES E.
WADHAM
FOR
MAYOR

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PLATFORM:
Previous Record as Mayor
of the City of San Diego



Age 75 1940



LOUIS J. WILDE

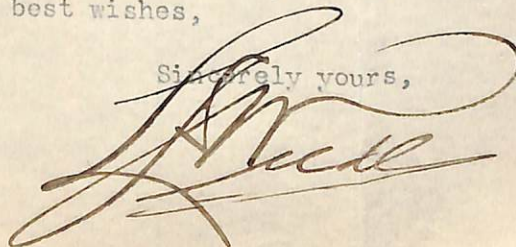
Elected Mayor 3 April 1917 (over George Marston).

Re-elected 8 April 1919 (over A.P. Johnson jr.)

With kind personal
regards and best wishes,

LJW*D

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "L. Wilde", written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath.

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DANIEL K. ADAMS

Born at Defiance, Ohio., July 27, 1867; came to California in fall of 1888 from Madison, Wis., where he had been at the experimental station of the University of Wisconsin. In Chula Vista he planted the first 20-acre lemon orchard in the county; lived there about six years and then came to San Diego and entered the grocery business at H (now Market) and 8th, and then at 5th and University, with C.F. Morse; served on City Board of Public Works for 2 years; appointed member of the Board of Supervisors by Gov. James Gillett to fill unexpired term of Howard Cherry; then elected for full term but resigned and ran for member of the Common Council; elected to Council April 1911. Married Flora M. Morse, daughter of Peter Morse. One daughter, Annabel, who m. Henry L. Diamond.

After leaving office as public official became connected with the San Diego Consolidated Gas & Electric Company as public relations man.



D. K. ADAMS - FORMER COUNCILMAN

D. K. Adams



James V. Alexander, councilman

ELECTED AT GENERAL ELECTION 2 APRIL 1929. SERVED UNTIL 1932.

BORN IN GIDDING, TEXAS, ON 5 DECEMBER 1879.

DIED AT SAN DIEGO FROM PNEUMONIA 2 JANUARY 1938 . HAD RESIDED IN SAN DIEGO
FOR 22 YEARS.

SURVIVED BY HIS WIFE AND HIS MOTHER.

CHARLES E. ANDERSON

HE WAS BORN AT IOLA, KANS., AND EDUCATED THERE AND AT ELMORE, KANS., HIGH SCHOOL. HAD TWO YEARS IN BUSINESS COURSE AT UNIVERSITY.

CAME TO SAN DIEGO IN 1920, AFTER BEING ELSEWHERE IN THE STATE FOR THE PREVIOUS TWELVE YEARS.

BUSINESS, REALTOR. SERVE 4 YEARS AS DEPUTY STATE REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONER. MEMBER OF MASONIC AND ELKS FRATERNITIES.

WAS MEMBER OF BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS WHICH DREW UP NEW CHARTER WHICH WAS APPROVED IN 1931.

ELECTED TO COUNCIL IN APRIL, 1932, AND DREW 3-YEAR TERM. WAS NOT CANDIDATE IN 1935.

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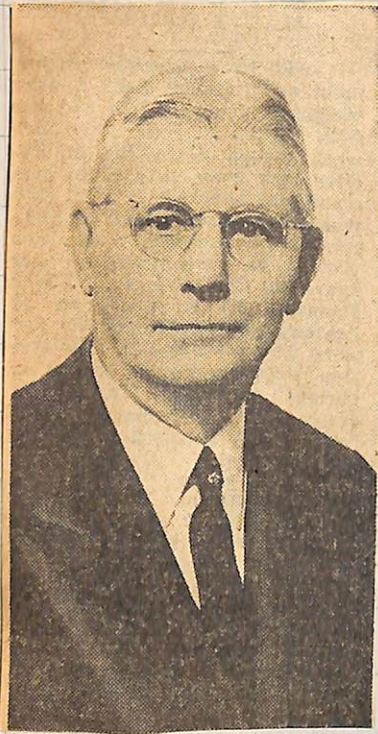


HOWARD B. BARD

MINISTER, UNITARIAN CHURCH.

ELECTED TO THE COUNCIL IN APRIL 1917.

WHILE IN THE EAST IN 1918 HE WAS DECLARED AUTOMATICALLY OUT OF OFFICE BY REASON OF ABSENCE BEYOND THE CHARTER'S PERMISSIVE LIMITS, THIS ACTION BEING TAKEN ON JUN 13 OF THAT YEAR.



Albert W. Bennett.

Served in the Navy in the World War. Member of American Legion and past commander of La Jolla Post, and of the county council.

Past master of La Jolla Lodge, F. & A.M.

Has served as director of La Jolla Hospital, Community Chest, Y.M.C.A., Salvation Army and San Diego Humane Society.

Was member of Board of Freeholders which framed the 1931 Charter. 22 JAN 1931 ELECTED TO SUCCEED S.P. McMULLEN, WHO HAD RESIGNED AS COUNCILMAN.

Elected to Council from First District. APRIL 1932, DREW 1-YEAR TERM. RE-ELECTED 1933 Term expired May 1937. He was not candidate for re-election.



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Councilman
Albert W. Bennett

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JOHN R. BLAKISTON

BORN IN PHILADELPHIA, PA. EDUCATED IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS. MARRIED. NO CHILDREN.

WAS CITY CLERK IN EAST SAN DIEGO FOR A SHORT TIME BEFORE ITS ANNEXATION TO SAN DIEGO.

SERVED TEN YEARS AS A DEPUTY ASSESSOR AND REAL ESTATE APPRAISER.

IN 1925 SERVED ON A SPECIAL COUNTY BOARD TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT ON REAL ESTATE VALUES THROUGHOUT THE CITY.

IN 1912 SERVED ON COMMITTEE FOR LA MESA, LEMON GROVE AND SPRING VALLEY SECTION TO STUDY POSSIBILITIES OF EL CAPITAN DAM SITE.

IN APRIL, 1932, WAS ELECTED TO COUNCIL AND DREW 1-YEAR TERM. WAS AGAIN A CANDIDATE IN 1933 BUT WAS DEFEATED BY HARRY WARBURTON.

DIED IN 1935.



JOHN R. BLAKISTON

LUCIEN A. BLOCHMAN

BANKER, MEMBER OF BANKING FIRM OF A. BLOCHMAN & SON.

ELECTED ON BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS 9/15/1914

SERVED ON COMMON COUNCIL ; ELECTION 4 APRIL 1905.

MOVED TO SAN FRANCISCO

Respectfully,

A. Blochman

Virgilio Bruschi.
Native of California. Attended Santa Clara College.
Resident of San Diego since about 1880.
Groceryman for many years.
Served 12 years on Common Council. 1917-1929
Fluent speaker of Italian, Spanish and French.

31 March
Died ~~April~~, 1937



Photo taken 1925



RE-ELECT
COUNCILMAN
**VIRGIL
BRUSCHI**

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(Over)

Virgilio Bruschi



Will H. Cameron.

Served part of one term, ending May, 1935. HAVING BEEN APPOINTED 27

Had been city purchasing agent, 1923-27.

JUNE 1934 TO SUCCEED
LEROY E. GOODBODY, RESIGN.

Resident of San Diego since about 1914.

Was at one time chief engineer for the Willys-Overland
Auto Mfg Co.

After coming to San Diego was in gas and electric appliance
business.

Defeated for council in 1935.



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Councilman
Will H. Cameron



W. H. CAMERON

Candidate for the
COMMON COUNCIL
Long Term

Primary Mar. 22

Election April 5



*A Business Man for a
Business Administration*

JAMES E. CONNELL

UNDERTAKER, MEMBER OF FIRM OF JOHNSON & CONNELL

ELECTED ON BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS 9/15/1914

SERVED ON COMMON COUNCIL; ELECTION 2 APRIL 1907

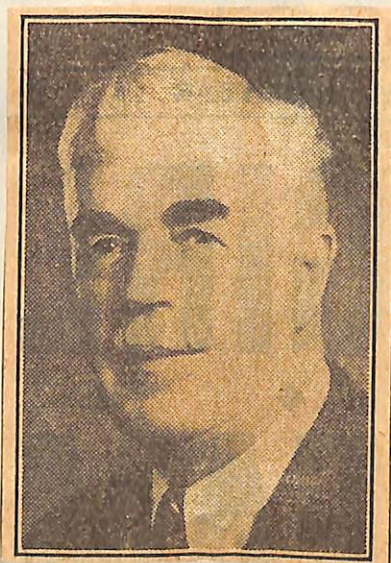
DIED

Wesley C.Crandall, elected councilman from first district at general election on April 27, 1937.

Had served the city on the harbor and park commissions, and on the board of education.

Business manager of the Scripps Memorial Hospital, La Jolla.

Past master of La Jolla Lodge of Masons and past exalted ruler of San Diego Lodge of Elks.



BORN AT SIGOURNEY, IOWA. CAME TO CALIFORNIA IN YOUTH. GRADUATED FROM STANFORD UNIVERSITY IN 1899. CAME TO SAN DIEGO AS A MEMBER OF THE FACULTY OF THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL. IN 1913 BECAME BUSINESS MANAGER AND RESEARCH WORKER AT THE SCRIPPS INSTITUTION OF BIOLOGICAL RESEARCH, NOW SCRIPPS INSTITUTION OF OCEANOGRAPHY. IN 1924 BECAME BUSINESS AGENT FOR MISS ELLEN SCRIPPS.

LAWRENCE A. CREELMAN

Born in County Kent, New Brunswick, Canada, May 4th, 1853, and came to San Diego in July, 1887. His first work here was with the San Diego street car line, as conductor, and he remained with the company for about 14 years. Then he went into the bath-house business, at the foot of 5th and 6th, until 1919. He served for two years on the Board of Delegates and 4 years on the Common Council. He was secretary of the Board of Harbor Commissioners for 2 years. Member of the Masonic order, Odd Fellows, Independent Order of Foresters. Married May E. Chittenden. Two sons - James L and Charles F. He died

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WAS ELECTED TO COUNCIL FROM 6TH WARD 2 APRIL 1907.



Alvin S. Davis, councilman. Served part of one term, ending May, 1935; defeated at 1935 election. HAD BEEN APPOINTED 2 JULY 1934 TO SUC- Laundryowner. Came to San Diego in 1920. CEED WAYNE A. HOOD, RESIGNED. Was born in Oregon about 1892, at Baker. Has served as director of the San Diego Club. Married and has one daughter.



VREELAND PHOTO

Councilman
Al S. Davis



Alonzo E. Dodson

BORN IN WISCONSIN 31 AUGUST 1849
DIED AT SAN DIEGO 15 APRIL 1919

Alonzo E. Dodson

SERVED AS AN ALDERMEN UNDER THE OLD BI-CAMERAL FORM OF CITY GOVERNMENT, AND THEN AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL, HOLDING THE SUPERINTENDENCY OF THE FIRE AND SEWER DEPARTMENTS..

WAS ELECTED 2 APRIL 1907; RE-ELECTED APRIL 1909

AT PRIMARY IN MARCH 1917 WAS UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE FOR COUNCIL.

IN GENERAL ELECTION OF 1919 HE WAS ELECTED MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION BUT DIED FROM A HEART ATTACK BEFORE TAKING OFFICE.

WAS A MEMBER OF THE PIONEER SOCIETY, THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, THE FORESTERS AND OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, SAN DIEGO CHAPTER.

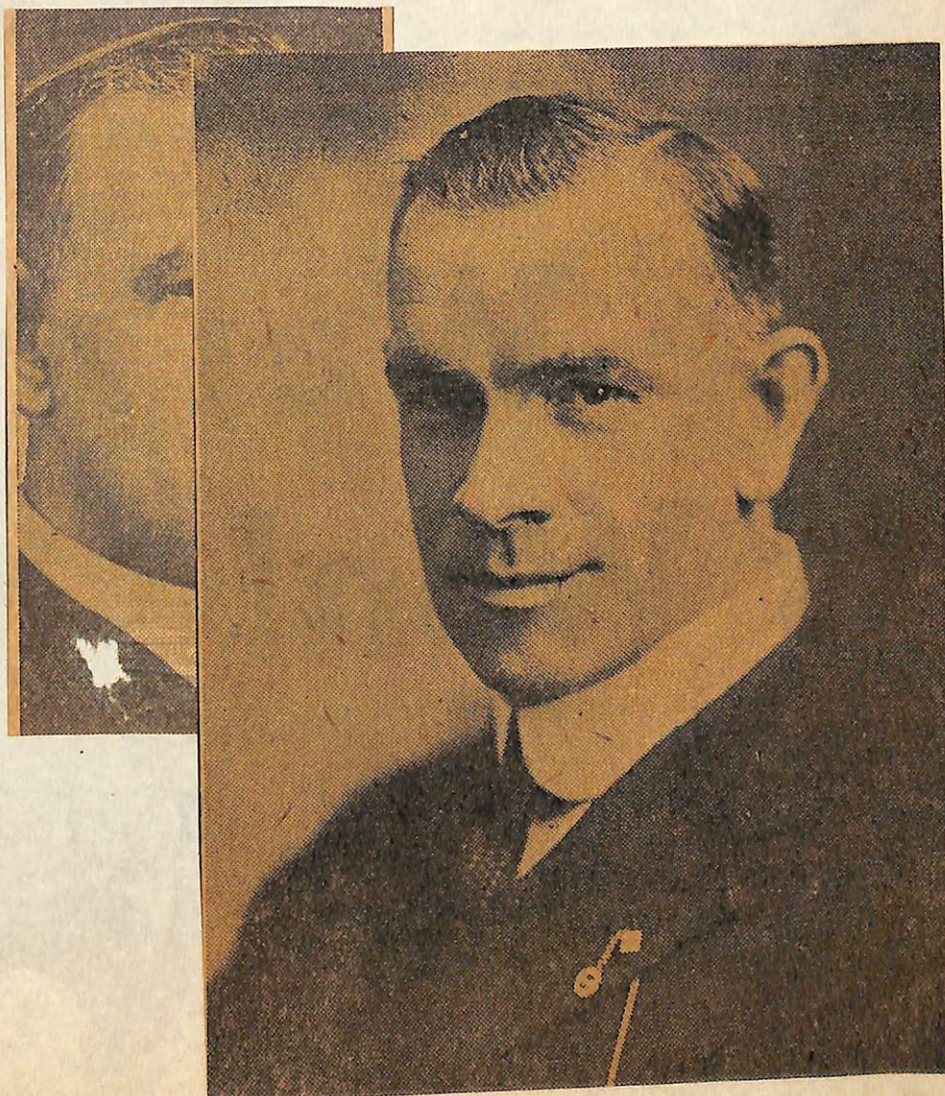
JAMES H. DOUGHERTY

Born in Syracuse, N.Y., in 1875. Married in 1901 to Elizabeth M. Hughes. Came to San Diego in 1912 and went to work on Tribune and became foreman in the composing room, serving 10 years.

Editor and publisher of the Southern Cross, a Catholic weekly, and also printed various papers for others.

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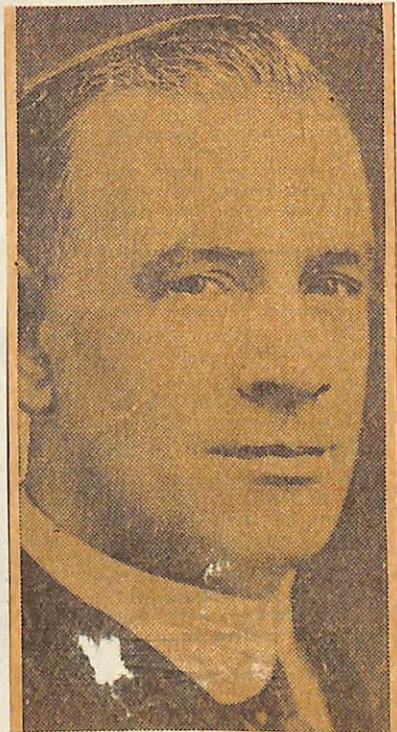
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Edward H. Dowell, member of the Council from 1927 to 1931.

Has been secretary of the Federated Trades and Labor Council.



He was born at Santa Barbara, Calif., his parents being among the earliest settlers. He came to San Diego in 1909.

Unsuccessful candidate for state senator in 1930.

HERBERT R. FAY

WAS BORN BROOKFIELD, LYNN Co., Mo., SEPT. 25, 1874.

DESCENDANT OF THOMAS WOOD AND JOSEPH WOOD, MASSACHUSETTS SOLDIERS IN THE
REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

WAS A MEMBER OF SAN DIEGO CHAPTER, SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

WAS ELECTED MEMBER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL ^{APRIL, 1911, AND RE-ELECTED} APRIL 6, 1915; RESIGNED 9/30/1918
UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR AT MARCH PRIMARY, 1919.

DURING PORTION OF THE WORLD WAR WAS IN THE SERVICE AND WAS ASSISTANT AD-
JUTANT GENERAL OF CALIFORNIA FOR A TIME.



HERBERT R. FAY

President of Common Council

Superintendent Dept. of Water
1910-1915

HERBERT E. FISH

BORN IN WHITMAN, MASS.

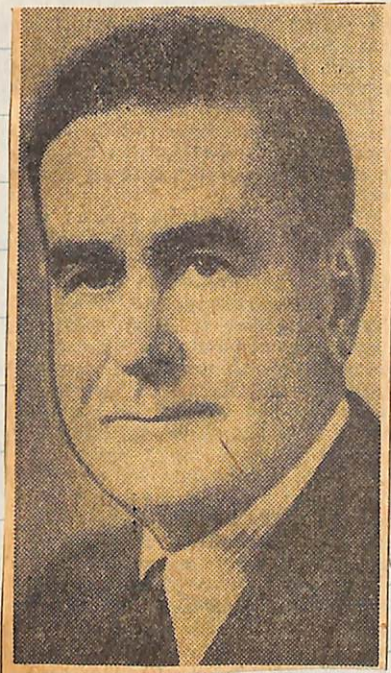
ENLISTED IN THE NAVY IN 1901, RISING FROM THE RANKS TO LIEUTENANT.

DURING PART OF THE WORLD WAR HE WAS ON DUTY AT THE BETHLEHEM SHIPBUILDING PLANT AT FORE RIVER, MASS.

MEMBER OF FIGHTING BOB POST, AMERICAN LEGION

CAME TO SAN DIEGO IN 1919.

ELECTED MEMBER OF COUNCIL FROM THE FOURTH DISTRICT AT GENERAL ELECTION IN APRIL 1937.



Thomas J. Fisher

Served as Councilman and also as member of the board
of Supervisors.

Died 1935.

His appointment to the council came 6 May 1918, to fill
vacancy caused by resignation of John L. Bacon, who had gone into the
military service



COUNCILMAN THOS. J. FISHER
at Lower Otay Dam - Aug. 1918.

D 1935

Moved to Coronado, where he spent his last years.

CHARLES W.FOX

ELECTED ON BOARD OF EDUCATION APRIL 1909

SERVED ON COMMON COUNCIL BY APPOINTMENT MADE IN APRIL 1915

MOVED NORTH AND WAS IN CANDY MANUFACTURING BUSINESS.

DIED 1939

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Scholar

FERDINAND J. GOLDKAMP

SERVED AS MEMBER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL FROM THE OLD NINTH WARD (THE
LOGAN HEIGHTS SECTION).

DIED

WAS FIRST ELECTED TO COUNCIL 4 APRIL 1905; RE-ELECTED 2 APRIL 1907

Scholar

Councilman
LeROY E.
GOODBODY

SENSOR PHOTO



Born in Chigago, Ill. Came to California in 1923.

Married; one son.

Catholic, attending St. John's Church.

Member of Elks and Knights of Columbus.

Elected to Council in April, 1932; drew 3-year term; resigned
Aug. 1, 1934, to run as candidate for county assessor. Unsuccessful.

Unsuccessful candidate for ~~Council~~ Mayor in Primary, March, 1935.

JAMES H.HASKINS

BORN IN MASSACHUSETTS. DIED AT HIS HOME AT PACIFIC BEACH APRIL 9,
1930, AGED 79 YEARS.

AFTER RETRING FROM BUSINESS IN CHICAGO HE CAME TO SAN DIEGO, AND SERVED
AS MEMBER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL FROM NOVEMBER, 1908, TO APRIL, 1909.

WAS SURVIVED BY HIS WIFE, MRS. FRANCES B. HASKINS, AND ONE BROTHER, ROBERT
HASKINS OF PONTIAC, MICH.

WAS A MEMBER OF THE ELKS AND WAS BURIED IN ELKS' REST, GREENWOOD CEMETERY.

HIS APPOINTMENT ON THE COUNCIL 16 NOVEMBER 1908 WAS TO SUCCEED A. E. DODSON
RESIGNED.

Fred A. Heilbron

Plumber by occupation.
Served on Common Council
Charter member of Rotary Club; elected president 1936.
Native Son of California.



Unsuccessful candidate for council April 3, 1917
Elected April 5, 1921
Unsuccessful candidate for Mayor March 24, 1925.

During Spanish-American War served as volunteer, and in World War he supervised the installation of plumbing at Camp Kearney and at Rockwell Field.

Admitted to the bar in 1916.

Fred A. Heilbron

Elected Councilman for full term April 8, 1919

Re-elected April 3, 1923.

Unsuccessful candidate at Primary March 22, 1927.



JOHN A. HELD

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WAYNE A. HOOD

Born in Davenport, Iowa, 1882. Came to California 1910, and to San Diego in 1913. Was messenger boy and news boy in Iowa. In course of career has been clerk, muleskinner, printer, reporter, publisher of newspapers, candy maker, superintendent of construction, surveyor, etc.

For many years in dairy business in San Diego, vice president of California Dairies, Inc., P.M. Dairy branch.

Methodist. Mason. Member of United Commercial Travelers.

Served on San Diego City Civil Service Commission 1931-2. Was unsuccessful candidate for councilman in 1932, from 3rd district, but the following year was elected, resigning in August, 1934.

Councilman
WAYNE A. HOOD

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ADDISON E. HOUSH

BORN AT WINCHESTER, KANS.

GRADUATED FROM UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS IN 1900, AND WENT WITH MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY, CHICAGO, AND LATER WITH SAME FIRM AT DENVER. AFTER TEN YEARS WITH THAT FIRM HE WENT INTO BUSINESS FOR HIMSELF AT GREELEY, COL.

IN 1920 HE DISPOSED OF HIS INTERESTS THERE AND CAME TO SAN DIEGO AND BECAME ASSOCIATED WITH THE MARSTON COMPANY, RETIRING IN 1933.

ELECTED TO CITY COUNCIL FROM THE THIRD DISTRICT IN APRIL, 1937.

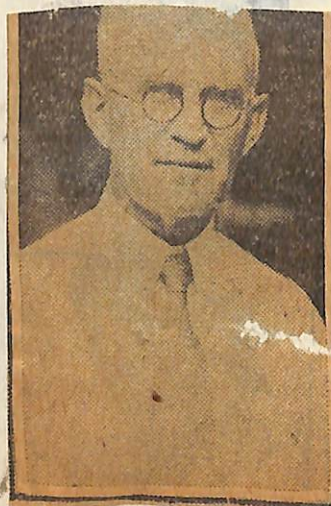


Ira S. Frey was born in Caledonia, O., educated at Marion and was schoolmate of late President Warren G. Harding.

Served as a deputy sheriff under his guardian, who was sheriff, his parents having died while he was young. Studied law under a brother-in-law, was a state representative.

Came to San Diego in 1906, after 10 years elsewhere in the state. In real estate business, recent years, after having been in fruit commission business for some years. Protestant, Elk, Mason, Sciot.

Elected to Council in April, 1929, but was defeated in April, 1932, for re-election under new charter. He was succeeded by Leroy E. Goodbody.



AMASA P. JOHNSON JR.

Served as Member of the Board of Delegates in 1897, and
as Councilman 1905-07. HAD BEEN APPOINTED BY GOV. GEO. PARDEE ON 3 FEB 1905
AND WAS ELECTED 4 APRIL 1905 FROM 8TH WARD
Died 3/11/1930.



A. P. JOHNSON JR.
COUNCILMAN (Delegate 1897) 3/11
" 1905-1907. 1930

PEARL A. JOHNSON

UNDERTAKER, MEMBER OF FIRM OF JOHNSON & CONNELL.

ELECTED ON BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS 9/15/1914

SERVED ON COMMON COUNCIL

School Records

CHARLES KELLY

ELECTED ALDERMAN UNDER OLD BICAMERAL SYSTEM OF CITY GOVERNMENT 1903

SERVED ON COMMON COUNCIL; ELECTED FROM 4TH WARD 4 APRIL 1905; RE-ELECTED
2 APRIL 1907. WAS SUCCEEDED IN 1908 BY NILS MALMBERG
WAS IN LIVERY BUSINESS

MR. KELLY WAS ELECTED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AS A MEMBER 3 DECEMBER, 1900,
AND AT THE FOLLOWING ELECTION 2 APRIL 1901 WAS ELECTED BY THE PEOPLE.

Died - 1939

TAKEN 4/16/38



Elder 40 years and member Central Christian Church.

William F. Ludington

Member of Common Council

Member of the Assembly

Died 1928



Former Councilman and Assemblyman

W. F. Ludington

D 1928

Taken 1918



Louis C. Maire, councilman

Elected April 7, 1925.
Re-elected April 2, 1929.



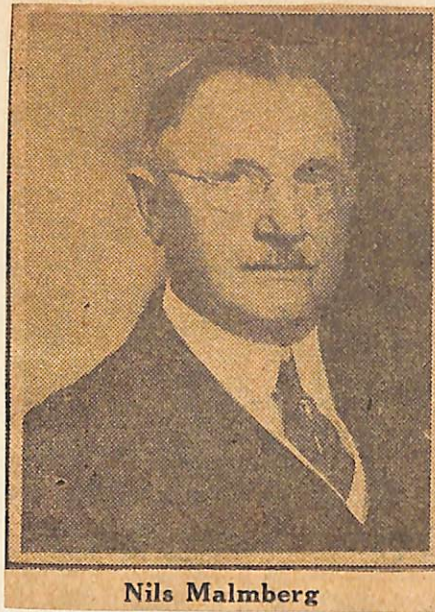
Photo 1937

GEORGE FRANCIS MAHLER

Born at Dayton, O., Nov. 2, 1856. In December of 1874 he moved to Iowa and lived at Grinnell until 1902, where he was in the general mercantile business, and was a member of the city council; was chairman of the Poweshiek County Republican Central Committee for several years. He arrived in California in 1902 and has been a resident of San Diego since that date. He served on the Board of Public Works ¹⁹⁰¹ and on the Common Council. He was married April 21, 1879 to Etta Newman of Iowa. Two adopted children. Member of Odd Fellows, Modern Woodmen and First Presbyterian Church.



Photo 1937



Served for years as Swedish vice consul.

Member of Common Council APPOINTED ~~IN~~ ON 8 JUNE 1908 TO SUCCEED CHARLES KELLY



NILS MALMBERG
COUNCILMAN 1908-9 D.
SWEDISH VICE CONSUL

HENRY N. MANNEY

REAR ADMIRAL, U.S.N., RETIRED.

ELECTED TO COMMON COUNCIL APRIL 1913. WAS SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE,
HEALTH AND MORALS AND HARBOR AFFAIRS.

DIED IN OFFICE.

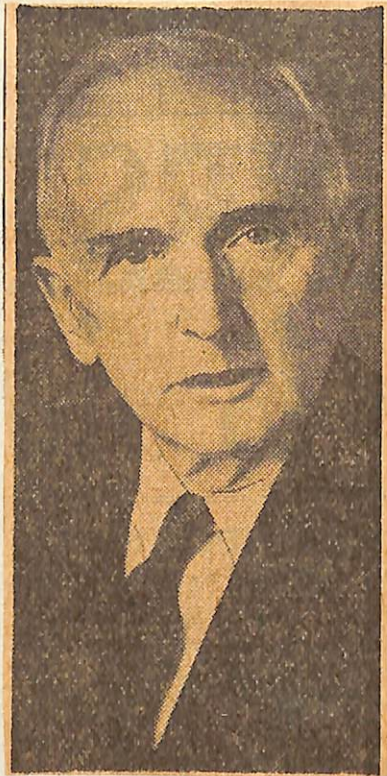
BURIED IN ELKS' REST, GREENWOOD CEMETERY.

H. N. Manney

Stewart P. McMullen

Served as member of the Board of Supervisors for 4 years.
Was chief of police from Oct. 10, 1917, to April 9, 1919.
Served as member of the Common Council.

Elected April 5, 1927, for 4 years but left council to
take up duties of supervisors, 4th dist., following election of
Nov., 1930.
Candidate for Supervisor 1936; defeated.



GEORGE MC NEILL

Served as Member of the Board of Delegates, under the old bi-cameral system, 1899 - 1904.

Under charter change to one house, he was appointed by Gov. George Pardee to serve as Member of the Common Council the early part of 1905, and, at the General Election in April of that year, was elected to the same office, representing the Fifth Ward, and served until 1909, when he was an unsuccessful candidate for re-election.



Geo. McNeill

WALTER P. MOORE

Native of Canada.

Member of Council 1915-1919 ; v pres Council May 1918 1 yr.

Died at Escondido 1923.

WALTER P. MOORE

Member of the City Council

Walter P. Moore, the genial member of the city council, came to San Diego from Michigan in 1886, and has been from the first a prominent factor in the community's progress.

As a member of the contracting firm of Cassidy & Moore, he has, as he modestly says, helped to build up the city of San Diego to the extent of 125 homes and four business blocks.

Moore counts his friends by the hundreds, and it was due to their confidence in him, and their untiring efforts in his behalf, to a large extent, that he was elected to the council at the recent hotly-contested city election.

He is always ready to give a hearing to anyone, on matters of interest to the city and to the taxpayers.



WALTER P. MOORE,

COUNCILMAN

1915-1919

Died 1923



HARRISON S.MORROW

SERVED ON COMMON COUNCIL BY APPOINTMENT TO FILL VACANCY. (CAUSED BY RESIG-
NATION OF W.F.LUDINGTON) SERVED FROM 3 DEC 1908 TO MAY 1909

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DANIEL B. NORTHROP, M.D.

SERVED ON THE COMMON COUNCIL BY APPOINTMENT TO FILL A VACANCY.

APPOINTED 23 SEPT 1907 TO SUCCEED GEORGE MAHLER, RESIGNED.

Died.

Mr Northrop died 1939

School Board

1907

JOHN B. OSBORN

BORN IN ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK.

WAS IN REAL ESTATE BUSINESS FOR SOME YEARS. LATER BECAME A MINISTER
IN THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

PAST MASTER OF SAN DIEGO LODGE, No. 35, F. & A. M..

PAST EXALTED RULER OF THE ELKS.

SERVED ON THE COMMON COUNCIL. APPOINTED BY GOV. GEORGE PARDEE 3 FEB 1905.
WAS ELECTED AT GENERAL ELECTION 4 APRIL 1905 FROM 2ND WARD.

HE HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, THROUGH ELEC-
TION 2 APRIL 1901.



WILLIAM H. PALMER

Born near Mill Run, Ohio, Jan. 19, 1870; son of John D. Palmer.

Came west in 1884 with parents; located in this city; attended Russ High School.

Was appointed superintendent of sewers.

Served a full term as member of Common Council, and short term in early part of 1918. FIRST ELECTED FROM 3RD WARD 2 APRIL 1907

President of Palmer Bros. Construction Co. Interested in Savoy Theatre and Building.

Member of Order of Eagles.

Married Emily R. Baker; father of nine children. Died June 5, 1930

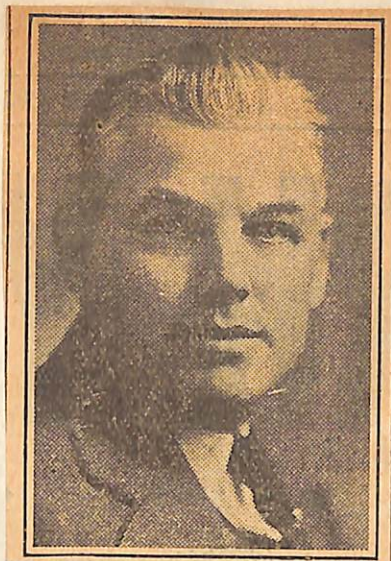


Died June 5, 1930

COUNCILMAN W. H. PALMER, FEB. 22, 19

JAY N. REYNOLDS

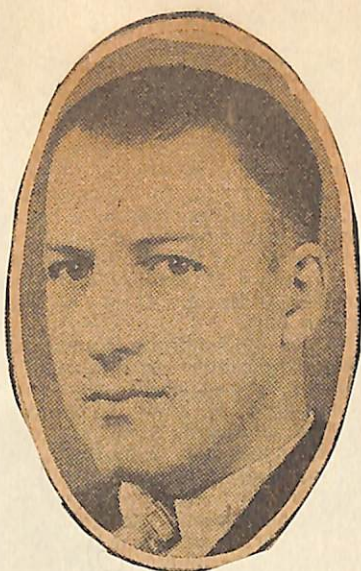
WAS ELECTED FROM THE 7TH WARD 4 APRIL 1905.



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Dan Rossi, councilman, 5th district. Defeated for re-election in 1935.

Co-founder of the Southern California Granite Co.



Joseph Russo, councilman

Elected April 7, 1931

Re-elected (under new charter), representing Dist.No.3,
April 4, 1932. Drew short term.

Unsuccessful candidate April 25, 1933; defeated by Wayne A.
Hood.

Born in Petersburg, Va., 1902; came to San Diego with his parents at age of 17. Married and has one daughter. Was educated at Petersburg grade schools and at Blackstone Military Academy in Va. Served for some years as superintendent of projection for the Fox theatres in San Diego. Has served as president of the Federated Trades and Labor Council. Catholic, attending St. John's Church. Member of the Eagles.

FRANK A. SALMONS

WAS ELECTED TO COMMON COUNCIL IN APRIL 1909

SERVED AS COUNTY CLERK 1904-1906.

MEMBER OF INSURANCE AND BOND FIRM OF KETTNER & SALMONS.

INTERESTED IN GEM MINES AT PALA.

DIED

Frank A. Salmon

OTTO M. SCHMIDT

B

DIED AT SAN DIEGO

SERVED ON COMMON COUNCIL ; ELECTED 8 APRIL 1913

HELD POST OF SUPERINTENDENT OF FINANCE, WAYS AND MEANS.

Richard I. Scollin, following resignation of Charles E. Anderson as Councilman from the Sixth District, was elected to hold office from fall of 1934 to May, 1935.

Manager of El Cortez Hotel; has been president of Charter No. 33, Hotel Greeters of America, and president of the California State Greeters, and held office in San Diego Hotel Association.

On April 1936 left El Cortez and went to Hollywood as manager of the Roosevelt. A short time later went to Sacramento as manager of the Senator.



Councilman
Richard I. Scollin



Frank W. Seifert, elected to Council April 5, 1927, to serve two years; was unsuccessful for re-election in 1929.

Served as lieutenant in the army air corps.

Married.

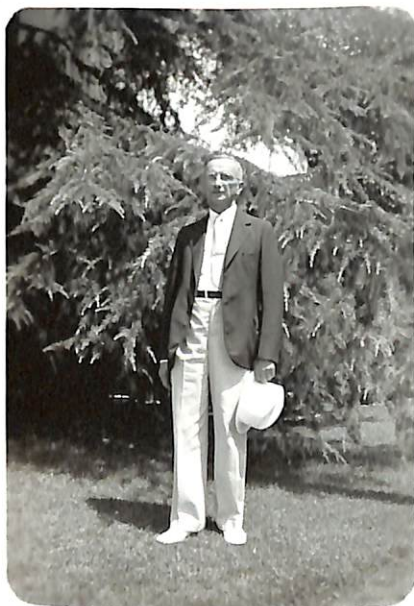


Frank Seifert
Photo 1937

JOHN S. SIEBERT

Architect by profession.

Elected to City Council in 1935 from Sixth District.



John S. Siebert
Photo 1937



ALFRED STAHEL, Jr.



Alfred Stahel Jr.
Photo 1937

Resident of San Diego since about 1895.
Has served as chairman of the County Planning Commission.
Served for a time as member of the city council from the
Sixth District. Ran in 1935 and was defeated.

Was born in San Francisco in 1887, son of Alfred Stahel, and was
a member of the firm of Alfred Stahel & Sons, later merged with the
Dohrmann Commercial Co., later known as Stahel-Dohrmann Co., and at
withdrawal of Stahel, the Parmalee-Dohrmann Co.

Was educated in San Diego Grade and High Schools; attended busi-
ness courses in San Diego and in Seattle, Wash.

Married daughter of Dr. P. C. Remondino. No children.

Formerly member of Congregational Church. Life member of Elks.
Member of San Diego Club.

Member of County Planning Commission.

Bruce R. Stannard.

Elected to City Council from Fifth District in 1935.

Chairman of the Traffic Commission.

Chosen Vice Mayor in May 1936

Former member of the Assembly. Had been elected in 1932 from 79th district, defeating Ed L. Head, incumbent.

Was in the Indian service in South Dakota.

Came to San Diego 1911.



Ran a grocery store at Encanto until he volunteered for the World War.



Bruce R. Stannard

Photo 1937

BEECHER STERNE

WAS ELECTED TO THE COMMON COUNCIL 8 APRIL 1919.

DIED AUGUST 11, 1919.

DON M. STEWART

SERVED AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DELEGATES UNDER THE OLD BICAMERAL SYSTEM OF CITY GOVERNMENT.

ELECTED CITY TREASURER, 1909, 1911, 1913, 1915 AND 1917.

DURING WORLD WAR SERVED AS LIEUTENANT COMMANDER, HAVING PREVIOUSLY BEEN A MEMBER OF THE NAVAL MILITIA IN SAN DIEGO.

IN 1919 HE WAS AGAIN CANDIDATE FOR CITY TREASURER BUT WAS DEFEATED BY J.T. MILLAN.

ON 3 NOVEMBER 1919 HE WAS APPOINTED MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL TO FILL VACANCY.

IN 1921 WAS UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE BUT IN 1923 RAN AGAIN AND WAS ELECTED AND SERVED FOUR YEARS BUT WAS UNSUCCESSFUL AS CANDIDATE IN 1927.

IN 1934 WAS APPOINTED POSTMASTER IN SAN DIEGO.



Don M Stewart

EDMOND C. THORPE

Councilman 1905-07.

Had served as Delegate under old charter.

Husband of Rose Hartwick Thorpe, writer of "Curfew Shall
Not Ring Tonight."

He died 1916.



EDMOND C. THORPE

FORMER COUNCILMAN 1905-7

[DELEGATE 1891

1900-1903] 1916

E. C. Thorpe



Raymond M. Wansley, councilman, 2d district, May, 1935 -
elected president of University Club 1936

Wansley

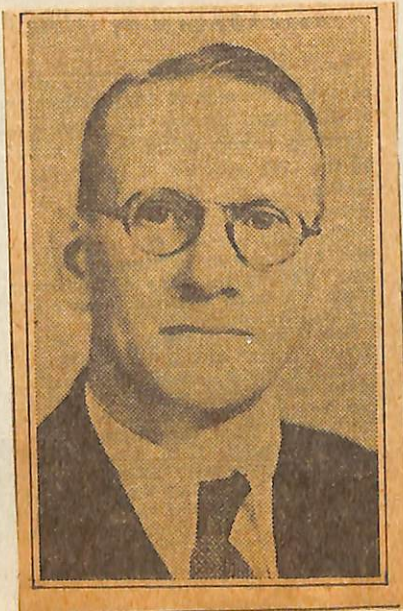
Schafer

Harry Warburton, born in Scotland in 1887.

Has served as member of the Park Commission, president of the Northeast San Diego Civic Council; vice president of the El Cajon Avenue Civic Club; president of the Sorrento Safety Highway Association; director of Chamber of Commerce; director of California Pacific International Exposition.

Elected Councilman District No.4, April 25, 1933, defeating John R. Blakiston, incumbent. Was not candidate in 1937 for re-election.

Harry Warburton





Harry K. Weitzel 1919-1925

Born in Pennsylvania.

Died Feb. 12, 1932, aged 65 years.

At election April 5, 1921, was chosen for full term.
Re-elected April 7, 1925.
Lost office by court order same year.



RE-ELECT
HARRY K. WEITZEL
COUNCILMAN

A CONSCIENTIOUS, ABLE, OFFICIAL
HE DESERVES YOUR CONSIDERATION

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Harry K. Weitzel

CARL WINTER

Was born in Baden-Baden, Germany, in 1867; at age of 13 he came to America, the family locating in San Diego. After being employed in a butcher shop for some six months he went with his uncle, Joseph Winter, to learn the baking business, and remained with him for eleven years. He then established the Southern California Baking Company and was president of it.

He served in the Common Council as successor to Dr. D. B. Northrup, deceased. Member of German Turnverein and treasurer for a long time. Member of the Sons of Herman and of San Diego Lodge of Odd Fellows, and of the Encampment. Married Caroline _____; children, Charles W. and Helen L. Johnson (Mrs. Paul C. Johnson).

PERCIVAL E. WOODS

COUNCILMAN 1907-1909 AND RE-
ELECTED TO COMMON COUNCIL APRIL 1909

SERVED AS SUPERINTENDENT OF FINANCE, WAYS AND MEANS.

MOVED TO LOS ANGELES AND CARRIED ON A SHOE BUSINESS.

WAS ELECTED MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FROM 8TH WARD ON 4 APRIL,
1905.

Respectfully,

Percival E. Woods
SUPT. DEPT. FINANCE, WAYS & MEANS.

WAS BORN IN WASHINGTON, D.C., 13 JANUARY 1879.

MARRIED ADA L. ANDERSON.

SON, GORDON, BORN IN SAN DIEGO, ASSISTANT MANAGER IN CLASSIFIED ADVERTIS-
ING DEPARTMENT OF LOS ANGELES EXAMINER.

P.E.W. LEFT SHOE BUSINESS IN 1930.



CLAUDE WOOLMAN

Was appointed City Treasurer by Mayor John L. Sehon on 23 November 1905 to succeed Charles L. Williams, resigned.

Was re-elected to the office at election on 2 April 1907, holding until May 1909.

Elected to City Council in April 1909, taking office in May.

Elected on Board of Freeholders 15 September 1914.

Elected on Board of Education 6 April 1915. Served 2 years.

Again elected to same office 8 April 1919, for unexpired term of 2 years; re-elected 5 April 1921; 7 April 1925; 2 April 1929; declined to run in 1933.



Claude Woolman

HENRY WOOLMAN

SERVED ON COMMON COUNCIL

APPOINTED 3 FEB 1905 BY GOV. GEORGE PARDEE, AND ELECTED AT GENERAL ELECTION AND SERVED UNTIL MAY; WAS APPOINTED BY THE COUNCIL 12 AUGUST 1907, TO SUCCEED JAMES E. CONNELL, AS MEMBER FROM THE 2ND WARD.

MR. WOOLMAN WAS BORN IN MAHONING COUNTY, O., JULY 7, 1844, AND DIED IN SAN DIEGO JAN. 13, 1910.

AT ONE TIME AFTER COMING TO THE WEST HE KEPT A STORE, WAS POSTMASTER AND JUSTICE OF THE PEACE AT RAINBOW, IN SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

SEE PICTURE BELOW: TOP ROW - HENRY WOOLMAN, CHARLES KELLY, FERDINAND J. GOLDKAMP, PERCIVAL E. WOODS, GEORGE F. MAHLER.
FRONT ROW - A. E. DODSON, LAWRENCE A. CREELMAN, J. T. BUTER (CITY CLERK) AND GEORGE McNEILL



San Diego City Council here on official junketing tour to study systems of street pavement in use.

Walter C. Wurfel

Elected to City Council in 1935 from Third District.

Chosen Vice Mayor, serving until May, 1936.

Candidate for Supervisor 1936, but failed of election.



Was not a candidate to succeed himself as council in 1937.



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MAKE SNAP-SHOTS OF:

~~ADAM V. BROWN~~

P J BENBOUGH

HARRY C CLARK

JOHN FORWARD

DR IRONES

~~J V ALEXANDER~~

C E ANDERSON

H B BARD

AL BENNETT

W H CAMERON

W C CRANDALL

AL S DAVIS

ED DOWELL

LEROY GOODBODY

FRED HEILBRON

JOHN A HELD

WAYNE HOOD

IRA IREY

~~CHARLES KELLY~~

S P McMULLEN

~~JOHN B. OSBORN~~

DAN ROSSI

JO RUSSO

R M WANSLEY

~~HARRY WARBURTON~~

CARL WINTER

CLAUDE WOOLMAN

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