

26. Alfred Andrew Cohen (AA): Biography, Obit, Railroad lawsuit

1. "Death of A. A. Cohen", Obituary of Alfred Andrew Cohen, published Nov 19, 1887; *Alameda Semi-Weekly Argus*; T. G. Daniels Editor and sole proprietor; office cor. Park St. and Central Ave.
2. Obituary of Alfred A Cohen; published Nov 17, 1887; *Oakland Evening Tribune*; Tribune Publishing Co, 413-418 Eighth St. Oakland; Wm. E. Dargie, mgr
3. Photo of AA Cohen and son William at Fernside Estate, unknown year and paper
4. "Alfred A Cohen: The Final Tribute to the Memory of the Dead", published Nov 21, 1878; *Oakland Tribune*; article about funeral service held at Fernside, Alameda
5. Envelope addressed to Mrs. AA Cohen, Alameda contains several newspaper clippings of obituary
6. Original typed copy in fragile condition of Emile Gibbons Cohen's account of her husband's death
7. Photocopy of the above account by EGC of AA Cohen's death (2 copies)
8. "In Memoriam: Alfred A Cohen" typed transcription of a speech presented at a meeting of the San Francisco Bar, Jan 21, 1888
9. Same as above; second copy
10. "Alfred Andrew Cohen"; typed biography from *Encyclopedia of American Biography*; James T. White, editor
11. Photocopy of map of Mountain View Cemetery showing AA Cohen gravesite
12. List of AA Cohen's family members
Folder: Articles about AA Cohen and railroad accomplishments #13-17
13. Article about early Pacific Coast Railroads, A.E. ("Hog") Davis and A.A. Cohen; the Knave; *Oakland Tribune*; July 8, 1956
14. "A century of Transportation in the East Bay" Number Five in a Series; no date; published 'as another community service' by Chapel of the Chimes, Hayward, CA
15. "Cohen's Woodstock Rounds out Trio of Alameda's First Towns" by Dennis Evanovsky, *Alameda Sun*; May 1, 2008
16. "Protests Delay S.P. Depot Closing" by George Nelson; *Oakland Tribune*, May 13, 1957;
17. "Alameda Railroad and Ferry Company"; photocopy of newspaper clipping re: extension of railroad line to San Leandro; no date; no newspaper noted
18. "Fire claims structure full of history" by Steve Lavoie; *Oakland Tribune*, Dec 1992
19. "History Ablaze: Historic Hotel in Fremont Burns" by Dennis Rockstroh, *San Jose Mercury News*, Dec 21, 1992. With photo of original structure.
20. "The Alamedan who challenged James King of William to a duel" by Sibley Morrill; *The East Bay Magazine*, Nov 1966; re: James King, the first editor-publisher of the *San Francisco Bulletin*, re: 'Black Friday of San Francisco,'

Feb 23, 1855, when a run on banks pushed animosity between King and AA Cohen to the boiling point and the men came to blows with each other. "Though neither was physically hurt, the encounter so ired Cohen that within hours, in the highest tradition for gentlemen of the time, he sent James King of William a challenge to a duel." King refused to accept and Cohen took his family to New York for a three month cooling off period. [The last page of the photocopied story is missing]

21. "Statement of facts concerning the failure of the banking house of Adams & Co."
Typed transcript of an interview of Alfred A Cohen by George H Morrison that was solicited by Hubert Howe Bancroft re: Black Friday of SF, Feb 23, 1855
 22. San Francisco and Alameda Railroad Company 1000 Dollar Bond; printed on parchment paper
 23. Copy of ledger page from Mountain View Cemetery showing Cohen family members buried in plot 17/44-45 with map
 24. "Descendants of Yehuda Cohen"; genealogy of Alfred Andrew Cohen, ancestors and descendants
 25. List of holdings relating to AA Cohen at Bancroft Library, Berkeley, Catalog of printed books
 26. Photos of the speaking trumpet from the *Ferry El Capitan*, which was part of a fleet of ferries owned by A.A. Cohen; inscription on trumpet says: 'From A.A. Cohen, President of the SF and Oakland R.R. Co to W.E. Bushnell, Master of the Co's Steamer El Capitan'
- Folder Lawsuit: AA Cohen vs Central Pacific Railroad, 1876: #27-29
27. Typed transcript of "The Testimony in action Central Pacific Railroad Company vs Alfred Andrew Cohen, San Francisco; Twelfth District Court of City and County of San Francisco; Copy 1
 28. Typed transcript of above; Copy 2
 29. Typed transcript of above; Copy 3
 30. Telegram dated Aug 26, 1879 to Alfred A Cohen
 31. Invoice from Shroeder & Victors, 'Hay, Grain, Wool, Coal, Lime, Cement, Hair, Laths, etc, etc.'; dated Jul 16, no year, for 1 BU Portland Cement, \$4.50
 32. Invoice from Frank Hally, Dr; 'The Pioneer Horseshoer, Santa Clara Avenue near Park' [Alameda]; dated Sep 1, 1885; lists dates in August that horse were shod
Total due \$19
 33. Packet of three expense bills for Southern Pacific Railroad dated Sep 14, 1885, Oct 16, 1885, Dec 14, 1885
 34. Bound Record books (2), 6w x 9 h, with 26 pages of copying in A.A. Cohen's handwriting; inscription in front of one says "Edgar A Cohen, This book was your father's, Oct 10, 1922"
 35. Presumed calling card of AA Cohen: "Cohen" in center and "Fernside" in corner

36. Note on torn paper: "Last active service rendered for CPRR was 1886"
37. Handwritten note from A.A. Cohen stating he will be in Philadelphia from Jun 20-24th...leave for home on 24th; signed A. A. Cohen