

THE LIME PEDDLER'S STORY.

Frediani Tells Why and How He Stabbed Guiseppe Scatini.

He Believed His Life Was in Danger—Scatini, He Says, Had Threatened Him.

The trial of Eduardo Frediani, the old lime peddler, for the murder of Guiseppe Scatini, was resumed before Superior Judge Catlin and a jury yesterday.

The forenoon session was occupied by the prosecution in presenting its closing testimony. The evidence was all in when the noon recess was taken. In the afternoon the defense opened.

Grove L. Johnson, Frediani's attorney, made an elaborate statement to the jury of what would be shown by the evidence for the defense. He said he expected the jury to acquit his client on the ground that he killed Scatini in self-defense.

The deceased, said Mr. Johnson, was a man of powerful build and great physical strength. He weighed over 200 pounds and was in the prime of life. On the other hand the defendant was

A HELPLESS OLD MAN, With scarcely strength enough to maintain himself against a boy, much less a man of Scatini's proportions. He was 70 years of age, and weighed but 115 pounds. He had a wife and five children in Italy, and had worked hard to save enough money to take him back to visit his loved ones.

"He went among those who owed him money," continued attorney Johnson, "and tried to collect all he could. To him the little sum of \$6 which Scatini owed him was a great deal of money, and would go a long way toward completing the amount he needed to carry him back to Italy. Both Frediani and Scatini lived at the Garibaldi House and met frequently. When the defendant asked the deceased for this money, the latter refused to pay it. He said he did not owe him anything, and accused the old man of trying to extort money from him. The defendant had known Scatini for years, and had

NEVER BEEN UNFRIENDLY With him. When Scatini became abusive on the day I speak of the old man put his arm around him, and told him that he was still his friend, but that he needed the money to go and see his family. But Scatini only became the more enraged. He answered the old man with blows and kicks. Bruises were inflicted which this helpless old man carried for days after. He threatened Frediani, and then they separated."

Mr. Johnson then went on to say that later in the day Scatini told others that he was going back to the hotel to find Frediani, and slap his face and pull his whiskers. Among Italians, a slap on the face was considered a great insult, explained Mr. Johnson. That evening Scatini carried out his threat. He waited outside of the hotel until Frediani appeared, and then he set upon him. Frediani believed that his life was in danger, at the hands of such a giant, and

DRAWING A KNIFE, Cut Scatini. He did not believe that he had hurt the deceased much, and walked away. On his way back to the hotel he lost the knife, in pulling his handkerchief out of his pocket. He did not intend to run away, but on the advice of a friend "kept quiet" until the extent of Scatini's injury was known. The defendant did not know that Scatini had died until he was arrested.

When Mr. Johnson had finished, several witnesses were placed upon the stand, who testified that Scatini had, several hours prior to the killing, threatened to do harm to Frediani.

The defendant was then placed on the witness-stand. The old man told his

story to the interpreter slowly, and in a low voice, and the interpreter translated his statements into English. Regarding the knife, Frediani denied that he had purchased it or obtained it for the purpose of using it upon Scatini. He said the knife was one he had carried for years, and used it every day in his business. Frediani said he drew the knife and struck Scatini with it on the impulse of the moment, believing that his life was in danger.

The case will be given to the jury to-day, after the arguments of the attorneys on both sides are heard.

THE WEATHER.

Some of Last Year's Rain Would Come in Handy Now.

The Signal Service temperature at 5 A. M. and 5 P. M. yesterday was 41° and 55°, while the highest and lowest temperature was 57° and 41°, with fresh to southerly winds, and a clouded sky. The barometrical readings at 5 A. M. and 5 P. M. were 30.11 and 30.02 inches, which show a slowly falling barometer, as though the cyclonic area in Oregon is trying to advance this way.

The highest and lowest temperature one year ago yesterday was 62° and 44°, with no rain, and one year ago to-day 57° and 34°, with no precipitation.

The first rainfall in February of last year occurred on the 10th, when there was .36 of an inch, from which date it rained continuously until the 22d, making a total amount for the eight days of 3.38 inches. Such an amount for this vicinity in the next eight days would give most favorable prospects for large crops.

There was a heavy rainfall at Roseburg and Portland yesterday amounting to nearly or quite two inches in twenty-four hours, with a greater portion of it snow at Portland. It now appears as though the low pressure from the northwest is trying to overcome our anti-cyclonic area.

CHINESE VAGRANT.

Judge Cravens Gives Him the Full Extent of the Law.

Ah Ben, a religiously inclined native of the Flowery Kingdom, was sent to the County Jail yesterday for ninety days. Ben was caught sleeping in the basement of a house on Sixth street without the permission of the owner.

J. Selley was fined \$10 for drunkenness. William Gibson was examined on a charge of receiving stolen property, knowing the same to have been stolen. He was acquitted.

The grand larceny case of C. H. Hollingsworth, and also that of Angus Ross, charged with misdemeanor, were continued.

Equity Lodge's Domino.

Equity Lodge, No. 1,219, Knights and Ladies of Honor, gave their third annual domino party at Turner Hall Thursday evening. It was a successful social event, and was largely attended by lookers-on as well as members, some 200 dominoes appearing in the grand march. The programme consisted of twelve numbers. The following members of the lodge constituted the different committees that carried out so successfully the evening's entertainment:

Committee of Arrangements—T. H. Waterland, Miss L. G. O'Brien, E. M. Barnes, Mrs. E. Smith and Mrs. L. Coon. Floor Director—E. M. Barnes. Floor Managers—J. Labadie, E. Casper, W. J. Smith, W. D. Coon and L. Kidd. Reception Committee—Mrs. L. Carlow, Mrs. A. Steen, Mrs. L. Kidder, Miss L. McKay and Miss M. Hoffer.

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SACRAMENTO'S LEFT-FIELDER.

The Record of William L. Works as a Ball Player.

William L. Works, the man who will take Fred Roberts' place as left-fielder for the Sacramento Club, has the reputation of being one of the hardest hitters in the country, and Manager McCloskey predicts that he will at the end of the season rank as the best batter in the California League.

Works is but 25 years of age and a native of Mt. Vernon, Ill. His first engagement with a professional team was with the Bellville club of his native State in 1888, and from that time to the present date he has built up a record for batting that has not been surpassed. In the first year of his professional career he led his club in "stick work" and proved himself a good fielder. During the succeeding two years he was with the Texarkana team of Texas, and ranked first as a batter both seasons. He also led in outfield work. With the New Orleans Club of the Southern League, in 1888, he upheld his reputation by winning the trophy offered for the best batter in the nine.

The following year he signed with the Galveston Club of the Texas League, and at the close of the season ranked as the best batter in the entire league, his percentage being .364. He remained with the Galveston team until June last year, and at that time was the second best "stick" in the league. In July last he was engaged by the Omaha Club of the Western Association, and again he demonstrated that he had not lost his batting power. He accomplished the feat of leading his club as well as the entire circuit in batting. His percentage was .384.

Works is short and stout, weighing about 180 pounds and measuring in height about 5 feet 7 inches. He is said to be a jovial fellow, and as Manager McCloskey is an admirer of hard hitters, he certainly has secured a prize in Works. The latter had offers from the managers of the San Francisco, Omaha, Quincy, Syracuse and Portland Clubs, but preferred to play ball with McCloskey in Sacramento. All of the players who have seen Works say he is a "wicked" left-handed batter, and a hard man for a pitcher to contend with.

McCloskey has so much confidence in his new man's ability that he has a habit of telling people that Works, with both eyes shut, couldn't be fooled by a pitcher.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Department One—Catlin, Judge.

FRIDAY, February 13, 1891. People vs. Eduardo Frediani—On trial.

Department Two—Davis, Acting Judge.

FRIDAY, February 13, 1891. People vs. Amelia Gehring—On trial.

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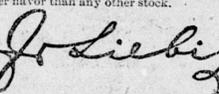
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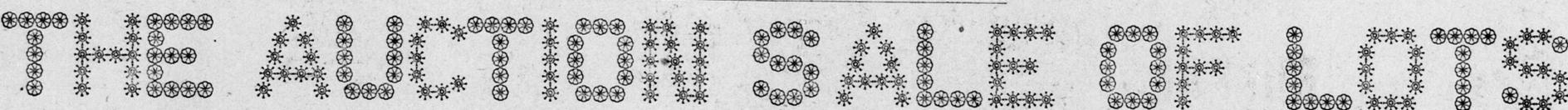
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