MIDNIGHT CLOSING.

Proposed Ordinance to Regulate the Drinking Saloons.

The Dives to Undergo Official Inspection—Police Back Salaries—Work of the Trustees.

Matt. F. Johnson addressed the Board of Trustees at their meeting yesterday morning in behalf of Mr. Lang, who resides in the vicinity of Eighteenth and U streets. The latter complained of the conduct of the Poundkeeper in allowing certain parties to herd their cattle on the streets. Mr. Lang had been troubled for some time on account of the depredations committed on his property. His neighbors also complained of the nuisance. Mr. Johnson asked that the board call the attention of the Poundmaster to the matter, and notify him to impound the cattle.

On motion of Trustee McLaughlin, it was ordered that Poundmaster O'Neill be notified to appear before the board next Monday afternoon, and that the parties who complain of his conduct furnish the names of the dairymen who are alleged to be enjoying special herding privileges.

A SEWER WANTED.

Mrs. Gray, who resides in the block bounded by F and G, Ninth and Tenth streets, urged the board to construct a sewer in the alley, notwithstanding the fact that a majority of the property-owners were opposed to the work. She considered that a sewer was a necessity.

The members of the board agreed to visit the block and determine for themselves whether or not a sewer is absolutely necessary there.

SIXTH-STREET TRACKS.

Mayor Comstock stated that he had examined Sixth street, from F to G, where the railroad tracks are, with a view to having them removed or so placed that the property-owners would be satisfied. He saw Superintendent Wright, who informed him that the company had certain rights granted to it some time ago to maintain tracks there.

The Mayor further stated that he had consulted the City Attorney, and the latter promised he would give an opinion on the subject. The matter, he thought, could be considered next Monday.

OFFER TO SELL CITY BONDS.

H. O. Beatty, Newton Booth and bondholder Daniel Meyer appeared before the board. Mr. Beatty opened a bid which Mr. Meyer had sent to the Funded Debt Commission, offering to sell city bonds at the following prices: Three thousand dollars due in 1898 at 99½ cents; $1,500 due in 1893 at 99½ cents; $7,500 due in 1893 at 77½ cents; $2,000 due in 1888 at 72½ cents; $30,000 due in 1899 at 79 cents.

The Funded Debt Commissioners will decide whether or not they will accept the bids.

STREET AND SCAVENGER WORK.

Bids for the grading and graveling of Fourteenth street, from G to L, were opened. The Sacramento Improvement Company submitted the lowest bid.

Four bids were submitted for doing the scavenger work for the city. Daniel Healey offered to do it for nothing.

Eugene Grubbs wanted $140 for the year. Albert Grubbs offered to pay the city $56 for the privilege, and Jesse Slaughter agreed to pay the city $8 35 per month.

The matter of awarding the contract was laid over until afternoon, and then it was given to Slaughter.

A remonstrance was received against the improving of F street, from Sixth to Eleventh. The matter was referred to the Street Commissioner.

A "HAUSER" MADE FAST.

M. Hauser filed his bond in the sum of $500 for the privilege of conducting a saloon on the southwest corner of Twentieth and M streets, and the bond was approved.

The ordinances in regard to licenses, awnings and gambling were deferred until next Monday.

THE "RESIDENT" CONUNDRUM.

E. M. Leitch wanted to know if the members of the board had come to any conclusion as to whether or not women are residents and entitled to sign remonstrances against the establishment of saloons in the block in which they resided. He said he merely wanted to know what decision the members of the board had arrived at, so that hereafter people would know how to get up petitions.

Mayor Comstock said he thought there should be but one representative from a house allowed to sign a petition of the kind. If a window owned a house and resided in it, he believed she was entitled to remonstrate.

"Where do you get that construction of the ordinance, Mr. Mayor?" asked City Attorney Hart, who was present.

The Mayor could not exactly explain how he arrived at that conclusion, but said that was his idea of it.

Mr. Hart stated that when the ordinance was being prepared the question as to whether it should read, "citizens," "residents" or "property-owners" was discussed at length, and it was decided that anyone who resided in the block was entitled to sign the petition.

In answer to a question from Mr. Leitch the Mayor and Trustee Conklin said they proposed to see that the ordinance was enforced.

POLICE SALARIES.

City Attorney Hart addressed the board on the question as to whether or not, in case the courts should decide that the levy of the special tax to pay the policemen's salaries was illegal, the people or taxpayers could recover what they had paid in taxes. He said it was his opinion, from reading various decisions, that the taxes could not be recovered, and he advised the board to proceed at once to pay the salaries of the officers.

E. A. Burr, who was present, said he was never opposed to paying the salaries of the officers, but was only protesting because the board had not paid the salaries pro rata when it had $19,000 on hand.

All three members of the board decided that the officers should be paid, and resolved to allow the bills.

The first business done at the afternoon session was to finally order paid the back salaries of the policemen from April, 1889, to April, 1890. The bills included demands for three days' extra pay for the time the men were on duty pending the election of the force to succeed them. It was found that some of the demands were not complete, several of them being from one to three months short.

The board finally decided to allow only such demands as were before it, amounting to $31,275.

THE HAY MARKET.

John A. Simons of Florin, representing farmers who sell hay in the city, appeared and asked the board to improve the hay market at Fifteenth and P streets so as to make it as convenient and comfortable as possible to the farmers who assemble there to dispose of their hay. The Farmers' Alliance, he said, asked the Trustees to grant the relief asked. A large shed and hitching-posts were desired.

It was finally agreed that Mr. Simons should meet Street Commissioner McLaughlin on Wednesday and show him what the farmers desire, and that Trustee McLaughlin should report at the next meeting of the board.

TO REGULATE SALOONS.

Trustee McLaughlin introduced an ordinance providing for the closing of all places where liquors are sold at midnight. It was read the first time and laid over.

Trustee Conklin introduced a resolution empowering the Mayor and Chief of Police to inspect all saloons for which licenses are asked, and report to the board such saloons as, in their judgment, should not receive licenses.

The resolution was adopted, and it was decided to embrace within its scope the proposition to revoke the license issued to "Googy" Welch of the Rosebud saloon on L street.

AGAINST STREET IMPROVEMENT.

A remonstrance was received from property-owners on Thirteenth street, from C to G, against the grading and graveling thereof. The reason given was "hard times," and the hardship that would be inflicted on property-owners by having the work done.

Only 1,640 feet were represented out of the 5,120 feet in the four blocks referred to.

A remonstrance was also filed by property-owners on F street, between Sixth and Eleventh, against the grading and graveling of those blocks.

In this case the remonstrance represented a large majority of the frontage, and the proposition to improve is knocked out.

DON'T LIKE THE NUISANCE.

Property owners in the vicinity of Sixth and Q streets filed a written complaint against the maintenance of a pool of stagnant water in that locality. The petitioners ask that the nuisance be abated.

It was referred to the Street Commissioner.

WHERE WERE THE POLICE?

Constable Brissel and the Deputy Constables who arrested the parties conducting a wheel game last week presented a demand for $9 20 for their services. The officers claimed that, as the city received the fine imposed, it should pay them for their services.

City Attorney Hart informed the board that it had no legal authority to pay such a demand. The officers should have pay for their services, but they should have presented their bill to the county.

Trustee McLaughlin said he would like to know why, if the game was an illegal one, the city police had not made the arrests.

No one present was able to answer the conundrum.

Mr. Hart said it would be setting a bad precedent to allow the bill.

Trustee McLaughlin held that, as the city police had not done their duty, and the Constables had, the latter should be paid, and he moved that the demand be allowed.

Mayor Comstock and Trustee Conklin voted in the negative, and the motion was lost.

SALOON LICENSE RENEWED.

A petition was filed by residents in the block between K and L, Third and Fourth streets, asking that L. B. Green be granted a license to maintain his saloon at 324 K street (the "International.")

The petition was accompanied by the required bond, and on motion of the Mayor it was approved and a license ordered to issue.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The demand of the Electric Light Company for March, amounting to $2,107 95, was ordered paid.

Trustee McLaughlin presented a statement showing that the city had reclamation claims on various low lots in the southwestern portion of the city, amounting to some $1,500.

The Mayor was instructed to have the City Attorney collect the amounts delinquent.

A resolution of intention was adopted for the grading and graveling of Fourteenth street, from G to L.

Guthrie Bros. were awarded the contract to lay an ironstone-pipe sewer in the alley between J and K, Seventh and Eighth streets.

EVERYBODY'S COLUMN.

Correspondence of Interest to the General Public.

[Under this heading the RECORD-UNION will publish short letters from correspondents on topics of interest to the general public. The matter in these communications will be understood to represent only the views of the writers. All communications must be accompanied by the name of the writer, not for publication, unless so desired, but as a guarantee of good faith.—EDS.]

Evolution of an Alliance Lodge.

EDS. RECORD-UNION: If you will give me a little space in your valuable columns I will tell you something about our Farmers' Alliance in Florin, how it started, and the disadvantages we labored under when we first organized. We had seven charter members. We were hissed and made fun of, and it was the general opinion that we could not get along, because we were not influential enough to run an Alliance Lodge at Florin.

The first member initiated was my wife. The ceremony was held at my house, and it was cold and chilly. We were refused the use of the school-house in which to hold our meetings, and we had to meet in private houses. But all that did not discourage me. I wore out a good pair of boots traveling around hunting up members, and I talked till the tears stood in my eyes as big as pineapples.

Now, let us see how we stand. We have a membership of thirty-three, full of vim and backbone, and with no flies on them. We meet every Saturday night, and we have one of the best literary clubs in the State, and one of the best working lodges in the county.

Our County Convention meets in Florin Hall on July 6th, and we expect to have the best meeting ever held in this State.

The farmers are busy haying, and the hay is of the finest quality that has been grown here for years, and also the crop is big. Fruits of all kinds promise large crops. JOHN MCNIE.

Florin, May 24, 1891.

THE CITY PRISON.

Health Officer Nichols Files His Official Condemnation.

Health Officer C. B. Nichols, who a week ago made an inspection of the City Prison, yesterday filed with the Trustees his report as to the result thereof. It was referred to Mayor Comstock, and is as follows:

"To the Honorable Board of Trustees, Sacramento, California—GENTLEMEN: Numerous complaints have been made by officers whose duties keep them more or less confined in the City Court-house and Jail. I made a careful examination in order to ascertain, if possible, the cause of the complaints. That the building is in a very unsatisfactory condition, mildly expresses the fact. It is dangerous to the comfort, health and life of the officers who are obliged to remain in its infected atmosphere for any length of time, to say nothing of the prisoners confined in its loathsome cells.

"The plumbing in the building is old, dilapidated, filthy, of an obsolete pattern, improperly ventilated, not sufficiently supplied with water for sanitary purposes, unworthy of repair, and should be absolutely condemned as unfit for use in a public building.

"There is no proper system of ventilation for cells or offices. The foul odors arising from improperly trapped closets and leaking pipes fill the whole building (cells, offices, hospital and court-room), rendering it almost uninhabitable.

"This report only relates to the plumbing and ventilation; it has nothing to do with the condition of the building.

"Some prompt action should be taken by the Trustees to remedy this unsanitary condition of affairs, not only for the protection of the officers, as well as the good name of our fair city. Very respectfully, C. B. NICHOLS, M. D., "Health Officer."

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FOR IRELAND'S FREEDOM.

Ex-Treasurer McKenna of the Robert Emmet Club Testifies.

He Talks About Dynamite and War—The Secret Cipher—The Story is Denied.

"To the outside world the organization was known as the Robert Emmet Club, and was ostensibly a social affair. But on the inside there was an entirely different arrangement. It was then the 'U. B.,' and its objects were to assist in a secret preparation that is going on to free Ireland from England by force."

Mr. McKenna, ex-Treasurer of the Robert Emmet Club, was on the witness-stand in Judge Van Fleet's court yesterday trying to explain how he became short in his accounts, and incidentally gave away the secret business of the club.

PROMISED TO DISGORGE.

McKenna's term as Treasurer expired in 1889, and when he turned his books over to his successor he was found to be $125 short. A committee was appointed to wait on him, and to this committee he said some of the leaves of his books had been lost and he got mixed in his accounts. He promised, however, to "square up" as soon as possible. As time rolled along and he did not settle, the club, through its High Priest, Mr. Gorman, sued McKenna in Justice Devine's court and obtained judgment. But McKenna took the case to the Superior Court, and that is how he happened to be there yesterday.

The club members all testified that the ex-Treasurer had never denied that he was a defaulter, and they always expected that he was going to settle. Suit was not commenced until they were satisfied that he had no intention to settle up with them.

TOO SICK TO REMEMBER.

McKenna, when asked on the witness-stand yesterday if he had not confessed to the Investigating Committee that he was short in his accounts and had destroyed portions of his books, explained that at the time the committee called on him he was very ill with the grippe and could not remember what he said to them or they to him.

McKenna then proceeded to give what he claimed was the "true inwardness" of the club.

According to his description, instead of being a harmless social affair, it is a species of Hibernian Mafia—with a stock of dynamite in the cellar.

In its secret councils, said McKenna, the organization was the "U. B." and none of its members were known by their names—being called by numbers instead. His number was 6, and Mr. Gorman's was 3. The organization had a cipher, by which messages were sent and received to and from the

HIGH-MUCK-A-MUCK OFFICIALS

And arch-conspirators in New York. This cipher was a simple one and was fully explained to the court. For instance, "XBS" meant war—the letters used being those next to the right ones in the alphabet. A gigantic, and at the same time profoundly mysterious and secret conspiracy was on foot, explained the ex-Treasurer, to suddenly snatch Erin from the grasp of Queen Victoria, or if necessary, blow it out of her grasp with dynamite. There were branches of this organization all over the United States. Negotiations were in progress with foreign nations known to be hostile to England, and some day, when everything was ready, the great blow for freedom would be struck.

McKenna's story was considerably dampened, however, when the rebuttal testimony for the prosecution was given. Mr. Gorman and other parties to the alleged conspiracy declared that they did not know anything about the mysteries referred to by Mr. McKenna. So far as they knew the organization was the Robert Emmet Club pure and simple—without any "Mafia" attachment. They did not know anything about the cipher nor the dynamite, they declared, and they did not recognize the alleged constitution and by-laws of the "U. B." exhibited by the ex-Treasurer. Mr. Gorman said that money had been sent to New York, but it was to "help somebody."

After all the testimony was in Judge Van Fleet decided that McKenna owed the club $125, and he gave judgment for the organization for that amount. McKenna was also assessed for the costs.

NOT REFORMED YET.

Handsome Brady Still Frolics With the Spirits.

It was "Handsome" Brady again, and he looked thoroughly used up.

Officer Rider told the court how he had found Brady in an alcoholic trance on I street, and then Judge Cravens looked very stern. "You see, Brady," he said, "You have been drunk again."

"Ye-es," faltered the culprit, peering out comically, through the mist that was before his eyes, "I heerd I wuz, Judge."

"I thought you were going to reform," said his Honor.

This caused Clerk Dunn to grin. Brady grinned, too, and so did the spectators. The bare thought of "Handsome" Brady reforming was enough to make a corpse grin. The Judge gave him ten days.

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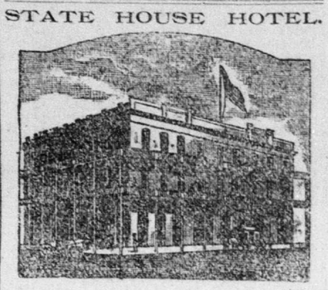

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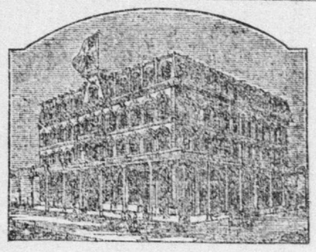

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WILKESDALE.

STANDARD NO. 4,541.—WILKESDALE is a dark bay, 16 hands high, bred at Highlawn Farm, Mass. He very closely resembles his sire, Alcantara, 2:23, who has the honor of having added more trotters to the 2:30 list (21) last year than any other sire in the world.

Pedigree—Wilkesdale's sire is Alcantara, 2:23 (sire of 33 in the 2:30 list at 14 years, more than any sire of his age), by George Wilkes, 2:22 (sire of Guy Wilkes, 2:15¼, and 71 others in the 2:30 list). Alcantara's dam is Alma Mater (dam of 5 in 2:30 list), by Mambrino Patchen (sire of the dams of Guy Wilkes, 2:15¼, Baron Wilkes, 2:18, and 39 others in 2:30 list). Wilkesdale's dam is Thorndale Maid, 2:30 (dam of Miss Alice, 2:19¾, and Thornton, 2:26¼), by Thorndale, 2:22¼, he by Alexander's Abdallah, out of Old Dolly (dam of Director, 2:17, Onward, 2:25¼, Czarina, 2:21, and Thorndale, 2:22¼), second dam, Bridesmaid, by Rysdyk's Hambletonian.

Terms—$100 for the season, with usual return privilege.

DON MARVIN.

Five-year-old record, 2:28. Standard by breeding and performance. This fast young stallion was bred by Hon. Leland Stanford, Palo Alto, Cal. He was sired by Fallis, 2:23 (the sire of Wanda, 2:19½, Don Marvin, 2:28, Falrose, 3-year-old trial, 2:29½, and Willmington, 2:33), by the great Electioneer (the sire of Sunol, 3 years, 2:10½, and 62 others in the 2:30 list). Don Marvin's dam is Cora, by Don Victor, son of Belmont, second dam Clarabel (dam of Cliften Bell, 2:24½, and grand dam of Rexford, 3 years, 2:24, and Electrician, 2:24½), by Abdallah Star; third dam, Fairy, by Rysdyk's Hambletonian; fourth dam, Emma Mills, by Seely's American Star. Don Marvin is a handsome seal brown, 16 hands high, and weighs over 1,200 pounds. He is a horse of great natural speed. His present record was made with scarcely any preparation, after making a large season in the stud, and is no measure of his speed. The price of his service fee is $40, which is lower than any stallion in the State with same record and breeding.

KAFFIR.

Standard No. 15,045.—Kaffir is a rich bay, foaled 1887; bred by L. J. Rose, Esq., Los Angeles, Cal.; 15¾ hands high; sired by Alcazar, 2:20½, he by Sultan, 2:24 (sire of Stamboul, 2:11), out of Minnehaha (dam of 5 horses in the 2:30 list). Kaffir's dam is Flower Girl, by Authurton (sire of Arab, 2:15, and the dams of Hazel Wilkes, 2:20, Freedom, 2:29¾—fastest yearling in the world—and 5 others in 2:30 list); second dam, Flora, 2:33, by General McClellan (sire of 3 in 2:30 list); third dam, Flora Langford, by Langford (sire of the dams of Lillian Wilkes, 3 years, 2:17¾, and 3 others in 2:30 list). Mr. Rose says Kaffir was one of the fastest yearling trotters he ever bred, trotting quarters in 37½ seconds in his yearling form. He will be allowed to serve a limited number of mares at $40 the season, after which he will be prepared for the fall campaign.

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ROSS S.

STANDARD; RECORD, 2:25. (IN NUMbers will be given in Wallace's Trotting Register No. 10.)

ROSS S., 2:25, by Nutwood, 2:18¾, first dam by State of Maine, 2:40, by Simpson's Messenger by Winthrop' Messenger, son of imp. Messenger, second dam by McCracken's Black Hawk.

ROSS S. has the fastest record of any Nutwood stallion on the coast, excepting Dawn, 2:18¾, and as a sire will prove to be the equal of any son of Nutwood. His first colts, now 3-year-olds, are very promising, and three of them will drop in the 2:30 list this year, if nothing happens them, as two can now show a 2:30 gait, and the third can trot a mile in 2:50. ROSS S. and his colts can be seen at stables of the undersigned, where all can see that he is a sire of size, color, style and speed.

DESCRIPTION—ROSS S. is a rosewood bay, 16 hands high, weighs 1,150 pounds, very stylish, good mane and tail, legs and feet, plenty of bone and muscle, and a splendid long neck.

TERMS—ROSS S. will stand at $75 for the season.

PAY CAR

Is my name; my sire is Ross S., record 2:25, by Nutwood, record 2:18¾; my dam is Etelka, by Sultan, record 2:24, sire of Stamboul, record 2:11; my great dam is Katie Did, the dam of Inez, record 2:30. I am 3 years old, 15¾ hands high, splendid blood bay in color, heavy black mane and tail, the best of legs and feet, long neck, good head, well set on, can trot a 2:40 gait in an easy way. I am the only stallion in the State standing for public service that combines the blood of the two great sires, Nutwood and Sultan. I will be allowed to serve fifteen approved mares for $50 the season, at Worth Ober's Training Stables, Sacramento Race Track. Good mares sent to breed to me will have the best of careful handling and kept in any way wished. Accidents or escapes at owner's risk. Address all communications to WORTH OBER, Owner, mr21-3m 618 Twenty-third st., Sacramento.

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