

WILL MAKE AN EXHIBIT.

The Board of Trade Takes Up the Citrus Fair Matter.

P. E. Platt Re-elected President of the Board—Other Officers Elected—Niagara Canal.

The Sacramento Board of Trade concluded its annual meeting and election of officers last evening at the rooms of the Secretary, Albert M. Johnson. President P. E. Platt presided.

T. W. Madely, representing the Placer County Board of Trade, appeared before the board and spoke with reference to the coming citrus fair at Auburn. Sacramento, he hoped, would be represented there by an exhibit. He gave an outline of the programme to be carried out by the Placer Board, and declared that it could not be complete without Sacramento County's aid.

Mr. Madely said he had made a partial canvass with reference to the matter, and was satisfied that fruit-growers would come forward with fruit for the exhibit, but a great deal of it would have to be purchased. There was a great demand at Newcastle and other places in that vicinity for all the oranges that could be had, and as much as two and one-half cents apiece was being paid for them.

Mr. Gregory moved that it be declared the sense of the board that Sacramento County should be properly represented at the citrus fair, and that a committee of five be appointed for the purpose of soliciting funds among the business firms. The motion was carried, and Chairman Platt appointed Messrs. Gregory, Lindley, Fisher, Adams and Chatfield.

The Chairman suggested that delegates should be appointed to attend the fair, and upon a motion to that effect, the following ten were appointed: E. J. Gregory, W. H. Wood, Herman Fisher, D. A. Lindley, F. B. Adams, C. H. Hubbard, P. Stanton, T. B. Hall and Mayor Comstock.

A communication was read from the Traffic Association of San Francisco, enclosing a petition to Congress asking of that body favorable legislation on the Nicaragua Canal. The petitions were presented to the members for their signatures, and a committee was appointed to get more signatures from the citizens in general.

When the election of officers was announced in order, Mr. Gregory, in a complimentary speech, nominated the present incumbent, P. E. Platt. There were no other nominations, and, on motion, Secretary A. M. Johnson cast the ballot for the entire board.

For Vice-President C. H. Hubbard was the only nominee, and he was declared elected. There were three directors to elect, to take the places of E. J. Gregory and Herman Fisher, whose terms had expired, and the place of Mr. Hubbard, who was advanced to the Vice-Presidency.

Messrs. Gregory and Fisher were elected to succeed themselves, and Mr. Hubbard was elected to the remaining vacancy. F. B. Adams brought up the matter of closing the business houses from Thursday to Monday—from the 24th to the 28th of December. He had interviewed a number of business men and they all favored the proposition.

On motion Mr. A. Lindley a recommendation in accordance with Mr. Adams' suggestion was made. Before adjournment Mr. Platt thanked the board for his re-election. It came to him at a time when it was very gratifying. He promised to give the business of the board better attention in the future than he had been able to do in the past.

There was some talk of the withdrawal of the San Francisco Board of Trade from the competition with the local board for mutual protection. This matter was talked over fully at the last meeting of the board, and last night's discussion was simply for the benefit of those who were not present at the former meeting. It seemed to be the general sentiment that the withdrawal will be a good thing for the Sacramento Board, as it will now transact its own business in independence, instead of being an appendage to the metropolitan board.

AFTER THE GENERAL MEETING, the directors held a meeting and organized. Albert M. Johnson was re-elected Secretary and Attorney for the board; F. B. Adams, Auditor, and E. K. Auld, Treasurer. The Arbitration Committee was selected as follows: T. B. Hall, T. M. Lindley, P. Stanton, L. L. Lewis, J. E. Ferry, William Geary and W. H. Wood.

The directors then adjourned.

CITRUS CULTURE

It is still on the increase in the Northern Half of the State. The planting season is now on, and people are giving their attention to the matter of putting out orchards. There appears to be no cessation of interest in citrus culture in this part of the State, as is evidenced by the fact that a local firm (the W. R. Strong Company) is shipping heavily of orange and lemon trees.

That company has received its first large consignment of orange trees, consisting of eight carloads, from its nurseries in Florida. The trees came through on a special train over the Southern Pacific road, making the journey in the remarkable time of ten and a half days. As a result, the trees have arrived in California in splendid condition.

The shipment was dropped off in Southern California, where the company have several nursery-yards, and the balance was brought through to Sacramento. The company have made large contracts to supply orange trees both in Southern California and in the northern and central parts of the State.

M. E. Gillett is manager of the company's nurseries in Florida, and is deserving of credit for the manner in which he has grown the trees, and his careful method in loading and shipping the cars. He also took the extra precaution of disinfecting the trees before leaving Florida, thus securing absolute safety against the possibility of importing into California any scale or pest of any kind.

The shipment above referred to contained upward of 100,000 orange and lemon trees. It is estimated that 200,000 trees will be planted this year in Northern California.

Henry Meiss' Condition. Henry D. Meiss, Sr., the well-known rancher, who became insane some

over a year ago, is lying seriously ill at the County Jail. Meiss was discharged from the insane asylum as cured, but became violent again and threatened to kill his children, who, he claimed, were trying to rob him of his property. He was put under bonds of \$500 to keep the peace, at the instigation of one of his sons, and, being unable to furnish the bonds, was confined in the County Jail, where he has now been for several months. His sons have now applied for his release.

THE WILD MAN OF CAPAY.

The people of Capay, says the Woodland Mail, are excited over the strange and unaccountable actions of a man who is thought to be either crazy or wild. He has been seen frequently in the hills about Capay, but whenever he finds he is seen he runs into the brush and gets out of sight.

The other night Ben Duncan, who lives about two miles above Capay, was aroused by the fierce barking of his dogs, and went to the door just in time to see the strange individual scaling the yard fence. He is known to have visited and broken into several houses lately, but his only object appears to be to procure something to eat. Constable Moore and others have been scouring the hills, but have been unable to get close enough to capture him, although he is frequently seen. Neither has anyone been able to obtain any description of him, further than he appears to be a medium-sized man.

The belief prevails with many that it is Wohlfrom, who has either become demented or is hiding about and waiting to capture him, although he is frequently seen. It is nothing more than mere supposition, as there are no grounds for basing such a theory upon. But the people of the neighborhood are thoroughly aroused and it is likely that his capture will be effected before long.

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THEY WANTED TO KNOW.

The Grand Jurors Informed on the Old City Hall Repairs.

The Board of Trustees Summoned—An Alleged Land Fraud to be Looked Into.

The Grand Jury held another session yesterday morning. The Board of City Trustees were in attendance, having been subpoenaed for the purpose of informing the jury what the intention of the city government was with reference to the restoration of the old City Hall. The Grand Jury was contemplating condemning the rickety old building, but did not wish to do so if the Trustees were making it safe and fit for occupancy. The Trustees informed the investigators that contracts had been let for repairs, which they thought would make the structure as good as ever. The water tank was to be strengthened, and the entire system of plumbing of the building was to be changed, so as to improve the sanitary condition of the building.

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