## CHARGED WITH MURDER.

### Result of the Inquest in the Palmer-Phleger Tragedy.

**Testimony Given by Eye-Witnesses to the Shooting—Palmer Drunk and Phleger Unarmed.**

Coroner George H. Clark held an inquest last evening in the case of Charles Phleger, who was shot and killed by H. J. Palmer in Wissemann's saloon on Fourth street last Saturday.

The following jurymen were sworn to hear the evidence: Frank Wickwire, A. P. Booth, John F. Dreman, Thomas Kirkpatrick, A. J. McCormack, John F. Fenton, F. Banholze, M. Graf and A. C. Wiley.

LEEMAN'S STORY.

William Leeman was the first witness called. He testified that he met Palmer and Chris Wagner on Fourth street just before the shooting. Continuing he said: "We had a drink in Davis' saloon, and Palmer filled his glass with whisky. Nick Dole then came along and he and Palmer commenced to talk. J. E. Camp came along and I told him that Wagner wanted to see him. We all went into Wissemann's saloon and had another drink. The witness, Wagner and a man named White went into the rear room to talk over some business. Phleger was sitting in a chair reading a paper at the further end of the room. Palmer went out in the back-yard. Witness did not pay any attention to him. A moment or two later he heard the door slam again, and just then Nick Dole gave a yell. Almost at the same instant a shot was fired. Witness turned round and saw the other four shots fired. Phleger tried to get away, but Palmer followed him, shooting as fast as he could.

Leeman said that some time before the shooting he was on the sidewalk. Palmer was coming down the street, and just then Phleger came out of Wissemann's. He only walked a few steps, and, seeing Palmer, turned around and went back into the saloon. The witness considered that Palmer was quite drunk.

J. E. Camp was the next witness. He saw the first part of the shooting. He was in the saloon, as he wanted to see Mr. Wagner. Palmer came in while he was there and started for the back room. Nick Dole said, "I want to look after him; I think he wants to get into a row with Phleger." Palmer went into the back yard, and the witness asked Dole who Phleger was. Dole pointed to Phleger, as the latter sat at the further end of the back room. While the witness was looking at him, Palmer re-entered the room, and immediately pointed a pistol at Phleger and fired. As Phleger rose from the chair the second shot was fired. The witness then ran out of the place. Phleger had no pistol, so far as the witness could see.

SAW IT ALL.

Enoch Dole testified that shortly before the shooting he met Palmer on Fourth street, in front of Wissemann's saloon, and noticing that he was smiling blandly, said, "Well, drunk again?" Parmer replied that he had not lost much. Mr. Camp came along looking for Wagner. All hands then went into the saloon for a drink. The witness made some joking remark to Palmer for filling his glass so full of whisky. Camp, White, Leeman and Wagner went into the back room to have a talk, and the witness noticed Phleger reading a paper at the further end of the room. Palmer started to go into the back room, but, seeing Phleger, turned around and said to the witness: "There are those that are ————, and there are those that are not ————." Then Palmer went out into the back yard, passing Phleger. The witness thought there might be a fight, and told the saloon-keeper so. Just as Palmer re-entered the room the witness saw him stop beside Phleger. The latter must have seen him, but did not look up or move. Palmer drew a revolver from his coat pocket and aimed it at Phleger for several seconds. The witness yelled, "Hold on, there!" but just at that instant Palmer fired. Phleger partially arose from his chair holding his newspaper in front of him, and seemingly trying to get hold of a chair, when the second shot was fired. Phleger then retreated behind a table and tried to raise a chair, but could not. Palmer fired again, and then again, as Phleger moved behind the stove. Just as the fifth shot was fired the witness and Mr. Leeman seized Palmer, and the witness took the pistol. He placed Palmer under arrest and took him to the police station. On the way, Palmer complained of being weak and faint, and Dole took him into a saloon and gave him a drink. The witness did not see any pistol in Phleger's hand. He thought Palmer was quite drunk.

WHAT WAGNER SAW.

C. A. Wagner, the hop buyer, was talking with Leeman on the sidewalk, near Wissemann's saloon, when Palmer came along. Leeman said to him: "Did you see your friend?" Palmer said: "Yes, the ————. He is no good, or he would not have taken what I said to him this morning." They went into Davis' saloon, and Palmer began to talk about Phleger, using very vile language. Among other things Palmer said: "I passed by him, and called him a ———, but he didn't take it up. It wouldn't do him much good if he did, as I've got something here in my pocket that will fix him." The witness looked at the pocket, but did not think Palmer had a pistol. Subsequently they went into Wissemann's saloon and had another round of drinks. The witness and two others went into the back room to have a business talk. Palmer walked through the room and into the back-yard, and as he passed Leeman he said something to him, but the witness did not know what the remark was. When Palmer re-entered the room the witness heard a shot, and on turning round saw Palmer fire the second shot at Phleger. Phleger had a newspaper in his hand, and held it up before him. He then tried to raise a chair, but could not, which caused the witness to believe that his arm was disabled. Phleger, as the shots were fired, retreated behind the stove, and Palmer followed, firing in rapid succession. After the fifth shot had been fired Palmer pulled the trigger again, but as all of the cartridges had been exploded the pistol only snapped. Palmer was then seized by Dole and placed under arrest.

CORROBORATIVE EVIDENCE.

William White's testimony was simply in corroboration of that given by Messrs. Leeman, Wagner and the others. He saw the last four shots fired and was positive that Phleger had no pistol.

Jacob Lowenstein, a harness-maker, testified that he was sitting in the rear room of Wissemann's saloon reading a paper when the shooting commenced. Phleger had come into the saloon while the witness was there and had taken a seat near the rear wall and also picked up a paper. The witness did not pay any attention to Palmer when the latter passed through the room, and did not hear him make any remark to Phleger. The witness turned around when the second shot was fired and, realizing what was transpiring, got out of the place as fast as he could.

George Wissemann, in whose saloon the tragedy took place, testified that Phleger came into the place and told the witness that he wanted to see Mr. Strobel and then went into the back room. Palmer came in afterward. Dole told the witness that there was liable to be trouble, and to look out for Palmer. Palmer went out into the back yard. The witness went to the door leading to the back room just as Palmer re-entered and aimed his pistol at Phleger. Immediately a shot was fired, and the witness used his legs for all they were worth in order to get out of the place.

Coroner Clark testified that he searched the clothing of the deceased and found no pistol or other weapon.

The statement of Dr. G. A. White, who performed the autopsy, was read to the jury. It showed that four of the bullets took effect, and that one through the heart caused death almost instantly.

THE VERDICT.

This concluded the testimony and the room was cleared and the jury left to deliberate.

In about five minutes it was announced that a verdict had been agreed upon. The jury found that "Charles W. Phleger, a native of Findlay, Ohio, aged 35 years, came to his death on March 12, 1892, and that death resulted from a pistol ball wound through the heart, fired from a pistol in the hands of one H. J. Palmer. We, the undersigned, charge said H. J. Palmer, with willful murder."

District Attorney Ryan and Charles T. Jones, special attorney for the prosecution, were in attendance at the inquest and asked various questions of the witnesses. A. L. Hart, Palmer's attorney, did not put in an appearance.

SERIOUS CHARGE.

**Willie Bernard Arrested for an Alleged Criminal Assault.**

G. H. Graham called at the RECORD-UNION office yesterday, accompanied by a 10-year-old girl, whom he said was his adopted child. He said he had caused the arrest of a boy named Willie Bernard, aged 14 years, on a charge of having repeatedly criminally assaulted the child, and had brought the latter with him to tell her own story, and, if desired, to give ocular proof of the charge.

The girl said that on Friday last she had been sent to the lunch-stand at the corner of Eighth and K streets—which a sign-painter has honored with the title of "parlor"—for some pie. While there Bernard took her behind the counter and committed an assault upon her, and detained her there an hour. She went there on the next day for another pie, and was subjected to the same treatment. When she returned on Monday for a further supply of pie, Bernard again assaulted her, and threatened to kill her if she told of it.

Graham stated that he had abundant medical testimony in support of the charge, and was determined to push the charge against the lad.

## OLD-TIME SPORTS.

### Two of Them Cross the Dark River on the Same Day.

**Ned Whipple and "Ab" Gentry—Brief Sketches of the Lives of Two Once Famous Sporting Men.**

Two well-known, old-time gamblers and sporting men died in this city on Monday, remarks the San Francisco *Chronicle* of yesterday. One was Ned Whipple and the other Abner Gentry. Both men were of the better class of their profession, and in the early days their losses and winnings ran into the thousands if not into the millions of dollars.

Abner Gentry was a native of Wisconsin, but came to California when young. His early days were spent at a place called Nelson Creek, in Plumas County. When he had passed his boyhood days he went to different places all over this coast. His best days were spent in Virginia, Nev., where he won and lost a large fortune.

Gentry came to San Francisco about 1869. He remained here for seven or eight years and then went back East, only to return here again about eight years ago. Since then he had been in poor circumstances. About fifteen years ago he lost $75,000 in mining schemes and was not able to recover his losses.

Last Wednesday morning Gentry was stricken with paralysis. His entire body was affected, but he lived until yesterday afternoon. He was about 55 years of age and leaves a widow. They lived, where he died, at 707 Montgomery avenue. Gentry was a very quiet man, seldom went in saloons and rarely drank. He was distant, almost cold, but had a warm heart.

Ned Whipple died at his residence at 1144 Howard street. He was a much older man than Gentry, as he died at the age of 68. He had been debilitated for some years, and died from that cause. His wife survives him. Whipple was one of the three noted Whipple brothers, Steve, Al and Ned. He was a native of Rhode Island, but came to this city in 1849.

With his brothers he was interested in gambling establishments, first on Commercial street above Montgomery, and afterward in the old Alhambra Theater. Steve Whipple was noted for having imported the first fine horses to this State, and for being the owner of the horses S. M. Whipple and Whipple's Hambletonian, which latter horse was, four generations back, the sire of the dam of Sunol. Steve also built the river steamer S. M. Whipple, which used to run between San Francisco and Sacramento, and which, when gambling began to decline, Ned Whipple captained. Whipple was in reduced circumstances when he died.

**Joe Soto's Deadly Weapon.**

Joe Soto appeared before Judge Cravens in the Police Court yesterday morning charged with assaulting Frank Blair with a deadly weapon. Soto's bail had been fixed at $1,000, but upon his requesting that it be reduced the Judge stipulated $500 as the necessary amount of his bond. Blair stated that he knew Soto, and knowing, feared him, and if he was to be released on bail desired protection. A silence ensued, but Mr. Blair's safety will doubtless be looked after.

The case was continued until 10 o'clock next Monday morning.

**Given a Chance to Grow.**

Judge Cravens yesterday morning sentenced the boy Henry Lomond to a term of five years in the Whittier Reform School. Henry, who is a lad of 13, has shown himself to be very energetic in his opposition to the control of his parents and the requirements of orderly society. The Judge told him that if he behaved himself at the school he would receive some commutation from his time, and could, by good behavior, regain his liberty sooner. It is a good disposition of Henry.

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## WILL NOT BE OUSTED.

### Freeholder Devlin Talks About the Funded Debt Commission.

**It Will Remain Intact if "Alternative Proposition No. 1" of the New Charter Prevails.**

During and since the framing of the proposed new charter by the Board of Freeholders it has been asserted by several attorneys, notably ex-Judge S. Solon Holl, that even by the adoption of "Alternative Proposition No. 1" of that charter, the Funded Debt Commission would be legislated out of office, despite the efforts to retain it.

The Freeholders, in their deliberations, came to the conclusion that the city could get along either with or without the commission, but determined to submit the question of which course should be pursued to the people for decision. Accordingly, two alternative propositions have been submitted with the charter—proposition No. 1 providing for the retention of the commission, and proposition No. 2, for the discontinuance of it.

WILL BE ALL RIGHT.

As the people are greatly interested in what effect the proposed new charter may or may not have on the various institutions of the city, a RECORD-UNION reporter was yesterday detailed to interview Robert T. Devlin—ex-Chairman of the Freeholders, and one of the brightest lawyers in the State—on the subject of the Funded Debt Commission, and what effect the first alternate proposition of the new charter will have upon it.

Mr. Devlin promptly gave it as his opinion that the commission will not be interfered with by the adoption of the proposition.

"As I understand the constitutional provision for the formation of charters for cities," he said, "the power formerly exercised by the Legislature in granting a charter is now transferred to the people of the city themselves to be exercised through a Board of Freeholders. The Constitution itself determines what effect the adoption of a new charter will have. It declares that when the proposed charter has been ratified by the people and approved by the Legislature, 'it shall become the charter of such city, and the organic law thereof, and shall supersede any existing charter, and any amendments thereof, and all laws inconsistent with such charter.'

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"Now," continued Mr. Devlin, "let us start with the proposition that there never had been a Funded Debt Commission and we desired to create one. I presume that so far as the power to create such a commission is concerned, we would have the same power to create such a commission in the charter itself as the Legislature had to pass the law under which the commission is now acting. In other words, whatever power existed to create the present commission still exists. It has only been transferred from the Legislature to the people of the city. A new charter supersedes the old charter, any amendments thereof, and all laws inconsistent with such charter. If the acts creating the Funded Debt Commission be not parts of the charter nor amendments thereof, they remain in full force unless inconsistent with the new charter. That they are not so inconsistent is declared by the first alternative proposition embodied in the proposed new charter. If such acts be considered as parts of the charter or amendments of it, they are incorporated by reference into the new charter by this first alternative proposition; so that in either view the Funded Debt Commission will remain as at present.

WOULD AID THE COMMISSION.

"I do not understand that the constitutional provision for the framing of charters was intended to or does limit the power of the people to give themselves any kind of a government that the Legislature might have given them prior to the adoption of the present Constitution. The people in adopting a new charter may retain all laws not inconsistent with it. This was the opinion of all the members of the Judiciary Committee of the Freeholders, and I believe it to be correct. It was not the intention of the Constitution to take away any thing that had been granted if the people in framing a new charter desired to retain it. This they may do by proper provisions in the charter. The adoption of the first alternative proposition will, in my judgment, not only retain the Funded Debt Commission, but in one respect its adoption would aid the Funded Debt Commission, as it would probably give vitality to those recent amendments of the original Act passed subsequently to the adoption of the present Constitution, and which probably are unconstitutional."

ELK GROVE.

**What the Good People of That Locality are Doing.**

The new converts' meeting at the Methodist Church on Saturday evening was well attended.

Arthur Gray is convalescent, and Mrs. D. H. Sherwood is improving slowly. Most of our sick people are getting better, but slowly.

The leap year ball last Friday night was not well attended, perhaps the meetings and balls do not mix well—something like oil and water.

Our community was sadly shocked to learn of the sad death of Burr Jackson last Sunday. The funeral was largely attended. The parents and friends have the sympathy of the community.

The County Women's Christian Temperance Union is to meet at Elk Grove about the 12th of May. The Elk Grove W. C. T. U. has appointed a Committee on Entertainment, also a Reception Committee.

The County Alliance will also meet at Elk Grove this spring. The grange picnic will be held here too, so this little burg will be quite well represented among the different organizations this spring.

A delightful rain has made the farmers' hearts rejoice at the prospect of a bountiful harvest.

Rev. Scott, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at this place, will remain another year. This is his ninth year in this place. He and his estimable wife have done a great deal to advance the cause of Christianity, morality and temperance in this vicinity.

The evangelistic meetings are to be continued at the Methodist Church. Rev. Mr. Roddy of Florin will assist Rev. Mr. McCallum. The interest in these meetings is increasing.

The temperance meeting held at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday evening, under the auspices of the Elk Grove Citizens' Temperance Society, was a grand success in the fullest sense of the word. The church was filled with as bright and enthusiastic an audience as one need wish to see. The programme was well received, and would have done credit to any city. Each one performed his or her part well, and those who were not prepared furnished substitutes. Special mention is due the recitation of Miss La Boyd. We give a cordial invitation to all to join our society and help us along with the temperance work. "The harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few."

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of this place is in a flourishing condition, and now has over twenty members. At their last meeting three more members were added to their ranks. Mrs. C. Dickson is President, Mrs. Scott Vice-President, Mrs. McCallum Secretary, and Mrs. Everson Treasurer. Their next meeting will be held on March 25th, at the home of Mrs. George H. Kerr, at 2:30 o'clock.

**Odd Fellows' Celebration.**

The committees appointed by the various organizations of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, to arrange for the celebration of the seventy-third anniversary of American Odd Fellowship, have organized by the election of the following officers: President, S. Harper; Secretary, W. A. Stephenson, and Treasurer, C. E. Barber. They have decided to hold the usual picnic this spring.

**Articles of Incorporation.**

The following articles of incorporation were filed in the Secretary of State's office yesterday:

San Mateo Gas Light Company of San Mateo. Capital stock, $16,000. Directors—Jas. D. Byrnes, E. A. Husing, Julius Wiesender, Wm. Nolden and John P. Weller.

Isleton Ferry Company of Isleton, Sacramento County. Capital stock, $1,000. Directors—S. Dickey, J. C. McCarty, R. H. Gardiner, A. R. Harvie, S. M. Limbaugh.

Lakeside Cheese Factory Company of Lakeside, Tulare County. Capital stock, $1,500. Directors—Geo. W. Chute, E. J. Dibble, F. M. Frazer, F. E. Howe and P. Bordson.

**"Blue Books" Exhausted.**

The edition of the State Roster is exhausted, and a second edition will not be issued. The Act of the Legislature calls for an edition of 1,200 copies, and these have been all distributed.

Secretary of State Waite says it is therefore useless to apply to him for copies now.

**Auction Sale.**

Bell, Greer & Co. will sell at auction to-day at their salesrooms, Tenth and J streets, a large and varied stock of household furniture, consisting of parlor, bedroom, dining-room and kitchen furniture, spring and top mattresses, crockery and glassware. The sale will take place at 10 A. M.

**Farmer Meiss is Free.**

Henry Meiss, Sr., the wealthy but erratic rancher, who was sentenced to serve six months in the County Jail for threatening the lives of his children, finished his term yesterday, and was discharged by Sheriff Stanley.

**The New Election Laws.**

The Secretary of State has distributed the new election laws. Some 10,000 copies of the new law have been sent to the Central Committees of the Republican and Democratic parties, and 2,500 copies to the Prohibition party.

**St. Patrick's Day.**

To-morrow will be St. Patrick's Day, an occasion dear to the hearts of most Irishmen the world over. It will be celebrated here by the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which will give its twenty-first annual ball on that night at Armory Hall.

**The Muller Suicide.**

An inquest was held yesterday by Coroner Clark on the body of Louis Muller, who committed suicide on Sunday evening, as related in these columns yesterday. No new facts were elicited.

**Agricultural Director.**

A. S. Nichols has been commissioned by Governor Markham a Director of Agricultural District No. 11, vice Dan T. Cole, resigned.

**Not Yet Decided.**

Governor Markham is still at work on the Freeman case, and not yet prepared to announce what his action will be.

**Notary Commissioned.**

The Governor has commissioned R. P. Wretman of Fresno, Fresno County, a Notary Public.

**Ladies.**

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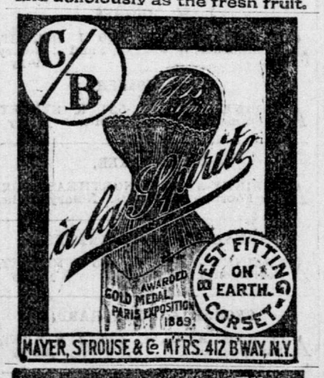


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BAKER-JOHNSON—In this city, March 14th, by Rev. G. A. Ottman, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Albert F. Mar. Baker of Galt to Mrs. Amelia A. Johnson of Sacramento. *

BORN.

GREENLAW—In this city, March 7th, to the wife of W. H. Greenlaw, a daughter. *

DIED.

BURTON—In this city, March 15th, Jennie H. Burton, a native of Nova Scotia, aged 25 years and 9 months.

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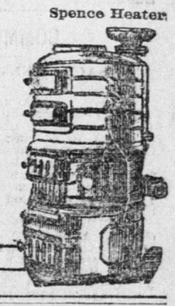


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