"COLEY" AND HIS CRIMES.

An All-Round Sneak-Thief Held on Four Charges.

His Pal Relates How and Where the Work Was Done—Cole Forgets All About It.

The hearing of the examination in the case of John Cole occupied the entire forenoon in Judge Cravens' court yesterday. Cole is the ringleader of a gang of youths that have caused various residents and the police officers loss, trouble and annoyance for some time, their operations being carried on along the river front and in the southwestern part of the city.

John Cole, Dan Keefe and a lad known as "Skinney" figure conspicuously as being chiefly engaged in stealing whatever they could carry away.

A large assortment of stolen articles recovered by Officers Greer and Gibson were brought into court, many of which the boys had disposed of to "Hobo" Jake Hudson, who was recently released from custody owing chiefly to the poor character of the evidence given by the boys, Cole and Keefe. The stolen goods consisted of whips, harness, Lash's Bitters, pipes, lead-pencils, etc.

Cole was examined upon four separate charges, and held to answer in each case.

The first charge was for burglary of John Ryan's barn. Mr. Ryan identified a harness which was in charge of the officers.

Keefe testified that Cole told him he stole the harness, and Officer Gibson swore that Cole acknowledged the theft to him and took him to where he had it hidden.

Cole himself testified that "on this here day he was full," but being now sober he denied everything. He never stole the harness; never told Keefe nor the officers "nothin'," and he dealt with apparent truth in a very easy, off-hand and familiar way. He somehow created the impression in court that he was a fluent, but unartistic falsifier.

Judge Cravens found him guilty, as charged, and committed him for trial, with bail in the sum of $1,000.

The two next charges against Cole were for burglarizing John Stevens' barn on February 20th and 22d. The evidence against him was substantially the same, and he was held to bail in the sum of $1,000 for each offense.

"Coley," as he was affectionately referred to by his pal, Keefe, was further charged with having robbed Silva's grocery store, corner of Second and Q streets. The evidence went to show that on March 1st Cole got through the bottom of Silva's show-window and took away such articles as he could carry. He aimed to secure a variety, and his assortment consisted of pipes, lead-pencils, whips, purses, etc. Here he also acquired bottles of beverages, such as Lash's Bitters, and some whisky and wine.

He then went forth rejoicing, but after a few drinks from his bottles he became a regular Caliban, and wanted to convive and be confidential with everybody. He told Keefe to go to Silva's and get rich. He called at the Capital Box Factory and gave an employe named Van Tassel a supply of his wealth, but that gentleman proved so unsympathetic as to turn the gift over to Officer Gibson.

Cole had a "high old time" with "Skinny," Keefe, and other friends, until he came to grief.

On this fourth charge Cole was also committed to the Sheriff, and his bail fixed at $1,000. Hence "Coley's" occupation is gone for a period, unless some wealthy friend has $4,000 to devote to his evil case.

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.]

Disgusted With Pugilism.

EDS. RECORD-UNION: In reading an account of that fatal "fistic" contest which took place in the city of Chicago a short time ago, and of one more recently in Portland, Or., between mere lads, the heart sickens at the recital of so brutal an outrage. It is a shame and a disgrace that in an intelligent civilized country like this such brutal encounters are allowed to take place, not only in Chicago and Portland, but in any portion of the Union not entirely surrendered to lawlessness and crime. If there is one abominable custom more than another that is deserving of the utter detestation of Christian communities, and the avenging sentiment of public opinion which has hitherto been shown in the State in defense of law and order—it is that of pugilism. It matters not how or where it is conducted, whether in gilded clubrooms with gloved hands, or in the open air with bare knuckles, it is, nevertheless, a cruel, barbarous custom that should be suppressed.

Here were two young lads of respectable parentage, who, scarcely matured, yet vigorous and strong, having probably witnessed many of these beastly encounters, were enticed, or allured by visions of pugilistic fame and gain, to enter the ring in a bloody contest for a victory which, when achieved, would forever disgrace them. The painful consequences are too well known to the deeply afflicted father and mother, who now mourn the untimely death of their beloved son, who might have lived to comfort and honor them, had society and the law not allowed this brutal custom to prevail.

The harmless athletic exercises that used to be practiced in the so-called "manly art" of self-defense has become altogether too tame a pastime of late to be much indulged in. Downright slogging, after the old-time ring fights, between light-weights and heavy-weights, between white and black men, can now only satisfy the eager curiosity and depraved natures of both the young and the old.

The Bay City has acquired an unenviable reputation for these vile exhibitions. Almost every morning the sensational papers treat their patrons to exciting—yea, thrilling, disgusting—accounts of a genuine pugilistic contest between light or heavy-weights; how the eye of one was completely closed up, the nose smashed, teeth knocked out, lips cut, the face pounded to a jelly and streaming with blood, etc. All of these sickening details are eagerly read and discussed by the youth of our land. Every movement, saying or doing of these detestable sloggers are flashed across the continent and minutely published by the sensational press, as if it concerned the public as deeply as would the beginning of a war in Europe or the passage of some highly important measure through Congress. Indeed, it has come to pass that these professional bruisers are so much talked of in communities, and through the press, that they imagine themselves to be the most important beings that travel the face of the earth.

But if justice prevailed, and they had their deserts, many of them would be found in the penitentiary, committed to hard labor—an occupation just suited to their strong physical condition. A mere fine for slogging is no punishment for these kind of offenders—a long term of imprisonment is what they justly deserve, and what they should receive. A dog, bear or bull-fight is degrading and corrupting enough for the people to see, without being induced to witness the beastly spectacle of two brawny beings (not men) pummel each other until one is slain, or exhausted nature can endure no more.

Now comes the news that a fight to the finish has been made up between Sullivan and Corbett, to take place at New Orleans. It would be better for the parties, and public at large, if neither of them survived the struggle. N. S. T.

Auburn, Cal., March 18th.

Superintendent of Schools.

EDS. RECORD-UNION: In yesterday's issue of the RECORD-UNION, under the caption "Something About the New Charter's Educational Departments," Mr. Weinstock is made to say:

"One serious defect in the present charter is the election of the Superintendent of Schools by the people. By virtue of his election the Superintendent is largely made independent of the Board of Education. So if the Board of Education should have one policy which it desires to have followed out, and should the Superintendent have another policy which he is equally anxious to have followed out in the conduct of the schools, neither policy, naturally enough, could be successfully put into force, and the situation would result in a deadlock.

"The experience of most progressive cities throughout the country has made it plain that to obtain the highest results in the common schools there should be a unity of spirit between the Board of Education and the Superintendent of Schools, and that it is, therefore, best to have the Superintendent selected by the board, as is proposed by our new charter. The power of selecting that officer being vested in the board it enables it to make a selection from the entire country, and in that way makes it possible for the city to secure the services of the best obtainable talent here or elsewhere. The idea is to take the office of Superintendent of Schools out of politics entirely. You know, the nominating conventions of the people must confine themselves, in making selections, to residents of their own city. While this may be a loyal action, looking at it in one way, it is often a disadvantage to the schools. We might get a man who is thoroughly qualified to fill the office, but it does not happen often—and when we do get that sort of man he has to take his chances at the polls for re-election, and may possibly be humiliated by defeat by an inferior man. But this is all done away with by the proposed new charter."

While I have a very high regard for Mr. Weinstock's opinions in matters of public policy, yet I think he is mistaken as regards the election of the Superintendent of Public Schools. My first recollection of a Superintendent of the Sacramento school system was Rev. W. H. Hill, a minister of the Episcopal Church, away back in the early sixties, superseded, I believe, by Mr. Landes, a professional teacher, followed by S. C. Denson, a lawyer, who was succeeded by another lawyer, A. C. Hinkson, who was followed by Dr. Laine, who retired to give way to M. R. Beard, who in turn was succeeded by the present incumbent, Albert Hart.

I doubt if a man can be found to contradict me when I say that all these men were good citizens and eminently qualified for the duties assigned them by the law, and, if I may refer to the high efficiency of the public school system of Sacramento under their control, I think it is a verdict in favor of the election of the Superintendent by the people. And I doubt very much if there is another city of our size in the Union, all things considered, that has given better results to the people by their school system.

As I look upon the Board of Education, it is a body of men selected by the people to look after the business interests of the School Department. They are not selected because of their qualifications as educators, but as business men to attend to the finances, and to procure the necessary buildings, etc., and to carry out the law regulating our school system, while the Superintendent should be a person qualified to know the very best methods of teaching, and qualified to put it in practice. He should be elected by the people, and have full control of the educational department, and be, to a certain extent, *independent* of the board, and not their creature. The inference I draw from Mr. Weinstock's remarks is, that the *5,000* voters of Sacramento are more liable to select a poor Superintendent than nine men sitting as a Board of Education. Let us make a comparison.

In 1886 the Superintendent, M. R. Beard, exercised not only his privilege but his *duty*, by suspending Mr. Anderson, the Principal of the High School, for very good and sufficient reasons, but the Principal knew his friends and went before the board. They exonerated him and allowed him his salary during *suspension*. In doing so they violated the law, and thought they humiliated the Superintendent, but at the next election for Superintendent Mr. Beard was again a candidate, and his adversary was one of the members of the board who violated the law by exonerating the Principal and humiliating the Superintendent, and the 5,000 voters showed their feeling in the matter by electing Mr. Beard to the office the second time.

As a city we have, unfortunately, followed "the experience of most progressive cities throughout the country"—New York, Chicago and San Francisco—and with a similar result. But we are told that the success of the other places is owing to the placing of great powers in the hands of the few. We need not go abroad for instructions in the "divine right to rule" placed in the hands of a few. But if any other city desires a few lessons in that theory all they have to do is to come, put up the "stuff" and Sacramento will graduate them in a single campaign.

I have often wondered at the fact that our school system has avoided the mud and slime of Sacramento politics. But it has, while some of the "most progressive cities" have furnished the sensational newspapers with matter suitable to their tastes. I can only account for the success of our school system on grounds that we have always had good and efficient men for Superintendents, and, as a rule, very fair business men on the Board of Education. In a city of 30,000 people I am willing to take the chance of finding *one* man who is qualified to superintend our educational system, and I am not yet prepared to approve any plan that gives the Board of Education the power to send to England, Ireland or Scotland, or Germany, or any other foreign State or country, for a Superintendent to manage our school system.

Place the "divine right to rule" as near the people as possible, and, my word for it, like the doctors' pills, "If it does you no good it will certainly do you no harm." WILLIAM BOYNE.

Sacramento, March 18, 1892.

AN OLD CITIZEN GONE.

Death of William M. Lyon, a Former Shipping Merchant.

The many friends of William M. Lyon will regret to learn of that gentleman's death, which occurred yesterday at his residence in this city. For many years Mr. Lyon was engaged in the fruit and produce-shipping business on J street, between Front and Second, but was obliged to retire from business several years ago in consequence of physical ailments which prevented him from giving his personal attention to his affairs.

Deceased was a man of excellent attainments and character. His father was the author of a book which some years ago attracted wide attention in literary and scientific circles, entitled "The Hollow Globe." In it the author advanced the novel theory that the center of the earth was hollow from Pole to Pole.

The deceased leaves a wife, but no children. He was a member of the Knights of Honor.

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SACRAMENTO'S GROWING TRADE.

Heavy Shipments of Produce Daily to Distant Points.

The "Garden Sass" of This Section Gets There in the Best Condition and Greatest Quantity.

The produce merchants of this city seem to be reaping a veritable harvest in the shipment of vegetables, for there is apparently an unusual activity in that line. A RECORD-UNION reporter, in conversation with several dealers yesterday, found that the many advantages possessed by Sacramento County over other localities is being appreciated by the trade to the extent that this city is now furnishing the bulk of the output. Heretofore San Francisco had exclusively supplied the demand in the States of Washington and Oregon, and also controlled a large portion of the Montana, Idaho and Utah trade. Now the situation is reversed, and the superiority and freshness of Sacramento produce is being appreciated.

Frank Gregory, of Gregory Bros. & Co. of this city, in an interview yesterday, said: "The time has at last arrived when the importance of Sacramento County as a vegetable-producing section is being appreciated by the northern and eastern trade. Until recently San Francisco has been considered the legitimate source of supply in the immense traffic in the articles of table vegetables, asparagus, cabbage, etc., occasioned by the trade requirements of Washington, Oregon and other portions of the coast. That preference has existed to the extent that every steamer leaving San Francisco for the north has been laden with very large quantities of small vegetables.

"Latterly the advantages in our favor have become known; and, as the result, our merchants are getting the bulk of the business. San Francisco stock is, as a rule, one or two days old before being shipped, while the Sacramento product is not taken out of the ground until a few hours prior to leaving this city by either express or freight. Besides that, the cost of handling and packing has been minimized to the least extent. This, added to the fact that there is no charge for drayage or wharfage here, reduces the cost to such an extent that other sections cannot compete against us.

"There is no question," said Mr. Gregory, "as to the fact that the quality of vegetables grown in and around this city is superior to the product of any other portion of the State. Then, again, its freshness—it being cut, packed and shipped on the same day—insures its arrival at destination in the most perfect shape possible. When it is considered that, in addition to Washington and Oregon, the trade of Utah, Colorado, Illinois, Nebraska, Montana, Wyoming, Minnesota and Missouri also draw daily supplies of Sacramento-grown vegetables, it is easy to realize the estimation in which the people of the various States mentioned hold our products.

"This fact, coupled with the record of superiority attained in the fruit-growing line, adds materially to the reputation already secured by Sacramento as being the center of the greatest and most prosperous fruit and produce-growing sections in the State."

The foregoing facts readily demonstrate the superior advantages possessed by Sacramento as the distributing point of the largest and most successful producing section of the State. The earliest and best shipping varieties of table vegetables, asparagus, cherries, strawberries, etc., are grown in the immediate vicinity of this city. The widely-extended and rapidly-increasing demand for our products has assumed such magnitude that the entire trade of America is, therefore, more or less tributary to our resources.

ROBBED ON A TRAIN.

A Visitor From Solano County Says That Charles Young Did It.

Frank Favre, a Frenchman, who came in on the train from Elmira yesterday afternoon, complained to the officers that he had been robbed of $15, and accused one Charles Young, who was arrested.

Later Special Officer Goods arrested a man suspected of being an accomplice in a Third-street saloon. The latter, after being searched and no money being found upon his person, was released. Young is still in custody.

Favre identified Young at the Police Station as being the man who robbed him, but it seemed from his statement that he had been somewhat too convivial on the train while en route, and may have been asleep.

Favre's nerves seemed considerably unstrung from the effects of his adventure, and he was certain of nothing especially, except that he had been robbed, and that Young was the man.

PEDRO'S PLIGHT.

Judge Cravens Holds the Too Gay Musician for Trial.

The case of Pedro Cortez, charged by Bertha Gonzales with seduction, occupied Judge Cravens' court all of yesterday afternoon. The case was heard with closed doors, and none but the necessary persons admitted.

The testimony all went to sustain the charge, and was of a very personal character.

Pedro's counsel, Isaac Joseph, wanted to introduce, as a witness against the girl, one Gomez, after the prosecution had closed his case, and the application was denied by the court.

The case was submitted, and Judge Cravens issued an order committing Pedro, who was held for bail in the sum of $1,500.

CHICO'S FESTIVAL.

The Odd Fellows May Join in the Celebration.

There is some talk that the Odd Fellows may postpone their intended trip to Chico on the 26th of April and celebrate that day with the balance of their brothers a few days afterward at Chico on the 6th of May, when all of the different societies and lodges will participate in a grand reunion, parade and picnic. Able orators will be there to address the masses, among them ex-Justice of the Supreme Court Charles N. Fox, W. H. Barnes, John P. Irish and others. The event will be the mardi-gras of Northern California for this year and possibly for a good many years to come.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded since our last report:

A. B. Webber and wife to Frank Nunes—Land 120.08 feet by 362 feet in section 5, township 5 north, range 4 east.

Mrs. F. R. Cardwell (formerly Miss F. R. Cole) to James Cardwell—Undivided half interest to west half of northwest quarter and lot 4 of southwest quarter of section 21, east half of northeast quarter of section 20 and east half of southwest quarter of section 16, all in township 10 north, range 5 east; $3,500.

William P. and Lucinda K. Meyer to J. H. Steinmeyer—West thirty-two feet of east sixty feet of lot 2, W and X, Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets.

Harry Wicks and wife to W. O. Bowers—West half of lot 6, J and K, Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets.

W. A. Nickerson to George M. Dixon—South 120 acres of the 200 acres described as the south half of the southwest quarter of section 14, township 8 north, range 5 east; the north three-quarters of section 23, township 8 north, range 5 east, 200 acres.

Nellie L. Webb to A. Gustafson—West half of lot 1, Q and R, Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; grant.

S. P. Smith to W. Drury—Lot 16 in block 30 of Oak Park; $270.

S. P. Smith to W. O. Brown—West forty-eight feet of lot 2, P and Q, Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; $4,500.

W. O. Brown to W. B. Brown—Above land; grant.

Articles of Incorporation.

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

The Norwalk Building Association, of Norwalk, Los Angeles County. Capital stock, $10,000. Directors—D. D. Johnston, John S. Baker, W. B. Pendleton, J. S. Eliot and S. G. Baker.

Producers' Savings Bank of Bakersfield, Kern County. Capital stock, $100,000. Directors—R. Frisselle, H. C. Park, Frank A. Stewart, H. Hirshfield, Stanton L. Carter, E. E. Elliott and L. Blankenthorn.

Masonic Temple Association of Berkeley, Alameda County. Capital stock, $50,000. Directors—Samuel Heywood, B. P. Bull, F. H. E. O'Donnel, H. L. Greenough, J. T. Morrison, James McClain and L. Gottshall.

Colton Pavilion Company, of Colton, San Bernardino County. Capital stock, $15,000. Directory—M. A. Murphy, Geo. Cooley, Wilson Hayes, H. B. Smith, Milo Gilbert, W. W. Wilcox, S. M. Goddard, George L. Hutchinson and R. W. Bulton.

Tulare County Agricultural Society, of Tulare, Tulare County. Capital stock, $20,000. Directors—S. A. Blythe, W. H. Wallace, James H. Carlisle, B. F. Bishop, G. W. Zartman, W. B. Cartmill, J. W. Martin and A. Borders.

Haswall, Irvine and Holden Company, of San Francisco. Capital stock, $100,000. Directors—E. J. Holden, E. S. Deady, J. C. Irvine, James L. Nagle and G. W. Downey.

An Attraction of Merit.

While passing along J street yesterday a reporter was attracted by the beautiful display of millinery goods in the show-windows of the Misses Brothers, leading milliners. The artificial flowers were particularly attractive, arranged in artistic designs made in separate sprays, with long stems; have a very natural effect and look as if just plucked from the garden. Being "opening day" one could not resist the temptation of going inside, where the large assortment of beautiful materials was bewildering. The hats are composed principally of flowers with high trimmings. The Prince of Wales effects are shown. Fancy straws and Swiss braids are the hats in demand. Plaques, in many dainty braids, are among the novelties. Hats made of spiral or Chantilly laces, overlaid with cut jet, will be a strong feature, as their light weight makes them more desirable than the heavy jet of the past. Silk crepes and ribbons are much used for ties and long streamers, which add a graceful effect to the wearer. A visit to this emporium would in every manner justify the desire of the most fastidious in the line of millinery novelties. *

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Boston Laundry Soap, 20 bars in box, 45c.

Le Roi Des Savon Laundry Soap, 20 large bars in box for $1.

Playing Cards, indicators and double head, 5c per pack.

Extra-fine quality of Gents' Flannelette Overshirts, well made, full size, 50c.

Young Men's Fine French and Scotch Flannel Silk-striped Overshirts, light patterns, full finished, with two pockets and yoke. These are superior to all silk shirts. $2 50 and $3.

An extra quality in Gents' Narrow-plaited Open-front White Dress Shirts, regular $1 50 shirt, for $1.

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300 Boys' Knee-pants Suits, ages 4 to 14 years, in wool cheviots, cassimere and navy blue flannels, a large variety of patterns, well made and goods that will not show soil. These goods are extra fine value, $2 50 and $3 per suit.

20 dozen Boys' Knee Pants, in dark and medium gray, 25c per pair.

A lot of Men's Dark Heavy Satinet Pants, good patterns, $1 19 per pair.

A lot of Men's Dark Fancy Worsted Dress Pants, $2 50.

IN SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' Kid Button Shoes, square toe and tip, low heel, sizes 2½ to 5½. Special price, $1 10.

Child's Kid Button Shoes, spring heels, soft soles, sizes 3 to 7, 85c.

Infants' Dongola Kid Button Shoes, soft, turned soles, tip on toe, sizes 1 to 5, extra quality. Special price, 75c.

Bixby's Shoe Blacking for men's shoes, patent handy box. Regular, 10c. Special price, 5c.

Men's Calf Seamless Lace Shoes, medium and wide toe, tipped or plain, neat and dressy, sizes 6 to 9½. Special price, $2.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT SPECIALS.

Irish Linen Glass Cloth Napkins, size 20x20, fancy red border, hemmed ready for use. A splendid Napkin for hotels and restaurants. $1 25 a dozen.

Heavy Ginghams, in large and small plaids and small checks, 5c per yard.

One line Fancy-striped Flannelettes, 29 inches wide, extra value, 12½c goods, 15 yards for $1.

Huck Towels, fancy border, 18x32, fringed ends, 6 for 30 cents.

IN FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Misses' Fast Black Cotton Hose, sizes 7, 7½, 8, at 25c. On sale to-day at 16⅔c.

Ladies' All-wool Colored Jerseys, sizes 36 and 38, worth $2 50. On sale to-day at $1.

Veiling in blue and red, with chenille and velvet dots, value at 25c. To-day's price, 12½c per yard.

A few of those Sample Blouses left, in sizes 34 and 36. They are going rapidly at about half price.

Stove Polish, in patent wooden box, 2 boxes for 5c.

Ladies' Light Blue Cotton Hose, full finished, sold at 50c, now selling for 15c.

MILLINERY TO-DAY.

For the past year we have made it a rule to sell all Trimmed Hats at one-third discount from regular price on Saturdays. Our object is to keep our stock a moving. By so doing we carry no surplus goods, and have no rusty stock on hand, but open Monday mornings with Hats bright and fresh.

To-day we have on sale a nice variety of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats and Toques in all the latest shapes and styles, which will be sold at one-third discount from regular prices.

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